REPORT FROM DIABETES AWARENESS ESSAY CONTEST

Jan. 20, 2024 (3rd Cabinet Meeting) Mid Winter Conference

- MD2 LOFY contests judging on Diabetes Awareness Essay, Drug Awareness Speech and Outstanding Youth award will be done virtually via ZOOM on <u>May 18, 2024</u>.
- District 2X1 will follow through MD2 procedure by conducting District 2X1 LOFY contests virtually via ZOOM
- District 2X1 Application form, contest rules and guidelines as well as the LOFY Quick Reference Sheet are posted in the <u>Link (newsletter)</u> and <u>district website</u>.

https://lionsdistrict2x1.org/forms/

- Topics for 2024 are also posted at MD2 website at: <u>https://texaslions.org/opportunities-for-youth/</u>
- Diabetes awareness Essay topic " Knowing Diabetes is Fighting Diabetes"
- District 2x1 contest criteria:
 - Qualification: Junior or Senior High School
 - Essay not to exceed 1,500 words
 - Scholarship awards : 1st S1000; 2nd \$500
- 2X1 Important Dates:
 - Submission deadline for the essay & application March 1st, 2024
 - March 15^h, 2024 Essays sent to judges
 - March 23rd , 2024– judging via ZOOM
 - Presentation: 1st place winner -Saturday April 13, 2024 at District 2X1
 Convention
- Request clubs to encourage students in their areas to participate. Junior and senior high school students can enter the contest. Registration and application fee of \$100 per contestant, provided by the sponsoring Lions Clubs payable to 2X1 charities Inc

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