

LIONS DISTRICT 2-X1



2023-2024 Lions Opportunity for Youth Report

4th Cabinet Meeting, Saturday, Mar. 9, 2024 from 9 AM to Noon Tyler Street Church, 927 W 10th St., Dallas, TX 75208

Prospective judges for the 2024 LOFY contests, in particular for Drug Awareness Speech (DAS) and Outstanding Youth Award (OYA) contests had been contacted via phones and emails. At this time, we have one confirmation from Dr. Aaliyah Miranda, who agreed to be a judge for both DAS and OYA contests. We are still awaiting the confirmation from 5 other prospective judges.

As of today (Mar. 1, 2024, application packet due date-postmark) I've received one application packet each for both mentioned contests, delivered personally. I will update the additional contestants, prior or at the Cabinet Meeting. Eligible contestants will be contacted and their contest schedule will be informed on Mar. 15, 2024.

Both DAS and OYA contests will be held via Zoom, inline with MD-2 State level's contests procedure, on the same day, Saturday, March. 23, 2024 from 10 to noon and from 1 to 3 PM, respectively.

Lion Gloria Mathur, Diabetes Awareness Essay contest coordinator will report her part separately as per usual.

Mar. 1, 2024

Respectfully Submitted, Nia MacKay, PhD LOFY Chairperson