



Dear Lions Members & Friends,

The Lions of Illinois Foundation partners with Spectrios Institute for Low Vision, the Illinois College of Optometry, and the Chicago Lighthouse for the Blind to provide a FREE comprehensive visual evaluation to Illinois students in

grades K-12. Students are referred by special education staff employed by the Illinois Board of Education. The exams are performed by licensed optometrists that travel to the different screening locations throughout the state.

Other components of the program include:

- Referring parents to vocational counseling
- Braille reading instruction
- Orientation and mobility training for child
- Adaptive technology training

The LIF "Seeing is Believing" Low Vision Program for Students provides a visually impaired child with the optical tools and training necessary to help prevent further vision loss or even blindness. But more importantly, these are the children we have promised to help by preserving what sight they have left. Their future is in our hands.



Meet L.V. or "El-Vee" our new Seeing is Believing Mascot

Please read the form below as to how you can help.

In 1991 Lions made a pledge to the children of Illinois.

We believe that no child needs to face blindness as their future.

Please help to preserve that pledge with your donation.



Enclosed is our check/money order to sponsor _____ student(s) at a cost of \$290 each.

Included is the cost of a vision screen & any optical tools youth are recommended or prescribed by the optometrist.

Amount of donation \$ _____

Club Name/ Individual Donor Name: _____ E-Mail: _____

Club Address / Individual's Address: _____ E-Mail: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Contact Phone number(____) _____

Please make your check payable to: LIF
We also accept credit cards, please call us.

Submit form & donation to:

**Lions of Illinois
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Sycamore, IL 60178**

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**Remember we are not asking for just a donation,
we are asking for the opportunity to provide
a student with low vision a chance to excel in their
school, society, job placement, but more importantly, in
their future. We can continue our mission to make a
difference in the lives that we have
pledged to serve.**

Please join us with your donation today.

John Deere Golf Classic

Chip in for your chance to win--when you chip in to help Seeing Is Believing, you can win some great prizes. We will receive every single penny of the donations from this campaign, plus a bonus from the Birdies for Charity Fund which historically has been a 5-10 percent match.

May we run this donation through Birdies for Charity? Yes No If yes, your Birdies guess:

To learn more about Birdies for Charity, please visit www.lionsofillinoisfoundation.org