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## Elgin Lions Club elects new officers --- 7/11/2022

**Submitted by Elgin Lions Club** 



The Elgin Lions Club welcomes the new slate of officers, from left, Gary Hearn, Bill Klawitter, Sharry Blazier, Mario Martinez, Sue Bruneau, Mary Merrell, Ed Bates, and Bob Fowler. Not pictured: Wes Tredup and Lynn Dusel. *Courtesy of Elgin Lions Club* 

The Elgin Lions Club recently inducted a new slate of officers for the 2022-23 club year.

The officers were elected at the club's June 7 meeting.

The officers are: Ed Bates, president; Gary Hearn, outgoing president and current membership director; Sue Bruneau and Wes Tredup, vice presidents; Bill Klawitter, treasurer; Lynn Dusel, secretary; Mary Merrell, recording secretary; Bob Fowler, Tail Twister; Sharry Blazier, one-year director; and Mario Martinez, two-year director.

The primary mission of the Elgin Lions Club is to provide eyeglasses to the community. This vision is achieved by working with Elgin Area School District U-46 and the Community Crisis Center.

They also work on local food drives, provide college scholarships, other local activities, as well as providing support for the Lions of Illinois Foundation and Lions International.

They are always looking for volunteers to help make this vision a reality. The club will help you find a way to volunteer that best suits you.

The Elgin Lions Club is open to individual membership for the yearly fee of only \$75 which covers state and international dues.

For more information, visit elginlions.org or www.facebook.com/ElginIllinoisLions/.

## Daily Herald South Elgin High School places 4<sup>th</sup> overall in 2022 Chicago Bears Nike 11-On Tournament --- 7/7/2022 Submitted by Miguel Lemus



South Elgin High School Football Team Courtesy of Jacob Funk - Chicago Bears

The Chicago Bears hosted their third annual official Nike 11-On competition on Wednesday and Thursday, June 29-30, which featured 16 local high school teams in a tournament and skills challenge for individual players at Fenton High School.

The skills challenges included a QB Throwing & Accuracy Challenge and multiple lineman challenges. The Bears also held a panel discussion featuring staff members to speak to the group about careers in the sports industry.

This year, the South Elgin High School football team of South Elgin placed 4th overall in the Nike 11-On tournament out of the 16 high schools that participated and were awarded \$1,000 by the Bears to fund their football program.