JUNIOR LEAGUE OF MINNEAPOLIS

2019 - 2020 Annual Report

June 2021
Elizabeth Nelson, President
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Our Mission

The Junior League of Minneapolis (JLM) is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women and improving the community through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable.

Our Vision


Our History

The Junior League of Minneapolis is a 501(c)(3) non-profit volunteer organization. It was established in 1923 and is a member of The Association of Junior Leagues International Inc. (AJLI).

The JLM is a diverse group of dedicated women working to make Minneapolis a better place for all of its residents. With more than 700 members, the Junior League of Minneapolis makes a measurable, positive impact on the community.

The Junior League welcomes all women who value our Mission. We are committed to inclusive environments of diverse individuals, organizations and communities.
The 2019-2020 League year was unprecedented. The COVID-19 pandemic disrupted health, lives, and livelihoods across our community. And the murder of George Floyd, along with the deaths of countless others, trained a spotlight on racial and structural injustices in our city and nation, underscoring the need for meaningful change. Despite the challenges brought forward by COVID-19, JLM members continued to serve our community.

For more than 95 years, the Junior League of Minneapolis has inspired women from diverse backgrounds to become civic leaders and catalysts for change. The Junior League of Minneapolis is driven by our mission; an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women and improving communities through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers.

During the 2019-2020 League year we continued our focus on fostering lifelong membership, deepening our community impact, building our capacity and continuity of service. Highlights included:

- Continued partnerships with community organizations like People Serving People and Wallin Education Partners, as well as expanded the reach of HOMES through a new partnership with Children’s Hospitals and bringing STEM programming to hospitalized children.
- Continued the Diversity, Equity & Inclusion core team that focused on gather baseline and benchmarking data, as well as partnering with a consultant to inform our DEI priorities and evaluate training needs.
- Sought input from members on their JLM experience in a State of the JLM session.
Focused on building our capacity to support members, including piloting a new Placement Matching Tool to streamline matching members with committee placements and experiences that align with their volunteer training and leadership development interests, as well as participating in an Annual Planning Bootcamp, where participants received in-depth training from Association of Junior Leagues International on how to create annual action plans that drive strategic initiatives.

Quickly and safely pivoted our member programming to all virtual events, including hosting our first ever online business meeting.

On a personal level, one of the things I'm most proud of is working with members to articulate our JLM core values. While the end of this League year has been like none other, I saw our members those values – rising to embrace the challenge of the moment, and turning it into momentum for a stronger League and a more equitable community.

It has been an incredible privilege to serve as the President of the Junior League of Minneapolis these past two years and I am more confident than ever that the JLM will continue to be a force for good in our community.

Theresa McCormick
President
2018-2020
Top row from left to right: Theresa McCormick, Elizabeth Nelson, Sarah Hauge, Natalie Mohr
Middle row: Inga Schuchard, Darcy Silver, Merry Schmidt, Nicole Sullivan
Bottom row: Kacie DeWolf, Kimberley Johnson, Kelly Leiker
30 Million Words was established in 2016 with the goal of increasing the number of words heard by low-income children. This is accomplished through fun, celebratory events that provide one-on-one mentoring and increased access to culturally relevant books. A study in differences in access to books showed that children in lowest-income homes have on average, 0.4 books/home while kids in middle income families have on average 199 books/home; the presence of books in the home has a greater influence on a child’s level of education that does the parental/caregiver income, nationality, or level of education. With our interest in the opportunity gap, this project helps us directly address this inequity.

During the 2019-2020 League year, 30 Million Words hosted seven Book Bashes at People Serving People, a Minneapolis emergency shelter for families experiencing homelessness. Book Bashes are reading parties designed to engage children in literacy activities outside the classroom.
Helping Hands gives the Junior League of Minneapolis the opportunity to partner with over 20 other community organizations, and to meet short-term volunteer staffing needs by offering ‘done-in-a-day’ shifts to Junior League of Minneapolis members. Selected projects focus on literacy and nutrition, and aim to reduce the opportunity gap. Our impact through this project includes hundreds of volunteer hours distributed across the great Minneapolis area. During the 2019-2020 League year, volunteer hours were provided by JLM members at local organizations including the Festival of Giving, Crisis Nursery, Bundles of Love, Children’s Hospital, and Youth Performance Company.

Between the Lines provides opportunities for children to remain connected with their parent(s) during long separation due to incarceration. This program strengthens the bond between a parent and a child and enhances the children’s literacy skills. The JLM partners with Shakopee Women’s Correctional Facility to record an incarcerated parent reading a book to their child(ren). JLM volunteers send the recorded book on a CD, a new copy of the book, and a personal note written by the incarcerated parent to their child(ren). It has been shown that reading books together enhance early literacy development. In the 2019-2020 League year, Between the Lines recorded hundreds of books for children whose female caregiver (mother, aunt, grandmother) is incarcerated.
H.O.M.E.S. is a JLM community project committed to engaging and equipping parents with the ways to continue math, engineering, and science activities through hands-on projects in their homes. The committee and its volunteers encourage students in grades K-5 and their parents through positive learning associations and by providing the resources to explore STEM activities further at home. Key community partners include Partnership Academy, a charter school in Richfield, and a Minneapolis Public Schools STEM after-school program called Girls in Engineering, Math, and Science/Guys in Science and Engineering (GEMS/GISE).

The mission of Wallin Education Partners is to enable college and career success for high-potential Minnesota students with financial need through scholarships, comprehensive advising support, and data-informed collaboration with educational, business, and philanthropic partners. The Junior League of Minneapolis supports this mission by financially supporting one female high school senior annually in her quest for higher education. Scholarship recipients are selected on the basis of academic rigor, commitment to the community, and being the first generation in her family to attend college or university.
With a modest beginning in 1966, 18 women from the Junior League of Minneapolis set out to create a group that has grown today to an inspiring chorus of around 60 women. This group includes members of the JLM as well as women from the community at large. The 2019-2020 season marked the League Aires’ 54th year of bringing the joy and healing power of music to older adults and to those with special needs, as a service project of the JLM.
$10,000

Catherine Hunnewell
Susan Seiler

$5,000

Nicki Seppelt

$1,000 – 4,999

Debra Andreas
   Barb Beard
   Christie Boeder
Sarah Borchers & Brian Kingsley
   Glenda Corrigan
   Kristin Fitzsimmons
   Krista Forsberg
   Kathy Klingen
   Barbara Koch
Dawn & Mark Larsen / The Larsen Fund
   Nancy and John Lindahl
   John Mason
   Sara & Bill Ray
   Jeffrey Richardson
   Patricia Spencer
   Martha and Doug Head / The Head
   Family Foundation
   MJ Hauser
   Lisa Walker & The Wooddale Team of
   American Mortgage & Equity
   Consultants
   Sarah Hauge
   Rafina Y. Larsen / The Larsen Fund
   Michelle Steinhafel
$500 - 999

Eve Andersen
Vicki Brunsvold
Stephanie Donley
Christina Ironside
Mary LaFave
Sarah McLeod
Michaela Mumbleau
Patty & David Murphy
Leslie Niemoeller
Greg & Deb Peterson
Shannon Rinehart
M.E.G. Roy
Catherine Schmoker
Maggie Snetting
Virginia Sweatt
Carol B. Truesdell
Sandra Warner
Linda Wilson

$250 - 499

Emily & Eric Backstrom
Blyth Bailey
Sandie Berger
Karie Bergeron
Andrea Bredow
Ann Brilley
Marie Bruening Fraass
Marcia Carthaus
Laura Cederberg
Brianna Chamberlin
Lori Anne Emlong
Chuck & Meleah Follen
Lorin Gleeson
Annie Gorman Henke
Berit Griffin
Fran & Steve Gylling
Victoria Jones
Inga Kingland
Sarah Kyles
Marcia Lockman
Melissa McAlpine
Theresa McCormick
Natalie Mohr
Elizabeth Nelson
Carolyn Olson
Kathy Pluhar
Sarah Remakel
Kelly Roti
Jo Ellen Saylor
Merry Schmitt
Darcy Silver
Josh Streit
Alicia Toms
Anne Wight

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Alicia Toms
Anne Wight
Jennifer Abel
Judith Adolfson
Barbara Baker
Adam Bauman
Connie Blodgett
Bob Branham
Laura Buck
Tom Burzycki
Jessica Cameron
Lori Carver
Cheryle Clausman
Emily Clausman
Elizabeth Colburn
Virginia Conklin
Connoisseurs Tours
Kathleen Coppo
Jean Cunningham
Carolyn Colwell Dahl
Patricia Pool Davis
Kathleen Dodson-Smith
Anonymous
Sarah Foster
Lisa Gerten
LeAnn Gfrerer
Casie Glassman
Luella G. Goldberg
BJ Gullickson
Barbara Hartwell
Jean McGough Holten
Kristine Jessen Hallaway
David & Joan Johnson
Kimberley Johnson
Nacole Kaai
Jennifer Long
Daniel May
Laura McCormick
Carol Meyer
Lorie Michaels
Janet Myers
Janet Nelson
Marilyn Carlson Nelson
Becky Odland
Margaret Pfohl
Elizabeth Radichel
Jill Ragatz
William Ray
Katherine Recher
Nan Records
Jean Reissner
Jo Ann Rich
Jacqueline Ricks
Deborah Samenow
Jane Schrader
Jennifer Shinners
Carol Smith
Sheila Stageberg
Jasmine Stringer
Tara Sullivan
Lisa J. Thompson
Dr. William & Paula Tompkins
Clare Truckenbrod
Jane Truckenbrod
Judy Tucker
Jessica Wahl
Lisa O Walker, Ph.D.
Jane Wallace
Maxine H. Wallin
Sally Wangensteen
Jennifer Watson
Linda Westenberg
Grace Williams
Up to $99

Alyssa Abraham
Caitlin Ackert
Alaleh Amini
Roger Andersen
Amanda Basca
Glynne Bassi
Leah Bayne
Amber Rose Bjerke
Cindy Bradden
Olivia Burger
Ali Butchko
Katharine Caffrey
Chelsey Christ
Erin Conroy
Cynthia Byars Courtney
Samantha Decker
Susan DeJute
Alyssa Dempsey
Carrie Dent
Ray Dosdall
Christine Ebert
Kirsten Edwards
Laura Engen
Sarah Erickson
Renee Evenstad
Rebecca Ezell
Nicole Farrell
James Forsberg
Amy Freeberg
Jane Freehauf
Mallory Garberich
Cindy Garin
Elizabeth Gill
Jeannette Gillespie
Shannon Gillespie
Kelsey Gingrich
Christina Grahek
Michelle Hammer
Amy Hauser
Elisabeth Hawthorne
Hunter Helmes
Alexandra Hennekens
Sarah Hetland
Adrienne Ho
Thierry Ibri
Elizabeth Ironside
Mary Keating
Shelly Keeler
Mackenzie Kempton
LaShonda Kennedy
Maggie Kirchoff
Diana Kirkland
Claudia Klein
Elizabeth Krainz
Kathryn Kramer
Jill Krasuski
Molly Kuchan
Molly Lagermeier
Rachel Lauer
Chase Lenz
Mary Lessig
Emily Lucas
Keith Lutz
Irene Lyell
Kristin & David Madgett
Barbara Mahoney
Christina Mannino
Aleasha Markley
Lockie Markusen
Misty & Theo Martianos
Lisa Matre
Laura McCormick
Kelli McDonald
Nancy McIntyre
Hayleigh McLellan
Chris Meskimen
Jessica Mills
Aleksa Montpetit
Carol Mulheran
Ashley Mulloy
Sandy Mumbleau
Marina Naples
Mary Nelson
Michelle Norbin
Lois Norby
Kristin O’Connor
Heather O’Donnell
Chad Ogden
Angela Olson
Marisa Ontko
Sarah Paisley
Elaine Peik
Jennifer Peterson
Stephanie Pierce
Max Powell
Crystal Powers
Trisha Qualy
Rachel Rodriguez-Schwab
Hallie Rogers
Joan Russell
Meghan Rust
Margaret Schaffer
Annelise Schaufert
Mary Schneider
Anna Schoenbaum
Emily Serrano
Josiline Shanahan Roddy
Sylvia Silver
Keith Sjostrom
Nicole South
Allyson Sprain
Sara Sternberger
Kristin Stets
Meredith Suffron
Jamie Teigen
Abigail Thompson
Cynthia Trapp
Elizabeth Tyminski
Ellen Van Dine
Bridget Vargas
Irene Waldo
Lisa Warren
Mackenzie Willems
Imogene Wilson
Sarah Wind
Judy Wollan
Ashley Woller
Liza Womeldorf
Rosemarie Zipoy
# Change in Financial Position

For years ending May 31, 2019 and May 31, 2020

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### Financial Position, continued

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# Financial Position, continued

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<th>May 31, 2020</th>
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<td>Cash</td>
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<td>Operating</td>
<td>$ 315,975</td>
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<td>Restricted, LeagueAires</td>
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<td>1,434,300</td>
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<td>**Property and equipment, net</td>
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<td><strong>Total Assets</strong></td>
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| LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS    |             |             |
| Current Liabilities           |             |             |
| Notes payable - current portion | $ 4,064   | $ -         |
| Accounts payable              | 5,860       | 11,476      |
| Accrued other                 | 684         | 518         |
| Deferred revenue              | 56,877      | 55,830      |
| Accrued rent                  | 4,453       | 5,247       |
| Total current liabilities     | 72,038      | 73,071      |
| **Long-term Liabilities**     |             |             |
| Notes payable - long-term portion | 8,336   | $ -         |
| Total long-term liabilities   | 8,336       | $ -         |
| **Net Assets**                |             |             |
| Without Donor Restrictions    |             |             |
| Undesignated                  | 867,085     | 831,130     |
| Board designated - building funds and operating reserve | 723,464 | 773,097 |
| Total without donor restrictions | 1,590,549 | 1,554,227 |
| With Donor Restrictions       |             |             |
| Total net assets              | 167,913     | 152,156     |
| Total Liabilities and Net Assets | $ 1,838,836 | $ 1,779,454 |

Notes to Financial Statements are an integral part of this Statement.
Junior League of Minneapolis relies on a combination of fundraising events, corporate sponsors and Annual Fund donations to fuel our efforts to create a positive impact in the community. Our Advancement Council offers members the opportunity to sharpen their skills in non-profit fund development, including “making the ask,” event planning, procurement, donor relations and budgeting.

Our 2019-202 portfolio of fundraising events aligned with activities we know members are already participating in (group fitness, trying new restaurants, game night!) and created environments that appeal to audiences outside the JLM, encouraging our members to bring friends and family.

At Men in the Kitchen, hosted by our partner Warners’ Stellian, our volunteer chefs create delicious bites and compete for prizes – and bragging rights – awarded by audience votes and a panel of local celebrity judges.
Our FITraiser events are a great way to try new fitness trends with friends, as local studios donate private classes.

Bottles, Bags & Bingo, hosted by Gasthof Zur Gemutlichkeit, is always a fun and playful evening where guests can win designer handbags and premium wine and liquor with each round of bingo.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, our spring fundraiser, Toss for a Cause cornhole/bean bag toss tournament, had to be cancelled.