

When The Junior League of Phoenix gets behind an idea, Phoenix changes.

**Thank you for supporting
The Junior League of Phoenix.**

Did you know that by supporting The Junior League you are supporting your community as well? Have you ever wondered "Who is The Junior League?" Or have you ever asked yourself "What does The Junior League do?"

What is The Junior League?

Chartered in 1935, The Junior League of Phoenix, Incorporated 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. Our purpose is exclusively educational and charitable. A member of the Association of Junior Leagues International, Inc., The Junior League of Phoenix membership is open to women of all races, religions and national origins who demonstrate an interest in and a commitment to voluntarism. Our membership of 1,300 plus women is proud to have an impact on our community.

What We Do

- Educate and train women volunteers for community involvement and leadership, providing over 100+ volunteer hours annually
- Research and develop programs to meet the changing needs of the community
- Participate and contribute to community projects and programs through volunteer services, financial backing, and board representation

Our Programs

Ryan House – Founding community partner of Phoenix's first palliative care home for children with life-limiting conditions.

Girl Scouts First Saturdays Program – This program is delivered the first Saturday of each month in Tempe, Chandler and Mesa for girls ages 5-12 from economically challenged and ethnically diverse neighborhoods. The Junior League of Phoenix provides volunteer "Troop Leaders" to direct the troop to earn badges while also planning age appropriate activities.

Journey of Me - The Junior League of Phoenix and Arizonans for Children have teamed up to capture and document the life history of foster children in Phoenix. These books often provide the only history of a foster child's life. In addition to documenting their life history, Life Books help foster children to focus on the positive and establish goals.



The Wellness Community - The Junior League of Phoenix will work with The Wellness Community to plan, coordinate, and deliver a new series of events that focus on outreach and experiences to teens that are impacted directly by cancer.

Children's Museum of Phoenix - The Junior League of Phoenix is taking a visionary role in the development of what will be a Valley institution, the Children's Museum of Phoenix. When the renovation of the Monroe School, a historic downtown structure is complete, it will house not only the museum exhibits, but also The Junior League of Phoenix Classroom, which will be available for use by those visiting the museum. The museum plans to open in 2008.

Hearts & Hands Days - The Junior League of Phoenix is partnering with Society of St. Vincent DePaul to tackle two issues at once: Volunteerism for families and coming to the aid of Phoenix's most needy citizens. The Junior League will organize and plan community volunteer days known as Hearts & Hands Days. Service projects may include sorting donated items, working in the kitchen, assembling mailings, crafts and personal care packs for the homeless.

Phoenix Day - The Junior League of Phoenix will provide financial support as well as plan, coordinate and execute a quarterly education and nutrition program for parents with children attending the school.



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Women building better communities

For more information about
The Junior League of Phoenix, please visit

www.jlp.org

or call 602.234.3388.

Past Community Projects and Programs supported by The Junior League of Phoenix.



It is hard to quantify the impact that thousands of women spanning more than 71 years has had on the Valley, but consider these key projects which were supported through Junior League financial and volunteer aid:

Adult Literacy
Arizona Science Center
Child Sexual Abuse Awareness
Christmas in April
Court Appointed Special Advocates
Crisis Nursery
Emily Anderson's Family Learning Center
Encanto Carousel
Foundation for the Blind Children
Free Arts for Abused Children
Healthy Touch
Immunization Saturday
Krause Memorial Children's Fund
Life Books
Metropolitan Canal Beautification
Orpheum Theatre
Phoenix Art Museum/Junior Museum
Phoenix Museum of History
Phoenix Zoo Education Center
Race for the Cure
Read to Me
Ronald McDonald House
Rosson House
Safe Return
Save Camelback
S.E.L.F. Inc.
Southwest Adoption Conference
Teen Outreach
Transitional Housing for Homeless
Volunteer Center
Women in Transition
World is Mine

"The Junior League is the foremost community leader in Greater Phoenix. The League's long-term commitment supports the most critical areas of need. Most major community projects for the past three decades have been researched, initiated, funded and created by The Junior League of Phoenix. What an awesome group of women!"

Betsy Bayless, Director of AZ Department of Administration & Arizona Secretary of State (1997-2002); sustaining member, The Junior League of Phoenix

How can you support The Junior League of Phoenix?

• **Martinis and Masterpieces**

Martinis & Masterpieces is an after work, cocktail party celebrating the Arts & Business Council of Greater Phoenix and the Junior League of Phoenix's work in providing capacity building tools and programs that answers the needs of the nonprofit arts and health and human services community.

Martinis & Masterpieces will showcase the business and celebrity community's artistic talent through their every day **DOODLES**. **DOODLES** can be silly, sublime and everything in between. Even presidents have been known to **DOODLES**. One thing is for sure, they can be highly informative or just plain entertaining.

These masterpiece **DOODLES** (from business leaders, government officials, sports and Hollywood celebrities, etc.) will be featured on this website leading up to the event, where they will be displayed and auctioned to the highest bidders.

Visit www.martinisandmasterpieces.org to purchase tickets and for more information!

Thursday, April 3, 2008 • First Studio • 631 N. 1st Ave. • Phoenix, AZ

• **Care Card**

The Board of Visitors in partnership with The Junior League of Phoenix, sponsor Care Card. By purchasing a Care Card, you will receive 20% off at over 350+ retailers all over the Valley for 10 full days. It's a great way to save big while giving back to your local community. Shopping days for 2008 are: Friday, Oct 17th – Sunday, Oct 26th. To learn more about this program visit www.thecarecard.org.

• **Rummage**

It's been a Valley tradition for 71 years. The Junior League Rummage Sale is held every year at the Arizona state fairgrounds in February. There is always an amazing array of new and nearly new merchandise available for rock bottom prices. All proceeds go to The Junior League of Phoenix community programs. To learn more visit www.JLP.org

• **Cookbook**

The Junior League of Phoenix cookbook is a must have for those who love to cook! Be sure to order the newest edition, Pomegranates & Prickly Pears today. Some previous year's cookbooks available as well. Remember cookbooks make great hostess gifts throughout the year. **Purchase yours today!** Visit www.JLP.org for more information.

Join Us!

For those interested in joining The Junior League of Phoenix, we are currently accepting new members.

Please visit www.JLP.org to learn more.

"I credit the Junior League for giving me the opportunity and training to become a leader."

Sandra Day O'Connor, former United States Supreme Court Justice; Past-President and sustaining member, The Junior League of Phoenix