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2018-2019

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LITTLE BLACK DRESS INITIATIVE

During LBDI week, JLP members used their social media platforms to bring awareness and raise money for JLP community programs. The response was overwhelming: in one week, JLP raised \$20,451. With the money raised, we are able to support our mission of developing the potential of women and improving the community through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers.

RUMMAGE SALE

Another successful Rummage Sale is in the books for the Junior League of Phoenix! Our 82nd Annual Rummage sale had 4,500 attendees and raised \$135,000. JLP members and guests worked a total of 3,840 hours that week preparing for sale day and 40+ mammograms were given. Party goers attended the Pre-Party, A Night Through the Looking Glass, on Friday night before working hard at the all-day sale on Saturday. Proceeds from Rummage benefit our local community programs and trainings.



TOUCH-A-TRUCK

The seventh annual Touch-A-Truck was held at Aviano Desert Ridge again this year and had more than 2,500 attendees. The event raised more than \$20,000 for our community programs and mission. The first hour was "horns-free" to accommodate noise-sensitive children. Attendees enjoyed the photo booth, food trucks, mascots, bounce houses, a wide variety of trucks, and emergency response vehicles. This year, there was a "Safety Town" set up to provide age-appropriate info for children by local rescue workers. The event was attended by many families in the area and everyone had a great time!

KIDS IN THE KITCHEN

Kids in the Kitchen had a great 2018-2019 year with our partnerships at Boys and Girls Club Guadalupe, Boys and Girls Club Chandler, and a limited partnership with Child Crisis Arizona. We were able to work with more than 50 children each month to provide nutritional and healthy eating lessons. Some of our lessons included The Food Plate, Fruits and Veggies, Smart Servings, Nutritional Label, and Rethink Your Drink.



UNITED WAY

The Junior League's partnership with the United Way, Ending Hunger in the Classroom, provides more than 4,700 students in nine Valley schools with a healthy nutritious breakfast delivered right to the classroom. This year, more than 6,500 backpacks were packed during 5 weekend packing shifts for a total of 98 volunteer hours from 35 volunteers. Additionally, 1,416 items were collected at Done In A Nights, which made 236 snack packs for The VSUW to distribute.

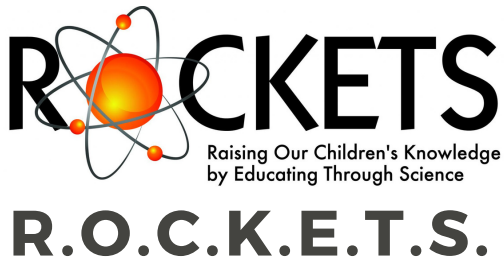
An additional 695 items were collected at the Neiman Marcus Beauty Bash Event, which made 116 toiletry bags for the homeless.



HALLE HEART

This year, the Halle Heart committee taught 250 Junior Chefs 12 heart healthy meals with the help of 96 Junior League volunteers. Junior League volunteers guided Junior Chefs through 15 minute of heart-pumping activities while their meals were cooking in the oven and the kitchen was turned back into a place for our new Chefs to enjoy the fruits of their labor. This year we introduced Kitchen Kits, providing each Junior Chef with kitchen items and one ingredient so the recipe could be recreated at home with their families.





ROCKETS' 8th annual Teacher Launch was a great success! This year, ROCKETS partnered with Arizona Science Center's CREATE Team to provide the education for the seminar. Teachers attended two sessions related to the seminar's theme, "Protect Our Species." With the generous grant ROCKETS received from the JLPF, ROCKETS was able to provide 56 pre-K - 8th grade teachers with classroom sets of supplies, STEM lesson plans, Edison robots and training, and more! Prizes raffled to the teachers included a field trip to the AZSC, a visit from the CREATE Bus, and various classroom supplies!



DONE IN A NIGHT

Monthly Recipients:
 September - United Way
 October - Dress for Success
 November - Homeward Bound
 January - Treasures for Teachers
 February - The Bra Recyclers
 March - Project Shoebox
 April - Phoenix Rescue Mission
 May - Scottsdale Fire Department
 & Child Crisis Nursery

COMMUNITY IMPACT PARTNERSHIPS

- ASU Art Museum
- Free Arts for Abused Children of AZ
- Assistance League of Phoenix: Operation School Bell
- Feed My Starving Children
- Ben's Bells
- St. Mary's Food Bank
- Homeward Bound
- American Red Cross
- Ronald McDonald House
- Andre House
- Children's Museum of Phoenix
- Dress for Success
- St. Vincent De Paul
- Phoenix Zoo
- Phoenix Day
- UMOM
- Desert Botanical Garden
- Hope & A Future



JLP Community Impact projects are volunteer-led, one-day projects that support an urgent need in our community.

PROVISIONALS

Provisional women participate in a number of events that prepare them for their active years to follow, including the Provisional Brunch, three Super Saturdays, one Provisional Day of Service, and a Community Partners Training. Super Saturdays are the most important for women to really learn what is at the core of the Junior League of Phoenix.

In addition to Super Saturdays, Provisional Brunch, Provisional Day of Service, and experience with our Community Partners all serve a specific purpose in the Provisional Program. The Provisional Brunch was the first opportunity for women to get to know their advisors and the other women who would be walking with them throughout the year. Approximately 80 women attended the Provisional Day of Service, a provisional-only service project at St. Vincent de Paul. For many Provisional Members, this was their first actual shift with JLP. About 50 women also attended the Community Partners training, where they learned about the different community committees in the League and how they serve the greater Phoenix area.



MEMBER TRAINING

The Member Training Committee successfully launched a new series of speaker panels throughout the year. Speaker panel topics included "Women's Empowerment," "Goal Setting & Accomplishing," "Wellness for Mind & Body," and "Taking Risks." The panels took place throughout the year and offered insight to members as to subjects they may be interested in or want to know more about. Panelists featured were women located here in the valley who are successful in their careers and ready to share their expertise, while creating a thought-provoking conversation for members to step out of their comfort zone and into a new way of thinking. Speaker panels have been a new and innovative manner for members to receive training and prompt conversation about things that matter in our community while promoting personal and professional success.

SUSTAINERS

The sustainers started off the year with a brunch attended by 43 sustainers. Other events included a Patio Party in Nov, a Holiday party in December, a House party in Feb, and a Tour of the Mesa Urban Gardens in April. Sustainers also had some cooking classes throughout the year!

Sustainers also donated food for JLP members working shifts during Rummage week. Thank you to Gena Seivert, the sustainer advisor for the rummage committee, who was the lead coordinator on this endeavor! Thank you to all of the Sustainers who donated food; it was a wonderful week and we were all well-fed! You are SO APPRECIATED!

You are all the best! Thank you for being involved!



JLP TOASTMASTERS

During the 2018-19 year, JLP Toastmasters achieved their membership goals for the Talk Up Toastmasters and Smedley contests; received the President's Distinguished Club status; held their first Member Orientation Session; earned more than 25 education awards; and had four members qualify for the Triple Crown Award by earning three or more educational awards in less than one year.



Junior League of Phoenix

White Party

SINCE 2013

WHITE PARTY

The 6th annual White party, "A Night at the Races," was held on Saturday, Apr. 27. The derby-inspired evening held at Young's Market Company raised more than \$20,000 to help support the mission of JLP, including its community programs and leadership training programs. Guests dressed to impress in their best all-white cocktail attire and derby-inspired accessories while dancing the night away to a DJ and enjoying hors d'oeuvres, cocktails, a photo booth, and lawn games. This year also included a prize wall where guests could purchase and pick a lucky horse shoe off the wall. The sales wall itself raised over \$4,000! Kendra Scott mystery boxes raised an additional \$1,950 throughout the evening.



SPECIAL EVENTS

In addition to LBDI, JLP's Special Events Committee raised over \$8,000 through hosting events like the first Neiman Marcus Beauty Bash, JLP's first fundraising mixer with the Phoenix 20/30s Club, the annual Kendra Scott Winter Launch Party, and a shopping event at the Fairmont Princess.





ABOUT JLP

OUR MISSION

THE JUNIOR LEAGUE OF PHOENIX 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.

The Junior League of Phoenix is dedicated to providing volunteer service throughout the Valley to positively impact the lives of families and individuals every day. The Junior League of Phoenix is a member of The Association of Junior Leagues International Inc. (AJLI), which is comprised of 293 member Leagues in the U.S., Canada, Mexico and the United Kingdom. JLP is comprised of nearly 1,000 members from throughout the Valley.

The Junior League of Phoenix is governed by an 8-member board of directors, which is made up of the JLP president, active and sustaining directors, a secretary, finance director, and operations director. The board is accountable to the members for the development of the strategic goals, which enhances JLP's ability to fulfill our Mission. These goals also are also communicated to the operations team, which helps to execute these goals through day-to-day activities and events.

The Junior League of Phoenix, Incorporated (JLP) is a 501(c) 3 not-for-profit organization. All of our programs are supported by membership dues, foundation and corporate grants and revenue-producing efforts.



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