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A Letter From the President . . .

Welcome to Summer and the start of our 94th year for the Junior League of Montgomery! Our wonderful and dedicated members are hard at work during these hot, long days of Summer. We have begun work in two Community Placements, and our Fall event-planning is in full swing.

Our **Women of Action** have begun serving with the Montgomery Education Foundation Summer mentoring program and Common Ground Ministries, which will complete housing for volunteers in our area. Both of these Summer placements start with a purpose and mission to help our Community. If you are interested in helping or learning more about these placements please reach out to chairs **Amerika Blair (Montgomery Education Foundation)** and **Daria Awusah (Common Ground)**.

Be sure to mark your calendars now for **Sept. 16 for JLM's annual College and Career night**, chaired by **Ashley Penhale**, at our new location, the MultiPlex. Please be sure to invite any high school juniors or seniors to this free community event that will help prepare our youth for the next step after high school. **Holiday Market is set for Oct. 9-12**, and the HM committee has been working diligently under the leadership of **HM Chair Ashley Tarrant**. We are happy to report booth space is filling up; I am so excited to share that the **CHEESE MAN IS BACK!** Additionally, there are several other new vendors that will be showcased this year including sellers of cheese straws, men's items and so much more!

I hope each of you finds time this summer to take a moment to renew your commitment to service and action in our Community. This is the perfect time to plan and envision what your placement will look like for our 94th year. As we start the Road to 100 years it is important to remember why our League has accomplished so much: it is because of members like you!

Jennifer Rogers

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July Birthdays

1 Dana Butler	17 Janet DuBose	23 Jane Klingler
1 Elizabeth Crump	17 Tamaya Roberts	23 Ellenann Yelverton
4 Anna Wilson	18 Ashley Hamlett	24 Paula Carpenter
5 Rachel Boyd	18 August Haygood	24 Amanda Collier
5 Lucy Jackson	18 Yeteva Johnson	24 Susan Mathews
5 Carrie McCollum	19 Gibbs Davis	24 Corettte Scott
7 Kate Bartlett	19 Susan Geddie	25 Dell Murdock
7 Leslie Pitman	19 Margaret McNeill	26 Becky Canerday
7 Vanessa Watkins	19 Aimee Steineker	26 Jill Farris
8 Mary McLemore	19 Leah Stephens	26 Barbara Grimes
8 Laura Stevenson	20 Jean Anderson	26 Anne Palmer
9 Jamila Anthony	20 Karen Griffin	27 Pamela Selmar
10 Krishula Edwards	20 Sephanie Johnson	27 Tamela Selmar-Burks
11 Jerusha Adams	20 Susan Patton	28 Meredith Bishop
12 Mae Cohen	20 Nancy Shinbaum	28 Tiffany McCauley
12 Kathy Hall	20 Lovetta Churchill	30 Mary Jane Guyton
13 Julie Crane	21 Victoria Belton	30 Briana Perkins
13 Jan Hodgson	23 Camille Bowman	31 Maya Martin
14 Susannah Cleveland	23 Donella Crusoe	31 Susan Reed
14 Bette Smith		

Summer Sunscreen Tips

Dr. Porcia Love, a JLM member and Board Certified Dermatologist/ Clinical Assistant Professor for UAB Medicine, shared important sunscreen tips for a safe summer!



Love said, regardless of skin color, everyone needs to wear sunscreen! And don't forget about your feet (top/bottom), ears, back of neck, scalp and hands- these are often forgotten areas she sees that burn easily which can lead into pre-cancerous spots.

Health.com cited even more tips sun-lovers often forget:

- Apply 30 minutes prior to going outside
- Apply sunscreen to lips (or wear lip balm with SPF)
- Don't leave sunscreen in the car (exposure to UV light and heat at 90* or above, the SPF actually diminishes, if not dissolves)
- Wear sunscreen that is developed specifically for faces

Recruitment Update

Membership Recruitment tables have been popping up all over town! Thank you to our **Membership Recruiter Kara Cosby** for setting up these opportunities.

Look for us at Baptist Hospital the month of July! We will be at both South and East locations to recruit new members and build awareness of JLM in the community.



Kara Crosby, Laura Maxey & JLM President Jennifer Rogers visit ALFA Headquarters to recruit new members.

Ongoing Membership Recruitment



Members gather at the Shop Save Serve kick-off at Firebirds in Eastchase.

Did you know we are still accepting Membership Applications? Share our website with potential new members. All members are encouraged to sponsor someone for our 94th year.

We are hoping to recruit as many new members as possible. If you have questions, please contact **Nicole Pinkham or Deniese Brown**, the 2019-2020 Provisional Chairs.



Members work together for another successful Rummage Sale.

It's Beginning to Look A Lot Like Christmas!

Holiday Market, a fan favorite, is just around the corner. Mark your calendars for **Oct. 10-12** when we welcome hundreds of shoppers to Cramton Bowl Multiplex looking for unique, fun, quality gifts. Want to win free passes before you buy? Like, Share, and Comment during our Christmas in July social media campaign and you might be a lucky winner!

LIKE
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Enter Your Chance to
Win Free Passes
July 1-31
Follow Us on
Facebook
Like Us Instagram
#JLMontgomery

Holiday Market Needs Your Help!

Save the Date: Prancer's Preview Party is Wednesday, Oct. 9.



The Holiday Market Silent Auction Committee has been reaching to businesses to acquire donations for the 2019 Prancer's Preview Party and could use your help! If your company has items to donate or if your friend owns a business that we can reach out to, please contact **Maryanna Jackson, HM Silent Auction Chair**, at

jackson.maryanna@gmail.com. No gift is too big or too small!

Lillie Lee Minier Society

The Lillie Lee Minier Society (LLMS) was created in the Fall of 2015 as a special donor society of the Junior League of Montgomery to celebrate the League's 90 years of service. The Legacy of the 90th celebration is the continuation of the LLMS as a donor society with activities and purpose each year. LLMS members are comprised of Sustainers, Actives and Provisionals. Donated funds have been and will continue to be used to further the League's sustainability (e.g., scholarships, women's leadership training, etc.), and will be used to fund the League's 100th Anniversary Milestone. ***Donors will receive Holiday Market and Shop Save Serve passes, which will credit members' ways and means obligations for those events. For example: HM obligation is \$50 - with LLMS you receive a \$40 Preview Party Ticket that counts towards Ways and Means; Shop Save Serve (varies for Provisional/Actives) but covers 2 passes.***

To donate and become an LLMS member, please visit your Digital Cheetah home page!

Summer is here: Get your JLM tote today!

*Become a League Leader by donating \$125 to JLM
& receive this Vineyard Vines Skipper Tote!**



Made in the USA
Waterproof bottom
100% cotton canvas
100% imported silk
23.5"W x 13.5"H x 7"D
11" Handles

**Your tax deductible benefit is equal to the difference between your donation and the dollar amount of the benefit received (e.g. the value of the tote).*

Editors' Corner

Leslie & Elizabeth's Summer Favorites

Daily Face Sunscreen

- **EltaMD UV Clear Broad-Spectrum SPF 46:** Great for acne prone skin. Key ingredients- Niacinamide, Hyaluronic Acid, Vitamin E, Zinc Oxide, Antioxidants, Lactic Acid.
- **Supergoop Unseen Sunscreen SPF 40:** Protects against UVA, UVB, blue light and infrared rays. This doubles as a makeup primer! Leaves a matte finish.
- **La Roche-Posay Anthelios AOX SPF 50 Daily Antioxidant Face Serum:** Great for all skin types if you want a boost of Vitamin C& E with your daily SPF. Use before moisturizer.
- **CeraVe Facial Moisturizing Lotion AM SPF 30:** Great for all skin types; budget friendly.

friendly reminder to wear mineral-based sunscreen at the beach/ in ocean waters!

Summer Reading

- **"Nine Perfect Strangers"** by Liane Moriarty
- **"The Gown"** by Jennifer Robson
- **"Small Great Things"** by Jodi Picoult
- **"Where the Crawdads Sing"** by Delia Owens
- **"We Were the Lucky Ones"** by Georgia Hunter
- **"Where'd You Go Bernadette"** by Maria Semple (in theaters Aug. 9!)
- **"The Unhoneymooners"** by Christina Lauren (great beach read!)
- **"Lilac Girls"** by Martha Hall Kelly (& then read the prequel **"Lost Roses"**)
- **"The Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo"** by Taylor Jenkins Reid

The Capri Kids Summer Matinees

- Thursdays & Fridays at 10 a.m. & 1 p.m.
- May 30-July 26 (no shows July 4-5)
- All seats are \$2; 50 cent popcorn & soda
- **July 11 - 12:** Wallace & Gromit
- **July 18 - 19:** Wonder Park
- **July 25 - 26:** Race For Your Life, Charlie Brown
- The Capri is a proud partner of Holiday Market Silent Auction- support your local arts!

HQ Updates



Many thanks to our JLM Board for approving the face-lift and maintenance of the League HQ Building! We can't wait to show it off at our **Sept. 10 GMM** which is set to be held at League HQ. Much appreciation goes to **Sustainer Judy Kyser** (pictured left) for her invaluable help with the process.

Kudos to Community Research

JLM hosted a Grant Writing Workshop on Tuesday, June 25 at HQ. We are so grateful for our **Community Research Team: Amber Cameron, Co-chair; Quenita Mitchell, Community VP; and Hannah Chadee, Community Research Chair** (pictured right). Together they collaboratively gave an outstanding presentation to a RECORD-BREAKING crowd of 70 people at the workshop. We are excited to see the grants that will be chosen for our next League year!



JLM grant applications are available online by visiting our website; please share if you know of any agencies that should apply. Applications and supporting materials should be submitted via email only. Submissions are due Wednesday, Aug. 21.

Update Your Info

Have you moved recently? New email address? New phone number? Recently married with a new name change? New job?

Please help us help you! Visit Digital Cheetah to update your contact information so you can receive all communications-whether digitally or in print and help us know where members are in our community.

A Call to Action

Members do you have business or personal contacts with some of our area businesses? JLM is currently working with our Corporate Sponsors to build support for our League and our mission. We would love some help with connections you might have with area businesses, professional firms, and corporations. Please reach out to **President Jennifer Rogers** or **Joanna Kirkland** with any ideas or names you might have to help.

Save the Date!

Mark your calendars for these important dates and upcoming events!

Aug. 21	Grant Application Deadline
Sept. 10	First General Membership Meeting @ JLM HQ
Sept. 16	College and Career Night at the Multiplex
Oct. 9	Prancer's Preview Party
Oct. 10-12	Holiday Market

Sustainers' Corner

Jenny Thiessen will be compiling Sustainers' stories for upcoming League Logs. She will be contacting many Sustainers in the next few months. If you'd like to share your story, please send Jenny an email at jthiessen1@yahoo.com, or call her at 334-462-7772. We want to let our Active and Provisional members know who our Sustainers are and what they've been involved with in our community since becoming a Sustainer. Thanks for your help!

Let's Get Social!

A new year of serving our community has begun with the women of Junior League of Montgomery and we want to connect with you! JLM has several social media platforms for you to both follow and keep you engaged. Our social media vision for this year is to create an inclusive space where all members feel empowered and up-to-date on all things JLM.

We have initiated our new #MemberMonday spotlights and will soon launch First-Year Facts to keep our Provisionals in the loop. Our team needs your help to make this happen, so let's get started!



Request to join the [Members of Junior League Montgomery Facebook Group](#). Here you will find all things intra-League related including empowering posts from women in the League, community placement updates, important dates, member highlights and more!



Like our [JLM Facebook Page](#). This page is public and is where we want to show off all the good things we are doing in the community, as well as invite friends to all of our fundraising events. Feel free to invite your friends and family to like our page so they can keep up with your volunteer efforts!



Follow us on Instagram [@juniorleagueofmontgomery](#) for snapshots of League happenings!

If you have anything to share with us, have nominations for #MemberMonday, or placement updates- please email jlmontgomerycommunications@gmail.com. You can also share your photos in the Members Only group and tag our [Social Media Chair, Laurel Teel](#), for reposting on our other accounts.

Open Position at JLM HQ

Brigitte Allred our current Office Manager is moving home to Mobile. We have loved having her positive happy face in our office this year. We are so thankful for everything Brigitte helped us with this year. Please join me in thanking her for her hard work and help towards our mission. Her last day will be July 18. If you know anyone who might be good candidate for this position please feel free to pass on and email information@jlmontgomery.org for the application and more information.



League Lines

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ONE MISSION.

ONE MEMBERSHIP.

ONE LEAGUE.

The Junior League of Montgomery is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women, and improving the community through effective action and leadership of trained volunteers.