



BRIEFLY SPEAKING

April 2010

Volume 7

April General Membership Meeting
Tuesday, April 13th
6:30 p.m. Social • 7:00 p.m. Meeting

Children's Center for Science and Technology
(The Children's Museum of the Valley)
on the corner of Wick Avenue and Federal Street
in downtown Youngstown
Street parking should be available



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Yearbook, Amy Banks

Mother/Daughter Brunch
Barbara Banks, *Active Liaison*

Passport to Prizes

Liz Skeels

Done in a Day Projects

Deb Hartig

Pink Ribbon Tea

Annette Camacci, Sue Berny
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Angel Ball

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Sustainer Representatives
Joyce Mistovich, Patti Edwards,
Suzy Schwebel Epstein,
Jan Strasfeld

Mission Statement

The Junior League of Youngstown is an organization of women committed to promoting volunteerism, developing the potential of women and improving communities through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable.

Briefly Speaking is published ten times per year for members of JLY. The deadline for each edition is the first of the month. Information should be submitted via email to Tara Mady at tlmady@gmail.com.

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The Junior League of Youngstown General Membership Meeting Minutes March 9, 2010

Call to Order: 7:05

Welcome to guest Kelly Burke

Congratulations to Joanne Wagner on the birth of her son!

By-law training by Deb Liptak

Overview of McDonough Museum by Tee Berlin

March votes:

Quorum verified by Anna Aey

2010-11 Done in a Day's 23-0

By-law Changes 20-1

Slate 20-1

Nominating committee 18-3

Dues 15-6

**All votes have passed

JLY recruitment breakout sessions: Leah Wilson

Please try to bring 2-3 guests to the Tea

Fund Development:

Kentucky Derby Party will be May 1st at the Youngstown Club from 5-8. Event will feature hat contests, Derby related foods, watching of the race, etc. Committee would love extra help. Tickets are \$30 with a cash bar. Everyone is asked to support the event and basket donations would be greatly appreciated.

Basket of Virginia foods winner was Doris Bullock.

JLY will be participating in the Boardman St Patrick's Day parade. All members are asked to participate.

Adjourn 8:55

50/50 Raffle Winners

Congratulations to Doris Bullock, Provisional Class Member, for winning the March gift basket.

April's Gift Basket Raffle

April will bring a taste of England with gifts from The Mustard Shop in Norwich, England, where Coleman's Mustard was founded in 1814. Four different types of mustard and powdered mustard, plus a cook-book complete with "blistering facts, scorching trivia and heated history," will go to one lucky winner. Tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5.

Junior League Car Decals

The Fund Development Committee has a limited number of static cling car decals featuring the famous JL logo. These will be on sale at the February meeting for just \$1 apiece. Instead of an OBX on your car - proudly display the JL!

Attendance Requirements



All Active and Provisional members are required to attend minimum of 5 General Membership meetings each League year.

Kentucky Derby Party

And They're Off! On Saturday May 1, 2010, the Junior League of Youngstown will host a Kentucky Derby Party at the Youngstown Club. The evening's festivities will include an entertaining *Derby Hat Contest* with a team of celebrity judges, a *Derby Race Raffle Drawing* and a *Run for the Roses Auction*. And, of course, partygoers will enjoy the Kentucky Derby on large screen televisions. Cindy Matthews, News Anchor with WFMJ Television, will be our Mistress of Ceremonies. Corporate sponsors of the event, at this time, include V & M Star, the Dunham Foundation, MultiMedia Farms and the Youngstown Club. Proceeds will benefit the League, which is celebrating 80 years of community service to the Mahoning Valley. Tickets are \$30 per person and the hat contest entry fee is \$5.

Individual Patron levels include:

Lady Luck \$100 and recognition in program book as well as *Briefly*.

Heaven Home \$50 and recognition in program book.

Corporate/Business sponsorship levels with reserved seating include:

Thoroughbred \$1,000 and a reserved table for eight, recognition in program book.

Front Runner \$500 and reserved seating for four, recognition in program book.

Heading Home \$250 and reserved seating for two, recognition in program book.

We are also seeking basket donations and gift certificates for our auction. Gift basket donations must be made to the League office by April 15.

If you are interested in supporting this fun, worthwhile event as an event sponsor or with a gift basket donation, please contact the JLY office at 330-743-3200 or info@jlyoungstown.org for a sponsorship/donation form.

JLY Provisional Class Project: Kids in the Kitchen

Kids' Health Fair
Saturday, April 24th
1:00 – 4:00 p.m.



Grades K-8
Please join us for an
afternoon of education, exercise and fun!

Held at Fit Woman (Austintown Health
Care Center)
45 N. Canfield-Niles Rd. (Route 46)
Austintown, OH 44515

Admission is FREE with RESERVATION -
RESERVE YOUR SPOT TODAY!!
Call Lisa (330-503-4996) or Fit Woman (330-793-4466)

Presented by the Provisional Class of
the Junior League of Youngstown



300 Sisters in RED

APRIL 17, 2010 • 8 A.M. TO 1:30 P.M.

YOUNSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY • KILCAWLEY CENTER

Sponsored by Youngstown Chapter
The JLY will have a table there.

8 TO 10 A.M. FREE HEALTH SCREENINGS

**** Appointments required for cholesterol and blood sugar screenings. ****

Total, HDL, LDL cholesterol and blood sugar (**12 hour fast required**)

blood pressure • body fat • bone density
computerized heart health assessment • stroke risk assessment • colon cancer screening
Massages • Refreshments • Interactive fitness for all ages • Door prizes • Informational displays

10:30 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M. SPEAKERS

Diabetes: How It Relates To Heart Disease -
Fareedah Z. Goodwin, M.D.

Breast Cancer Awareness: What Women Need to Know - Dara P. Richardson-Heron, M.D.

12:30 TO 1:30 P.M. LUNCH

Free. Registration required by April 9. Registration is limited to the first 300 women. To register, call Humility of Mary Healthline toll free at 1-877-700-4647.

Do something for you! Wear red to support the campaign for women's heart health awareness! Casual attire. Dress appropriately if you plan to join us for exercise. **Free Parking.** Participants must park in the M2 deck on Fifth Ave.

Provisional Tea

Tuesday, April 20th
The Junior League of Youngstown will hold a Candidate's Tea at The Youngstown Club
6:30 p.m. Social
7:00 p.m. Program

Active members and sustainers can sponsor a new candidate by contacting leahwilson1122@gmail.com or by calling 330-429-1568

Please fill out your sponsorship information and return it to Barb in the JLY office!

The Junior League of Youngstown 2009-2010 Calendar

- March 30 *Executive Committee Meeting*
- April 1 **Briefly Speaking Deadline: May issue**
- April 6 *Board of Director's Meeting*
- April 13 **General Membership Meeting: Children's Center for Science and Technology (former JLY Project: The Children's Museum of the Valley)**
- April 19 *Sustainer Council Meeting*
- April 20 **Provisional Training: Placement Review**
- April 24 *Done-in-a-Day Volunteer Opportunity: Fellows Riverside Gardens, Millcreek Park*
- April 27 **Executive Committee Meeting**
- May 1 *Briefly Speaking Deadline: June issue*
- May 4 **Joint Board Meeting**
- May 11 *Annual Dinner (TBA)*





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Save the date...

The 80th Anniversary
Annual Dinner

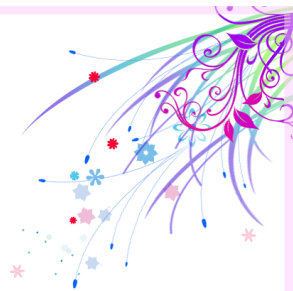
will be held at 6:30 p.m. on

Tuesday, May 11

at Tippecanoe Country Club in Canfield.

Please plan to join us for a wonderful evening of friendship as we celebrate the rich history and tradition that is the Junior League of Youngstown.

Invitations will be issued in April.



Time is running out...

Have you ordered your JLY 80th anniversary necklace yet?



Designed by Flybird Designs, you receive both the pendant and the black cord chain for \$60!

Go to www.jlyoungstown.org and click on 80th Anniversary to make your purchase.

Hurry! Necklaces can only be purchased until May 10, 2010!

