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September General Membership Meeting



Vicki Clark

A phenomenally funny and entertaining speaker, Vicki Clark has devoted the past twenty-five years of her life to assisting nonprofit organizations and to building capacity in volunteer, membership based organizations, state governments, and congregations. She currently resides in Memphis, Tennessee and has done extensive consultation and training for AJLI, Board-Source, Interfaith Youth Corps, Mothers Against Drunk Driving, Association for Volunteer Administration, and the National Council of LaRaza. Her expertise includes board development, inclusion and diversity, leadership, strategic planning, volunteer resource development, and effective communications.

“The Eleven Commandments of Wildly Successful Women”

Presented by

Vicki Clark

Monday, September 20, 2010

Bridger Field House
at BB&T Stadium

6:30 p.m. Social

Living the Lettuce-y

Full Salad Bar

Provided by Programs and Arrangements

7:00 p.m. Membership Meeting

Bring Books to donate! Helping Hands will be collecting books at the September GMM, see page 3.

Come early to attend another great session with Vicki Clark. She will lead “Servant Leadership” from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at Bridger Field House. Fundamentally based on the principle that leaders can “serve” by meeting the needs of people they lead, this training session is a “must-attend” for all JLWS leaders.

The JLWS Mission

The Junior League of Winston-Salem, Inc. is an organization of women committed to promoting volunteerism, 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.

Membership



Live the Legacy

Welcome back! Autumn, if not in weather, but in spirit, is upon us. The normal schedule seems to start in September with the beginning of school and end of the vacation season. It is also the true beginning of a new Junior League year with more regular meetings, placements, and events. This month I want to reflect on our JLWS membership and its unique and valuable nature. Membership in JLWS is a privilege and an honor as members are

blessed to have the time, talent, and treasure to dedicate to an organization with a truly amazing living legacy.

As members, we have the time to give towards developing the potential of women. The September GMM and accompanying training events (see page 1 and page 8) are just one example of how the JLWS is developing our members as well as community volunteers and increasing the capacity of local nonprofits. Several community placements work with women to become better parents through the connection and benefits of reading aloud to young children. Next year, JLWS placements will be impacting women's health through nutrition and physical exercise. All of these efforts are possible because JLWS members have the talent to organize and have made a commitment to improve the community.

Membership is an honor as we view the legacy of the institutions around the community developed and sustained through tireless hours of JLWS volunteers. This entire page could be filled with community organizations that are supported by JLWS members as good citizens and community leaders today. It is an honor to belong to an organization which has such a long, treasured history.

JLWS membership is also a unique and valuable personal experience for every member. As Actives, we are encouraged to attend GMMs as often as possible. These are opportunities to get together with other members for social time, then learn about the JLWS' actions in the community, and have personal development through a speaker who broadens our world through their words and experiences. Over my years as an Active member, I have seen phenomenal and diverse GMM speakers, from corporate CEOs to university presidents to physicians to community organizers to non-profit executives to authors to consultants to all sorts of other experts. Each meeting has given me something to grow on and after twelve years, I look forward to these meetings and seeing all the friends and learning something about my community. I would like New Members and Actives to approach the GMM as an occasion when you take time for yourself away from family and work responsibilities to invest time making you a better volunteer and having fun with JLWS friends. As always, all Sustainers are welcome to all GMMs and encouraged to attend.

Another value of JLWS membership is the great relationships which the organization fosters. Most women, when asked about why they joined the JLWS, cite their desire to volunteer in the community alongside engaged, competent, interesting women. And by doing just this action, I am a better person and my community is a better place. We impact the community through the collective action of the trained volunteers, but we also build great relationships along the way. Many of you still count women that you worked with in the JLWS as your closest friends and dearest role models. Even if you don't see JLWS friends on a weekly basis, you can remember a member who really demonstrated great leadership or organizational skills or public speaking or commitment to an agency. You will remember the excellence and that is what continues to draw you to the JLWS.

Remember that we have the privilege of living the legacy of the Junior League of Winston-Salem and enjoying the membership values!

Heather



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Editorial submissions are subject to editing for content and length. Articles and photographs may be submitted via e-mail to informer@jlws.org. Photographs must be submitted with caption information, and appropriate photo releases are required from those pictured who are not JLWS volunteers.

**Editorial deadlines for the
October/November issue: September 20, 2010**

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General Membership Meeting Calendar

September 20, 2010

6:30 p.m. Social
7:00 p.m. Meeting
Bridger Field House

November 2010

Town Hall Meetings
See page 4 for more information

January 24, 2011

6:30 p.m. Social
7:00 p.m. Meeting
St. Paul's Episcopal Church

March 21, 2011

6:30 p.m. Social
7:00 p.m. Meeting
Children's Museum of Winston-Salem

May 23, 2011

6:30 p.m. Social
7:00 p.m. Meeting
Location TBD

Book Drive

The Helping Hands committee is sponsoring a children's book drive for the Outreach Alliance for Babies and requests the help of JLWS members. Outreach Alliance for Babies Inc. is a grassroots 501 (c) (3) public nonprofit organization whose mission is to provide items to infants in the community whose families are facing financial challenges. A typical layette consists of a laundry basket stocked with diapers, diaper wipes, wash cloths, bath soap, baby lotion, seven sleep/play sets, bibs, blankets, pram suit, diaper bag, etc. These baskets will now include books, thanks to JLWS donations, so that mothers can read to their children. Children's books may be donated at the September GMM or at JLWS Headquarters through September 20. Each member is challenged to donate one book!

Board Briefs

The Junior League of Winston-Salem Board of Directors met on June 7, 2010. Heather Wells presented the financial report by reviewing the profit/loss statement and balance sheet as of May 31, 2010.

Eva Wu presented the revised annual plan and it was approved. It will be posted on the JLWS Web site for all members to view.

The Board of Directors:

- Approved motion to update the policies to reflect the current make-up of the Communications Council, Community Council, Finance Council, and Membership Council.
- Approved a motion to alter Standing Committee policies, II. Nominating Committee, B. Personnel of Nominating Committee to state, "Annually, the president-elect shall designate an Active member, who has previously served on the Nominating committee (preferably the year preceding her appointment), to serve as the Nominating chair, who shall serve a one-year term that begins on June 1 following her designation."
- Approved a motion to alter Membership Policies, II. Admission to Membership, C. Prospective Member Application to change the deadline for New Member applications from May 31 to June 15 each year.
- Approved a motion to alter Standing Committee policies, XI. Provisional Development Committee to read XI. New Member Development Committee and to replace the word "provisional" with the words "new member" throughout that policy.

Children's Museum Storybook Soiree

Friday
October 1, 2010
7 pm-Midnight

at the
Children's Museum
of
Winston-Salem




ART: KYLE T. WEBSTER

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Membership

November Town Halls

During November, Town Hall style meetings will be held at various locations throughout the month. These meetings will be an opportunity for small groups of members to share ideas and engage in informal discussion on the current efforts and other matters of the JLWS. Light refreshments will be served at each of the Town Hall Meetings. Attendance at a Town Hall meeting will count toward membership meeting requirements (all members are required to attend three meetings). JLWS Members may sign-up in the Members Only section of the JLWS Web site on or after September 21 to choose the time and location of the meeting she would like to attend.

November 1, 2010
11:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.
Hosted by Meredith Masten

November 4, 2010
9:30 a.m.—11:00 a.m.
Hosted by Meredith Masten

November 8, 2010
7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.
Hosted by Shelley Holden

November 1, 2010
6:00 p.m.—7:30 p.m.
Hosted by Shelley Holden

November 4, 2010
12:00 p.m.—1:30 p.m.
Hosted by Cornelia Groce

November 9, 2010
12:00 p.m.—1:30 p.m.
Hosted by Susie Tickle

November 1, 2010
7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.
Hosted by Heather Parker

November 4, 2010
7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.
Hosted by Aimee Rowe

November 9, 2010
6:00 p.m.—7:30 p.m.
Hosted by Eva Wu

November 2, 2010
7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.
Hosted by Heather Parker

November 8, 2010
9:30 a.m.—11:00 a.m.
Hosted by Meredith Masten

November 9, 2010
7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.
Hosted by Katy Ringeman

November 3, 2010
12:00 p.m.—1:30 p.m.
Hosted by Eva Wu

November 8, 2010
10:00 a.m.—11:30 a.m.
Hosted by Laura Wilkerson

November 10, 2011
7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.
Hosted by Jennifer Pool

November 3, 2010
6:00 p.m.—7:30 p.m.
Hosted by Amy Collins

November 8, 2010
7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.
Hosted by Becky Stone-Danahy

November 11, 2011
7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.
Hosted by Heather Wells

Fourth Annual Project Mannequin

Join the Junior League of Winston-Salem's 2010-2011 New Member class on Monday, September 13, 2010 at Nitsa's Apparel, 107 South Stratford Road. The 2010-2011 New Member class is collaborating with Nitsa's Apparel for its fourth annual team building and communication development extravaganza. Each small group will be challenged with the task of dressing a mannequin while each member is temporarily disabled in some way. For example, one person will have to overcome the challenge of working blind-folded, while another has one hand tied behind her back, while another is not permitted to speak, and so on. The group must then work together despite the challenges in communicating with each other to complete the task.

At 7:30 p.m. Actives and Sustainers are invited to vote for their favorite mannequin dressed by New Member teams. After voting, everyone is invited to stay to meet New Members, enjoy drinks, appetizers, door prizes and a generous discount on all store merchandise (excluding bridal merchandise and special orders). The discount depends on the number of voting members, so all JLWS members are encouraged to participate and meet someone new.

If 20 Active or Sustaining members vote, everyone receives a 25 percent discount

If 30 Active or Sustaining members vote, everyone receives a 30 percent discount

If 50 Active or Sustaining members vote, everyone receives a 35 percent discount

Visit the Members Only section of the JLWS Web site to register for this event. (*New Members do not need to register*).



Action for Children

On Friday, June 18, 2010 Junior League leaders, past and present, gathered from around North Carolina in Chapel Hill. Action for Children, a nonprofit group devoted to advocacy for children, honored the eleven Junior Leagues of North Carolina with the Children's Lifetime Legacy Award 2010. The luncheon began with a welcome from Laura Gerald, chair of Action for Children North Carolina Board of Directors, followed by opening remarks from Barbara Bradley, president and CEO of Action for Children North Carolina. Ms. Bradley highlighted each of the North Carolina Junior Leagues' accomplishments that have contributed to the well-being of children.

Bill Shore, director of the United States Community Partnerships at GlaxoSmith-Kline (the presenting sponsor), introduced the keynote speaker, Senator Kay Hagan of the United States Senate. Senator Hagan reminisced about her days as an Active member in the Junior League of Greensboro and emphasized that the training she received gave her the tools and the confidence to go in to public service. She spoke of the need for more women in politics to ensure equitable representation in local, state, and federal government. Senator Hagan noted the proud history of Junior Leagues in North Carolina, congratulated the honorees present on a job well done, and encouraged continuing the commitment to the well-being of children.

Laura Gerald then presented the Children's Lifetime Legacy Award to each North Carolina Junior League, which Leah Crowley, past president, accepted on behalf of the Junior League of Winston-Salem. Also representing the JLWS were past presidents Nancy Schneider and Pam Ball. The award is displayed at JLWS Headquarters.



Past President Nancy Schneider, Past President Leah Crowley, Senator Kay Hagan, and Past President Pam Ball accepting the Children's Lifetime Legacy Award

In memorium
 Jenny Wood Kimbrel Bunn
 November 27, 1945 – July 6, 2010

Ask Your



Member-at-Large

Amy Collins

Q: I am excited about my in-league placement this year, but I would still like to be involved in the community. Do you have any suggestions?

A: Major Leaguers is great for members who would like to be more involved. It is an interest group for all JLWS members (Actives, Sustainers and New Members) who wish to become more involved in activities that go above and beyond their placement. There are many great benefits to this group; interested members are able to pick from small or large projects that fit into their schedule and interests throughout the year. Major Leaguers will help provide support for community placements, as well as in-league placements such as Boo-tique.

Major Leaguers provides an opportunity to build relationships and connections with other JLWS members while benefiting the community. With the combination of each members' skills and involvement, the JLWS will be able to build a stronger, more engaged organization.

By signing up for Major Leaguers, members will receive monthly e-mails that list details about upcoming opportunities and links to shift sign-ups.

Please contact Christine Storch at majorleaguers@jlws.org with any questions about Major Leaguers or to sign-up.

Thanks for taking such an active role in the JLWS. The Board of Directors is so excited about this coming year, and with dedicated members, the JLWS will be able to do great things for this community!

New Members

New Member Calendar

September 13, 2010

New Member General Assembly
6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.
Nitsa's Apparel

October 28-30, 2010

Fall Project: Boo-tique
Times will vary
Benton Convention Center

November 15, 2010

New Member General Assembly
6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

December 4, 2010

New Member Holiday Social
Time and location TBA

January 10, 2011

New Member General Assembly
6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

February 7, 2011

New Member General Assembly
6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

March 7, 2011

New Member Town Hall Meetings
6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

Project Mannequin

New Members are reminded to attend the first New Member General Assembly on September 13, 2010 6:30 p.m. at Nitsa's Apparel on Stratford Road.



2010-2011 New Member Class

The Junior League of Winston-Salem is thrilled to welcome the 2010-2011 New Member Class!

Meredith Ahles	Trang Hoang	Lauren Rogers
Jennifer Baker	Kara Holden	Emily Saunders
Charmon Baker	Walker Jones	Carey Scheible
Natalie Braswell	Parker Kelly	Mara Schilly
Jennifer Cameron	Amber Kirkman	Mandy Short
Katie Clendenen	Margaret Kornegay	Meredith Smith
Lauren Cole	Sarah Lafferty	Anna Sweigart
Lauren Colgrove	Jessica Lagle	Emily Tripp
Caroline Cox	Cate Lynch	Mary Tullis
Shannon Craver	Sarah Madison	Megan Wallace
Ashley Curtis	Amanda Marshall	Lizzie Ward
Heather Diakos	Martha McGarity	Amy Wauford
Hannah Dow	Cat McGowan	Mari Weitz
Marty Driskell	Allison McWilliams	Sarah Wiles
Lindsay Durr	Kelly Mufarrij	Meghan Wilson
Laura Edrington	Katie Neal	Sarah Winkler
Heather Filliben	Megan Newbauer	Dorothy Wofford
Emily Goodson	Rena Odum	Liz Worden
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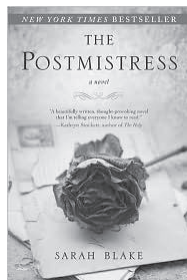
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Daytime Book Club

Bennie Breece will host the daytime Sustainer book club. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 22, 9:30 a.m. (location to be announced). *The Postmistress* by Sarah Blake will be discussed.

Weaving together the stories of three very different women loosely tied to each other, debut novelist Blake takes readers back and forth between small town America and war-torn Europe in 1940. Single, forty-year-old postmistress Iris James and young newlywed Emma Trask are both new arrivals to Franklin, Massachusetts on Cape Cod. While Iris and Emma go about their daily lives, they follow American reporter Frankie Bard on the radio as she delivers powerful and personal accounts from the London Blitz and elsewhere in Europe. While Trask waits for the return of her husband—a volunteer doctor stationed in England—James comes across a letter with valuable information that she chooses to hide. Blake captures two different worlds—a naïve nation in denial and, across the ocean, a continent wracked with terror—with a deft sense of character and plot, and a perfect willingness to take on big, complex questions such as the merits of truth and truth-telling in wartime (*Publishers Weekly*).



Sustainer Social

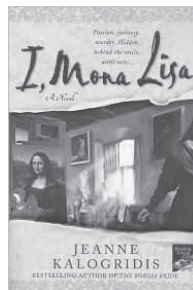
Sustainers, save the date! Join fellow JLWS Sustainers for a social at Tate's Cocktails on Thursday, September 16 from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Tate's Craft Cocktails is located at 279 West Fourth Street. Space will be limited to thirty people. More information will become available in a future *E-Weekly*.



Evening Book Club

Kellon Tippett will host the evening Sustainer book club. The evening club is currently reading *I, Mona Lisa* by Jeanne Kalogridis. Meeting information will be announced in a future *E-Weekly*.

Set against a backdrop of political and religious conflicts in fifteenth-century Medici-ruled Florence, Kalogridis' bloody historical (after *The Borgias*) identifies the subject of Leonardo da Vinci's painting as Lisa di Antonio Gherardini. Lisa was the daughter of Madonna Lucrezia, wife of a wealthy wool merchant who also enchanted both da Vinci and Lorenzo de Medici's brother, Giuliano, murdered by conspirators in 1478. Giuliano's assassination—and the latest murder of Lucrezia—presage a reign of religious terror led by a monk known as Savonarola and the retreat of the Medicis in the face of invasion from France's King Charles. An adult Lisa attracts the romantic attention of a young Medici scion, whom she marries for love. His father, Lorenzo, commissions her portrait from da Vinci. But violent events soon separate the couple and a brutal Savonarola follower tells Lisa that her husband is dead and her father's life in danger unless she marries him instead. Lisa survives, an avenging angel, proving herself worthy of da Vinci's immortal artistry. Kalogridis' fevered bodice ripper invents a passionate woman behind La Gioconda's enigmatic smile.



Sustainer Coffee

Ragan Folan will host a Sustainer Coffee at her home on Wednesday, October 20, 9:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. All Sustainers are encouraged to attend.

Sustainer Calendar

September 16, 2010

Sustainer Social
6:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m.
Tate's Craft Cocktails

September 22, 2010

Daytime Book Club
9:30 a.m.
Location TBD

September 2010

Evening Book Club
Date and location TBD

October 20, 2010

Sustainer Coffee
9:30 a.m.—12:00 p.m.
Home of Ragan Folan

BOOKMARKS festival of books

- Billy Collins, former U.S. Poet Laureate
- Diana Gabaldon, *An Echo in the Bone*
- Patrick McDonnell, *Earl & Mooch Treasury*
- Aviva Goldfarb, *SOS! Six O'Clock Scramble to the Rescue: Earth-Friendly, Kid-Pleasing Dinners for Busy Families*
- Major Brian Dennis, *Nubs: The True Story of a Mutt, a Marine & a Miracle*

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Area III Conference

On June 25-27, Susie Tickle attended the Area III Conference at Safety Harbor Resort outside Clearwater, Florida. Area III is the regional AJLI association that represents the JLWS to the AJLI Board of Directors and the AJLI Nominating committee. The Area III Conference is held annually and hosted by a Junior League within the region of North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Tennessee and Alabama. The conference this year was hosted by the Junior League of Clearwater-Dunedin (JLCD).

During the training day, Susie attended four great training sessions. She attended "The Girlfriend's Guide to Nominating" presented by Laura Redmond from JLCD. Next, she attended "Putting the Fun in Fundraising" led by Teresa Hibbard, vp of Fund Development of the YMCA of the Suncoast and a JLCD Sustainer. Teresa instructed the group through brainstorming and role playing to be comfortable approaching businesses and people to donate money to the Junior League.

During lunch, Janine le Sueur, a consulting associate in the AJLI League Services Department, led an AJLI 101 session which introduced attendees to the information and resources available from AJLI through their Web site and staff. She also spent time explaining the AJLI Strategic Roadmap.

Susie also attended a session presented by Vicki Clark entitled "Running Effective Meetings." Vicki explained that 80 percent of meeting time should be spent addressing forward items, not reviewing the past. Past events should be appropriately reported and evaluated, but it should not consume the majority of meeting time. She described techniques to express appreciation of committee members, keep volunteers engaged, and to respect members' time by beginning and ending on time. The last training session that Susie attended was "Leading the League and Motivating Volunteers" presented by Janine Le Sueur. Janine shared information about the membership continuum and how to increase satisfaction for all members. Vicki Clark presented the final wrap-up for all attendees entitled "Bringing it all Back Home! How to Make What You Have Learned Actionable."

The JLCD also planned a reception on Saturday night at a local art gallery that allowed attendees to further network. Please talk to Susie Tickle to find out more about her training and experience representing the JLWS at Area III Conference. Anyone interested in attending an upcoming AJLI training opportunity, should contact Shelley Holden, Nominating chair, at nominating@jlws.org to express your interest in attending a similar upcoming event.

Spread the Word! More Vicki Clark Training

Meeting the Collaboration Challenge

Open to the Public

On Tuesday, September 21, Vicki Clark will present, "Meeting the Collaboration Challenge" at 11:30 a.m. at Senior Service, Inc. 2895 Shorefair Drive. The event is free and open to the public, though an RSVP is requested. Boxed lunches may be purchased for \$10. Vicki Clark will lead attendees through training from the Peter Drucker Foundation on developing strategic alliances and collaborations between nonprofits and businesses. All interested members are invited and encouraged to share with members of local nonprofit boards or staff throughout the community.



Rummage Sale

Storage Drop-off

Have quality rummage that you can't hold on to until the sale? Thinking of donating it to another charity because you just can't wait to get rid of it?

The key to a successful sale is quality items and the Rummage Sale committee wants yours! Please consider utilizing one of the early storage drop-offs held at University Self Storage across from LJVM Coliseum on a date listed below:

August 14
September 18
October 9
November 13
December 11
January 15
February 12
March 12

Unfortunately, clothing items can not be accepted for storage. Please save those quality pieces for the work week prior to the sale.

Don't forget to sort rummage before donating!

Large Item Pick-up

Have items to donate that are too large to transport in a car? The Rummage Sale committee can help!

Please contact Laura Miller, Large Item chair at rslargeitem@jlws.org to arrange for pick-up one week prior to the scheduled dates listed below:

August 7
September 11
October 2
November 6
December 4
January 8
February 5
March 5

Remember to tell family, friends, and neighbors about Large Item Pick-up. This service is available to anyone with quality items to donate.

Rummage Sale

Maternity Leave

Any member whose due date falls between February 7 and May 4, 2011 should notify Katherine Campbell, Scheduling chair at rsscheduling@jlws.org no later than December 1, 2010.

Scheduling Conflicts

Already have a conflict and wont be able to work during the sale? Make-up opportunities are very limited and are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Please contact Katherine Campbell, Scheduling chair at rsscheduling@jlws.org no later than February 1, 2011.

Department Chairs

Love rummage? Interested in being a department chair for the 2011 Rummage Sale? Please contact Katherine Campbell, Scheduling chair at rsscheduling@jlws.org.

Rummage Raffle

It's back, the Rummage Sale Raffle! Raffle's will be held at all GMMs prior to the sale with tempting prizes such as a whole week off of Rummage!

Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased from a Rummage Sale committee member.

Rummage Thanks

The Rummage Sale committee would like to thank members in advance for their participation in the 2011 Rummage Sale and for their commitment to the community of Winston-Salem.



Junior League
Of Winston-Salem

Women Building a Better Community

Boo-tique

The Junior League of Winston-Salem is planning its first annual holiday shopping market. The event will be the last weekend in October at the Benton Convention Center in downtown Winston-Salem.

Boo-tique will be a truly spectacular shopping experience. Vendors from all over the country will feature clothing, accessories, jewelry, stationary, children's items, of course holiday items (not just for Halloween!), and much, much more. Between seventy-five and one hundred vendors are expected with a good mix of local, regional, and national merchants.

The weekend will kick-off with a Girls Night Out on Thursday, October 28. Special ticket pricing will be offered to groups of ten or more, so this event will be great for inviting friends and neighbors, as well as book clubs and bunco groups. The purchase of this Girls Night Out ticket will provide an additional admission for the weekend. Boo-tique will also be open Friday, October 29 from 9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. and Saturday, October 30 from 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Sponsorships are available at many levels and with excellent benefits.

Contact the Boo-tique committee chairs at bootique@jlws.org for more information, to recommend a vendor or sponsor, and to volunteer. Vendor applications and sponsorship information can also be downloaded from the JLWS Web site at www.jlws.org.



2010-2011 Annual Fund: Live the Legacy

For more than eighty-five years, the Junior League of Winston-Salem has built a strong legacy of nurturing and educating individuals to build healthier families and a stronger community through trained volunteers and financial contributions. A gift to the 2010-2011 Annual Fund helps JLWS members **Live the Legacy** by enabling the JLWS to train new members to address the needs of the community and become dedicated and effective volunteers.

All gifts are tax deductible and may be designated in honor or memory of someone special. A gift to the Annual Fund is a great way to say thank you, remember a loved one or to commemorate a special occasion. Gifts can be given online at www.jlws.org. Follow links to: Support Our Mission and Donate to our Annual Fund. To make a matching gift contribution, please mail your form to the JLWS office. Contact Heather Wells, finance vp, at financevp@jlws.org with any questions.

Rummage Sale 2011

Work Week: April 4-7, 2011

Preview Party: April 7, 2011

Sale Dates: April 8-9, 2011

Children's Museum Summer Camp

In July, fifteen children from the Head Start Summer Enrichment program participated in an entertaining week of new experiences at the 2010 JLWS Children's Museum Summer Camp. The camp gave three to five-year-olds exposure to all the museum has to offer, an introduction to the importance of literacy, and a week-long summer camp free-of-cost. This year the camp's theme was "Celebrating Earth." Committee members worked diligently to incorporate animals, plants, weather, and being green into the week's activities. In addition to exploring the museum, multiple story-telling and art activities, the children got to enjoy many activities from outside presenters. Highlights of the week included a Sensory Safari with Tanglewood Nature Education, a recycling presentation from Can Guy, a gardening lesson with L.A. Reynolds, soda bottle terrariums, the Creature Teacher (and a hands-on experience with her skunk, owl, chinchilla, and hedgehog), and an educational weather appearance by Austin Caviness, meteorologist from WXII12.

Special thanks to the 2010 Children's Museum Summer Camp committee members: Jen Seeba, chair, Allison Evans, Dawn Dickenson, Anna Applegate, E Davis, Lawren Desai, and Shaida Horner.



Getting up-close and personal with animals during a presentation by the Creature Teacher



Campers enjoying a recycling presentation with Can Guy



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Head Start campers were excited to spend the week at the Children's Museum Summer Camp

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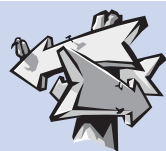
Caroline Numbers for leading the Digital Cheetah and Website training for the new Technology committee.

Pat Nabel and the Technology committee for updating the JLWS Web site with new information.

Sarah Wright for jumping in to work on the *WOWS* layout and training members of the *WOWS* and Boo-tique committee on Adobe InDesign.

Susie Tickle for attending the AJLI Area III conference in Clearwater, Florida in June.

Kelly Meachum and the New Member Development committee for planning a successful New Member seminar.



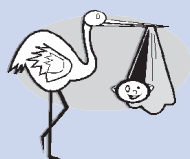
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Little Leaguers

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Son of Brandi and Chad Cleveland
April 8, 2010

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Daughter of Charley-Anne and Andrew Piersol
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