

Mission Credit Opportunity! JLP University: Public Affairs Advocacy Wednesday, February 17 at 6:30 p.m.

PACs (Public Affairs Committees) are individual Junior Leagues or coalitions of Junior Leagues within a state that form to educate and take action on public policy issues relevant to the Junior League Mission. PACs are collectively governed by their member Leagues. This training will focus on how we can become better advocates for our community by leveraging the power of the JLP. Participants will learn about public policy, local and state governments, and how to track important pending legislation. We will also discuss strategies on developing relationships to work more closely with our local government and legislators.

Contact: Bertina Whytehead, b_whytehead@hotmail.com, 484.453.8699

Mission Credit Opportunity! Health Wellness: Mom's Class – Newborn to Toddler Tuesday, February 22 at 10 a.m.

Attention all new and not-so-new moms! Beth Ricci, Manager of Main Line Health Childbirth Education programs, will be facilitating a training class on the newborn through toddler stages. She will address areas such as important milestones, potty training, sleep issues, night terrors, and how to be rid of that binky. Children are welcome to attend!

Contact: Jenny Carr, jenniferh1872@yahoo.com, 610.525.0727

Building Committee Workday for Thrift Shop Credit, February 26

Come join the Building Committee on Saturday, February 26 to paint and clean the second floor of the JLP's Headquarters. This is a great way to support our League's largest asset and a fun way to earn your Thrift Shop Credit. Sign up on the website for either a 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. or a 12 to 3 p.m. shift (or both). Looking forward to seeing you there!!

Contact: Betsy Mallon, Bmallon@keystonerisk.com, 610.764.6790

Thrift Shop Credit February 26: Learning the League's History

Work with Sustainers organizing and cataloging JLP memorabilia for our Archives. The materials will be used at the upcoming AJLI Conference in May 2011 and for the JLP Centennial in 2011-2012. Sign up on the website for either a 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. or a 12 to 3 p.m. shift. This is great way to work with the Sustainers, learn about the League's history, and earn and your Thrift Shop Credit too!

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Ways & Means Opportunity! Viking Cooking School - Classic Steakhouse, Saturday, March 12 at 5 p.m.

Want to learn some new cooking skills and techniques and enjoy a meal with fellow members? Project Fundraising is sponsoring a cooking class featuring a Classic Steakhouse menu. This is a hands-on class and you are welcomed to bring guests. Cost is \$100 per person. This event is from 5 to 8 p.m. Sign-up will be closing soon, so register today.

Contact: Elizabeth Moyer, eamoyer@hotmail.com, 610.291.9397.

Mission Credit Opportunity! Blades Natural Beauty: “Greening” Your Personal Care Products Saturday March 26, 2 p.m.

Please join the Green Volunteer Corps Committee on Saturday, March 26 for a workshop led by Jessa Blades, founder of Blades Natural Beauty (www.bladesnaturalbeauty.com). Jessa is a pioneer in the field of organic personal care products and has been featured on the *Today Show* and in countless blogs and e-zines on green living. In 2009, she was recognized as an Eco-hero by Glamour magazine for her innovative approach to environmental sustainability. She was also recently profiled in the sustainable fashion blog written by Livia Firth, wife of golden globe winner Colin Firth, which appears on Vogue.com.

Having spent years learning about the health threats of ingredients in many traditional makeup and beauty products and tirelessly exploring the fast-emerging natural beauty industry, Jessa started Blades Natural Beauty so that women could have it both ways—live healthy and look beautiful.

This training session will educate JLP members on how to select natural and non-toxic personal care products and include a tutorial on using ingredients from your kitchen cabinet to keep you clean and green. Jessa will also be available after the training to answer attendees’ questions about makeup application or specific personal care products.

This training is FREE and Mission Credit worthy for non-committee members. The training will be held at the JLP Headquarters from 2 to 4 p.m.

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Ways & Means Credit for Donating to the Online Auction

Looking for a fun and easy way to fulfill your Ways & Means Credit requirements? Receive one Ways & Means Credit for every \$100 retail value of donated items you secure for the Online Auction, *A Few of Our Favorite Things*, which launches April 3, 2011. The auction is quickly approaching, and any items you can help find would be appreciated! Categories of donations include travel packages, accessories, retail, sporting events, family events, kids activities, celebrity experiences, food/restaurant, pets, health and beauty, and career development. Corporate sponsorship would also be greatly appreciated.

Thank you in advance for your help!! Every donation counts!!

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