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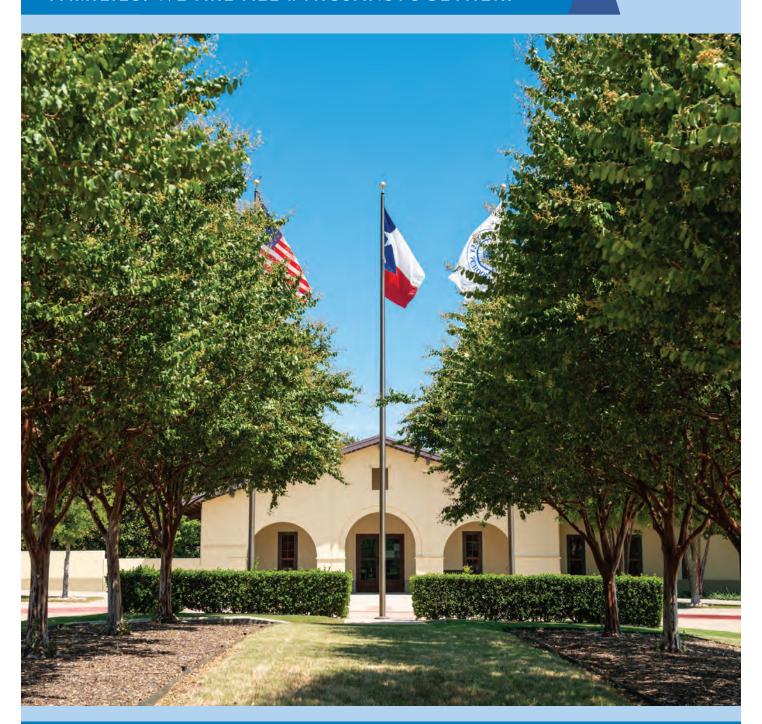
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"Our theme for this League year is Thrive and it's fitting. Our League is bursting with energy, ideas, and commitment to do whatever it takes to do more than merely survive."

- Amber Robertson, President, 2020-2021



President's Perspective

hat a year this is! It's one for the history books for sure. I've said from the beginning of our League year that this one wasn't going to look and feel the same as every other and that is certainly true. However different it may be, the year still has great potential and promise. Started over 90 years ago by 10 determined women in the middle of The Great Depression, our League is no stranger to tumult. From humble beginnings, the Junior League of Fort Worth has grown into an organization boasting over 2,000 Members and a long list of accomplishments, achievements and accolades. Jess Ekstrom, founder of Headbands for Hope and author of the best-selling book "Chasing the Bright Side" spoke at our first General Membership Meeting recently and she said something that has really resonated with me. She said, "Hard times can either be the excuse to do less or the reason to do more." Like the generations of women who have come before, the women who make up today's League are committed to seeing this year through with innovation and persistence, doing more than ever to make a difference and leave an impact.

Right through the middle of a pandemic, our Members have amazed me. They've planned our first ever virtual Christmas in Cowtown magazine, welcomed 143 new Provisional members, officially opened the JLFW Diaper Bank located at Tarrant Area Food Bank, continued important training to develop leaders fundamental to bettering our organization and our community. Throughout our Lariat issues, readers will have the opportunity to learn more about our Project grants for this year. We've selected 10 nonprofit agencies to gift with \$560,000. Members across all of our community placements have reimagined how to serve and help our beloved nonprofit agency partners in safe and meaningful ways. Women have figured out how to attend, host and execute virtual meetings and effectively utilized new technology to accomplish tasks vital to our Mission of promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women and improving our community. This League and its women Members are excelling at keeping our minds on our Mission and our Mission on our minds!

Our theme for this League year is Thrive and it's fitting. Our League is bursting with energy, ideas, and commitment to do whatever it takes to do more than merely survive. Much of the fanfare of a typical League year will not be possible this year. We can't gather together for our large events like Christmas in Cowtown, Grand Entry Gala, General Membership Meetings and in-person trainings. But, behind the scenes and behind computer screens, dedicated Members are hard at work, still quietly building upon our legacy! We will continue to empower women through connection and training. We remain focused on our commitment to Diversity & Inclusion and have new initiatives to further that endeavor. We will work hard to raise funds to continue to provide financial resources, along with our greatest resource of volunteer effort and time, to nonprofit agencies on the front lines of making positive change in and for our community. We will continue to help our women Members and the city we serve Thrive!

Amelia Earheart said "The most effective way to do it is to do it." That's what we're doing this year. Doing what we do in new and different ways. Some efforts will be a success and some will be a launchpad for growth. But, we will continue to do because well done is always better than well said!

Press on and be well,

Amber Robertson Junior League of Fort Worth President, 2020-2021

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Snapshots











Tarrant Area Food Bank

Summer Farmers Markets

By Rémy Brown



he Junior League of Fort Worth (JLFW) and Tarrant Area Food Bank (TAFB) partnered this Summer (2020) to host a Summer Farmer's Market program. The program aims to ensure healthy, locally grown fruits and vegetables are accessible to Women, Infants and Children (WIC) recipients. WIC recipients include low-income pregnant, breastfeeding, non-breast feeding and postpartum women and children up to five years of age, who are at nutritional risk.

JLFW supplied a \$25,000 grant and member volunteers to support the Summer Farmer's Market project. Generally, WIC recipients receive coupons they can use to purchase healthy foods from farmers approved by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA). However, once they receive the

The market helped to bring families and farmers together to increase consumption of healthy foods, while also providing the farmers an opportunity to sell their products locally.





coupons, families are responsible for locating eligible farmers on their own. This has proved to be challenging for many families and caused many of the coupons to go unused. The market helped to bring families and farmers together to increase consumption of healthy foods, while also providing the farmers an opportunity to sell their products locally.

The program expanded this year to put healthy foods into the hands of more families. Jennifer Kattner, Project Development Chair explained, "This year all Cowtown Neighborhood Markets accept FMNP vouchers and the Lone Star Card (SNAP benefits) for eligible items as well as credit cards, debit cards, and cash." Families could visit any of the five sites located at or near WIC clinics in Tarrant County.

As expected, the current COVID-19 pandemic played a role in shaping the market this summer. "COVID pushed back the start dates of the program and JLFW was excited to be volunteering when it opened as one of our first community placements during the pandemic." stated Kattner. All necessary COVID-19 precautions were met to keep volunteers, employees and families safe and healthy. Despite the obstacles encountered because of the pandemic, the Cowtown Neighborhood Farmers Market provided 344 households, a total of 494 individuals, with nutritious foods.

The Underground:

Unbound Fort Worth's Fight Against Human Trafficking

By Meredith Lynch

his year, The Junior League of Fort Worth (JLFW) has partnered with Unbound Fort Worth, an organization dedicated to supporting survivors of human trafficking and advocating for human trafficking prevention and awareness within Fort Worth. With a grant of \$70,000 and five volunteers, JLFW is thrilled to help Unbound in this fight against human trafficking.

JLFW funding will supply furnishings, emergency supplies (ex. food, clothing and toiletries) and special items (ex. bedding, bikes and clothes for school or work) for young victims who come to the newly opened Underground. Unbound's Underground drop-in center for trafficked and exploited youth, is the first of its kind in Tarrant County. Housed in One Safe Place, Fort Worth's family justice center, the drop-in center provides a place to rest, light meals, shower facilities, safety, and referrals for services for youth up through age 22. Open 24/7, the drop-in center provides an open door for a population that has historically been difficult to reach. It is also available as a much needed short-term resting place for survivors recovered from trafficking. Assured of their safety, youth may sleep, eat and unwind through recreational activity, as well as have an opportunity to receive services as our advocates help facilitate their next steps. Unbound's Underground provides a crucial entry point for services, allowing them to identify victims and intervene earlier with the hope of sparing these youth years of pain and trauma.

After completing online training, JLFW volunteers have begun assisting in The Underground. They work directly with survivors as well as assisting with daily operations. JLFW Volunteer Rachel Petrocchi learned in training that when people are made aware of red flags in an environment, that they are better able to help identify a victim. She is looking forward to helping with the sorting of donations and assisting with youth prevention programs and administrative initiatives.

Project Development Chair Leslie Ford says, "One thing that stands out to me that we learned from Unbound is that human trafficking doesn't often look like it's portrayed in movies. Many youth are lured into trafficking by people they know and are often targeted for fitting a specific profile, not just snatched randomly in a parking lot."





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Christmas in Cowtown Goes Virtual:

CIC Holiday Gift Market Magazine

By Rémy Brown

hristmas in Cowtown (CIC) is one of the Junior League of Fort Worth's (JLFW) most highly anticipated fundraising events. For both League and community members, it signifies the kickoff to the holiday season.

This year, things are a little bit different. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, and to protect the health and safety of all who attend, the 14th annual CIC Market did not take place in-person. "When it became clear that we would not hold an in-person Market this Fall, we knew the decision would have far reaching effects" said Mary Lou Hilliard, Fund Development Vice President.

To ensure that CIC has a community presence and that funds are raised that support imperative JLFW community projects, the market will be available to shoppers virtually through the CIC Holiday Gift Market magazine. Fund Development Vice President, Mary Lou Hilliard explained, "The magazine is our answer to the challenges we're facing this year, the way we want to connect CIC merchants with CIC shoppers and maintain community presence as we weather 2020."

"The merchants who fill Will Rogers Exhibit Halls every year would lose another opportunity to be in front of shoppers, CIC attendees would lose an opportunity for normalcy and to experience the market as usual, and our League would lose an opportunity to raise the funding we redirect toward vital projects and partnerships within our community."

The CIC steering committee has worked hard to navigate the ever-changing landscape created by COVID-19. Many times, the committee has pivoted on short notice to change plans with the end goal of bringing the beloved market to the community. Although it has been a challenging year to serve on the CIC committee, Hilliard is proud of the committee's efforts, "It's been inspiring to witness their positivity, flexibility, and perseverance to make the best of a very challenging environment."



2020 - 2021 **BENEFICIARIES**

- ACH Child and Family Services
- The Net Fort Worth
- The Women's Center of Tarrant County
- Unbound Fort Worth
- Breakthrough Fort Worth
- The Cliburn
- The Ladder Alliance
- Tarrant Area Food Bank
- The Salvation Army Mabee Social Services Center
- Big Brother Big Sister of **Greater Tarrant County**
- Fort Worth Drowning Prevention Coalition
- Recovery Resource Council

The committee is hopeful that the CIC Holiday Gift Market magazine will spark the same holiday joy the in-person market has for the last 13 years. "We're very hopeful that this format will resonate and provide an avenue for our attendees to access the merchants they look forward to seeing every year at the market, and that our merchants will realize increased traffic and sales thanks to the exposure from the magazine. We're hopeful we are able to raise funds via this avenue, so that the League is able to extend our support to those in the community who are suffering the most from hardships." stated Hilliard.

Shoppers can access the magazine for free at ChristmasinCowtown.com.

2020 Christmas in Cowtown **Market Chairs**

Ashley Davis, Gwen Harper

Christmas in Cowtown Sustaining Advisor

Wendy Wright



2020 Christmas in Cowtown Steering Committee

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2020 Christmas in Cowtown Ambassadors

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ACH Residential Treatment Center

By Jenna Conan Simpson

"Our team's hopes are to build rapport with the kids. provide consistency with our visits throughout the school year, have fun, be positive role models, and see and value the kids for who they are."

he Junior League of Fort Worth (JLFW) has long supported ACH Child and Family Services in their mission to "bring needed resources and skills to children and families struggling with life's challenges." ACH Child and Family Services coordinates foster care for over 2,400 youth every year. High-needs teenagers, ranging from 13-17 years of age, find a safe place as they heal from loss and trauma.

This year, JLFW is providing ACH with \$100,000 in grant funding and four volunteers. The grant will go towards the renovation of their Residential Treatment Center. The treatment center not only provides these youth with a safe home, but with a system of support so that they can develop and learn to live successfully in a family unit and in society.

JLFW also provided four volunteers to serve on the project this year. The JLFW volunteers spent the summer training with ACH and will work with the youth at the treatment center every other Thursday evening during the school year. Activities planned include career explorations, yoga, art, and budgeting and financial planning. Project Development Chair, Natalie Bowen says, "Our team's hopes are to build rapport with the kids, provide consistency with our visits throughout the school year, have fun, be positive role models, and see and value the kids for who they are." The Residential Treatment Center and their programming are sure to make a positive difference in many teens' lives.

Find out more about the Residential Treatment Center and take a virtual tour at https://achservices.org/rtc/.

Pictured below: volunteers participating in a drive-by parade for the treatment center residents









JLFW Diaper Bank

By Jenna Conan Simpson

With no state or federal program funds in place to meet diaper needs, JLFW steps in to providing diapers for families who may not otherwise have enough clean diapers for daily use.

he Junior League of Fort Worth (JLFW) Diaper Bank officially opened in July (2020). The Diaper Bank, currently housed at the Tarrant Area Food Bank, serves as a "mobilizer and connector for diaper needs in Tarrant County". Through partner agencies in Tarrant County, JLFW distributes diapers to agencies and organizations who apply for help and are accepted.

Diaper need is "the lack of a sufficient supply of diapers to keep an infant or child clean, dry and healthy" (National Diaper Bank Network). 1 in 3 American families report experiencing diaper need. Federal and state assistance programs such as WIC or SNAP state that vouchers cannot be used to purchase any non-food items including diapers (National Diaper Bank Network). This is where the JLFW Diaper Bank steps in to provide diapers for families who may not otherwise have enough clean diapers for daily use.

The JLFW Diaper Bank provides diapers for infants, children and adults. During this League year, over 160,000 diapers have been distributed. 90,000 of those diapers were dispensed during the Diaper Bank's emergency COVID-19 distribution to fourteen agencies in the greater Fort Worth area. Since its inception, JLFW Diaper Bank has been able to support more than 167 families and over 242 children through this program.

To help, drop off new diapers of any size (Newborn to Adult XL) at the JLFW Headquarters, or visit juniorleaguefw.org/community-impact/diaper-bank to make a monetary donation.



Fort Worth Drowning Prevention Swim Safe at Home Program

By Rémy Brown

FWDP has done an excellent job thinking of innovative ways to stay involved and promote drowning prevention despite COVID-19 and social distancing requirements.

he Fort Worth Drowning Prevention Coalition's (FWDP) mission is to prevent fatal and non-fatal drownings in the Fort Worth area and beyond. As part of a two-year project, The Junior League of Fort Worth (JLFW) partners with FWDP to provide volunteers that help instruct students on safe swimming and drowning prevention techniques.

Typically, FWDP hosts a series of fourday sessions throughout the summer at various community pools. However, due to the recent COVID-19 pandemic, in-person instruction proved difficult. In an effort to meet their goals and continue to keep community members safe in the water, FWDP established the Swim Safe at Home program. Using Zoom to connect with students online, FWDP hosted three Swim Safe at Home sessions where they provided safe swimming tips and tricks, as well as facts and myths. JLFW volunteers helped host the program and interacted with the instructor and the panelists who joined the virtual class.

Furthermore, FWDP and JLFW volunteers created Water Safety Resource bags which were distributed, along with a life jacket, to participants upon completion of the program. Volunteers also helped in rebuilding the life jacket loaner station located at Benbrook Lake. The station makes life jackets accessible to those who do not currently own one but would like to practice safe swimming while participating in lake activities.

Additional goals FWDP is working towards this year include distributing Water Resource bags to apartment pools in the community and revamping their water safety video.

Hannah Kopriva, FWDP Project Development Chair, is particularly proud of FWDP for their commitment to their mission during these difficult times, "FWDP has done an excellent job thinking of innovative ways to stay involved and promote drowning prevention despite COVID-19 and social distancing requirements."







Pictured on top row and above: JLFW volunteers packing Water Safety Resource bags



 $\hbox{Pictured above and below: JLFW volunteers distributing life jackets to FWDP participants}\\$



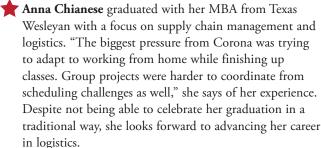
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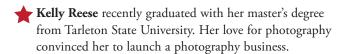
By Meredith Lynch

he year 2020 will go down as a year of hardship for many. For others, it has been an opportunity to challenge themselves and achieve success. The latter is true for many of the Junior League of Fort Worth (JLFW) members. Six League members share their quarantine transformations below.



Danae Couch Lowe, former Miss Texas, became a writer during COVID-19. She developed *The Reign*, a magazine publication for the Miss Southlake Scholarship Organization. The magazine focuses on the four points of the pageant crown—Style, Service, Scholarship and Success. Danae envisioned the publication with the intention of providing titleholders, former pageant winners, volunteers and community leaders nationwide a platform to spotlight their advocacy and engage in dialogue about critical issues across our communities.





- Mauri Williams is the proud new owner of Peacock Farm and Flowers. Mauri recently took ownership of Tucker's Flower Stop and is operating under a new name. She creates beautiful custom arrangements.
- Glenda Diaz was awarded a scholarship to TCU's Neeley School of Business. The school and the Fort Worth Hispanic Chamber of Commerce have committed to a three-year partnership to provide annual scholarships to FWHCC members to help multicultural professionals like Glenda obtain MBA degrees from TCU. Glenda will be pursuing her MBA with a concentration in Supply Chain Management and Data Analytics.
- Onyinye Akujuo was selected as a Cornell Emerging Markets Institute Fellow and is pursuing an Executive MBA at Cornell Johnson Graduate School of Management.

The Junior League of Fort Worth congratulates these and all members for their accomplishments this year.



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Self-Care in Quarantine

By Meredith Lynch

he Junior League of Fort Worth (JLFW) member and life organizer coach, **Lynn Winter**, shares her tips on how to prioritize self-care during the stress and chaos of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Research shown that a period of just two weeks in quarantine can be linked with serious mental health issues, which can include:

- Post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) symptoms
- Depression
- Confusion
- Anger



Lynn Winter

Because some of these issues may have long-lasting effects, it's important to check in with yourself daily. Self-care can help ease the feelings of anxiety and stress. Winter suggests taking time away from the noise of the news, work and social media to focus on yourself.

These tips may seem simple, but in the time of social distancing, work from home and virtual school, these self-care ideas are sure to keep you mentally healthy and on task!

SELF-CARE TIPS

- Get at least 15 minutes of fresh air/sunshine every day. You need sunlight to make sure your circadian rhythm is in sync and Vitamin D is good for the soul!
- Move your body for 30 minutes at least 3 times a week. It's not just about physical health, like Elle Woods said "exercise gives you endorphins, endorphins make you happy, and happy people..." well you get my drift.
- Schedule quiet time just for you. Scheduling it makes it less likely to cancel on yourself.
- Make a point to catch up with friends. Whether it's virtual or outside, get your happy hour on!
- Have set work hours. Working from home makes it easy to work until the cows come home, but you need rest, food and time away from your computer. Make sure you have a set end to your work day whenever possible.
- Share the load. Give your kids, partner, and support system tasks to complete each day. You do not have to do it all.
- Make time for projects that make you happy. Spend time reading, writing, knitting, decluttering, painting, meditating or doing yoga — whatever you enjoy.
- Take breaks from the news. Taking breaks from the news and social media helps distance yourself, even a little, from what's going on.

Gittings Spotlight

on Your Board of Directors



LESLIE HUNT

2020-2021 Nominating Chair

Originally, I am from Clarksville, Arkansas. After obtaining a Juris Doctorate Degree from Baylor Law School, I came to Fort Worth to join Decker Jones Law Firm. I've been married to Joe Hunt for over 17 years. Joe and I have one daughter, Pearl, who is in the third grade. Our family has two rescue cats named Cookie and Nancy. We just welcomed our first puppy, Ruth, to the family. Serving as Placement Co-Chair was my first opportunity to realize the impact our work has on the Fort Worth community. Serving as Nominating Chair was awesome because I got to be part of an incredibly important team that selects the League's future leaders. It was a true honor to be asked to serve in that role. My favorite JL memory is the friendships I made during my provisional year. I met women who became lifelong friends and that is invaluable to me. I am a working woman that loves being part of an organization that brings together all different kinds of women who make a meaningful impact on our community.



BRITTYN BENDER

2020-2021 Finance Vice President

I grew up in Germantown, TN and moved to Greenville, Texas in High School. I came to Fort Worth because my husband, John, grew up in Fort Worth, and he and his dad practice law together. We have two children Bobby (6) and Bailey Anne (4). We have one fur baby, Jelly Biscuit. I joined the League in Dallas in 2008. I wanted to join an organization that provided various avenues to help the community, while at the same time being around other women who wanted to serve their community. My favorite placement was Chair of PR&D Committee. It was eye opening to see the needs in our community and the amazing ways the JLFW is able to make a meaningful and lasting impact on our community. My favorite JLFW memory is announcing to JPS they had received a \$90k grant for their NICU program. Our contact started crying and screaming, "This is for the babies, it's for the babies!" It was so touching and so amazing to see how our dollars impact others. Being in the League means having a way to give back to our community while being surrounded by amazing women, leaders and mentors.



KATIE CICCARINO

2020-2021 Community Vice President

I was born and raised in Lubbock, Texas and went to Texas Tech University. After graduation, I got a job at Lockheed Martin Aeronautics and have been in Fort Worth ever since! I've been married to Jason Ciccarino for 3 years. We met through mutual friends at work. We have three Boston Terriers Lola, Lily and Hudson (all girls). At the urging of some really good friends, I joined the League in 2014. My mother was a Junior Leaguer in Lubbock and I remember going with her several times to volunteer at their Christmas market - Holiday Happening and at her placement. She was a stay at home mom and her Junior League experience was really different from mine. I love how the Junior League of Fort Worth has grown and adapted as our population has changed. I love the consideration and flexibility the League offers for those who work full time outside the home. The League truly allows its members to do it all! When I was the PDC for ACH, we volunteered with one of their youth programs. We taught life skills and hung out with kids who had spent a lot of their lives in the fostercare system. It was challenging, but very rewarding. Several years later, I ran into one of the kids from that program. She had grown up so much and I was so proud of the young lady she had become. She told me that she missed us. I told her that we would come back for a reunion soon. My old ACH team loved the idea. I reached out to ACH, so I could set up a time to bring the kids dinner. When we walked in the door, it was just like old times. I knew that the kids at ACH had made an impact on me, but it was amazing to see the impact that we made on them.

LITTLEST LEAGUERS

Our Growing Community



Garrett Richard Bargas

Christina and Richard Bargas welcomed their son, Garrett Richard, on December 28, 2019.



Jennie Rose Chicotsky

Michaela and David Chicotsky welcomed their daughter, Jennie Rose, on February 10, 2020.



James Vargas Goins

Andi and Ryan Goins welcomed their son, James Vargas, on May 05, 2020.

Jennifer and Aaron Snyder welcomed their son, John Aaron, on May 23,

2020.

Ashley and Patrick McCaffrey welcomed their son, Patrick Alexander, on June 3, 2020.

Laura Jo and Bryce Klein welcomed their daughter, Margot Mae, on

June 19, 2020.



John Aaron Snyder



Patrick Alexander McCaffrey



Margot Mae Klein

Meredith and Shane Lynch welcomed their son, Wren Richard, on June 29, 2020.

Wren Richard Lynch

Life in the League



Ruthie Anne Robinson

Abby and Andrew Robinson welcomed their daughter, Ruthie Anne, on June 30, 2020



Robert Henry East

Lauren and Joel East welcomed their son, Robert Henry, on August 24, 2020.



Nolan Joseph D'Acosta

Alli and Tyson D'Acosta welcomed their son, Nolan Joseph, on August 29, 2020.

MARRIAGES



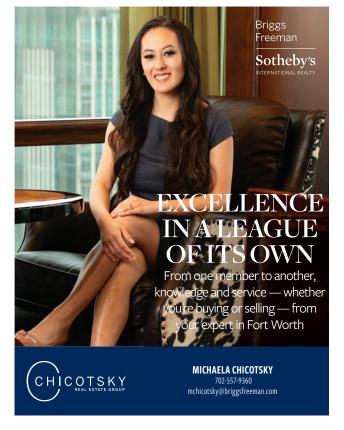
Kaitlyn Cassani married Ryan Horn on February 08, 2020.



Kimberly Waiters married Jamison Heiskell on September 05, 2020.



Sarahi Rodriguez married Donald Spencer on August 21, 2020.



MEMBERSHIP VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

July – October 2020

TRANSFER IN

Joanna Van Engel A JL Austin

Jana Hicks S JL Texarkana

Eunice Lee A JL Austin

Megan Leger A JL Amarillo

Cheryl Majors A JL Tulsa

Caroline Riley P JL Amarillo

Trupti Shah S JL Richmond, VA

Jordan Sievers A JL Kansas City

Emilee Zobeck A JL Richardson

TRANSFER OUT

Callie Fry A JL Tyler

Sara Swan A JL Austin

REINSTATE

Tracy Barry S Judy W. Greenman S Alexandra Renfroe A

RESIGN

Ashlea McIelland P Kaitlyn Ruben P Leah Stewart P

STATUS CHANGE

Faith Evans A to Non-Resident Active

Gayle Record A to A: LOA Haley Robbins A to A: LOA

IN MEMORY

Jeannie Copeland Wolfe S September 24, 2020

CONDOLENCES

Katherine Cain A Loss of Father

Elaine Davis S Loss of Husband

Lyndsay Hoover S Loss of Aunt

Courtney Wolfe Mooring S Loss of Mother

Ann Murphy S Loss of Husband

Our Commitment to Diversity and Inclusion

The Junior League welcomes all women who value our Mission. We are committed to inclusive environments of diverse individuals, organizations and communities.

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Today the JLFW comprises more than 2,000 members and is part of The Association of Junior Leagues International, Inc. (AJLI) which constitutes one of the largest, most effective volunteer organizations in the world. For more information, please visit juniorleaguefw.org.







