

PRESIDENTS' LETTER

Thank you for your dedication and commitment to the Junior League of Denver in the 2019-2020 year!

Throughout our 101st year, we made significant and meaningful strides to further our Mission and develop civic leaders by implementing the newest version of our Strategic Plan, researching how to expand our community focus area and elevating our diversity and inclusion efforts.

Tragically for our community, state, country and world, we also experienced overwhelming sadness at the devastation caused by COVID-19. The JLD rolled out a robust COVID-19 response, and we were continuously inspired by our members' agility, passion and innovative solutions, while still having a deep impact on the community.

JLD members were generous with their time, talent and treasure this year, as always, and gave back in meaningful ways. Please take the time to read through this annual report to see the details of our community and advocacy work.

Despite canceling The Journey 2020 due to COVID-19, we were successful through various fundraising events, Annual Campaign efforts and the generosity of our members and community partners. We raised more than \$85,792 to help with the immediate needs of the JLD and \$71,869 for the JLD Foundation to ensure the JLD can continue its important work. The strong partnership between the JLD and the JLD Foundation continues to be vitally important, now more than ever, as we face more challenging times. We are so grateful for the women who worked tirelessly with such incredible foresight to start our JLD Foundation.

We officially released our sixth award-winning cookbook in July 2019, *Centennial Celebrations*. Additionally, we celebrated the 40th Anniversary of our Mile High Holiday Mart, November 8-10, 2019.

We also continued our proud tradition of training our members to be civic leaders. The JLD graduated new classes from our Leadership Institute and Get on Board programs. Additionally, we conducted in-person and virtual General Meetings with robust programming on important issues like diversity and inclusion, ballot initiatives, community, advocacy, professional development and nonprofit leadership.

We offer our sincerest thank you for supporting the work of the Junior League of Denver. Your ongoing commitment to the JLD has helped us thrive for over a century and is so important as we enter our 102nd year. Thank you for giving back to the community, growing the potential of women and getting connected with our organization.

2019-2020 JLD Foundation President

Julia Lazure 2019–2020 JLD President

WHO WE ARE

The Junior League of Denver (JLD) was founded in 1918 on the principle that women can come together in the spirit of voluntarism to improve the quality of life in our community. Today, JLD welcomes women of all races, religions and national origins who value the Mission. Since its founding, JLD started, and aided in starting, many well-known Denver institutions including Children's Museum of Denver, Mile High Transplant Bank, the Red Rocks concerts and many others.



Laurel Walk and Julia Lazure, 2019–2020 JLD Foundation and JLD Presidents

SUMMARY OF HIGHLIGHTS

We're all looking for ways to connect with new women and really grow our circle of influence. This is a unique organization where we're able to bring so many women together in that special way.



Junior League of Denver is an invaluable resource to our community and we are grateful for the committed partnership in providing equality for all children in Colorado. We love partnering with them and providing access to fun events for children who would otherwise go without.







JLD BOARD AND STAFF

2019-2020 JLD BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President: Julia Lazure **President-Elect:** Melanie Lewis Dickerson

Treasurer: Megan Johnson

Secretary: Kimberly Pendleton Communications VP: Allison Pizzuti Community VP: Liz Peetz

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Gollnick

Sustainer VP: Paige Bower Training VP: Emilie Ricker

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CURRENT JLD STAFF

Finance & Operations Director: Karen Mayo Communications Director: Vanessa Banker Business Support Specialist: Celeste Sims Development Director: Ellen Spangler

2019-2020 JLD FOUNDATION BOARD

President: Laurel Walk Vice-President: Kali Handford Secretary: Linda Scott Communications Committee Chair:

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JLD President: Julia Lazure

JLD President-Elect:

Melanie Lewis Dickerson

JLD Finance & Operations VP:

Tess Enright

JLD Treasurer: Megan Johnson

Members-at-Large:

Melissa Demos, Kimberly Eckert

Finance & Operations Director

(JLD Staff): Karen Mayo

Development Director

(JLD Staff): Ellen Spangler

2019-2020 **JLD AWARDS**



Legislator of the Year:

Representative Julie McCluskie

President's Cup Award:

Katherine Rainbolt & Bridget D'Angelo

Outstanding Committee Award:

Communications Council

Outstanding Provisional Award: Abby Smith

Outstanding Sustainer Award: Seanna Mulligan

Outstanding Transfer Award:

Kellie Littrell

Outstanding Volunteer Award: Rosio Wallen

Spirit of Service Award:

Kelsey Rogstad

Shining Star Winners:

Michelle Yi Alexander Erica Van Voast

Megan Whelan

MEMBERSHIP AND TRAINING

The Junior League of Denver is an organization where women Give back to their community, Grow professionally and as leaders and Get Connected to other women.



IN 2019-2020, JLD MEMBERSHIP COUNCIL:

- Welcomed 202 Provisionals to JLD's Active ranks.
- Established a Scholarship Fund to ensure that all members can continue to enjoy the multitude of benefits that the JLD provides, despite any financial hardships faced.
- Elevated the Diversity & Inclusion Committee to a permanent placement, so that members can more readily build, learn, grow and stand shoulder-toshoulder with our entire community in the shared guest for real and meaningful community dialogue and change.

1,765

667 Actives

896

Sustainers

202 **Provisionals** surrounded by women who build me up, who push me to be better, who help better connect me with my community and who just make me laugh on a daily basis. ??

-JLD Member

The JLD Training Council provides a variety of learning and enrichment opportunities for our members.

IN 2019-2020, JLD TRAINING COUNCIL:

- Conducted dozens of trainings, including many adapted to an online format.
- Challenged future leaders through the Leadership Institute.
- Expanded the Actives Plus program.
- Supported the largest class of graduates from the Get on Board program to date.
- Established Get on Board as a permanent committee after a successful two-year pilot.
- Added a Research & Development Committee that will be key in driving the Strategic Plan and future.



Walking in, being greeted with gusto, smiling faces and getting the sense that, because every detail was considered, this event or meeting was meant to speak to each of us added that extra zip to the 19-20 League year! ??

—JLD Member 5

SPOTLIGHT STORY



JLD volunteers teamed up with local schools to encourage reading while making it fun at Read2Kids events held September 2019 through March 2020.

In addition to receiving books and refreshments, families had the opportunity to hear stories read by local celebrities, authors, and firefighters and participated in a variety of fun activities, such as art projects, face painting and even magic shows.

Too many young children, especially those from low-income families, do not have quality books at home, setting them at a significant disadvantage in terms of language and literacy development. Numerous studies show that the mere existence of books in a household can lead to major strides in reading achievement, school readiness and cognitive development. Read2Kids, which is free and open to the public, puts books in the hands of children and empowers parents through programming—equipping more Denver families with the tools they need to give their children a bright start.

44 I appreciate all the time and effort you put into providing this wonderful opportunity for our students. I look forward to working with you again next year! >>

—Fairview Elementary, Westminster Public Schools



Volunteer Hours

3,024

1,147

1,085 Meals

278

SPOTLIGHT STORY



The Third Annual JLD L.U.V.S. (Leaders United in Volunteer Service) day of service centered around the theme of "Empowering Our Future Generation." JLD members worked hand-in-hand with community members to complete various projects across Denver, benefitting 13 nonprofit organizations doing valuable work in the community: Anchor Center for Blind Children, Children's Hospital Colorado, Denver Children's Advocacy Center, Denver Public Library Friends Foundation, El Sistema, Florence Crittenton Services,

Friends First, Girls Inc. of Metro Denver, Girls on the Run, The GrowHaus, Judi's House, Kenzi's Causes, and St. Judes Children's Hospital Walk/Run. JLD also provided financial assistance for each project, with donated funds totaling \$12,000.

We were honored to welcome the Junior League of Denver to Judi's House for their Third Annual L.U.V.S. Day of Service this past weekend. From painting to cleaning, they did it all! THANK YOU, volunteers, for your hard work and for giving back to the Denver community! ?? —Judi's House



250 Volunteers

Nonprofits

1.000 **Volunteer Hours** \$12K Given

MEETING THE CHALLENGES OF COVID-19 CREATIVELY

66 It is through hope that we can truly build on the Junior League of Denver's history of resiliency and impact. ??

—JLD President. Julia Lazure



2020 began with high hopes—another successful Colorado Gives Day campaign, an inspiring Journey event planned with soccer superstar Carli Lloyd and plans for another impactful JLD Day at the Capitol. The entire world shifted dramatically with the onset of COVID-19.

During the mind-stretching months that followed, JLD members proved that they are strong, endure, and will always be on hand to address our community's greatest needs. Every aspect of JLD work required adjustments—from renegotiating event contracts to reimagining all meetings and trainings virtually and reallocating funds for outside-of-the-box donations. In addition to these internal organizational pivots, the League shifted its community focus to providing meals and supplies to people experiencing homelessness, creating and donating masks, ensuring local school districts had enough books and making a donation to the Help Colorado Now fund. Through compassion, hard work and dedication, the JLD was able to creatively carry on in its Mission to support the Denver community.

66 When the pandemic hit, it seemed that the shelter would have to rely on staff to cook and prepare all meals for our youth. The kindness and generosity from organizations like the Junior League provided the relief to know that meals were taken care of. ?? —Urhan Peak

COVID 19 RESPONSE





Meals Donated



Books and Toiletries

Donated



Help Colorado Now Fund



Phone Calls Made to Members Over the Age of 70

2019-2020 COMMUNITY IMPACT

The JLD is proud of the impact made through the Community and Public Policy Councils. These councils facilitated numerous programs and initiatives addressing literacy, children's and women's health, and women's self-sufficiency issues. CHARITIES Read 2 Kids 5,196 **Tutoring** with Kids 3,767
Books Distributed **Meals Donated to Shelters Hours of Tutoring TutorMate**® Kids Cennect **Online Literacy Program** The Gathering Place® **Delores** a refuge for rebuilding lives Project Done in a Day PARTNERS **A** FRIENDSFIRST. **WE DON'T WASTE** EL SISTEMA \$30,000 **Given in Grants Advocacy 102 Training** with Aponte & Busam and the Women's Denver Children's FOUNDATION **Foundation** DENVER PUBLIC LIBRARY **Nonprofits Served by All-Member Trainings** JUNIOR LEAGUE OF Crittenton 200 **DENVER** Census 101 **JLD Members and** St. Jude Children's Training **Panel Discussions** Research Hospital girls in a Moment **Diversity & Inclusion** \$12,000 **Training with nonprofit** inc. consultant Vicki Clark Given on L.U.V.S. Day of Metro Denver Representative of Service Julie McCluskie judi's house / JAG Institute anchor center 2020 Legislator of the Year Selected Women In Policy Panel: **Proposition CC Panel:** Jacy Montoya Price, • Ali Mickelson, Director of Colorado Children's Campaign Legislative and Tax Policy, 20 kenzi's causes • Jill Sarmo, Colorado Department Colorado Fiscal Institute Children's Hospita of Regulatory Agencies (DORA) • KC Becker, Speaker of the **Bills Tracked** • Michal Rosenoer, Emerge House of Representatives Colorado and Edgewater City • George Brauchler, District 66 I hope today that our members come away feeling empowered, that Council Attorney for 18th Judicial District they're making an impact on the community, especially with the children

Actively Engaged In

that are our future generation.

—JLD Member

HONORING JLD SUSTAINER EMERITUS MEMBERS

We were sad to have to cancel our annual Sustainer Emeritus Luncheon due to COVID-19. We wish to honor these steadfast supporters and longtime members:

Edith Ann Acsell Lvn Albertson* Lucile Allen Martha Allen Stephanie Allen Mary Lee Anderson Sue Anschutz-Rodgers Shannon H. Armstrong* Joedy Arnold Daphne Baker Sharon Barnard Elizabeth Barnes Gay Beattie Joan Bell Elaine Bennion Marsha Berger* Joan Betz Karin Bond Sue Bottoms Barbara Bowes Shirlev Bowman Grace Brooks Sylvia Brown Ann Butler Jo Byyny Karmen Cadwell Jancy Campbell Sue Chamlee Susan Christiansen Charleen Clinton Marni Cogswell* Margaret Craighead Mary Cronin* Margaret Cruger* Jerry Cunningham Virginia Deal Annabelle Deline Fay Dreher Pat Duensing Peggy Easton Mary Eiseman

Barbara Ferguson Petey Fletcher* Pat Freeburg Kav Frever* Diane Gallagher Cornelia Gibson Ann Gold Jean Gordon Beth Graham Martha Groebe Arlene Hagen Jean Halbert* Barbara Halsell Jane Harper* Jane Heath* Beverlee Henry Claudia Hill Preston Hill Sarah Hite Eula Hoff Joan Hollenbeck Ruth Hopfenbeck Dianne Hornbrook Nita Horner Margaret Jacobsen Jean Jensen Ann Johns Fleta Johnsen Lucia Johnson Becky Jones Carolyn Kemp* Corinne K. Kemp Suzanne Kinney* Barbara Knight Janice Koch Marjorie Kowalski Lucetta Larkin Frankey Latcham Penny Leather Donna Lehman Kaye Lemon Mary Lester Rhea Little

Ann Ludwig Diana Lyford Mary Louise MacRossie Mary Jo Maguire Terry Malone Joan Manchester Pat Mason Helen Masterson Angela Matthias* Jan Perry Mayer Judith McClintock Eileen Honnen McDonald Georgene McGonagle Evelyn McLagan Sally McLagan Jean Moore Mena Moran Betty Mueller Rosemarie Murane Cynthia Nagel Mimi Nelson* Nancy Nelson* Pamela Nelson

Ann O'Donnell

Sandy Olson

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Betty Starbuck

Martha Starick

Betty Steinmann

Charmaine Stolz

Lee Tedstrom

Martha Telfer*

Lee Thrailkill

Wendy Trigg

Lucy Wallace

Bunny Wanner

Daphna Warner

Audrey Watters

Charline White

Jeanne Wilde

Wehby

Beth Wright*

Rosanna Young

*new members

Jane Yale

Jaqueline Wogan

Barbara Wootten

Jacquelin Weber

Kennington Wilson-

Ann Tull*

Joyce Thurmer



Jane Spencer

FUNDRAISING HIGHLIGHTS



\$119,450

Annual Campaign Chair: Jacklyn VanOoyik

Co-Chairs: Jennifer Ayvaz, Elizabeth Glenn, THE Alyssa Russo **JOURNEY**

\$67,852

Auction held virtually in March*

Co-Chairs: Katherine Rainbolt, Bridget D'Angelo



\$6,826

Partner Projects* Co-Chairs: Leah Eftekhar. Mara Buhrmeister



\$155,913

Nov 8-10, 2019

\$115,369

Centennial Celebrations Chair: Mary Beth McErlane **Cookbook Operations** Chair: Kate Percival

JLD RELEASES SIXTH AWARD-WINNING COOKBOOK

Centennial Celebrations, JLD's sixth award-winning cookbook, was released in July 2019. So much "butter, sweat and tears" went into this massive undertaking. Centennial Celebrations Chair and fearless leader, Mary Beth McErlane—as well as her entire team—spent countless hours creating JLD's newest cookbook. The book has sold very well so far and received the Independent Book Publishers Association (IBPA)'s 2020 Benjamin Franklin Silver Award.

When the pandemic caused a complete shut down in March 2020, JLD members decided to partner with House & Howell Social to host three virtual cooking demonstrations using recipes from Centennial Celebrations, providing much-

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Preferred Wine Partner

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Fluorescence Flowers

Doris Erickson Lee Everding Jeri Loser 10 Ann Fawcett appreciated comfort and contact.

^{*}Special kudos to these committees for creatively carrying on and managing to raise significant funds amidst the challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic.

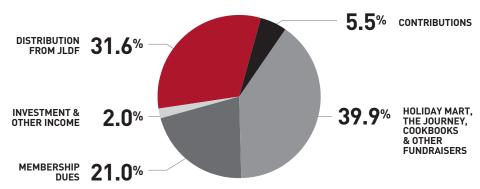
FINANCIALS

Excerpts from the Junior League of Denver Statement of Activities for the year ended May 31, 2020:

REVENUE, GAINS, AND SUPPORT

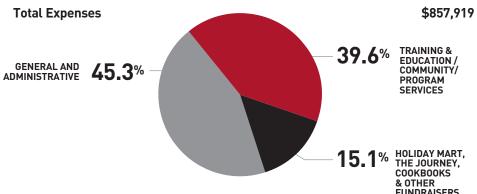
Contributions	\$47,592
Holiday Mart, The Journey, Cookbooks & Other Fundraisers	345,960
Membership Dues	182,244
Investment & Other Income	17,856
Distribution from JLDF	273,705

Total Revenue, Gains and Support



EXPENSES

Training & Education / Community / Program Services	\$339,351
Holiday Mart, The Journey, Cookbooks & Other Fundraisers	129,580
General and Administrative	388,988



HOW ARE DONATIONS SPENT?

With a small staff of four employees, JLD is a largely volunteer-run organization where donations have a direct impact on the number of people served by programs.

- \$100 provides snacks for 20 kids at a Read2Kids event.
- \$250 buys arts and crafts supplies for 450 kids at a Read2Kids event.
- \$500 supplies meals for 20 families attending a Kids Connect program night.
- \$1,000 provides lunch, a snack, and milk to 150 people at The Gathering Place.
- \$2,500 funds our Done in a Day program for one year, providing 4,000+ volunteer **hours** to nonprofits across the Denver metro area.
- \$5,000 distributes 2,000 books to low-income children at our Read2Kids events.
- \$10,000 sends supplies and hundreds of volunteers to our L.U.V.S. day of service, benefiting 10 community partners.

JLD FOUNDATION

\$867,357

In 1992, Junior League of Denver members recognized a need to provide the means to sustain the JLD and its Mission long term. The Junior League of Denver Foundation (JLDF) now covers approximately 25-30% of the League's annual operating budget each year. On May 31, 2020, the portfolio balance was \$7.581.080. Thanks to the generosity of members and friends who have grown the JLD Foundation over many years, the 2019-2020 distribution to JLD was \$273,705, including a \$50,000 reimbursement for operating expenses. The annual distribution is given in accordance with JLDF policies to be expended as the JLD Board determines. While the greatest needs in our community might change, the JLD's commitment to developing women into trained volunteers ready to address the greatest needs will never change. The JLD and JLDF continue to work together on a combined strategic model to streamline fundraising efforts. To that end, members are encouraged to make gifts, no matter what size, to the JLD and/or the JLDF. The Foundation continues to create a culture of philanthropy where members give what they can in a way that honors their personal giving goals. The JLDF is a powerful tool, allowing the JLD to increase its direct impact on the community.

GIFT OF TIME

Unpaid volunteers have donated a significant number of hours to assist the League in achieving the goals of its various service programs. In the 2019–2020 year, our members donated approximately 83,000 hours. We sincerely thank our members for their time and talents!

IN GRATITUDE TO **OUR DONORS**

To the Junior League of Denver and Our Foundation, June 1, 2019—May 31, 2020

ANGELS

Gifts of \$10,000 and more Melly Kinnard Jan Mayer

HERITAGE SOCIETY

Gifts of \$5.000 to \$9.999

Lauren O'Neill Crist-Fulk Laura Dietrich Cathy Hollis Citywide Banks Janie Hutchison Becky Schaub

LEGACY SOCIETY

Gifts of \$2,500 to \$4,999

Bridget D'Angelo Community First

Foundation Ginny Fuller

Heidi Keogh Julia Lazure and

Kneeland & Lazure

Law, LLC

PCL Construction Services, Inc.

Jill Pedicord Peterson

Mary Pollitt

Katherine Rainbolt Ruggles Mabe Studio

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HEIRLOOM SOCIETY

Gifts of \$1,000 to \$2,499

Catherine Bauer Mariette Bell Joann Burstein Kathryn Chapman Kendall Cusick-Rindone **Denver Community Credit**

Union Melanie Lewis Dickerson Dr. Spex Vision Care Fronk Family Foundation Maryanne Flynn Katherine Fulford

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Katharine Arnold

Carolyn Barnett Brooke Bearman Kristin Brownson Krisztina Busch Lauren Cashatt Kate Cihon CoBank Kelsey Cochrane Marie Crist-Fulk Tricia Delano **Bonnie Downing** Pat Duensing Carleigh Elkus Amy Eskola

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Seawalt Alyssa Russo

Kathryn Ryan Linda Schenkein

Seven Barrels of Colorado Jessica Shor

Robert Smink Erin Smith Anya Stinton Kathryn Terry Jennifer Thamer

Marjory Ulm Jacklyn VanOoyik Laurel Walk

Cornelia Wyma

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THE HELEN DALY PEALE SOCIETY

Members of the Helen Daly Peale Society, named for the founding President of the Junior League of Denver, are those individuals who inform the Junior League of Denver of a beguest or other planned gift.

Susan McCann

Marion Milton*

Beverly Morrato

Seanna Mulligan

Diane Newcom

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Ellen Fisher

Fleming

Constance

Graham

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Deborah King

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Merrilyn Leuthold

Jean Jones

Heidi Keogh

Miriam de Catherine Petros Ollogui-Turner Nancy Petry Debra Deverell Brenda Rickert

Laura Dietrich Dana Rinderknecht Corry Doty

Sally Rippey Louise Douglass Bonnie Downing Stacy Rothwell-

Muratore Maryann Ruck Jeanne Saunders **Becky Schaub** Nancy Schotters

Katherine Fulford Cindy Schulz Linda Scott

Marty Segelke Lynne Siegel

Rosalind Grenfell Carolyn Smith Rebecca Stark

Molly Stevenson* Merrie Margolin Stratton

Colette Sutley** Nancy Tankersley

Jodi Waggoner* Laurel Walk Cornelia Wyma

Deborah Yuan

* deceased ** new member

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KEEPSAKE CIRCLE Gifts of \$100 to \$499 Carole Adelstein Marilyn Alexander Michelle Yi Alexander Cindy Allen

Elizabeth Allen Laurie Althen Robin Andersen Angela Andrews Kathryn Arrington Michele Austin Sue Baker Pat Banker Vanessa Banker Shannon Batal Barbara Baumann Mary Coons Bearman Jillian Beckworth Michelle Beehler Joan Bell Gail Berliner Kara Boeshaar Stephany Bollin Gretchen Bonfardine Paige Bower Lisle Bradley Loren Brandon Nicole Brokx Lynn Bruskivage Maureen Buchholz Joyce Ann Burgett Meagan Burgio Kiel Butterfield Ellen Bywaters Jan Carpenter Sue Chamlee Claire Champlain Charities Aid Foundation of America Allie Christensen Ashleyann Clement Community Shares of Colorado

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Maria Rodriguez

Catherine Rundle

Alexandra Ryan

Kimberly Sands

Courtney Schimschock

Lauren Hill Schneider

Hana Sayeed

Kathy Schmidt

Emily Schultz

Marty Segelke

Kathleen Shader

Linda Scott

Deb Shanks

Kelly Shannon

Nicole Schoemer

Andrea Rogers

Carol Roddy

Jeff Rollins

Sally Russo

Kelly Politte

Lisa Quoy

66 Every time we sit down to work one on one with a student, we are providing them with the skills to read at grade level. Doing this before they reach 5th grade will directly impact their grades and their willingness to stay in school through high school. ?? -JLD Member

Rebecca Sharp Malissa Sim Jennifer Simpson Celeste Sims Abigail Smith Carolyn Smith Crissie Snow Kathleen Sorensen Ellen Spangler Elizabeth Starkey Lisa Steffen Lindsey Talafuse Lacretia Taylor Jaclyn Terwey Caroline Tharp Kimberley Thomas Alexandra Tilton Susan Tracy Dale Tremont Alissa Shelton Twiss **US Bank Foundation** Isabelle Vargas Kristen Warnick **Emily Watson** Carrie Weaver Kelsey Weaver Barbara Webb Erica Weber Sean Webster Mitzi Westerhoff Frances Williams Katherine Wilson Katie Woslager Jackie Wright

Rosanna Young

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Molly Ross

Nora Heitmann Lauren Crist-Fulk

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We wish to acknowledge the members we lost recently, as well as their families and friends. There are no words to describe how much we value these wonderful women and their contributions to the JLD.

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This year, we have experienced significant joys and large steps in progress, as well as overwhelming sadness for our community and our world. Through it all, I have been continuously lifted up by the women who make up the JLD, as well as the work that our organization engages in on a daily basis.

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