

## **HISTORY OF JLNO**

In 1923, 10 New Orleans women dedicated to **IMPROVING NEW**ORLEANS recruited like-minded volunteers and joined the Association of Junior Leagues International.

The Junior League of New Orleans officially launched on March 31, 1924 with 40 members. Now, JLNO is home to about

2,200 PROVISIONAL,

ACTIVE, AND SUSTAINING

MEMBERS, making it the 8th
largest League in the world.

Historically, JLNO has identified needs in the community and designed projects with an eye towards **MAXIMUM POSITIVE IMPACT.** 

In 1973, JLNO used trained guides to lead monthly tours in historic neighborhoods, which prompted visitors to step in and preserve decaying properties. JLNO organized individuals involved in preservation and urban planning into a community group called the Preservation Alliance of New Orleans, which became what is known today as the **PRESERVATION RESOURCE CENTER**. The PRC now stands independent from JLNO, but JLNO is an ardent supporter, collaborating with the PRC through its revitalization project, **REBUILDING TOGETHER**.

resource and training center. Fourteen months later, JLNO and Children's Hospital joined forces to create **THE PARENTING CENTER AT CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL**. After dedicating seven years, over \$160,000 in funding, and thousands of volunteer hours, JLNO proudly turned this project over as a lasting resource for the community.

In March 1978, JLNO dedicated \$90,000 over a four-year period toward the development of a parent

In May 1973, JLNO committed volunteers and funding to organize a community group to examine the feasibility of establishing an Environmental Study Center in or near New Orleans. This Environmental Study Center Steering Committee became the **LOUISIANA NATURE CENTER, INC**. in December of 1974. It opened to the public in 1980 as a facility for family recreation and environmental education.

To understand the value of an organization, one only has to imagine what a community would look like without it. The absence of experiential training for JLNO members would mean fewer nonprofit organizations improving the lives of others. New Orleans would have fewer founders conceiving of them, fewer board members leading them, fewer volunteers serving, and fewer donors valuing these causes through their financial support.

## JLNO'S FOCUS AREA

Every woman in Metropolitan New Orleans should have the opportunity to live a **HEALTHY**, **HAPPY**, and **SUCCESSFUL** life. JLNO is committed to **ADVANCING THE WELLBEING OF WOMEN** through the use of trained volunteers providing direct service, educating the community, and advocating for issues that affect women. JLNO addresses its focus area within a portfolio of longstanding projects like **SAFE SITTER** and new initiatives, including its **DIAPER BANK** and its **WOMAN ENTREPRENEUR FELLOWSHIP**.

#### Our projects, programs, and partnerships relate to the areas of

women's health & wellness

education

entrepreneurship & professional development

leadership development caregiver support

We hope to help women increase their confidence, productivity, and income levels. Their mentoring of others and reinvesting in their children's education, family's health, and economic activity will contribute in a meaningful way to bettering Metropolitan New Orleans.

# JLNO specifically works to tackle three strategic goals:



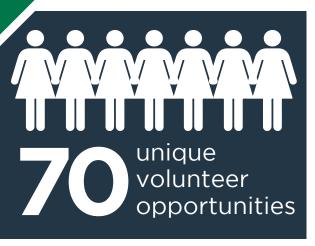
Increasing **ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES** for women and supporting their potential to seize those opportunities.

Providing needed **FAMILY SUPPORT** to alleviate the burdens on women caregivers.

Improving women's **HEALTH AND WELLNESS**, allowing them to live healthy and happy lives.



# PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS



25
training opportunities for members & public

250,000

diapers distributed to NOLA residents

### NONPROFIT BOARD TRAINING

50 lale individuals trained

20





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kids trained to run their lemonade stand



**250** 

teens trained via the Safe Sitter program

# LOUISIANA FLOOD RELIEF

When JLNO set out in August 2016 to assist those affected by the historic South Louisiana flooding, we could never have anticipated the awe-inspiring response to our call to action. The generosity of people throughout the U.S. and diligence of our membership combined to provide much needed comfort to those most in need.

**1,400** 

children served through literacy, STEM & arts education programs

**176,000** baby wipes

**334,000** diapers

53,000

feminine products

16,000

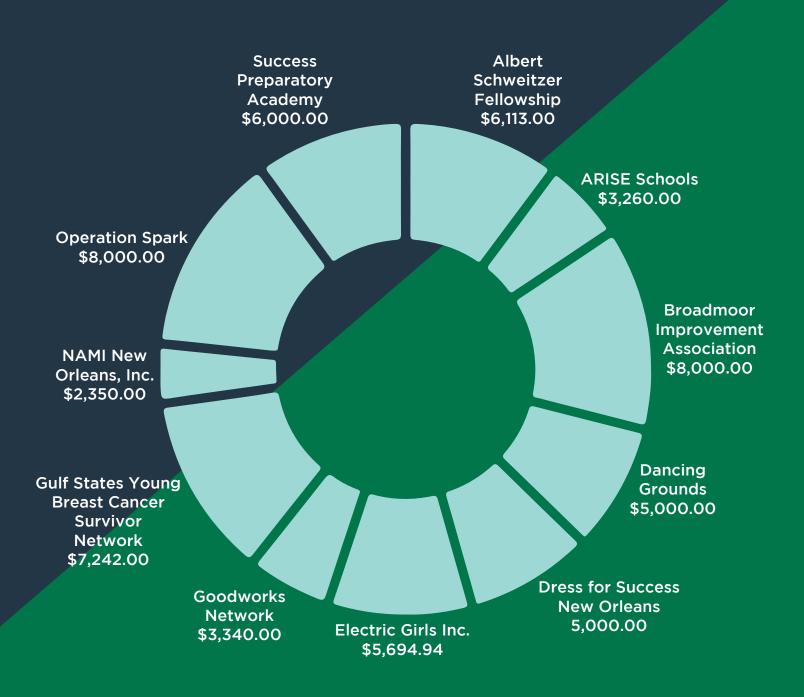
ounces of infant formula

\$16,000

gift cards

# \$60,000 COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE FUND GRANTS

The Community Assistance Fund provides JLNO with a flexible means to grant money to nonprofit agencies that can effectively demonstrate that they have a dire need for funding and seek to advance the wellbeing of women.



# **MEMBERSHIP** BREAKDOWN







2,145 MEMBERS



**MEMBERS** 





JLNO's Active and Provisional Membership includes professional women with families and interests in other nonprofit and charitable work.

**AVERAGE AGE IS BETWEEN** 

30 & 34



**JUST OVER HALF ARE MARRIED** 

56%

1/3

HAVE AT LEAST ONE CHILD **UNDER THE AGE OF 18** 





59%

OF THOSE HAVE MORE



NEARLY ALL MEMBERS HAVE RECEIVED A COLLEGE DEGREE



**OVER HALF HAVE RECEIVED** A POSTGRADUATE DEGREE

53%

89% EMPLOYED OUTSIDE THE HOME



82%

**INVOLVED IN VOLUNTEER** ORGANIZATIONS OUTSIDE OF JLNO











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MADE MONETARY DONATIONS WITHIN THE LAST 12 MONTHS TO CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS OUTSIDE OF JLNO





**40,100** VOLUNTEER HOURS 10,500 TRAINING HOURS

# 2015-2016 **FINANCIALS**

#### INCOME

#### **FUNDRAISERS & BUSINESSES**

•	BLOOMIN' DEALS THRIFT SHOP\$441,726
•	DONATED GOODS-THRIFT SHOP \$435,932
•	TOUCH A TRUCK
<b>♦</b>	FRERET 5K
•	GET ON BOARD
•	RAFFLE
<b>♦</b>	FLEUR DE LEAGUE
<b>♦</b>	DOLLARS FOR DIAPERS
	MISCELL ANEOLIS \$12,030

INCOME

#### OTHER FUNDING

•	MEMBERSHIP OBLIGATIONS
•	UNREALIZED INCOME ON ENDOWMENT\$92,399
•	INVESTMENT INCOME
<b>♦</b>	AWARDS, GRANTS & CORPORATE SPONSORS \$53,733
<b>♦</b>	ENDOWMENT CONTRIBUTIONS
•	COST OF GOODS SOLD
•	OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE REVENUE\$175,484

TOTAL OTHER INCOME \$1,312,472



**TOTAL INCOME BUSINESSES & FUNDRAISERS** 

\$997,560

COMBINED TOTAL INCOME

\$2,310,032

#### **EXPENSES**

COMMUNITY PROJECTS & MISSION . . . . . . . . . . . . \$1,328,317  TOTAL EXPENSES

\$1,658,971

NET INCOME (LOSS)

\$651,061



# MISSION STATEMENT

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

# CORPORATE SPONSORS

The Junior League of New Orleans appreciates the financial and in-kind donations from the following organizations. Their support enables us to pursue our mission and improve Metropolitan New Orleans.

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