

**Interested in
Membership in the
Junior League of Kingsport?**

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Thanks, Junior League of Kingsport for providing the foundation for my personal leadership development. You provided many opportunities that helped shape my basic leadership philosophy and helped set me on a path of public service. Thanks, also for the tremendous impact you have had on our community. Kingsport is fortunate to have women dedicated to 'building better communities'. Keep up the good work!

Jeanette D. Blazier
Former Mayor, City of Kingsport

The Junior League of Kingsport's role in our community has been exemplary. Their members are hardworking, dependable, and dedicated. They are well organized, and they are effective at growing strong leaders who eventually help other organizations. They seek responsibility and want to be held accountable. Most importantly, they make things happen that improve our community. There is no doubt that an active Junior League has been a tremendous asset to Kingsport!

Miles Burdine
Executive Director
Kingsport Area Chamber of Commerce

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**JUNIOR LEAGUE OF
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Women building better communities

**Provisional
Information
Brochure**

Women celebrating
the three "E's"
of volunteerism:
Enriching others' lives
Enhancing our community
Educating ourselves

Dear Prospective Member,
Thank you for the opportunity to extend an invitation to you in joining one of the most stimulating and worthwhile organizations in the nation. We welcome and embrace the addition of your talent, time and energy. Please do not hesitate to contact any JLK member if you have further questions. I look forward to meeting you and truly hope your League experience is most gratifying.

Jane Henry, President

Mission

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

History

In 1935 sixteen charter members organized and created the Kingsport Junior Welfare League. Later, in 1947, another local group known as the Kingsport Junior Auxiliary came into existence. With so much enthusiasm in one city it seemed only natural to combine these two dynamic forces into one, forming the Kingsport Junior Service League in 1950. This group then made application to the Association of Junior Leagues of America and was accepted on March 31, 1958. Since its incorporation as the Junior League of Kingsport (JLK), the women of JLK have continued to improve the Kingsport community and have been instrumental in producing needed services and creating activities in our area. Today JLK members are involved in many facets of the community through projects, advisory board representation, leadership of non-profit organizations, and volunteer service.

Facts About Junior League Of Kingsport

- We are a non-profit, charitable and educational organization of women interested in becoming effective volunteers in our community. As members, we address our community needs through monthly meetings and training sessions to improve leadership skills.
- Junior League serves our community through projects initiated and financed by fundraisers, donations, grants and placement on Advisory Boards of community organizations and agencies.
- Our focus involves the impact we have, as a unified force, on the lives of women and children.
- Past & Current Projects include:
 - Rascals Teen Center
 - Kingsport Nursery School
 - Friends In Need
 - Arts Council
 - Mt. Region Speech & Hearing
 - Children's Advocacy Center
 - Food Drive
 - Sisters in Action for Sisters
 - Community Connections
 - Hope House
 - YMCA
 - K-Play Sport Council

Just For Provisionals

The Junior League of Kingsport invites any woman, 21 years of age or older who has resided in Kingsport for six or more months, to consider joining us. We are looking for women who desire to address the needs in the lives of women and children, to gain personal growth, to make new friends, and demonstrate strong commitment to community service. As a member of Junior League, you will always be appreciated and have fun!

In order to achieve your potential, a one year Provisional training course is required. During your first year as a member, you will be required to attend General Membership and Provisional course meetings, pay \$125 in dues, and assist with fundraising events.

Additional information may be found by visiting our website at www.jlkingsport.org. Please feel free to contact our headquarters at (423) 245-1321 or any Junior League of Kingsport member with any questions you may have.