

The phrase ***"Standing on the shoulders of giants"*** is a metaphor that means "Using the understanding gained by major thinkers who have gone before in order to make progress." This metaphor definitely describes the opportunity to support the activities of the Junior League by honoring the Founders through charitable giving.

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**JUNIOR LEAGUE OF
SPRINGFIELD, MO**
Women building better communities®

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

Junior League of Springfield

Founders Fund

*Leave a Legacy
Make an Impact
Support Your Community*



Junior League of Springfield
Founders (pictured left to right):

Cynthia Hollander
Patty Brooks
Suzanne Tynes
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In April 1959, five woman joined together to form the Community Service League of Springfield, Missouri (later to become the Junior League of Springfield). Their vision: To make a positive contribution to Springfield through voluntarism and fundraising. From their vision, thousands of women have received training and education that have advanced their personal and professional leadership skills while addressing community needs through projects such as the Discovery Center of Springfield, Isabel's House, Ozarks Public Television, Children's Clothing Bank, Girls Club, Dickerson Park Zoo Educational Amphitheater, Hospice, Ozarks Food Harvest, Leadership Springfield, Reading is Fundamental, Teen Parent Program, Teen Court, Ronald McDonald House Mobile Dental Care Unit and more.

Help us assure the continuation of their vision.

LEAVE A LEGACY

Your charitable donation will provide funds for Junior League projects and scholarships in perpetuity.

FOUNDING LEADER \$20,000

Your donation will support the **IMPACT** of the JLS through projects like Isabel's House, Discovery Center of Springfield, Ozarks Public TV, Springfield Ballet, and the Boys & Girls Clubs of Springfield.

Donations may be made by cash, check, credit card, stock or pledges of 1, 2, or 3 years. For language to include the Founders Fund in your will or trust, please contact Morey Mechlin at 417.889.4119 or moreymechlin@me.com

FOUNDING GIANT \$10,000

Your donation will continue the **TRAINING** of hundreds of diverse women in our community. Their participation in the JLS provides growth and development that prepares them for community participation and leadership.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

FOUNDING SALUTE \$5,000

The activities of the Junior League are exclusively educational and **CHARITABLE**. Since 1959, JLS has returned more than \$4.4 million to the community. Your donation will support continued charitable activities.

_____ My check is enclosed to 'Junior League of Springfield Founders Fund'

FOUNDING FRIEND \$1,000

Since 1959, when the Community Service League (later JLS) began with 31 members until today with 600 members, the JLS has donated 1.7 million volunteer hours to the community. Your gift will support this continued commitment to **VOLUNTARISM**.

_____ I am making a pledge for (#)_____ years in the amount of \$_____ per year for a total donation of \$_____ in memory or honor of _____.

FOUNDING SHOULDERS OTHER

The JLS supports women through educational **SCHOLARSHIPS**. Your meaningful donation will assure that all women may "Stand on the shoulders of giants."



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