

MEDIA ADVISORY - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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SPRINGFIELD, Mo. April 19, 2017 –

WHAT: The Junior League of Springfield (JLS) will host its 11th annual Charity Run. The race will feature a sanctioned 4 and 2 mile course. Prizes will be awarded to top finishers. This family fun event will also include a bounce house, face painting, kid's obstacle course, School of Rock performance, vendor tables, and Randy Bacon's "The Road I Call Home" art exhibit from 7 Billion Ones and Gathering Friends for the homeless.

WHEN: Saturday, April 22, 2017, 8:00 a.m.

WHERE: JLS Headquarters. 2574 E. Bennett, St. Springfield, MO 65804

TICKETS: Registration for runners is \$30.00. All other activities are free.

Register at https://www.jlspringfield.org/charity-run/ or in person during packet pick up at Ruby's Market on East Sunshine on Thursday, April 20th, from 11 - 2 or Friday, April 21st, from 3 - 6 p.m. You can also register the morning of the race from 6:30 - 7:30 a.m.

All runners will receive a FREE swag bag full of coupons, a healthy eating cookbook and more!

PHOTO OP: The event is open to media. To schedule an interview, please contact Jen Welton at communications@jlspringfield.org

MORE INFO: Visit https://www.jlspringfield.org/charity-run/

About the Junior League of Springfield

The Junior League of Springfield 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 The Junior League of Springfield reaches out to women of all races, religions and national origins who demonstrate an interest in and a commitment to

voluntarism. Its purposes are exclusively educational and charitable.

Since 1959, the Junior League of Springfield has contributed more than \$4 million and more than 1.3 million hours of volunteer service to the Springfield community. For more information, please visit the Junior League of Springfield website at www.jlspringfield.org.