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A LETTER FROM OUR *President*



Once again, Huntsville Junior Service League enjoyed a wonderfully successful year of serving Walker County. I am so proud to be a part of such a committed group of women! With a roster of only 52 members, more than 2200 hours were dedicated to improving Walker County. That's a stat worthy of praise!

The year began with 16 new members who enthusiastically dove right in and began making their mark on the league. They created adorable sunshine baskets that were delivered to local hospital patients. As a group, we continued to support many projects that have become tradition for the league such as Mobile Food Truck, Santa Shop, Say Yes to the Dress, Special Kids Rodeo, Ducks Unlimited, Meals on Wheels, and much more. In addition, we were able to complete two big renovation projects that greatly transformed four rooms that are integral in serving local families and children. The first was a single mom's family room at the Good Shepherd Mission and the other three were visitation rooms at the Department of Family Protective Services. It was such a blessing to have a hand in creating new environments that will impact so many lives.

This year we are continuing the theme of transformation! We have a NEW fundraiser this fall that is simply delicious. The butter braid pastries come in 10 flavors and are super yummy. Three local charities will benefit from our fundraising success. We also have a NEW location for our spring fundraiser. Please join us at the lovely Magnolia Lake on Sunday, March 1st for our 7th Annual Mother of Pearl.

I am very honored to serve in the Huntsville Junior Service League, and look forward to working with this amazing group of ladies to continue the legacy of service that has been set before us. As always, we appreciate your ongoing support!

Sincerely,

Amy

Sustainer Dues

Please send your \$20 Sustainer Dues to
P.O. Box 7185, Huntsville, TX 77342

A Year of Transformation...



2018-2019 was a fantastic year of service and transformation! With the endowed scholarship being fully funded, we have been able to use our recent fall fundraiser proceeds to make big impacts in our community. Last year we were able to fund two big renovation projects that greatly impacted homeless families and children in the foster care system. In the fall, we were transformed a family room at the Good Shepherd Mission with new paint, bedding, furniture, toys and artwork. Later in the year we redecorated three visitation rooms at the Department of Family Protective Services and took them from drab to inviting. Once again, we transformed the rooms with new paint, furniture, tvs, games and toys, artwork and pretty wall murals. The rooms now have a more welcoming feel to help make family visits more comfortable.



To see more before & after photos, click the link to read the full story of the [Good Shepherd Mission Room Renovation](#) & [DFPS Transformation](#).

A look back...



Check presentation to YMCA



Sunshine baskets for local hospital patients



Boys & Girls Club donations



Head Start's Feed-A-Family Food Drive



Empty Bowls benefitting Meals on Wheels



FOOD TRUCK



Special Kids Rodeo



Fuzzy Socks



Wounded Warrior Banquet



Meals on Wheels



Say Yes to the Dress

Looking forward...

Save the Dates!

Butter Bread Sales

NOW thru OCTOBER 14TH

Mobile Food Truck

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19TH
HUNTSVILLE CHURCH OF
CHRIST

Butter Bread Delivery

The yummy breads will be picked up
by current JSL members on Monday,
November 11th. Members will then
arrange for delivery.

Santa Shop & Food Truck

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7TH
9:00 AM
CHURCH OF CHRIST

Mother of Pearl Tea

SUNDAY, MARCH 1ST
2:00 PM
MAGNOLIA LAKE

Food Truck returns soon...



The flyer is for a Mobile Food Truck event. At the top left is the Huntsville Junior of Service League logo, which features a tree and the text 'HUNTSVILLE TEXAS JUNIOR SERVICE LEAGUE'. To the right of the logo, it says 'Huntsville Junior of Service League is proud to partner with Huntsville Church of Christ in bringing the'. Below this is the title 'Mobile Food Truck' in large green letters, followed by 'From the Houston Food Bank'. The date 'SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19' is prominently displayed. Below the date, it says 'HUNTSVILLE CHURCH OF CHRIST' and 'Event Registration begins at 8:00am' and 'Volunteers arrive 8:00-8:30am'. There are three small photos: one of people serving food, one of a Houston Food Bank truck with the website 'houstonfoodbank.org' and phone number '713-223-3700', and one of people at a food truck. Below the photos, it says 'Registration is limited to one per household.' and 'Must be 18 or over.' At the bottom, there is a row of green pine trees and a Facebook logo with the text 'like us on Facebook: facebook.com/jslhuntsville or follow us at www.huntsvillejsl.com'.

Huntsville Junior of Service League is proud to partner
with Huntsville Church of Christ in bringing the

Mobile Food Truck

From the Houston Food Bank

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The Mobile Food Truck is returning to Huntsville on Saturday, October 19th. This is one of the most important and impactful services we have the privilege to provide. Please share the flyer with anyone who may benefit from receiving free produce or who might want to serve along with us. Volunteers should arrive at Huntsville Church of Christ between 8- 8:30am. We'd love to see you! Sign up [HERE!](#)

Fall Fundraiser is Sweet!

Sweet Goodness

These amazingly yummy pastries are perfect for breakfast or dessert!



Available Flavors: Apple, Cherry, Cream Cheese, Bavarian Creme, Strawberry & Cream Cheese, Four Cheese & Herb, Blueberry & Cream Cheese, Cinnamon, Caramel Rolls, and Cinnamon Rolls.

Each 22 oz braided pastry is only \$14.50-15.00!!

Orders due by: **October 14th**

Pastries arrive November 11th

All proceeds benefit Arise2Read, Hope's Bridge Resource Room, CASA and Huntsville Junior Service League Community Projects

For more info contact: jsl.huntsville@gmail.com

It's Fundraiser Time!

Boy do we have a yummy one this year! We are selling the super amazing, Butter Braid pastries in 10 different flavors! The terrific pastries can serve as dessert or breakfast and will certainly be a family favorite! They will arrive frozen at the beginning of November and can help take a little load off the chef when the holidays roll around!

This year's fall fundraiser recipients...

*Arise2Read
Hope's Bridge Resource Room
Court Appointed Special
Advocates
JSL community projects.*

Orders are due October 14th, so contact a member of HJSL if you would like one of these scrumptious pastries...

Apple ~ Cream Cheese ~ Blueberry & Cream Cheese ~ Cherry
Strawberry & Cream Cheese ~ Bavarian Cream ~ Cinnamon ~ Four Cheese & Herb
Caramel Rolls ~ Cinnamon Rolls



The breads range from \$14.50-\$15.00. All proceeds will stay right here locally and will be used to better Walker County through JSL community projects and donations to 3 well deserving charities!

News to Share

2019 Provisional Members



Standing (L-R): Paige Padon, Amanda Cockcroft, Dana Grafton, Tiffany Driver, Emily O'Rear (Provisional Director), Jessica Moore, Jennifer Smock, Heather Sullivan, and Maritza Smith

Seated (L-R): Michelle Spencer, Tanya Hollas, Megan Lewandowski, and Tiffany Steele

Not pictured: Stephanie Abbott, Robin Britton, Malori Carley, Emily Chaney, & Jalisa Louis

