

The League Club, Inc.



At the End of the Day—Naples, Florida

Annual Report

The League Club, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization of women strengthening communities through fellowship, education, volunteerism and philanthropy.

Membership shall be limited to women who have been active members of a Junior League, which is a member of the Association of Junior Leagues International.

Since 1986, more than \$2,300,000 has been distributed throughout Collier and Lee Counties area non-profit agencies.

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“Commitment To Community”

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The *minor* League

The minor League promotes fellowship among its members and supports the efforts and activities of The League Club.

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Investment
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Monday Bridge
Marian McMaster

Travel
Marty Davis

Letter from the President



Annual Report Message

When groups of dedicated and higher purpose women unite together they can certainly accomplish great things! I can honestly say I feel we have accomplished many things while I have been President of The League Club for the years 2010-2011.

Our major fundraiser with Kathryn Stockett, author of *The Help* was an overwhelming success, enabling us to provide a healthy start for next year's support to the non-profit agencies of next year's applicants.

Our second fundraiser with Barbara Rinella continued to delight our membership with her dramatization of her friends, Erma Bombeck and Katharine Hepburn. The Community Trust Fund will be well endowed at the time my message goes to print. We will be capable of serving many although the needs continue to be great.

Our events were well attended throughout the year including several events for our "Year Rounder's" as more of the membership decides to stay and not venture North. Our membership meetings were creative and entertaining while educating us with guest speakers on their enlightening topics in beautiful venues. The friendships have deepened, our pockets have too. Our volunteer hours were many and for some became a devoted 24/7 job. I thank an outstanding board for their energy and time throughout the year.

I have certainly grown in this year, with a knowledge and insight of personalities that blended into developed leadership qualities. I thank you all for the opportunity. It seems we have all contributed to the common good this year as we moved The League Club forward. Let us now embark upon our 25th year celebrations with delight and pride.

Mary Beth



2010-2011 League Club Board

Standing: P Isermann, M Carthaus, K Riner, S Dupler, K Barrow, J Lekas, G Barry, M Olson, B Aymar, F Bogdan, D Loomis, A Thomas, S Kellogg, S DeMallie Seated: A Westerfield, C Kruman, L Sims, MB Johns, S Benson, H Varsames
Front: M Weaver, L Nordhoff, ML Swartz, Missing: S Lasch, E Vanderburg

Education Programs for Members

October 14, 2010	Sharon Lee Parker: author, business owner of Boehm Birds, philanthropist LaPlaya Beach & Golf Resort
November 11, 2010	Delly Beekman: President of Association of Junior Leagues International Mediterra Country Club
December 7, 2010	Dr. Manuel Pena: “The other side of plastic surgery” Naples Beach Hotel
January 13, 2011	Rufino Hernandez: “Lifestyle Designs”; owner of The Garden District Port Royal Club
March 11, 2011	Andrew McElwaine, President & CEO Conservancy of SW Florida The Club at Pelican Bay
April 8, 2011	Civic Involvement Committee Grant Presentation & ANNUAL MEETING Naples Yacht Club
May 6, 2011	Dick Benson, Genealogist, “Sue, who do you think you are?” Kensington Country Club

Special Events

September 28, 2010	Summer Potluck at Sally Robson’s home
October 29, 2010	“Oktoberfest” at the Aymar’s home
November 11, 2010	Welcome Back minor League Party: Royal Poinciana Golf Club
December 8, 2010	Holiday Party: Port Royal Club
January 8, 2011	Theatre Zone Event, “No No Nanette”, Community Theater
January 19, 2011	Art Appreciation, Rosetta Santiago’s “The Puppet Show”, Rick Moore’s Collection
January 21, 2011	New Member Coffee: Sherry Mills’ home in Grey Oaks Country Club
January 30, 2011	minor League Seafood Extravaganza: Naples Sailing & Yacht Club
January 31, 2011	Olga Hirshorn lecture, “My Life with Joe”,.: auditorium in the Clubhouse at Moorings Park
February 11, 2011	TLC Fundraiser: Kathryn Stockett, author of The Help at Naples Grande Beach Resort
February 17, 2011	Tea & Tour : The home of Barbara and Bill Meek of the Harmon Meek Gallery
March 7, 2011	Home is Where the Art is: Terry and Bob Edwards’ collection of major works
March 18, 2011	TLC Fundraiser: Erma Bombeck and Katharine Hepburn portrayed by Barbara Rinella at Grey Oaks Country Club
April 14, 2011	Farewell “Sail Away to Summer” with minor League: Collier’s Reserve Country Club
April 15, 2011	Wine & Cheese Tour: Charlotte and Paul Corrdry’s home with an outstanding contemporary collection of art

The Year's Highlights

Two fundraisers featuring **Kathryn Stockett**, author of *The Help* and **Erma Bombeck** with **Katharine Hepburn** dramatized by **Barbara Rinella** were offered to our members and community with overwhelming success.

We awarded \$189,250 in grants to 25 local area non-profit agencies.

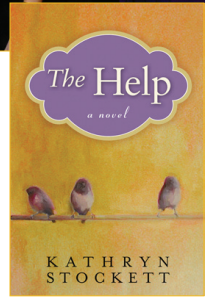
A new and promising business partnership was established with the Golisano Children's Museum of Naples. A special event held at Waterside shops with The League Club in conjunction with C'MON helped launch their Grand Dreams Society.

Positive press occurred throughout the year with our association of Naples Illustrated, Naples Daily News, Florida Weekly, and WAVV 101.1.

Member survey sent with results still prioritizing our mission of fellowship and philanthropy.

Numerous Done in a Day Projects (DIAD) were participated in with over 7,500 hours given back to our community from our membership:

- Immokalee Housing and Family Services - "You're My Hero Luncheon"
- St. Matthew's House-Food drive and donations
- First Book of Collier County-label books
- Salvation Army - Christmas stockings; wrapping gifts
- Children's Advocacy Center - task force
- Children's Museum - "Pirates in the Park"
- David Lawrence Fundraiser volunteers
- Naples Zoo - Zoobilee 2011
- SW Florida Symphony Showcase docents
- Neighborhood Health Clinic - Kitchen Hostesses



DIAD – Wrapping Toys for Salvation Army: (From the Left) Row 1 Lynne Nordhoff, Karen Champion-Smith, Karen Medford Row 2 Sally Kellogg, Ginny Wixom, Sally Stevens, Donna Loomis Row 3 Jane Roberts, Sonia Pierson, Betty Jean Bankes, Alice Duffus



Circle of Friends Luncheon: Mary Beth Leytze, Kerry Riner, Kris Buck, Mary Ann Jenkins, Stephanie DeMallie



January 2011 Membership Meeting-Port Royal Club: Front Row Sally Taylor, Vivian Lake, Carole Gill, Nancye Mowry, Marilyn Taylor Back Row Nancy Ragan, Julia McCall

Circle of Friends 2011

DIAMOND

Jenny Wren Sutton
Anne Drackett Thomas

RUBY

Susan R. Benson
Nancy Campbell
Marcia Carthaus
Martha G. Davis
Jennifer Garthwaite
Lynne Haarlow
Polly Higgins
Nancy Kleinpell
Billie Kubly
Anne Nagan
Marjorie H. Weaver

SAPPHIRE

Sandy Abookire
Bette Aymar
Linda Aysseh
Betsy Barton
Pat Blankenship
Jane Borchers
Mary Bowman
Susan E. Brock
Bunny Brooks
Ellie Buchanan
Kris Buck
Charlotte Clarke
Trig Cooley
Charlotte Corddry
Eliza M. Crowder
Stephanie S. DeMallie
Sandra Dubberley
Susie Estabrook
Ginny Fleming
Louise Friedlander
Carol Fullerton

SAPPHIRE (cont)

Lynda Goldie
Gale Guild
Sylvia Hnat
Penny Isermann
Molly Banks Jaffe
Diane Jenkins
Mary Ann Jenkins
Mary Beth Johns
Joanie Johnson
Kathy Johnson
Tricia Kassling
Jane Kerr
Lucy Kuhne
Jo Ann Lekas
Mary Beth Leytze
Donna Loomis
Lord Family Foundation
Doreen Loskill
Carol S. Markey
Jeanne McCarthy
Dee McClay

SAPPHIRE (cont)

Susan McComsey
Pixie Messey
Sherry Mills
Myra W. Morrison
Sandy Morse
Judy Nunley
Melody Sawyer Richardson
Kathryn K. Rieger
Kerry Riner
Martha S. Roth
Seass Family Foundation
Joan Shipman
Julianne Smith
Charlotte A. Smollen
Linda R. Stikeleather
Mary Lou Swartz
Monica Voldstad
Ann D. Westerfield

Gold Underwriters

The *minor* League Club
U.S. Trust

Silver Underwriter

Anonymous Donor
Huntington National Bank
Wealth Management
Key Private Bank
Naples Illustrated
PNC Wealth Management

Bronze Underwriters

Azul Cosmetic Surgery and
Medical Spa
Family Private Care, Inc.
Gibraltar Private Bank & Trust
Kingsley Pines Co-Ed Children's
Camp & Event Center - Maine
Moorings Park
Naples Eye Physicians -
David E. Poeltl, M.D., Ph.D.,
Paul M. Rougraff, M.D.,
Lynn K. Byerly, M.D.
Northern Trust
The Marbella at Pelican Bay
The Naples Beach Hotel & Golf Club
Wynn's Market and
Catering/Flowers by Wynn's

Special Business Partners

Brimmer's Custom Decor and
Special Events
Gary E. Swanson, D.D.S., P. A.
Golisano Children's Museum
of Naples
John R. Wood Inc.,
REALTORS
Lifetime Brands, Inc.
Naples Daily News
WAVV 101.1

2011 Grants

Since 1986, over \$2,300,000 has been distributed to local non-profit agencies

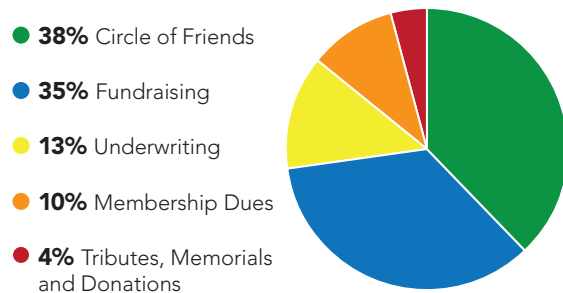
AMI Kids Big Cypress
 Baby Basics of Collier County
 Cancer Alliance of Naples
 Children's Advocacy Center
 Children's Network of Southwest Florida
 Collier Health Services
 Community Cooperative Ministries
 David Lawrence Center
 Eden Autism
 Education Foundation of Collier County
 First Book of Collier County
 Good Wheels
 Grace Place

Guadalupe Center
 Habitat for Humanity
 Harry Chapin Food Bank
 Literacy Council of Bonita Springs
 Literacy Volunteers of Collier County
 NAMI of Collier County
 Naples Equestrian Challenge
 Neighborhood Health Clinic
 Shelter for Abused Women
 St. Matthews House
 Voices for Kids of SWFL
 Youth Haven

2011 Total = \$189,250

Projected Fiscal Year Results May 1, 2010 - April 30, 2011

Community Trust Fund Revenue



Notes:
 1. Circle of Friends represents 73 member contributions above the regular fundraising ticket price.

Balance Sheet As of March 31, 2011

ASSETS	
Checking/Savings	\$ 363,805.04
Security Deposit	450.00
Total Assets	\$ 364,255.04
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Other Current Liability (Deferred Member Dues)	\$ 28,125.00
Retained Earnings	300,295.20*
Net Income	35,834.84
Total Liabilities & Equity	\$ 364,255.04

*Includes \$59,953 of operating reserves and \$240,342 of Board Restricted Assets in the Community Trust Fund which will be distributed to the Community.

Committee Listings

AREA MEETINGS

Chair

Kerry Riner

Jane Borchers
Ellie Buchanan
Jane Corbly
Molly Jaffe
Mary Ann Jenkins
Jeanne McCarthy
Julianne Smith
Mary Lou Swartz

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Chair

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Jane Borchers
Susan Brock
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Nancy Chellefold
Judy Christi
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Lisa Crowder
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Sally Dupler
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Martha Forbes
Claire Fox
Gretchen Green
Jean Hahm
Mary Beth Johns
Sally Kellogg
Jane Kelly
Eliza Kluger
Donna Loomis

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Jeanne McCarthy
Paula McNulty
Sherry Mills
Myra Morrison
Lauree Personette
Susie Pratt
Lucy Preston
Donna Sawers
Joan Shipman
Char Smollen
Mary Lou Swartz
Louise Urick
Ellen Vanderburg
Lois Ziegler

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Sue Benson
Marie Bentz
Bunny Brooks
Mary Cooper
Jane Curci
Stephanie DeMallie
Patt Franciosi
Pat Frey
Nina Hopkins
Molly Jaffe
Mary Beth Johns
Sally Kellogg
Fifi MacMahon
Jeanne McCarthy
Beverly Metcalf
Lynne Nordhoff
Mary Olson
Anne Thomas
Marge Weaver
Ann Westerfield
Farron Wings

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Roz Jureller
Donna Loomis
Eileen Mann
Nancy Poffenberger
Heidi Varsames

EVENTS

Chair

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Bette Aymar
Sue Benson
Ellie Buchanan
Kris Buck
Jane Corbly
Sue Corning
Lynn Esmay
Gina Finch
Diane Friscaro
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Mary Ann Jenkins
Mary Beth Johns
Kathy Johnson
Sherry Mills
Sally Robson
Toni Swanson
Monica Voldstad
Linda Young

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Gail Barry
Dusti Beaubien
Sue Benson
Marty Davis
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Pat Frey
Diane Friscaro
Kathi Glass
Mary Ann Jenkins
Mary Beth Johns
Kathy Johnson
June Kroeschell
JoAnn Lekas
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Susan Mainwaring
Rani Mathura
Pixie Messey
Beverly Metcalf
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