The Junior League of Plainfield Inc.

1975 - 1976
WHAT TO DO...WHEN

YOU COME TO LEAGUE MEETINGS... You are personally responsible for verifying your attendance by removing your card from the file.

YOU WISH TO TELEPHONE THE PRESIDENT... use the League President's telephone number — 232-1630

YOU HAVE A CHANGE OF ADDRESS OR TELEPHONE NUMBER... Report the change to the Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. R. Hunter Lewis, 754-1167

YOU DESIRE A CHANGE IN MEMBERSHIP STATUS... Make a written request to the Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. R. Hunter Lewis. In order for a change to be approved you must be in good standing as to dues and placement requirements. You may not transfer between March 1 and April 15 and you may not resign after March 1 without paying the coming year's dues.

YOU HAVE AN ANNOUNCEMENT, ARTICLE OR ADVERTISEMENT FOR THE NEWSHEET... Notify the Editor, Mrs. Deborah J. DeMelle, 654-3088

YOU MUST, BECAUSE OF ILLNESS OR OTHER EMERGENCY BE ABSENT FROM YOUR VOLUNTEER JOB... Notify your agency, and placement representative.

YOU MAY WISH TO TAKE LEAVE FROM YOUR VOLUNTEER JOB FOR TRAVEL, ILLNESS, OR MATERNITY... Notify your Placement Chairman, Mrs. Peter R. Clawson, 754-9366

YOU WISH TO RESERVE JUNIOR LEAGUE ROOMS IN NEW YORK CITY... Write or wire to the Guest Room Hostess, Association of the Junior Leagues of America, Inc., The

INDEX

AJL Officers and Executive Staff 6
AMENDED CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION 33
ANNUAL REPORTS 63
Attorney 14
Area Council 2
BY-LAWS 34
Committees 10
Executive Council of N. J. Jr. Leagues 6
Historical Highlights 18
League Dates 10
Membership 85
Officers of the Plainfield Junior League 7
Past Presidents 32
Procedure to Propose a Candidate 2
Public Action Waiver 15
Sponsors Responsibilities 2
Standing Rules 52
What to do...When 1
Sustainer Board 9
Zip Code Numbers 85
Each Area shall have a Council whose functions shall be to coordinate Area services; assist Leagues in identifying and meeting their needs; and assist Leagues in maintaining League standards.

The Council shall be composed of a Chairman and six other members, with one additional Council member for every five Leagues over 30 in the Area, and the Area Director.

AREA 1 COUNCIL, 1974 - 1975

Area Director
Mrs. Michal W. Bristol (Joan)
24 Fernwood Road
Summit, N. J. 07901
(201) 273-0991

Area Council Chairman
Mrs. James P. Logan (Pep)
26 Kenwood Road
Tenafly, N. J. 07670
(201) 567-5933

Area Council Members
Mrs. Renato Beghi (Bina)
300 West End Avenue
New York, New York, 10023
(212) 787-1906

Mrs. Andrew J. Blau (Kelly)
90 Dawes Avenue
Pittsfield, Ma. 01201
(413) 442-4335

Mrs. Richard N. Fryberger (Nancy)
74 Russell Avenue
Watertown, Ma. 02172
(617) 924-8921

Waldorf-Astoria, New York, N. Y. 10022, Reservations received by wire are answered by Western Union collect. Please indicate the name of your League when making reservations. Only members and their immediate families are eligible for rooms, but guest cards are obtainable.

IF YOU WISH TO USE the New York Junior League Clubhouse at 130 East 80th Street, New York City, for luncheon, tea, or cocktails, call 212 - 288-6220 to make reservations. The Plainfield League’s number, “JL-235” is required along with your name and address on receipts. Bills are sent directly to you.

IF YOU DO NOT RECEIVE YOUR YEARBOOK, League Lines, or AJLA Magazine or other notices: contact the Corresponding Secretary.

YOU WISH TO PROPOSE A CANDIDATE ...
Read the Black Book, Article III, Section 2, Article VII, Section 1, and Article XI, Section 5.. Then call Admissions Chairman,
Mrs. John E. Telling, 232-0584

PROPOSER’S RESPONSIBILITIES TO CANDIDATE AFTER CANDIDATE IS ACCEPTED ... See Black Book, Article XI, Section 5.

IF YOU HAVE ANY CORRESPONDENCE PERTAINING TO THE LEAGUE ... Send a copy to the President and Area Director.

IF YOU NEED ANY LEAGUE ADDRESS, LOCAL OR OUT-OF-TOWN ... Call the Corresponding Secretary,
Mrs. R. Hunter Lewis, 754-1167

AREA COUNCIL

The Junior Leagues shall be divided into six geographic Areas. Each Area shall have an Area Council, Area Staff, two Directors, and an Area Nominating Committee.
Area Council Office

600 Lexington Avenue
New York, New York 10022
(212) 755-0390

Mrs. David D. Michaels (Carol)
Area 1 Coordinator

Mrs. Henry C. Hallas (Susan)
32 Adams Road
Bloomfield, Ct. 06002
(203) 242-6591

Mrs. Joseph Lucarelli (Thea)
12 Holly Tree Lane
Rumson, N. J. 07760
(201) 747-9442

Mrs. Lauren L. McMaster, III (Joan)
97 Fairfield Road
Cranston, R. I. 02910
(401) 781-7895

Mrs. Peter Salsbury (Betsy)
81 Gate Ridge Road
Easton, Ct. 06612
(203) 371-0074

Area Director-at-Large

Mrs. A. Sidney Holderness, Jr. (Sheila)
1 Pierrepont Street
Brooklyn, N. Y. 11201
(212) 875-4033

Area Nominating Chairman

Mrs. Laurier LaPierre (Jo)
75 Chesterfield Avenue
Montreal 217, P. O. Canada
(514) 488-9348

Area Nominating Committee Members

Mrs. Harold C. Kraus (Eileen)
34 Chapman Road
West Hartford, Ct. 06117
(203) 521-1751

Mrs. Roger T. Wickers (Martie)
195 Blvd.
Mountain Lakes, N. J. 07046
(201) 335-0362
change of ideas, to provide for the study and discussion of items of interest or concern to the
New Jersey Junior Leagues and, when requested to coordinate projects involving two or more
leagues.

OFFICERS

Chairman: 
Mrs. Robert D. Pierson (Ginny)
67 Overlook Road
Morristown, N. J. 07921 - 538-0127

Vice Chairman:
Mrs. Michael Creem (Nancy)
53 Templar Way
Summit, New Jersey 07901 - 274-2973

Secretary:
Mrs. Albert C. Moore (Anne)
44 Crescent Road
Madison, N. J. 07940 - 377-3927

Treasurer:
Mrs. S. Gilmer Towell (Julie)
96 Old Hollow Road
Short Hills, N. J. 07078 - 467-0976

STATE CHAIRMEN

Arts Council:
Mrs. Amos T. Beeson (Ann)
70 Pine Grove Avenue
Summit, N. J. 07901
(201) 737-5089

Bicentennial Chairman:
Mrs. Curtis B. Morehouse (Mike)
Black Point Horseshoe
Rumson, N. J. 07760
(201) 842-6822

ADVISORY PLANNING

Chairman:  Patty Lucas
Lee Allen
Alice Bullwinkle
Willa Bunker
Pam Martin
Barbara Rochat
Judy Telling
Ann Yearley
Camilla Kuhn

Sustainer:
Joanne Gow

EDUCATION

Chairman:  Carolyn Wyman
Lee Allen
Penny Barrett
Cynthia Cordes
May Fursten
Sally Kroll
Ellen Lewis
Ann Montanaro
Betsy Pascale
Patty Russell
Dee Dee Sullivan

FINANCE

Chairman:  Kathy Bradish
Lee Allen
Penny Barrett
Cynthia Cordes
May Fursten
Sally Kroll
Ellen Lewis
Ann Montanaro
Betsy Pascale
Patty Russell
Dee Dee Sullivan

THE ASSOCIATION OF
JUNIOR LEAGUES, INC.
825 Third Avenue
New York, New York 10022
(212) 355-4380

AJL OFFICERS 1975-76

President  .  Mrs. Robert C. Poole
First Vice President  .  Mrs. Alexander B. Sharpe
Second Vice President  .  Mrs. Langhorne Bond
Secretary  .  Mrs. Lee Verstandig
Treasurer  .  Mrs. Minor C. Lile, Jr.

AJL EXECUTIVE STAFF

Executive Director  .  Mr. Edwin J. Marks, Jr.
Controller  .  Mrs. Ivanetta F. Kay
Division of League Services  .  Mrs. Walter H. Swazyze
Mrs. L. R. Breslin, Jr.
Mrs. Harriette S. Merrill
Public Relations  .  Mrs. Donald E. Nick
Director of Information Center  .  Mrs. Walter C. Bladstrom
Research Manager  .  Mr. Robert P. Rappaport
Research and Information Center Assistant  .  Mr. Edward Hawkes
Special Events Manager  .  Miss Liliane Guay
Publications Editor  .  Miss Lilaian Guay
Editorial Assistant  .  Miss Beryl Wing
Hostess-Manager  .  Mrs. Elizabeth W. Kelley

AJL Waldorf guest rooms, Mrs. Elizabeth W. Kelley

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF THE
NEW JERSEY JUNIOR LEAGUES
1975-76

The purpose of the Executive Council of the New Jersey Junior League is to facilitate the ex-

Project Finding/Community Research  .  Mrs. James Wilson
Provisional  .  Mrs. William B. Smith
Public Affairs  .  Mrs. David Nichols
Public Relations  .  Mrs. Harry S. Allen
Publicity  .  Mrs. Steven A. Kroll
Ways and Means  .  Mrs. R. Hunter Lewis

REPRESENTATIVES TO STATE COMMITTEES

Arts  .  Mrs. Steven Martin
Bicentennial  .  Mrs. Joseph McFadden
Provisional  .  Mrs. William B. Smith

SPAC

NON-VOTING SPECIAL CHAIRMAN

Charity Ball  .  Mrs. Charles E. Hance
F.D.C. Liaison  .  Mrs. John C. Hance

SUSTAINER BOARD

CHAIRMAN  .  Mrs. Frederick R. Tittmann
Vice-Chairman
Treasurer and Hostess
Ten-Ten

THE JUNIOR LEAGUE OF
ELIZABETH AND CRANFORD,
NEW JERSEY, INC.

Vice- President  .  Dolly Donahue
Treasurer  .  Ann Gabel
Corresponding Secretary  .  Jeanne Anderson
Recording Secretary  .  Maggie Cimel
Admissions Chairman  .  Cynthia Campbell
Nominating Chairman  .  Barbara Ball
Advisory Planning  .  Dolly Donahue
Community Arts  .  Nan Smith
Community Research  .  Kitty Duncan
Education  .  Isabelle Gundaker
Newsheet  .  Judy Burks
Placement  .  Lynne Depew
Assistant Provisional  .  Judy Cashdollor
Public Affairs  .  Carol Jones
Public Relations/Planning  .  Sue Morin
Vice Chairman:
Mrs. Wayne Fischer (Susie)
5 Seneca Place
Upper Montclair, N. J. 07043
(201) 783-6548

Provisional:

SPAC:
Mrs. John W. Jones (Carolyn)
14 Webster Avenue
Summit, N. J. 07901
(201) 273-6286

BOARD OF DIRECTORS
1975-1976

OFFICERS
President . . . . . . . . . . . . Mrs. Robert E. Royes, Jr.
1st. Vice-President . . . . . Mrs. David R. Rochat
2nd Vice-President . . . . . Mrs. William G. Moody
Recording Secretary . . Mrs. Douglas C. Yearly
Corresponding Secretary . Mrs. R. Hunter Lewis
Treasurer . . . . . . . . . . . . Mrs. George J. Bradish III

VOTING BOARD MEMBERS
Admissions . . . . . . . . Mrs. John E. Telling
Advisory Planning . . . Mrs. George B. Lucas, Jr.
Area I Liaison . . . . . . . Mrs. William G. Moody
Arts . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Mrs. Steven Martin
C.C.T.V. . . . . . . . . . . . . Mrs. David Callendar
Children’s Theatre . . . Mrs. Thomas L. Funkhouser
Education . . . . . . . . . Mrs. Samuel D. Wyman, Jr.
Finance . . . . . . . . . . . . Mrs. George J. Bradish, III
News-Sheet . . . . . . . . . Mrs. Deborah DeMelle
Nominating . . . . . . . . . Mrs. Arthur B. Annis
Placement . . . . . . . . . . Mrs. Peter R. Clawson

Jumble Store . . . . . . . . . . . . Judy Wood
Provisional . . . . . . . . . . . . Patty Biederman

LEAGUE MEETINGS
1975-76

SEPTEMBER 10 Board
17 Membership

OCTOBER 1 Board
2 Provisional, Community
8 Research
29 Board

NOVEMBER 5 Membership
26 Board

DECEMBER
JANUARY 7 Board
14 Membership
28 Board

FEBRUARY 4 Membership
25 Board

MARCH 3 Membership
31 Board

COMMITTEES 1975-76

ADMISSIONS:
Chairman: Judy Telling
1974-76
Joanne Gow
Liz McIntee
Suzie Osgood
1975-77
Sue Callendar
Debbie DeMelle
Carol Moody
Mary Ann Smith

Sustainers: Betty Fitzpatrick
Ann Wigon

PLACEMENT:
Chairman: Kay Clawson
Assistant Chairman: Jan Weigman
Provisional Representative: Ann Wood
Nancy Carr

Nomining:
Chairman: Jane Annis
1974-76
Alice Bullwinkle
Peggy Brandi
Jane Ross
1975-77
Sue Moeller
Marty Samek
Sustainers: Charion Clark
Joan Hunziker

LEAGUE LINES COMMITTEE
1975-1976
Editor: Debbie DeMelle
Secretary/Treasurer: Patty Russell
Committee:
Barbara Edwards, Jr.
Barbara Hagstoz
Cynthia Wappel
Dede Wigon
Lori O’Keefe

Jane Ross
Patty Russell
Bonnie Shrago
Lois Shapiro
Esther Perkins

Sustainer:

C.C.T.V.
Chairman: Sue Callendar
Mary Lou Eckner
Lori O’Keefe
Patty Lucas
Carol Pearce
Jane Ross
Dee Dee Sullivan
AREA 1 - 39 LEAGUES

Bangor, Me.
Bergen County, N. J.
Berkshire County, Mass.
Boston, Mass.
Bridgeport, Conn.
Brockville, N. Y.
Brooklyn, N. Y.
Elizabeth - Cranford, N. J.
Fall River, Mass.
Greenwich, Conn.
Halifax, N. S.
Hartford, Conn.
Holyoke, Mass.
Kingston, N. Y.
Larchmont, N. Y.
Monmouth County, N. J.
Montclair - Newark, N. J.
Montreal, P. Q.
Morristown, N. J.
New Britain, Conn.
New Haven, Conn.
New York, N. Y.
Newark, N. J.
Newburgh, N. Y.
North Shore, L. I., N. Y.
Northern Westchester, N. Y.
Orange and Short Hills, N. J.
Pelham, N. Y.
Plainfield, N. J.
Portland, Me.
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
Providence, R. I.
Scarsdale, N. Y.
Springfield, Mass.
Stamford - Norwalk, Conn.
Summit, N. J.
Trenton, N. J.
Waterbury, Conn.
Westchester-on-Hudson, N. Y.

AGREEMENT TO WAIVE CERTAIN PROCEDURES FOR PUBLIC ACTION ON NEW JERSEY STATE ISSUES

The Junior League of Plainfield, N. J., hereby waives the Association Procedure Part I, E., 3 c, d, e (in accordance with the provisions of Procedure I, E., 3 f) to permit an Individual League in New Jersey to take action in its own name on a State issue, provided each Junior League, in taking such action, complies with Policy III, Procedures Part I, E. 3 a, b, and the following:

1. Action should grow out of careful study of

1930
Second Circus Fair held, running for three days.
Puppet troupe proceeds provided impromptu lessons for a deaf child, support continued through 1932.

1931
Percentage of day’s sales again given by Tepper’s in return for running counters and staging fashion show.

1932
Received percentage of Plainfield Horse show proceeds in return for serving lunch and managing parking area.
Served daily hot lunches to undernourished school children; project continued until 1936.
Provided food, coal, and supplies for 11 families.

1933
Received percentage of week’s sales from Virginia Thier’s dress shop.

1934
Held benefit fashion show and tea with members as models.

1935
Shared expense of a Council of Social Agencies survey.
Started “Beside Library” at hospital.

1936
Benefit revue given.
Children’s Theatre Group gave first play and sponsored Junior Programs, Inc. series of movies, puppets, plays, etc.

1937
Child Welfare Committee set up as joint project with Charity Organization Society.
Repeated Junior Programs sponsorship and staged another play.

10. No New Jersey Junior League shall speak as an individual League on issues which are being considered for possible action by any State-wide committees of the New Jersey Executive Council.

This waiver will remain in effect until revoked by membership vote of this League.

Signed, Sue Ann Moeller
President

Board Approval: April 25, 1973
Membership Approval: May 1, 1973
the subject which would be relevant to the League purpose and program.

2. Leagues should be concerned with the protection of their tax-exempt status in regard to time spent in "taking action."

3. Action must not support or oppose candidates for public office.

4. Action should be approved by at least a 2/3 vote of the members present and voting of the initiating League following prior notification of the vote.

5. Full supportive material (using appended form) must be supplied to the Director-at-Large Area 1 for her advice and to all other Leagues in the state for their information.

6. After receiving advice from the Director-at-Large Area 1, the initiating Junior League may take action in its own name.

7. Another Junior League in the State, to join its name to the action of the initiating League, must fulfill all the requirements for initiating action, except for #5 above.

8. Each New Jersey League shall keep the Chairman of the New Jersey Executive Council advised of its current studies and of any study or issue that may lead to a desire to take action. This information shall be disseminated to the New Jersey Leagues.

9. In case of Leagues wishing to take opposing stands on the same question, neither League shall take any action but may request its members to speak as individuals.

1937
Paid salary of child placement worker; project continued until taken over by city in 1941.
Held benefit auction and dance.

1938
Bi-monthly creative writing classes held by Scribbler's Group of four N. J. Leagues.
Hobby show and tea held for members and husbands.
Donation tea held for Catherine Webster Home.

1939
Staged benefit Country Fair.

1940
Staged June Lea Jubilee fair for benefit of local charities.
League Glee Club song at local agencies.

1941
Helped support establishment of Central Volunteer Bureau project later taken over by Civilian Defense.
Held members' and husbands' hobby show, followed by supper party.

1942-44
League members engaged in a large variety of war time activities such as Red Cross, Nurses' Alides and Canteen work. No new League projects started.

1945
Sponsored Summer Child Day Care Center.
Annual troupers staged by Children's Theatre Victory Bond booth staffed daily for two weeks.
Sponsored paper salvage drive with proceeds going to hospital and Red Cross.
Sorted clothing collected in Plainfield for distribution among overseas war victims.
Sponsored free public lecture on "The Returning Veteran."

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS

1922
League organized with 25 charter members.
Charter received Oct. 9, 1922.
First delegates sent to A.J.L.A. conference.
Supervision and clothing provided for two homeless children.

1924
First charity ball held in January.
Monthly entertainment provided for children in the Preventorium of the Tuberculosis Sanatorium.
Motor Corps formed.
Members sold Anti-Tuberculosis Christmas Seals for three days in public buildings.
Desserts made for hospital.

1925
Opened utility shop for sale of home-made products, used clothes and furniture; shop continued until 1933.
Gave first revue with proceeds used to buy car for VNA, to buy new equipment for hospital and to send two Boy Scouts to camp.

1926
Revue given with proceeds going to local charities.
Contributed to Catherine Webster Home for Aged Gentlemen; support continued through 1941.

1927
Cafe Chantant presented to raise money for Catherine Webster Home.

1928
Circus Fair given for purchase of equipment at hospital.

1929
Forerunner of News Sheet started.
Percentage of day's sales given by Tepper's in return for manning counters and staging fashion show.
1957
Summer dance held for benefit of Community Trust Fund.
"Aladdin" troupes to 8,000 school children.

1958
Inauguration of three year Ways and Means Project.
The record success of the Christmas Ball.
The first Thrift Sale.
The Spring Fashion Show.
The first Junior League Cotillion.
"Titan" troupes to 9,000 school children.

1959
Acquisition of a new project . . . the restoration of Drake House.
"Captain Kidd's Return" troupes to 7,000 school children.
Civil Defense Family Survival Course presented to members and husbands.
Donation of room to Neighborhood House.

1960
Benefit bridge party given in members' homes for Drake House.
The Second Thrift Sale.
"The Magic Horn" troupes to 10,000 school children.
Eighth Annual Sponsorship of Plainfield Symphony Orchestra's "Concert for Young People."
Successful Christmas Dance for benefit of the Community Trust Fund.
Complete revision of our own by-laws.

1961
The Third successful Thrift Sale.
Visit from A.J.L.A. Ways and Means Representative.
Annual Christmas Dance for benefit of Community Trust Fund.
"The Sandalwood Box" troupes to 10,000 school children.
Spring visit from our Regional Director.
The Second Junior League Cotillion.

1965-1966
Eighth Annual Thrift Sale.
Drake House support continued for seventh year.
Youth Employment Service supported for fourth year.
"Peter and the Wolf" and "The Man in the Moon" troupes to 10,000 school children.
The Fifth Christmas Ball with patrons, benefit of the Community Trust Fund.
Second year support of the Executive Council Art Slide Project.
Visits from the Regional Director.

1966-1967
Ninth Annual Thrift Sale.
"Sinbad the Sailor" and "The Magic Sneeze" troupes to the area school children.
Sixth Christmas Ball, a great success, for the benefit of the Community Trust Fund.

1946
Cooperated in presenting "Know Your Neighbors" program and tea in public library.
Helped Mellick Community House expand recreational program.
Joined with other N. J. Leagues to present "Books Bring Adventure" radio series on Newark station.
Audience-participation movie troupes to area schools.

1947
Contributed funds for purchase of outdoor equipment at Mellick Community House.
Donated funds for library's purchase of playback machine.
Celebrated 25th anniversary with supper party and quiz show on league's history.

1948
Paid for resurfacing of Mellick Community House playground and also provided new swings and other equipment.

1949
Started Recreation Day Camp for underprivileged children in conjunction with Recreation Commission; project turned over to Commission in 1951.
Follies presented for benefit of Day Camp.
Mrs. Andrew R. Steven, Jr., elected regional director.
Acquired Soundreader machine and began making records for distribution to blind students by State Commission for the Blind.
Day Camp activities displayed on float in Fourth of July parade.
Institute on Children's Theatre conducted by A.J.L.A. consultant.

1950
Sponsored first Toy Fair, receiving percentage of sales for Community Trust Fund.
"Robin Hood" troupes to area schools.
Two members sent to Neighborhood Playhouse School of the Theatre for special course.

1968-1969
Eleventh Annual Thrift Sale.
"Forever Glue" and "Pinocchio" troupes to area school children.
Eighth Christmas Ball, with patrons, for the benefit of the Community Trust Fund.
Art Slides troupes lectures to area school children and was hostess for the State Committee meeting.
Celebrated 45th Anniversary with letters of appreciation to our agencies for their cooperation.
Fifth year support of the Genito-Urinary Clinic of the Children's Specialized Hospital.
Co-sponsored with Plainfield Council of Women's Organizations "An Evening of Entertainment" for Senior Citizens.
Regional Director visit.
Second luncheon held for Provisional Course speakers.
Continued promotion of the Plainfield Public Library's Community Calendar.
Sent two delegates and a community representative to the Leadership Training Seminar, Sterling, Forest, N. Y.
Participation in a National Council of Negro Women workshop.
Clothing collection for Camp Crusade.
Mayor's Beautification Committee—continued "Flower Box Project" in Plainfield.
News Sheet format changed to photo-offset process and advertising eliminated.
Neighborhood House Library founded and supported for first year.
1942
Fourth annual Thrift Sale.
Drake House support continued for third year.
“Nicholo and Nicrolette” troupes to 10,000 school children.
Successful Open House given at Drake House.
First Christmas Ball with patrons; proceeds for benefit of Community Trust Fund.
A.J.L.A. Arts Consultant visits us.
Theater Party held for benefic of Community Trust Fund.

1963
Fifth Annual Thrift Sale.
Drake House support continued for fourth year.
Youth Employment Service supported for first year.
Eleventh year of support of the Concerts for Young People.
“The Witch’s Lullaby” troupes to 10,000 school children.
Celebrated 40th anniversary with tea for our agencies.
Hostess League for two-day Regional Meeting.
The Third Junior League Cotillion.
The second Christmas Ball with patrons, benefit of the Community Trust Fund.
Visits from our Regional Director and A.J.L.A. Administrator.

1963-1964
Sixth Annual Thrift Sale.
Drake House support continued for fifth year.
Youth Employment Service supported for second year.
“The Merry Pranks of Tyl” troupes to 10,000 school children.
The Third Christmas Ball with patrons, benefit of the Community Trust Fund.
Follies — benefit of Community Trust Fund.
First year support of the Executive Council Art Slide Project.

1964-1965
Seventh Annual Thrift Sale.
Drake House support continued for sixth year.

1952
Began annual sponsorship of Plainfield Symphony Orchestra’s “Concert for Young People”.
“Little Red Riding Hood” troupes to area schools.
Exhibited play scenery and costumes at Recreation Commission Hobby Show.
Hold second toy fair.

1953
Celebrated 30th birthday with tea and presents for 10 local agencies in which league participates.
Neighborhood House program planned and supervised once a week.
“Garette and Lynette” troupes to 7,000 school children.
Group visited UN headquarters.
Renovated toys and equipment for Neighborhood House.
Assisted in Cerebral Palsy tag day.

1954
Country Fair held to raise money for Community Trust Fund.
“Sleeping Beauty” given 24 performances before 8,000 school children.
Co-sponsored Mental Health Association play.

1955
Christmas Dance proceeds given to League for the Handicapped.
Hosts to two-day meeting of Region III.
“Puss ‘n Boots” troupes to area schools.
“Three Little Pigs” presented at agencies by puppeteers.

1956
Country Fair held for benefit of Community Trust Fund.
League for Handicapped again given Christmas Dance proceeds.
Puppeteers troupes “Jack and the Beanstalk” to 15 schools.
“Pinocchio”, written by league member, given 25 performances in area schools.

1967-1968
Tenth Annual Thrift Sale.
“Beauty and the Beast” and “Nestor and the Alligator” troupes to the area school children.

1970-1971
Instituted the PEP Program (Participation for Every Person) by forming five Interest Groups: Narcotics, Ecology, Education, Community Arts, and Children’s Services.

1976
Third year support of the Genito-Urinary Clinic of the Children’s Specialized Hospital.
Trouped over 120 slide lectures to the school children in Plainfield.

1987-1988
Third year support of the Executive Council Art Slide Project.

Third year of support of the Genito-Urinary Clinic of the Children’s Specialized Hospital.

Fourth year support of the Genito-Urinary Clinic of the Children’s Specialized Hospital.

124 Slide lectures were trouped to the school children in Plainfield.

Fourth year support of the Executive Council Art Slide Project.

Mayor’s Beautification Committee — “Flower Box Project” in Plainfield.

First Luncheon held for the Provisional Course speakers.

Promotion of the Plainfield Public Library Community Calendar.

Founded and organized the first meeting of the Plainfield Council of Women’s Organizations.
1974 - 1975

$2,500 to Family Development Center of Plainfield for tuition matching.
$450 ($150 per year for three years) to the Outreach Department of the Plainfield Public Library for their Reading is Fundamental program.
$2,000 to Y.W.C.A. of Plainfield - North Plainfield, Inc. to pay architect for remodeling plans.
$500 to Y.W.C.A. of Plainfield - North Plainfield, Inc. to pay for printing of promotion piece for 1975 Capital Fund Drive.

Admissions initiated year-round meeting policy with moratorium from June to September. "The Bremen Town Musicians" trouped to area elementary school children.

Provisional Course given in Fall rather than Spring. "Historic Martine House Plainfield" opened to public from April 28 - May 18, 1974. Raised over $14,000.

Advisory Planning Committee completed feasibility study of merger with Elizabeth and Cranford Junior League. Straw ballot indicated merger talks should proceed with final vote on merger taken in June.

1975

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>JANUARY</th>
<th>JULY</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>S M T W T F S</td>
<td>S M T W T F S</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

1971 - 1972

Joined other New Jersey Leagues in publishing a directory of agencies working in the field of environmental pollution.

Concluded three years of support of Neighborhood House Library.

14th Annual Thrift Sale expanded to include baked goods and more household items.

Supported the Grantsman Program with $1,000 and volunteers.

11th Annual Charity Ball, with patrons and sponsors, for the benefit of the Community Trust Fund.

"Pinocchio and the Indians" trouped to area school children.

Joined Elizabeth-Cranford League in sponsoring Dr. Eva Schindler-Baiman at an all-day meeting.

Initiated rotating placement for Provisionals.

Initiated the Honest Admissions Plan for a one-year trial.

Representatives worked on the Arts Council, Public Affairs Committee, and the Environmental Committee of the Executive Council of the N. J. Junior Leagues.

Interviewed in depth all Active and Provisional members regarding their individual feelings about the League.

1972-1973

50th Anniversary celebrated with a gala dinner with costumes and entertainment.

Supported the Family Development Center with $2,500.00 and volunteers.

Hosted the New Jersey Executive Council with a series of workshops.
PAST PRESIDENTS

MRS. KENNETH CONDIT  1922-1925
MRS. MASON TILNEY  1925-1927
MRS. PAUL B. WELLES  1927-1929
MRS. WILLIAM L. STRONG  1929-1931
MRS. JOHN V. VAJANT  1931-1933
MRS. E. LEROY VOORHEES  1933-1936
MRS. H. DOUGLAS DAVIS  1936-1937
MRS. ANITA A. BUTTFIELD  1937-1939
MRS. W. RODMAN PARVIN  1939-1941
MRS. CHARLES A. EATON, JR.  1941-1942
MRS. FREDERICK M. LOCKWOOD  1942-1943
MRS. ANDREW R. STEVEN, JR.  1943-1946
MRS. PAUL GARY  1946-1946
MRS. HUGH M. GASTON  1946-1947
MRS. WILLIAM J. BUFF, JR.  1947-1948
MRS. WADSWORTH T. OLIVER  1948-1950
MRS. HENRY P. FOSTER  1950-1952
MRS. WILLIAM R. BARRETT  1952-1954
MRS. EUGENE VAN NESS  1954-1955
MRS. JAMES RAYMOND BIRD  1955-1956
MRS. J. ROBERT LAIDLAW  1957-1959
MRS. JOHN T. MONZANI  1959-1960
MRS. JOHN ENDERS  1960-1961
MRS. PARKER W. SILZER  1961-1963
MRS. CHARLES E. LOIZEAUX  1963-1965
MRS. JOHN W. HONE, JR.  1965-1967
MRS. WILLIAM R. CUNNICK, JR.  1967-1969
MRS. RICHARD M. ECKERT  1969-1971
MRS. ROBERT M. HUNZIKER  1971-1973
MRS. H. WALTER MOELLER  1973-1975

PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL REPORT

This report is not mine, it is yours. All the accomplishments are yours and the successes are yours.

As we complete our 52nd year of service to the community, we can look back with pride to our volunteer efforts, the funds we have raised to, the projects accomplished. The skills we have acquired and the knowledge gained have been a part of an ever-growing, ever-changing organization.

The community we serve is changing rapidly, the problems are increasing and there are many needs to be met. In order to be more effective force we have had to consider changing ourselves. While there are many advantages to being a League with under 100 Active members, there is also frustration in trying to make a positive, important impact in any area. This was one reason, but by no means the only one, why the Advisory Planning Committee contacted the Elizabeth-Cranford League regarding the feasibility of a merger. Both Leagues, working together, completed the feasibility study, voted by straw ballot in favor of proceeding to a final merger agreement, and the final merger agreement was drawn up. The final merger vote was taken on June 11, 1975, passing in both Leagues. As of April 1, 1976, we will be the Junior League of Elizabeth-Plainfield and I am confident that in the years to come we will be as proud of the accomplishments of our merged League as we have been of those of the Junior League of Plainfield.

While the possibility of a merger has been apparent for most of the year, it was "business as usual" for the Plainfield League. After a successful Showhouse, the question was, "What next for a fund raiser?" The answer was through "Auctionables Unlimited" which was only voted the Community Trust.

Supported the Grantsman Project with $1,000.
12th Annual Charity Ball "Winter Wonderland.
15th Annual Thrift Sale expanded to include hand-made Bazaar items and plants.

"Witches" Lullaby trooped to over 5,000 school children.

Tri-County League Committee established with the Junior Leagues of Summit and Elizabeth-Cranford.

Sustainers' Board expanded to include a Vice Chairman, a Ten-Ten Chairman and members serving on League Committees.

1973-74

$5,000 pledge April 1, 1974, to Family Development Center of Plainfield.

$5,000 for our 50th Anniversary gift to United Family and Children's Society, Neighborhood House, Westfield Community Center, King's Daughter's Day Nursery, Westfield Day Care Center, and Muhlenberg Hospital.

Dogwood trees planted in Library Park as a living memorial to children of members who have died in the past year.

"Peter and the Wolf" trooped to over 1000 elementary school children.

Dr. Eva Schindler-Rainman led seminar in October, "Our Changing Value Systems."

Holiday Ball, "Anniversary Ball". No patrons or sponsors.

Newsheets mimeographed and mailed at bulk rate.

Voted $272 to State Arts Council of N.J. Jr.
During the course of the year:

1. Extension of Membership
2. Actives became Sustainers
3. Provisionals became Actives
4. Accepted provisional membership
5. Became inter-league
6. Re-instances
7. Transferred to Plainfield
8. Transferred from Plainfield
9. Resigned from membership

RECORDING SECRETARY

The Recording Secretary attended and took the minutes for eight regular meetings, ten board meetings, and three executive meetings.

Minutes of the meetings were recorded, corrected, and placed on file. Copies of the original minutes were sent to the President, First and Second Vice Presidents, Area Council Office, Sustainer Representative, the Attorney, and the Junior League of Elizabeth-Cranford. Xeroxed copies of the Board minutes were mailed to all Board members one week prior to the following Board Meetings.

The First Vice President, Corresponding Secretary and Recording Secretary edited the Yearbook.

ANN E YEARLEY

ADMISSIONS

The Admissions Committee met thirteen charming women in the spring. Three transferred to other leagues leaving us with ten new provisional members.

The Admissions Committee initiated a year round meeting policy with a moratorium from June to September. We also clarified the sponsor orientation rule which encourages the sponsor to attend an orientation meeting with the Admissions Committee prior to discussing league membership with her candidate.

66

the membership as to what was taking place in the continued merger talks with Elizabeth - Cranford. A question and answer period followed each meeting. We ended our busy year with Narcissa Titman coming to speak to us on contemporary theater. This was a delightful addition to our annual May dinner.

Many thanks to my able committee for its assistance.

JUDY TELLING

HOLIDAY BALL

With the approaching Bicentennial in mind, the Holiday Ball, held December 7, 1974, was centered around the theme of a "Colonial Christmas." Mary Lou Eckner and her committee of decorators transformed the Plainfield Country Club into a lovely and nostalgic Christmas of the Colonial era - complete with an authentic sleigh in the main lobby and handhewn apple trees on all the tables.

The dance netted a small amount of money, this year the ball was not a fund raiser since we were still recuperating from the Designer Showcase.

Many thanks to all my committee who worked so diligently to make the Holiday Ball a beautiful success.

CAROLYN WYMAN

NEWS SHEET

This past year was the first year we mimeographed League Lines and it proved to be a great financial savings.

My thanks to my committee, Debbie DeMelle, Penny Barrett, Patti Russell and Judy Tomfohrde for their hard work and cooperation. A special word of praise and thanks goes to Debbie who singlehandedly saved us many, many dollars by "shopping around" and getting the best price on stationery etc. also, for a record year of calendar sales and a fresh look for the League Lines.

Fund $5,000 but was great fun as well.

Community Research/Project Finding initiated three new projects and continued support for another, the Family Development Center. During the past two years the League has pledged $7,500 to the center, these funds being used primarily in renovating the center's new facilities. The additional $2,500 pledged this year will be used for tuition matching under Title IV-A, with the federal government matching tuition on a 3-1 basis for all children on a poverty level. While our volunteer commitment has not been as extensive as we might have wished, there is no doubt that the girls who do work there are dedicated to the Center and the Center itself is providing much-needed day care facilities in Plainfield. Two new projects, to which we have pledged funds and volunteers, relate to the Plainfield YWCA which serves five communities. The first project involves hiring an architect to ascertain the scope of necessary renovations in the Y. Our members will serve with other members of the community on the Building Committee. The second project, is aiding the Y in their capital fund drive by underwriting the cost of their campaign promotion piece and by serving on the Long Range Planning Committee. For the third new project the League has pledged its support for three years to the Plainfield Public Library for their Reading is Fundamental Program.

The Admissions Committee, in open Admissions all year (except during the summer), will provide us with more flexibility and ease in proposing candidates. Their new policy of asking sponsors to meet with the committee before notifying their candidate will provide for more frankness and understanding in assessing a candidate's qualifications for membership.

Nominating had a busy year slating the major offices and providing delegates to the seminars and

ACTIVES, PROVISIONALS, AND SUSTAINERS, AND hammering out a straw ballot with Elizabeth and Cranford Junior League. Patty Lucas and I spoke at the Sustainer Luncheon in March. Our Education Committee granted us time at the March and April meetings to present our on-going findings and to dialogue with our members to determine their concerns. This two-way communication was certainly the key to the overwhelming support the Provisionals, Actives, and Sustainers gave us on the Straw Ballot April 9th.

Since the Straw Ballot indicated that the merger talks should proceed, the next step is the actual drawing up of the formal merger agreement. The new Advisory Planning Committee will handle this phase. We are preparing to take a final vote on the merger on the evening of June 11. Should the vote be favorable, the merger will be effective April 1, 1976.

It was an exciting year! I cannot say enough for the Courage and Commitment displayed by all of the Plainfield Junior League members. Together we have decided our future directions. It was a privilege to be part of it.

JULIE ROYES,
Chairman, May 1975

CHILDREN'S THEATER REPORT

A children's fantasy - comedy, The Bremen Town Musicians, written by Pat Hale and distributed by New Plays for Children, was selected for our 1975 trouping. We began rehearsing in February at the Jewish Community Center, gave two dress performances in early February at Saint Bernard's School and then set out to entertain the elementary school children of the Plainfield area during the last three weeks of February. We gave two paid performances - one for the Krimm School in Plainfield...
My special thanks to an outstanding committee who devoted many hours to our task. The Actives join me in a vote of gratitude to our Sustainers, Billy Lou Hance and Betty Stewart, for their guidance and support.

PAM MARTIN

ADVISORY PLANNING

The Advisory Planning Committee, after studying the Association Board of Directors' Forum Submission at Annual Conference 1974 regarding GROWTH, decided to focus on the problem of our size. At our first meeting we adopted the goal "to increase our size." Our objective was to increase our size by merger.

In October the Executive Committee and Board approved our plans to look into the possibility of merging with the Elizabeth and Cranford Junior League. At the Committee's request, Sue Moeller contacted Pat Stevens, President of the Elizabeth and Cranford Junior League, to convey the wishes of the Advisory Planning Committee, regarding a feasibility study. Board approval was gained from the Elizabeth and Cranford Junior League and their Ad Hoc Advisory Planning Committee and ours were the task of determining the feasibility of such a merger by the February Board Meeting.

Before the two Committees actually met together, a special meeting was held in November at the home of Pam Martin. The purpose of the meeting was to document our membership trends and to acquaint the total membership with the Committee’s goals and objectives.

In December and January the Joint Advisory Planning Committees met to explore the possibility of a merger. Both Committees reached the same conclusion that a merger was indeed feasible. Our report at the February Board Meeting so indicated. The month of March was spent talking to our

sales. With the money saved and earned - and some help from the League - we were able to purchase our one luxury - an electric stapler. We had our typewriter and mimeograph machines serviced - something which I recommend be done on an annual basis, if we are to put them to the same amount of use.

Thanks also to everyone who made my job easier by meeting the monthly deadline, which I know wasn’t always easy.

ELIZABETH MC ENTEE

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

ANNUAL REPORT (1974 - 1975)

The Nominating Committee met nine times this year. The Committee tabulated the straw ballot and prepared a slate of officers which included: Mrs. Robert E. Hoyes, President; Mrs. David R. Rochat, 1st Vice President; Mrs. William C. Moody, 2nd Vice President; Mrs. R. Hunter Lewis, Corresponding Secretary.

The Committee prepared slates for the Admissions and Nominating Committees for 1975 - 1976. A special meeting was held to prepare a slate for the selection of a person to fill the unexpired term of Julie Hoyes.

Meetings were held to select representatives to attend an Area Council Fall Workshop. Judy Nichols, Marty Samek, Sally Kroll, and Judy Telling attended this workshop. Kathy Bradish and Debbie DelMelle attended a Finance Seminar in New York City. An Impact Follow-Up Seminar was attended by Kay Clawson and Ilene Farber.

The Committee also selected four representatives to attend the Management Process Seminar. Those attending were Kay Clawson, Marty Samek, Joan Lewis and Judy Nichols. Delegates attending A.J.L. Annual Conference in May will be Julie Hoyes, Kathy Bradish, and Carol Moody, with Kay Clawson attending the State Council workshop.

The Placement Committee followed a policy of flexibility both for Actives and Provisionals. The scope of members' volunteer activities in their communities broadened as new areas in volunteerism arose.

The Children’s Theatre group trouped live theatre to the Plainfield public schools, much to the delight of the children.

Members involved with CCTV have become increasingly active and four are now continuing their training at Union College. Last fall they presented a program on the Showhouse to both Actives and Sustainers. They are now filming an orientation program for parents of children attending the Kings Daughters Day Nursery, with the League underwriting the cost of the tape.

I thank all of you – Provisionals, Actives and Sustainers - for the honor to serve as your president, and I thank you for your enthusiasm and support during the past two years.

SUE MOELLER

ANNUAL REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

For the year 1974 - 1975

On April 1, 1975 the membership of the Junior League of Plainfield, Inc. totaled 288, this compared with the total of 299 in 1974. The present membership is composed of the following categories:

- 79 Active Residents
- 16 Active Non-Residents
- 179 Sustainers
- 1 Honorary
- 1 Inter-league
- 11 Provisionals
- 65 Provisionals

Many League girls, besides the cast, helped to make our play a success; therefore, a special thank you is in order to the designers, sewers, painters, builders, telephone, distributors, tape players, lighting technicians, stage hands, chilli makers and humorists.

Our Director, Eve Johnson, was a Saint personified and worked harder than any one of us. We are also especially grateful to Vicki Griswold and to radio station, WEBA, who were responsible for playing and recording the music.

If the many pictures and letters received from the children and the teachers are any indication, it appears that whether we did a show with no scenery, or no lighting or in double time, we were enjoyed by all.

KAY FUNKHouser

EDUCATION COMMITTEE

After the League's successful and happy experience of putting on a Designer's Showcase, the Education Committee felt it fitting to begin in Sept. with the "before and after" C.T.V. tapes of Maritime House. In Oct. a clinical social worker, Lynda Thomas, gave us an interesting introduction to transactional analysis. In Nov. some lively discussions took place at our group meetings in four Sustainers' homes. Prior to the holidays, an unscheduled meeting was called to inform the membership that the Advisory Planning Committee were making a thorough study of the feasibility of a merger with the Elizabeth Cranford Jr. League.

Joan Mansfield, Area I Director-at-Large, was enthusiastically received at our luncheon meeting in Jan. She spoke on public affairs and trends affecting volunteerism. The following month Paul Quin and Chuck Gascior braved a snowstorm and appeared to speak on juvenile justice. In Mar. and Apr. meetings were again turned over to the
PROVISIONAL SUPERVISOR

Fourteen Provisionals put in a total of 1435 hours this year. Not only did they fill their required hours at the Family Development Center and Children’s Theatre, they did many more hours of free placement then were required. The free hours were put in the areas of the Warren Historical Society, the Warren Bicentennial Commission, Overlook Hospital, Planned Parenthood, United Family and Children’s Services, the Westfield Rescue Squad, Westfield Day Care Center, ball processing, the Miller-Cory House, CTV, Girl Scouts, Volunteer Probation work, the Community Concert Association, the Drake House Museum, Community Theater, and volunteer music to the aged.

My special thanks to the Provisionals for their cooperation and hard work. They are a group of enthusiastic women who will make outstanding contributions to the Junior League. I welcome them as active members.

The new active members are:

- Mrs. Edward Cameron
- Mrs. Barry Faber
- Mrs. Robert Fursten
- Mrs. Harold Garbooshian
- Mrs. George Hugston
- Mrs. George Lewis
- Mrs. Joseph C. McFadden
- Mrs. John Miller
- Mrs. Rita Schafer
- Mrs. Robert Shapiro

CAROLE MOODY

ANNUAL REPORT
PROJECT FINDING/COMMUNITY RESEARCH
1974 - 1975

The Project Finding Committee has met regularly this year to research community needs and consider possible projects. Extensive self-education and community research were conducted in the area of learning disabilities and early childhood screening. At this time it appears that the Plainfield Board of Education through the Special Services Department will be providing the testing program we had explored.

Projects were studied and approved by the membership as follows: 1) $2,500 to the Family Development Center of the Plainfield Area, Inc. for tuition matching; 2) $450 ($150 per year for three years) to the Outreach Department of the Plainfield Public Library for their Reading is Fundamental program; 3) $2,000 to the YWCA of Plainfield - North Plainfield Inc. to pay an architect for remodeling plans; and 4) $500 to the YWCA of Plainfield - North Plainfield Inc. to pay for the printing of a promotion piece to accompany the 1976 Capital Fund Drive.

ALICE BULLWINKLE

PROVISIONAL

The 1974 Provisional Committee organized the Provisional Course for a September beginning, a change from the past, the course used to be given in mid-winter and the Provisionals became active late the following spring. My many thanks to Mary Ann Smith as Assistant Provisional Chairman, she did more than her share to enable us to be prepared so early in the fall. After the course was completed in November, the Provisionals continued with quality placement of their choice, the need being 60 hours. The Provisionals then became active in May, 1975, a much shorter Provisional year.

The Provisional Course began with “In-League”

---

THE JUNIOR LEAGUE OF PLAINFIELD, INC.
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
MARCH 31, 1975

---

JOHN H. HOWE
Certified Public Accountant
129 Park Avenue
Plainfield, New Jersey 07060

(201) 755-4160

---

79
discussions by our members and then a focus on the community. An evening devoted to education, we heard Dave Rochat speak as a member of the Plainfield Board of Education and Frank Blatz speak on “Taxes and Education.” Mayor Paul O’Keefe and Deputy City Administrators Paul Quinn and Tom Parks gave us an effective presentation on Municipal Government in Plainfield. On the County Level we heard Sister Ellen Patricia Meade explain the Union County Burn Study. Placement opportunities were offered throughout the course, tours were held at the Children’s Specialized Hospital, Westfield Day Care Center, and a bus trip touring Drake House, Family Development Center with a historical tour and narration planned and presented by Eileen Cameron. After a tour through Richmond Towers, we learned of opportunities available for volunteers from Richard Fox. Additional volunteer opportunities were offered at the Y.W.C.A. of Plainfield, C.C.T.V., and the field of Criminal Justice was discussed by Chuck Gassner. Lisa Hetfield of the Washington Rock Girl Scout Council gave us two sessions of “Values Clarification,” a warm and friendly way to bring our needs and the Junior League together.

In our New Provisional year, fall to spring, the Provisionals have given over 600 hours of community service with The Westfield Day Care Center, Channel 13 in N.Y.C., Planned Parenthood, Y.W.C.A. of Plainfield, Children’s Theater, Contact-We-Care, Youth Employment Service and P.T.A. President’s Council. Not only have these Provisionals given many hours of community service and committee participation, but they have prepared the most delicious lunches imaginable. It truly has been my pleasure to be a part of this Provisional Class.

The new active members are:
Mrs. Leonard Craig
Mrs. Charles Dixon

Many, many thanks to a great committee — a hard working and straight-thinking group.

BARBARA ROCHET
PLACEMENT COMMITTEE ANNUAL REPORT
Last spring the Placement Committee interviewed sixteen Provisionals who became Active members during the year and sixty-four Actives. An additional nine Provisionals were interviewed during the winter months.
We are quite a diversified group as reflected in our choices of thirty - one different placement opportunities. Children’s Theatre, Drake hours, Miller - Cory, and hospitals drew the largest number of volunteers. Also very popular were the Westfield Day Care Center, volunteer probation officers, tutors, and library aides. Members also found time to help with CCTV, the State Arts Booklet, the Bicentennial Ball, Tapes for the Blind, the United Fund, Mobile Meals, and YMCA and YMCA Boards. Last but not least we were represented on Boards of Education, at the Red Cross Blood Bank, the Union County Psychiatric Clinic, the Union County Environmental Research Center, Neighborhood Housing Service, Family Development Center, Bail Bond, The United Family and Children’s Society, the Westfield Symphony, and Contact-We-Care.

In addition to this impressive list of volunteer achievements, each member served on at least one League committee with a number of girls sitting on two or more.
Committee Selection Day went rather smoothly with each member having been contacted beforehand to ascertain her three committee preferences.
In most cases we were able to grant the first preference.
I wish to thank my most cooperative and conscientious committee members for their time and dedication.

LOIS HETFIELD

June 5, 1975
The Junior League of Plainfield, Inc.
Plainfield, New Jersey

I have completed my examination of the cash transactions as recorded in the books and records of
THE JUNIOR LEAGUE OF PLAINFIELD, INC.
for the year ended March 31, 1975.
My examination included such tests of accounting records as I deemed appropriate in the circumstances.
As a result, I submit the following:
EXHIBIT A - Balance Sheet, March 31, 1975

A comparison of the receipts and expenditures for the year ended March 31, 1975 with the prior year follows:

Mrs. Richard Kelso
Mrs. Ralph A. Lee
Mrs. Richard Sullivan
Mrs. Joseph Uhler
PAM MARTIN
WAYS AND MEANS
ANNUAL REPORT
Our service auction, named “Auctionables Unlimited”, was held at the Plainfield Country Club, Saturday evening, May 17, 1975 for League members and their guests. Advance printed programs were available containing descriptions of the 97 items and services donated by League members. Approximately 400 people attended and were charged $1.00 per person for admission. Helium balloons were sold during the evening, many entitling the purchaser to a mystery gift. One balloon contained a number corresponding to the grand prize, a black and white portable T.V.
The Honorable Paul J. O’Keefe, mayor of Plainfield, was an entertaining and hard working auctioneer who made our auction a tremendous financial success, and an exciting evening. More than $5,000.00 was raised for the community trust fund.
Eight months of planning by the Ways and Means Committee, and untold hours by members fulfilling services went into our fundraiser. Our program was “rich” and diversified, and I thank Actives, Provisionals, Sustainers, guests, buyers and donors for so generously contributing your time and monies.

CAROL PEARCE
Chairman, Ways and Means
### Exhibit A

**THE JUNIOR LEAGUE OF PLAINFIELD, INC.**  
**BALANCE SHEET**  
**MARCH 31, 1975**  
**With Comparative Totals for 1974**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th></th>
<th>Administration Fund</th>
<th>Community Trust Fund</th>
<th>Total All Funds 1975</th>
<th>1974</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>Assets</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Current Assets</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Cash - Checking Accounts</td>
<td>$1,644.92</td>
<td>$</td>
<td>$ 1,644.92</td>
<td>7.47</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Administration</td>
<td>187.52</td>
<td></td>
<td>187.52</td>
<td>.96</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>League Lines</td>
<td>2,311.11</td>
<td></td>
<td>2,311.11</td>
<td>946.99</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Community Trust Fund</td>
<td>1.00</td>
<td></td>
<td>1.00</td>
<td>4,328.17</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Wars and Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Cash - Savings Accounts</td>
<td>5,837.19</td>
<td>15,050.80</td>
<td>5,837.19</td>
<td>8,420.69</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Administration</td>
<td>15,050.80</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>7,432.02</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Community Trust Fund</td>
<td>-</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Deferred credit (Decorator Showcase)</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>(4,175.81)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Deferred expense (Auction)</td>
<td>-</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Total Assets</strong></td>
<td>$7,669.63</td>
<td>$17,592.29</td>
<td>$25,061.88</td>
<td>$16,960.48</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Exhibit B

**THE JUNIOR LEAGUE OF PLAINFIELD, INC.**  
**STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENSE, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES**  
**FISCAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 1975**  
**With Comparative Totals for 1974**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th></th>
<th>Administration Fund</th>
<th>Community Trust Fund</th>
<th>Total All Funds 1975</th>
<th>1974</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>Revenue</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Dues and Provisionals</td>
<td>$7,095.40</td>
<td>$</td>
<td>$ 7,095.40</td>
<td>7,040.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Children’s Theater</td>
<td>606.38</td>
<td></td>
<td>606.38</td>
<td>1,034.99</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Interest</td>
<td>198.78</td>
<td></td>
<td>198.78</td>
<td>3,267.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Thrift Sale</td>
<td>36,853.78</td>
<td></td>
<td>36,853.78</td>
<td>35.25</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Decorator’s Showcase</td>
<td>12.00</td>
<td></td>
<td>12.00</td>
<td>281.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Annual Dinner (net)</td>
<td>403.83</td>
<td></td>
<td>403.83</td>
<td>-</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Newsletter</td>
<td>3,667.80</td>
<td></td>
<td>3,667.80</td>
<td>-</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Holiday Ball</td>
<td>37.09</td>
<td></td>
<td>37.09</td>
<td>-</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Miscellaneous receipts</td>
<td>$7,927.73</td>
<td>$</td>
<td>$7,927.73</td>
<td>$11,779.24</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Total Revenue</strong></td>
<td>$41,393.83</td>
<td></td>
<td>$49,281.56</td>
<td>-</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>