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March Calendar



**General
Membership
Meeting
Tuesday,
March 10th
5:30 Social
6:00 Meeting
Intellitec College
Conference Room**

**Membership and
Communications
Committee to
Provide
Refreshments**

**Babysitter will be
Available**

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President's Letter



How Do Volunteers Find the Time?: Evidence from the American Time Use Study

July 2008

Key Findings

- **Volunteers, on average, are about as busy as others, yet they make the time to serve others.** In a typical day, the largest difference in how time is spent between recent volunteers (who have volunteered for an organization within the past year, according to the last volunteering survey they completed), former volunteers (who have volunteered with an organization, but not within this timeframe) and lifelong non-volunteers is in how much television they each watch.
- **Volunteers trade off more than an hour a day of TV watching, on average, to engage in service.** On average, recent volunteers watch approximately 15 hours of television per week, compared to approximately 21 hours for former volunteers and 23 hours for non-volunteers. These differences add up over the course of a typical year: 325 more hours of TV watching, or nearly two full weeks each year, between former volunteers and recent volunteers, and 436 more hours of TV watching for non-volunteers compared to recent volunteers.
- **The time use data show that recent volunteers from ages 25 to 55 overall spend substantially more time caring for children than either former volunteers or non-volunteers do.** In a typical day, 29 percent of recent volunteers spend time on child care, compared with 17 percent for former volunteers and 19 percent of non-volunteers. However, counting only those adults who report spending any time caring for children, former volunteers spend more time on this activity – about 738 hours per year, on average – than either non-volunteers (657 hours) or recent volunteers (673 hours).
- **The results also suggest that volunteers do not make time for volunteering by simply trading paid work for unpaid work.** Recent volunteers are more likely than either former volunteers or non-volunteers to spend time working for pay, though non-volunteers who work have slightly longer work weeks, on average (39 hours versus 36 hours for both former and recent volunteers).
- **Compared to former volunteers and non-volunteers, recent volunteers are almost three times more likely to engage in any community organizational activity.** Community organizational activities include formal and informal volunteering, religious and spiritual activities, group participation, and a variety of other civic activities. On average, recent volunteers spend about 218 hours per year engaged in such activities, compared to 78 hours for non-volunteers and only 50 hours for former volunteers.
- **In a typical day, recent volunteers tend to be more socially connected and interact with others.** For instance, recent volunteers spend 78% of their mealtime hours eating with other people, compared to about 70% for non-volunteers and former volunteers.

Between 2004 and 2007, Pueblo had an average volunteer rate of 30.6%. Pueblo residents also volunteered an average of 60.1 service hours annually per resident.

Membership and Communications Kelly Kenney

Congratulations to our provisional class!! Our provisionals were voted into active status in February!
We have a wonderful provisional class this year....thank you ladies for all of your hard work!!

Congratulations to our 2009-2010 board! The slate of officers was elected during our February meeting. Congratulations and thank you to the following ladies who will serve as our 2009-2010 board.

President: Sommer Street

President Elect: Liz Marco

Secretary: Heather Hall

Treasurer: Laura McGowan

Funds Chair: Kristen Spicola

Community Programs Chair: Lindsay Paycheck

Membership Chair: Amy Gartin

Communications Chair: Cara Housman

Past President: Julie Crain

Don't forget... the 2009 membership drive has begun! Please email names and contact information (address and phone number) to Kelly Kenney (kkenney@bransonschoolonline.com) for ladies who might be interested in joining the Junior League. We will host a new member information night on April 9th starting at 5:30 at Park East. We will send hard copy invitations to interested ladies during the second week of March.....so send those names our way!! We are asking that all active and provisional members submit names of at least three ladies!

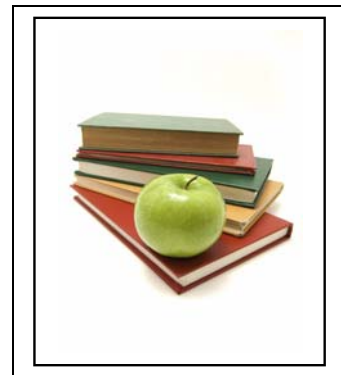
Community Programs

Liz Marco

The 2nd Book Swap was held at
Bradford Elementary on Wednesday,
February 18.

More than 300 children received books.

Thanks to all the volunteers who helped make this a
successful event.



Junior League of Pueblo

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OUR MISSION:

The Junior League of Pueblo 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.

OUR VISION:

The Junior League of Pueblo is a recognized leader in the community, committed to fulfilling the need of the child. Volunteers nurture the individual, advocate for the rights of the child and strive to empower the children of Pueblo to reach their full potential.

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In Honor of her Service to our community Marguerite Jean Moreschini

Junior League of Pueblo's sustainer member died Jan. 21, 2009 after a prolonged illness. She is missed by her family and the many organizations she has served. As a Pueblo native, she became involved in many volunteer organizations including Service League of Pueblo and later Junior League of Pueblo. She was also involved with the Rosemount Museum, the Pueblo Zoo and the Sangre de Cristo Art Museum all benefitted from her sense of community and commitment to service. Mrs. Moreschini's life is another wonderful example of the strong sense of duty and community we all share as Junior League Members.



March Birthdays

Valerie Saisi, Provisional, 1 st	Carrie Archuleta, Provisional, 23 rd
Gwen Redwine, Emeritus, 8 th	Judy Fonda, Sustainer, 25 th
Diane Patterson, Sustainer, 9 th	Jenni Denton, Senior Active, 26 th
Shirley Cline, Sustainer, 18 th	Marjorie Gunter, Emeritus, 28 th
Janette Stern, Sustainer, 22 nd	Meg Greig, Senior Active, 28 th
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Juliana Johnson and a very interested group reading at the Bradford Elementary Book Swap February 18th.

Cara Housman, Alison Nizami, Anne Weierbach and Kristen Spicola



Alison Nizami helping one of the book swappers!

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Announcements



Good as Gold


Valerie Saisi was awarded the good as gold prize at the February General Membership meeting for her involvement in all of our JLP activities this year. Most notably, she has been a huge help with Girls Day Out, getting posters up all over town! Thank you, Valerie! We are so glad to have you!

Creativity and Computer skills Wanted!!


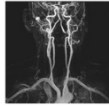
Beginning with the Summer Issue of the Publication, the editor position will no longer be the Secretary. Anyone interested in editing the newsletter should contact anyone on the board or call Tammy at the office (542-0491).

Computer skills are very helpful and a publishing program like Adobe Acrobat or Publisher is very helpful for posting to the website.

If you have questions about the position, please feel free to call Cathie Smith at 542-0833.



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*Wishes to welcome Dr. Megan Lenhart
Starting August 1, 2008
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As always, you can also contact Tammy at the JLP office 542-0491 or jlpoffice@qwestoffice.net. We'll see you there!

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