

*Women Powered.
Mission Driven.*



New York Junior League
ANNUAL REPORT

2022-2024

NYJL Leadership

Two governing bodies of trained volunteers – a Board of Directors and a Management Council – oversee and manage the New York Junior League. The Board of Directors sets the organization’s strategic goals, while the Management Council develops and implements programs and supervises day-to-day activities.

2022-2023

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About the New York Junior League

Since 1901, the New York Junior League (NYJL) has responded to New York City’s most pressing socioeconomic challenges. Powered by nearly 2,800 trained women volunteers, the NYJL

works with 60 community-based organizations to advance the economic, social and emotional wellbeing of women and children from underserved communities throughout the city.

The NYJL develops volunteers’ leadership skills for service in the NYJL and on other nonprofit boards while cultivating a community that reinforces women’s personal relationships and collective power as drivers of positive change.

Mission Statement

The New York Junior League is an organization of women committed to promoting volunteerism, developing the potential of women, and improving communities through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable.

We believe that all women, children, and families should have equal opportunity, the resources to unlock their potential, and the structures to support them.

Diversity and Inclusion Statement

We welcome all women who value our mission. We are committed to inclusive environments of diverse individuals, organizations and communities.

“ THE NYJL IS IMPORTANT TO ME BECAUSE IT IS A TRUE PLEASURE TO SERVE alongside so many amazing women who seek to make an impact in our community. We are all a group of leaders who want to make change and know the only way to do it is all together. ”

—Serra E. Eken



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Core Values



We are passionate about our community.
We believe in maximizing our impact through strategic external partnerships, advocacy, and volunteer action to achieve our mission.



We respect individuals.
We respect each other, those with whom we work and those we serve in the community. We strive to understand others, to respect differences, and to treat everyone with dignity.



We act responsibly.
We recognize that our decisions and our actions can affect others. We strive to uphold our commitments and act honorably in all that we do.



We promote opportunity.
We are committed to helping each other achieve our potential. We foster a supportive and motivating environment that enables continuous learning, encourages mentorship, and develops future leaders.

Message from the New York Junior League President



Serra E. Eken

The Junior League of the City of New York (NYJL) remains steadfast in its mission to lead, advocate for, and impact the New York City community. NYJL volunteers are leaders, advocates, philanthropists, and changemakers seeking to strengthen the health and wellbeing of the children and families of the greater New York City area.

As trained volunteers, we lead with experience, knowledge, and passion and deliver a high standard of excellence in all that we do. Together, we have the power to create transformative initiatives that address some of the pressing issues of today and uplift those in need.

Our members are the foundation of the organization, and every volunteer represents the NYJL's values with integrity and pride. I firmly believe our collective strength lies in our diversity of talents, perspectives, and experiences.

Since our founding in 1901, NYJL volunteers have been at the forefront of many key initiatives and advocacy efforts to enact change in our city. Today, we offer expertly designed programs that target four areas of need in New York City serving 60 community partners— Adult Education & Mentoring; Children's Education, Culture & the Arts; Child Health & Welfare; and City Impact.

During 2022-24, our goal was to build on our full slate of events and volunteering after setbacks experienced during the COVID-19 pandemic. We remained laser-focused on member experience, rebuilding and strengthening our bonds with our community partners, advancing training to highlight both the needs of our community partners and that of our 2,400-strong membership, and raising funds to ensure our work continues.

I am grateful to everyone who has contributed to the NYJL's legacy. Our achievements and positive impact in our community are the additive results of a series of small actions rather than grand gestures. This would not be possible without each of our members.

Together we remain, Women Powered. Mission Driven.

Yours in Service,

Serra E. Eken
President, 2022-24

Clockwise from left: PIP Ribbon Cutting Ceremony, Jun. 4, 2023; Winter Ball, Jan. 25, 2023; End of Year Safari Escape; Jun. 13, 2024, PIP Management Council Day, May 4, 2024; Annual Membership Meeting, Jun. 23, 2022; Bon Voyage Palm Royale, Jun. 6, 2024; Homecoming-Haunted Mansion, Oct. 13, 2023.







We are passionate about our community.

In 1901, Mary Harriman brought together a group of 18 young women and set out to Manhattan’s Lower East Side tenement houses as a response to social, health, and educational needs. Since then, NYJL volunteers have been at the forefront of many key initiatives and advocacy efforts to enact change in our city.

Times may change, but our mission has never wavered. NYJL volunteers are bound by a single goal: to improve the health and well-being of women, children, and families in our city. We believe in maximizing our impact through strategic external partnerships, advocacy, and volunteer action to achieve our mission.

Areas of focus

Our community programming is organized into five areas of focus: Adult Education and Mentoring, Child Health and Welfare, Children’s Education, City Impact and Culture and the Arts. Our members serve on one or more of our 30 committees charged with improving the lives of New Yorkers in need.

Some of our signature initiatives include:

- The **Personal Advancement and Leadership** offers mentoring for young women (ages 9-15) on continuing education opportunities, broad career aspirations, and life skills.
- The **Playground Improvement Project** creates safe, beautiful play spaces for New York City residents.
- The **Community Improvement Project** renovates a partner organization’s facility to increase the organization’s community impact. We do this through a one-year partnership with a Manhattan-based nonprofit organization, providing funding, womanpower, and management oversight for the renovation.

Community councils

ADULT EDUCATION AND MENTORING COUNCIL

Focusing on adult life skills training and support, esteem and self-advocacy, and companionship and guidance, NYJL volunteers help to train, counsel and advocate for adults in need – from recently incarcerated women to survivors of domestic violence, the elderly and families living in transitional housing.

CHILD HEALTH AND WELFARE COUNCIL

NYJL volunteers help at-risk youth, such as those in the foster care or child welfare system, and low-income families gain new perspectives and develop personal resources to overcome challenging life circumstances. Volunteers aim to advance children’s social-emotional learning and to provide life skills programs to youth navigating periods of difficult transition.

CHILDREN’S EDUCATION COUNCIL

For families who are homeless, headed by a single parent, or experiencing other difficulties, the stress of daily life can be overwhelming. NYJL volunteers empower parents, guardians and caregivers to create a more positive future for



themselves and their families, and provide educational support in disciplines including math, science, art, financial literacy, reading and writing.

CITY IMPACT COUNCIL

The City Impact Council addresses the NYJL's community projects, partnering with the New York City Department of Parks and Recreation for the Playground Improvement Project as well as other Manhattan-based organizations through our Community Improvement Project, Done in a Day, and Done in a Day on Demand committees.

CULTURE AND THE ARTS COUNCIL

Research shows that exposure to art and music facilitates critical social and communicative development in children. To help bring arts education and appreciation to underserved New York children and teenagers, NYJL volunteers provide robust interactive visual and performing arts curricula supplemented with trips to venues such as The Metropolitan Opera and Carnegie Hall.

2022-24 community partners

NYJL's community partners work on the frontlines everyday, taking on the issues central to NYJL's mission while giving its volunteers the space to identify gaps and provide programs that meet clients' needs. Thanks to these valuable relationships, the NYJL can provide consistent support to women and children throughout the year and often, over many years.

- Covenant House
- Good Shepherd Services
- Grosvenor Neighborhood House YMCA
- Jewish Home Lifecare
- Leake & Watts
- Mentoring USA
- New York City Department of Parks and Recreation
- New York Presbyterian Hospital
- New York Presbyterian Hospital's Domestic & Other Violence Emergencies (DOVE)
- New York State Mentoring Program
- P.S. 64
- Single Parent Resource Center
- Stanley M. Isaacs Neighborhood Center
- Supportive Children's Advocacy Network (SCAN)
- The Boys & Girls Harbor

Photos on opposite page (clockwise from left): Personal Advancement Leadership Career Day, Apr. 13, 2024; Playground Improvement Project committee at the PIP Ribbon Cutting, Jun. 8, 2024; Executive Director of Lantern, Diane Louard-Michel with Serra Ekin at the Lantern Community Services Ribbon Cutting, Dec. 13, 2022; Raven Carter at the PIP Board Park Day at Columbus Park, Apr. 28, 2024



Volunteer Spotlight

Blythe Winchester Brock

Each year since 2020, Blythe Winchester Brock has mailed a book to a New York City boy on his birthday. It's the continuation of a tradition that began when Blythe sent a Big Ben LEGO set and a book about London to commemorate their study of the British capital during a Passport to the World program.

The young man was Blythe's mentee for six years while she led the Passport to the World and Artistic Journeys committees. For more than a decade, Blythe, a former advertising and marketing executive, has spent every week educating, nurturing and inspiring children as an NYJL volunteer. Some of her artistic efforts included having students crawl under tables to paint upside down to mimic Michelangelo painting the Sistine Chapel. She also prepared lessons on Picasso, Ming vases, cave painting, Impressionism and more for Project Muse.

"Participating in the New York Junior League's legacy of service has brought so much pride and joy to my life," Blythe said. "Being a NYJL volunteer has given me so much more in return than anything I could have possibly given to others."

Photos above: Blythe Winchester Brock at the 2023 Outstanding Volunteer & Sustainer Announcement Soiree and with Serra Ekin at the Winter Ball 2023





We respect individuals.

The New York Junior League cultivates long-term partnerships with a broad range of community organizations that share our passion for improving the New York City community.

“ **OUR ABILITY TO SUPPORT RECENT IMMIGRANTS IN NEW YORK CITY CAN ONLY SUCCEED THROUGH A JOINT AND SUSTAINED EFFORT.** At every step of the way, the volunteers of the New York Junior League have been hands on. You have served turkey and pumpkin pie at our annual immigrant Thanksgiving celebration. You volunteered at our national Shakespeare competition for high school students. You have led informative job readiness workshops to prepare immigrants for success in navigating the U.S. workplace.

The women of the New York Junior League have shown us the power of volunteerism. You have been unwavering in your support and commitment to our mission. You have given graciously of your time and talents. You have shown empathy and cultural humility.

In the process you have gained the trust of our students. There is no doubt you have had a lasting impact on the individuals and communities we serve.



—Rona Weitz, director of immigrant programs, English-Speaking Union

Community partner spotlight: English-Speaking Union

A longtime New York Junior League community partner, the English-Speaking Union strives to improve the lives of vulnerable and underserved communities in New York City.

Its programs include **English in Action**, which helps newcomers to the U.S. master conversational English by matching them with volunteer tutors for weekly practice sessions. The program also fosters global understanding and cross-cultural exchange. In addition, the English-Speaking Union runs a center for new immigrants. This free program helps immigrants gain the skills, knowledge and tools they need to build successful lives in the U.S., and more than 250 immigrants from 60 countries are welcomed each year.

The NYJL **Steps to Success** committee has played a key role in helping the English-Speaking Union fulfill its mission to support new immigrants. Over the years, NYJL volunteers have led workshops on resume review, elevator pitches, mock interview practice sessions and how to create a winning LinkedIn profile. NYJL volunteers also host an annual networking night each spring at Astor House so students can practice networking skills, boost their confidence and meet working professionals from a wide range of fields. These efforts have given hundreds of immigrant job seekers in the program the knowledge, resources and confidence to find meaningful work in the U.S.

The NYJL **Cooking and Health Education for Families (CHEF)** committee volunteers have offered interactive workshops on health and nutrition, budgeting, paying for college, communicating with healthcare professionals and managing stress. NYJL volunteers from the **Community Improvement Project** organized a highly successful career panel that helped clients explore career opportunities in different sectors and make connections with experienced working professionals.



CHEF committee members at Covenant House, Nov. 9, 2023



Clockwise from left:
Noreen Okarter at the Leadership Development Bootcamp, Oct. 3, 2023; Co-Chair Training, Sep. 12, 2023; Provisional Training NYJL 101, Mar. 7, 2024



Who We Are 

We promote opportunity.

We are committed to helping each other achieve our potential. We foster a supportive and motivating environment that enables continuous learning, encourages mentoring, and develops future leaders.

Training programs

Training women to become community leaders has been in our DNA since 1901. Today, our volunteers — and the general public — learn through a variety of innovative, hands-on training programs.

VOLUNTEER EDUCATION AND TRAINING

NYJL's Volunteer Education and Training program offers hands-

on workshops, expert panels, committee assignments, and leadership positions that focus on timely community issues and practical skills for managing a nonprofit organization. These trainings concentrate on four core areas: community, fundraising, volunteer experience, and strategy and communications.

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

NYJL's Leadership Development program prepares NYJL volunteers for current and future leadership positions at the NYJL, at other nonprofit organizations and in the community. Volunteers gain a deeper expertise in important community issues as well as skills in strategic planning, project management, nonprofit operations, public speaking, and communications strategy.

NONPROFIT EDUCATION AND TRAINING

The NYJL works in partnership with community-based organizations—working side-by-side with a diverse range of New York City's small to mid-size nonprofit and community-based organizations. In addition to working with community organizations on a programmatic level, we educate NYJL volunteers on the requirements and opportunities for serving on nonprofit boards.

Volunteer Spotlight

Mona Kelly Lopez

More than 15 years ago, Outstanding Volunteer Mona Kelly Lopez joined the New York Junior League hoping to meet like-minded women interested in serving their communities. It didn't take long for her to become a leader in the organization and in the community.

Mona worked to train newer members for leadership roles, excelling at connecting them to opportunities and placing them in positions where they'd thrive. Her experience as co-chair of the Volunteer and Education Training Committee also changed the trajectory of her professional career, as she chose

to explore opportunities where she could provide training and education for volunteers. In 2022, she accomplished that goal by becoming operations manager for the Single Parent Resource Center, an NYJL community partner.

"The NYJL created a space for me to learn and grow," Mona said. "We are first and foremost a training organization, and I know I've personally benefited from the training I've received."



Mona Kelly Lopez; Claire Mungiguerra and Mona Kelly Lopez

Volunteer Spotlight

Moriah Lutz-Tveite

In the emergency room of New York-Presbyterian Hospital, Moriah Lutz-Tveite often uses her voice to help others obtain justice. From 2017-21, Moriah served on the Crisis Intervention Committee, becoming an on-call victim advocate with the hospital's DOVE (Domestic and Other Violent Emergencies) program. She's continued her work as a victim advocate, helping survivors of intimate partner violence and sexual violence.

Pictured above: Moriah Lutz-Tveite; Moriah Lutz-Tveite and Jeri Powell

When the NYJL launched the Social Equity Committee in 2021-22, Moriah became one of the founding co-chairs. In 2022-23, Moriah served as Social Action and Advocacy Council Head and a member of the DEI and Community Advisory Council work groups, allowing her to continue promoting the Social Equity Committee's growth. Her role also supported the work of Advocates for Public Policy.

"I'm naturally comfortable pushing for change and jumping in where needed, but the NYJL taught me to work within an organization with established best practices and procedures," Moriah said. "I'm excited about our future as we continue to diversify our membership and leadership and expand training opportunities and community engagement to meet the needs of NYC and beyond."

Who We Are: We promote opportunity continued

Advocacy for women and children

The NYJL has been on the forefront of some of the city's most defining moments: civil rights movements, political reforms, cultural evolution, technological transformation, and the ongoing crusade to realize equity in health care, education, economic stability, and political voice. Our 2022-24 efforts included:

→ Hosting an in person legislative breakfast in January 2023 that focused on mental health care needs with Congresswoman **Carolyn Maloney** as keynote speaker. The event included representatives from the NYC mayor's office, city council members, and community partner leaders from WIN, Covenant House, Good Shepherd Services, Bowery Mission, Xavier Mission, and Avenues for Justice.

→ Throughout the year, the League supported the passage of ending the "Voluntary Intoxication" Defense for Sex Crimes with sponsorship from **Senator Nathalia Fernandez**.

→ At the federal level, NYJL has advocated for the **Michelle Alyssa Go Act**, a bill that would repeal the Medicaid institutions for mental disease exclusion, opening up additional in-patient beds for adults experiencing a mental health crisis. The act received support from Congresswoman Carolyn Maloney, Congressman Dan Goldman, Congressman Jerry Nadler, representatives from the National Alliance on Mental Illness of New York City, the Treatment Advocacy Center, and city councilmembers Erik Bottcher, Carlina Rivera, and Keith Powers.



Carolyn Maloney



Left to right: The Advocates for Public Policy committee members at the Legislative Breakfast, Oct. 23, 2024; The Michelle Alyssa Go Act Press Announcement, May 21, 2022

Who We Are



We act responsibly.

Funding our mission

The New York Junior League hosts events throughout the year to generate the vital dollars necessary to support our community engagement. Completely volunteer-led, these events provide opportunities for volunteers to develop new skills in nonprofit fundraising and project management. Along with the generous donations from individuals and sponsors, our fundraisers help us achieve our mission to improve the lives of women and children in New York City.

ASTOR HOUSE EVENTS

Astor House events celebrate the seasons at the Astor House with a fall homecoming, a winter après ski event and a spring end-of-year celebration. These events are affordable and accessible to all members, and provide an opportunity to introduce friends and family to the Astor House.

HOUSE TOURS

NYJL's self-guided House Tours showcase the city's most interesting and exquisite private homes, highlighting architecture, design, art, history and interior design.

GOLDEN TREE

During the holiday season, NYJL's Astor House hosts Golden Tree, a three-day holiday shopping and entertainment event. Vendors give 20% of all sales back to the NYJL.



Winter Ball,
Feb. 24, 2023

SAVOR THE SPRING

Savor the Spring is an evening of sommelier-led wine tastings and perfectly curated hors d'oeuvres. Bringing together volunteers, family and friends, this event provides critical funds for our community projects and our women volunteers who dedicate themselves to improving communities in New York City.

TEAM NYJL

Every November, NYJL volunteers and their friends lace up their sneakers and run the TCS New York City Marathon to raise funds for the NYJL's community programs.

WINTER BALL

Since 1952, the Winter Ball has presented NYJL's highest honors to seven volunteers who've demonstrated exceptional commitment to volunteerism and the community. This signature event has long been one of the biggest social events on the city's winter calendar.

Volunteer Spotlight

Liz Beller Staryak

As chair of the Building Work Group, **Liz Beller Staryak** led efforts to implement upgrades and create ongoing maintenance plan for the beloved Astor House. On the fundraising side, she turned her love for distance running into another opportunity to help the League, twice running on behalf of Team NYJL.

"The experience has enabled me to embrace the various aspects of the Junior League that I love most: meeting fantastic women across the organization, fundraising to further the mission of the NYJL, and running through New York City. The love and support that I feel as I run the 26.2 miles throughout the course is illustrative of my experience volunteering for the NYJL. We are a community of women who support each other at their highs and their lows."



Liz Beller
Staryak
NYJL's

Megan Claire Zuckerman

The Winter Ball has been among the hottest tickets in town in recent years, garnering media coverage in premier publications like *WWD*, attracting corporate supporters including Tiffany & Co., and breaking historic attendance records.

The Winter Ball is having its moment, and that's no accident. In December 2020, NYJL volunteer **Megan Claire Zuckerman** used her knowledge as a marketing professional and extensive media connections to promote the League's fundraising events and community initiatives to a bigger audience. Zuckerman's NYJL peers praised her for "elevating our fundraising area to the next level."



Megan Claire
Zuckerman

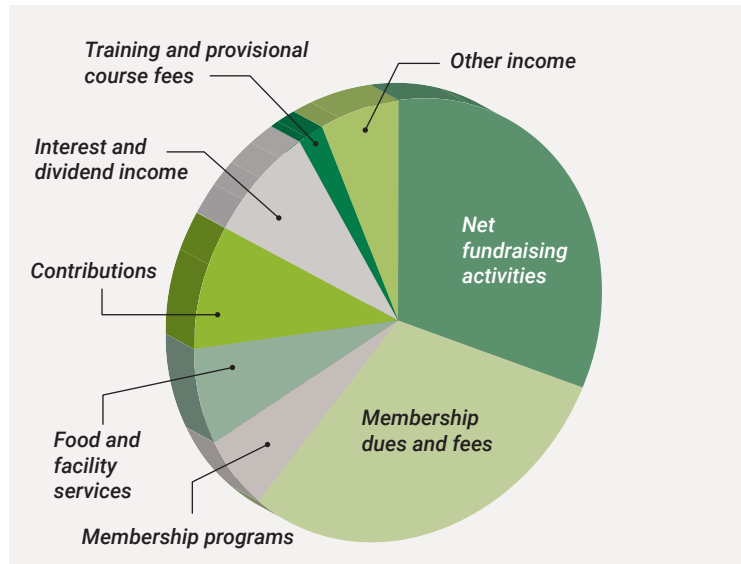


Financials

FY23

Revenue

Net fundraising activities	\$992,077 (32%)
Membership dues and fees	\$921,925 (30%)
Membership programs	\$180,104 (6%)
Food and facility services	\$228,644 (7%)
Contributions	\$270,904 (9%)
Interest and dividend income	\$258,184 (8%)
Training and provisional course fees	\$67,275 (2%)
Other income	\$186,963 (6%)
TOTAL REVENUE	\$3,106,076



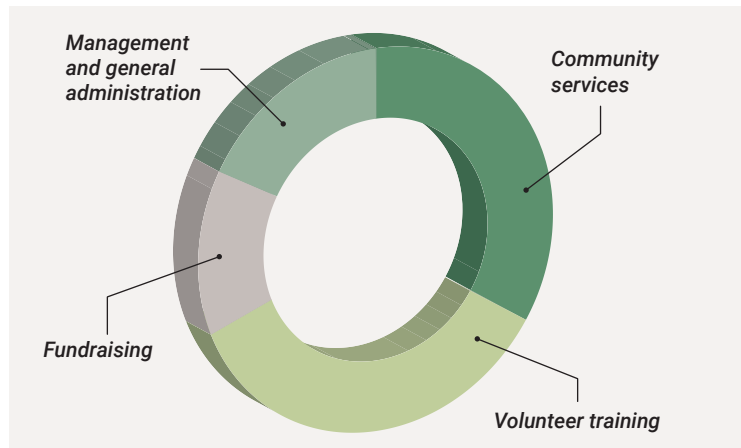
Expenses

PROGRAM SERVICES

Community services	\$985,461 (34%)
Volunteer training	\$1,007,817 (35%)

SUPPORTING SERVICES

Fundraising	\$414,028 (14%)
Management and general administration	\$499,715 (17%)
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$2,907,021

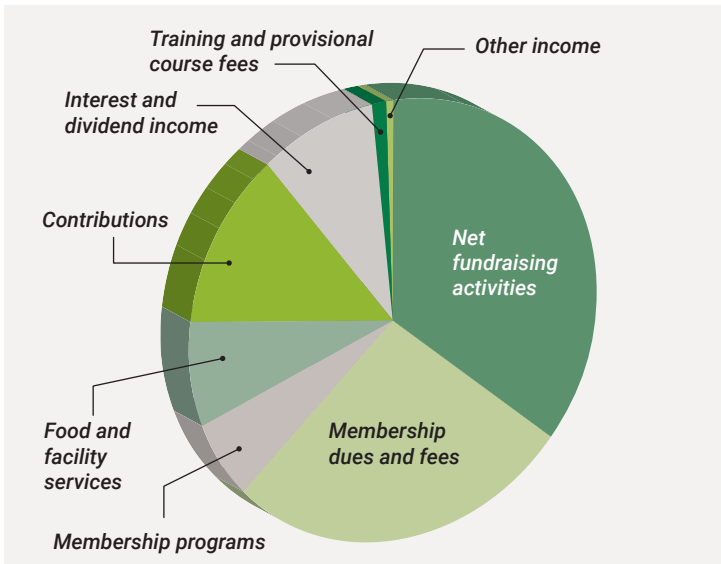




FY24

Revenue

Net fundraising activities	\$1,291,117 (36%)
Membership dues and fees	\$982,829 (27%)
Membership programs	\$220,463 (6%)
Food and facility services	\$276,479 (8%)
Contributions	\$449,205 (13%)
Interest and dividend income	\$318,825 (9%)
Training and provisional course fees	\$43,500 (1%)
Other income	\$10,700 (<1%)
TOTAL REVENUE	\$3,593,118



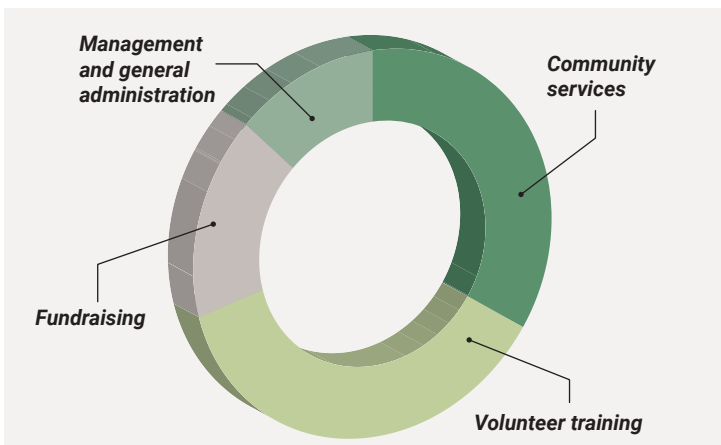
Expenses

PROGRAM SERVICES

Community services	\$1,186,930 (41%)
Volunteer training	\$1,280,948 (44%)

SUPPORTING SERVICES

Fundraising	\$567,631 (20%)
Management and general administration	\$431,542 (15%)
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$3,467,051





Donor recognition

We appreciate your support.

Thank you to our generous sponsors and donors who enable the NYJL to continue working on our mission to support our city's women, children and families.

The 1901 Society

The 1901 Society is the highest level of giving within the First League Fund program. Participation in the 1901 Society helps foster the growth and sustainability of the New York Junior League through generous contributions to the First League Fund that enable continued investment in our mission, further development of our membership, stewardship of our headquarters, and delivery of our services to the most vulnerable individuals in our community.

Thank you to the following 1901 Society members for generously contributing to the First League Fund at the highest donor level from 2020-2024.



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Harriman
c. 1901*

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Maggie Beller
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Serra E. Eken
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Kristin Flattmann
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Betsy Smith & John Barrie
Leah Wenger



First League Fund

Contributing to the NYJL provides essential, unrestricted funds to sustain NYJL's community work, headquarters, leadership training, and our ability to adapt our programming to the ever-evolving pandemic and socioeconomic crisis. Generous donations of any size advance our mission.

We recognize the support of our volunteers and supporters who have donated to the First League Fund from 2020-2024.

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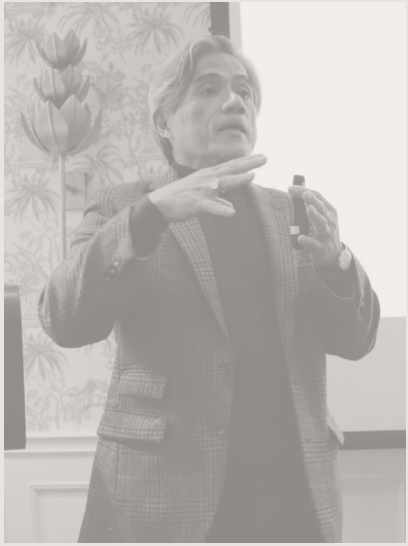
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