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Junior League DeKalb to Host Prospective Member Open House, July 27

The Junior League of DeKalb County, Inc. (JLD) will hold a prospective member open house on Sunday, July 27, 2014, from 3-5 P.M. at its league headquarters, the historical Mary Gay House, located at 716 W. Trinity Place in downtown Decatur. This information session will provide potential new members with an opportunity to meet current members as well as ask questions about the organization. A short program will begin at 3:30 P.M. elaborating on JLD's mission to develop the potential of its members in terms of leadership, learning new skills, and community service. Attendees will also have the opportunity to learn about the history of JLD, as it celebrates its 80th Anniversary this year.

For details about the open house and to learn more about the Junior League of DeKalb County, Inc., visit our website at www.jldekalb.org, or contact Kelli Gress, Membership Development Chair, at kelli_gress@yahoo.com or 812-630-0307. You may also find us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Junior-League-of-DeKalb-County-Inc> and on Twitter at @JLDeKalb.

About the Junior League of DeKalb County, Inc.

The Junior League of DeKalb County, Inc. (JLD) is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women, and improving communities through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. JLD members direct their volunteer efforts to the current community impact focus area, *Improving Nutrition and Combating Obesity in DeKalb County*, through hands-on

volunteer activities, as well as collaborative efforts with other community organizations. Additionally, JLD provides a supportive environment for training tomorrow's female community leaders while enabling our members to forge lasting friendships.

The Junior League reaches out to women of all races, religions and national origins who have reached the age of 21 and who demonstrate an interest in, and a commitment to, volunteerism.

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