



## **JUNIOR LEAGUE OF SCHENECTADY AND SARATOGA COUNTIES ACCOMPLISHMENTS 2010-2011**

**Operation Back-to-School** – Now in its 8<sup>th</sup> year, providing school supplies to elementary children in need. Since its inception, we have provided more than 8,000 students with school supplies.

**Habit for Humanity** – Throughout the year, many of our members volunteered with Habit to not only help build houses but also provided many other volunteers with lunch.

**Ellis Hospital Partnership** – Held a supply drive for the Sexual Assault Nurses Exam (SANE) Room which included personal hygiene and clothing items.

**Provisional Class Projects** – New JLSS members provide services to Cheryl's Lodge of Captain of Saratoga County and the Bethesda House located in Schenectady.

**City Mission** – For the past 2 years, a single sustaining Junior Leaguer has coordinated the monthly baking and delivery of desserts to the Mission .

**Mom's Group** – this year our membership committee created several family friendly group activities to encourage members to include their families in volunteering.

**Kids in the Kitchen** – Now in its 6th year, JLSS members created a first of its kind partnership with Schenectady Community College's Culinary program to break the cycle of childhood obesity with an expanded program to highlight nutritional education and foster interest in culinary arts as a career.

**JLSS Holiday Bazaar & Fashion Show** - A new and existing fundraising event showcasing local artisans and merchants.

**Done-in-a-Day Activities** – This year JLSS members provided grants to Schenectady County Community College, Schenectady Inner City Mission and the Domestic Violence and Race Crises services of Saratoga County. We assisted the Glendale Nursing Home with their Spring celebration.