

General Meeting

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Poinsettia Sale!!!

Hey friends, just a reminder to run out and **SELL THOSE POINSETTIAS!** So far, we've received just a few orders. We know it's early, but don't get caught on the first of November scrambling for orders. Remember, actives must sell **AT LEAST \$150** and provisionals have a sales requirement of \$100. We will sign up to work poinsettia pick-up/delivery shifts at the October General Meeting - and if you sell **AT LEAST \$750** by the November meeting, you will be **EXEMPT** from your shift requirement! You can do this - remember WHY we are doing it! Actives and provisionals will be receiving regular emails from JJ with tips and tricks for sales and updates. Please don't hesitate to call or email JJ or Holly with any questions!

JJ: jenniferjoywalker@gmail.com

Holly: holly.amerman@gmail.com

Chiaha Harvest Fair

Although this year's Chiaha Harvest Fair is not a service project, all are welcome to join in! We will provide marble art for the children's craft again this year, but we will add golf balls to the marbles. The dates for Chiaha are Saturday and Sunday, October 23rd & 24th from 10am to 5pm. Be sure to wear your green JSL shirt. We need a few men to assist with setting up the tent on Friday evening (please contact Jessica at jessicalcarney@yahoo.com).

See you there!



New Website!

See our new website at
www.jslofrome.com!

Many thanks to Keith Beauchamp for the design and development.

Please send changes, updates or documents for this site to Julie Lucas: juliewlucas@gmail.com

Send photos to Beth Hood:
cbhood@comcast.net.



President's Letter

Hello Friends! Fall is here and our annual poinsettia sale is underway! Our poinsettia chairs, J.J. Walker and Holly Amerman, have been working this summer to make our sale a success. There are several important changes this year. First, buyers are now able to pay for their orders online using a credit or debit card via our new website at www.jslofrome.com. If you would like to use this new feature, simply click the "Poinsettias" page on the website and click the link to use a credit/debit card. Next, our pickup dates and place have changed from previous years. This year pick up dates are Friday, December 2nd, and Saturday, December 3rd. Our new pick up location is Westminster Presbyterian Church on Shorter Ave. As always, our plants are grown by Dixie Green growers. Dixie Green also supplies poinsettias for Disney World and Sea World. Our proceeds will continue to support our school supply project, Chieftains Museum, and several other local organizations.

On a personal note, I'd like to thank everyone for their well wishes and prayers as our family welcomed our twins, Macy and Henry, on September 15. We feel blessed that everyone is happy and healthy. *Stephanie*

FOLLIES 2011

What can we do now?

Ads

If you own a business or know of a business that would like to support the Open Door Home by purchasing an ad, please let a member of the committee know as soon as possible! In light of this year's theme, we are also providing the opportunity for individuals or businesses to pay tribute to our soldiers. You may purchase an ad in honor or memory of a special soldier or veteran. We will also have a tribute page that lists your name in honor or memory of a soldier for \$25. Please email Melissa Hickman at mhickman@shorter.edu for more info.

Photos

You can also help us celebrate our 40th Follies by submitting any photographs you have of past Follies for use in 2011. We are seeking pictures from any and all Follies, whether from the first Follies in 1940 or from the most recent Follies. The more images we have, the better we will be able to represent our long-standing Follies tradition.

We would rather not be responsible for your original treasures, asking that you scan and email your photos to jslrome@gmail.com if at all possible. If this does not work for you, please feel free to mail your photographs (preferably copies) to JSL of Rome, PO Box 1003,

**Members will order Follies shirts
at the Oct 19 General Meeting
(please bring your checkbooks!)**



Provisional Spotlight

Sarah Husser

Sarah has lived in Rome just over a year and a half. Quite the traveler, she has visited 20 states and 7 countries, her favorite spot being Majorica, Spain. When in Rome, Sarah loves to eat at the Honeymoon Bakery.



Kate Barron

Kate lives by "Work hard, Play hard." She dreams of working on the Travel Channel and is already on her way as she's visited 42 states and 18 countries, including Kenya and the region of Patagonia!



Genise Sturdivant

Genise has lived in Rome 26+ years. She has a brother and a sister and enjoys Blue Fin. Friends describe her as loyal—an important trait in doing her dream job, event planning. She has enjoyed visiting Las Vegas.



Elizabeth Ogletree

Elizabeth has lived in Rome for 29 years. Also an experienced traveler, she has visited 15 countries and really enjoyed her time in Prague. She dreams of researching gardens throughout Europe, then creating similar designs here at home.



Sustainer Spotlight

Dr. Pam Rogers is a Rome native. She has two daughters, Elizabeth and Mary. She also has two granddaughters, Sophie and Marilyn.

Pam enjoyed recalling her JSL years. She was involved in helping with the Attic Sale, testing recipes for the League cookbook and working backstage applying makeup at the Follies. She was very involved in promoting the Chieftains Museum. She especially loved helping at the museum because her husband was a direct descendent of former occupants and other Cherokee leaders. One of her favorite memories was volunteering as a docent for the Museum and telling stories about the Myra H riverboat.

Before opening The Herb Shop, which is located on Broad Street in downtown Rome, Pam was an elementary school teacher. Her business has been in the same location for 22 years. She is a board certified naturopathic physician, master of holistic healing, and master herbalist. She does consultations on site and distance via phone and Internet. She also volunteers her time to the Little Heroes Foundation, which gives nutrition to children in Third World countries, and to the Health Freedom Foundation.



Sustainers: Please join us for the Sustainer Coffee October 17th, 2-4pm at the Ridgeferry Starbucks.

Membership News

- Congratulations to Stephanie Lewis as she welcomed Macy Elaine and Henry Lynn Sept 15th. The babies were 7lbs. 2oz and 19 and 20 inches long.
- Karen Smith (Sustainer) welcomed baby girl Sage Eleanor on September 25th.
- Bridget Moore married Jarrett Gray on October 2nd.
Congratulations to All!

The School Supply Project has a new location! We are moving to our new site in the Garden Lakes Realty Building at 2400B Garden Lakes Blvd.

This space has been donated by Josh Tullis of Garden Lakes Development Co.

Fall Provisional Workdays: October 16 & 17 10am-1pm and 1pm-4pm

November 13 & 14 10am-1pm and 1pm-4pm

We will not have a general meeting before the October workdays. Please email Robin Gardner (rhungrygator@comcast.net) to sign up for shifts.

***Provisionals are required to work one 3-hour shift**.*

Special thanks to Sustainer Millie Sirmans and her husband Winston, who also offered space for school supplies project use!

REDBOOKS have been distributed to members. Sustainers will receive their Rebooks at the Oct 17th coffee. Directory changes should be sent to Tashia Twyman at tntwyman@hotmail.com.



Be sure to order your **JSL SHIRTS AND JACKETS** from Lands End, or via the Members Only page of our website.

2010-2011 League Highlights

- Oct 17 Sustainer Coffee, 2-4pm at Starbucks
- Oct 19 General Meeting, Coosa Country Club
- Oct 23-24 Chiaha Harvest Fair, Ridge Ferry Park
- Nov 1 Board Meeting, Chieftans
- Nov 16 General Meeting, Open Door Home
- Dec 1-4 Poinsettia Delivery and Pick-Up, Westminster Pres.
- Dec 6 Christmas Party, Lewis Residence
- Jan 3 Board Meeting, Chieftans
- Jan 11 General Meeting, Coosa Country Club
- Jan 13 Chieftans Membership Party
- Jan 15 Follies Kick-Off Party, Tillman Hanger
- Jan 17 Follies practices begin
- Feb 4-5 Follies shows!!!



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