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***THE JUNIOR LEAGUE OF OAKLAND-EAST BAY, INC.***  
***WELCOMES 2008-2009 NEW MEMBER CLASS***

***The JLOEB welcomes 50 New Members***

**LAFAYETTE, CA—October 14, 2008**—Recognized in the East Bay for over 73 years as an organization that promotes voluntarism in women and creative community service projects, the Junior League of Oakland-East Bay, Inc. (JLOEB) welcomes 50 new members this year.

"Our committee is very pleased with the newest members to the Junior League of Oakland-East Bay. We have no doubt that many of these women will sit among our future leaders and are very excited to usher them into our league," New Member chair Carly Helgeson said. The New Member committee hosted three Wine and Cheese Socials and New Member orientation and social that attracted prospective new members. The events put on by the New Member committee were well attended and 50 women became New Members of the League. As it was with last year's Provisional class, this year's class will be organizing JLOEB's spring Kids in the Kitchen event.

New Members include Pamela Anderson, Leah Ackerman, Elizabeth Bain, Janet Branigan, Leslie Castro, Taryn Clancy, Amanda Clare, Tiffany Copland, Leigh Corrigan, Veronica Corpuz, Leslie Crouch, Karis Crosby, Sophia de Bruyn, Amy Dickinson, Ashley Dicksa, Mariane Disessa, Jascenth Edwards, Renee Eisen, Katie Fahy, Carrie Finley Shores, Jacquie Hamann, Melissa Hanning, Aretha Harvy, Valerie Hodosi, Mollye Hooper, Lauren Inman, Julia Johnson, Tabitha Kahn, Lee Kapland, Dominique Kohl, Erene Kuvetakis, Ella Lam, Suzanne Lazarus, Danielle Lederman, Jennifer LeGardeur, Clarine Lim Hardesty, Alisa Lipzen, Jennifer Metas, Jennifer Nelson, Katie Owensby, Anne Perkins, Danielle Ritter, Jeannie Rogers, Jaime Schaal, Melissa Simpson, Ingrid Staley, Erin Strahan, Kame Woo, Jessica Walker, and Karla Zavaleta.

**Women Building Better Communities**

Founded in 1935, the Junior League of Oakland-East Bay, Inc. 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. The JLOEB offers women the opportunity to implement change in the community in three major ways: projects, grants, and outreach. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable. To learn more, support League projects and/or become a member, please visit <http://www.jloeb.org>.

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