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NCJWSTL staff at Old Newsboys 2021

2021-2022 EXECUTIVE TEAM

Gail Eisenkramer, *President*
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 Karen Silverman, *Secretary*
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 Amanda Stein, *VP Community Service*
 Susan Dertke Hendin, *VP Development*
 Sue Lapp, *VP Leadership*
 Lisa Gubernik, *VP Membership*
 Susan Katzman, *Immediate Past President*



Sisters Act! Co-Chairs at the Committee kick-off event, October 2021

2021-2022 BOARD MEMBERS

Barbara Barnholtz	Beth Kodner
Chris Bomze	Joyce Kolker
Dianna Fine	Phyllis Langsdorf
Melissa Forrester	Debbie Matson
Alison Fox	Emily Morgan
Cindy Frank	Marilen Pitler
Nicole Gorovsky	Jane Tzinberg Rubin
Amy Hammerman	Jennifer Scissors
State Policy Advocacy Chair (SPA)	Karen Tabak
Allison Izsak	Peggy Cohen Voss
Felice Joyce	Georgee Waldman



The Resale Shop staff and volunteers at Couturier 2021

NCJWSTL STAFF

Ellen Alper, *Chief Executive Officer*
 Jen Bernstein, *Advocacy Manager*
 Teri Brandvein, *KCC Program Assistant*
 Yolonda Curtin, *Marketing Manager - Retail*
 Lisa Gjerswald, *Director of Operations & Administration*
 Jessa Glick, *Director of Development & Marketing*
 Heather Libhart, *Marketing Manager - Section*
 Marci Ranger, *Director of Community Service*
 Vicki Rios, *Data & Finance Administrative Assistant*
 Heather Silverman, *Director of Policy & Evaluation*
 Brooke Wallace, *Development & Membership Associate*
 Terrell Wooten, *Building Operations*

RESALE SHOP STAFF

Jessica Duneman, *Director of Retail Operations*
 Miranda Dereak, *Sales Associate*
 Susan Fisher, *Sales Associate*
 Lisa Graham, *Assistant Donation Center Manager*
 Rachel Horwitz, *Assistant Shop Manager*
 Peggy Levin, *Shop Manager*
 Patsy Lineback, *Sales Lead*
 Karen Rieger, *Donation Center Manager*
 Cathy Smith, *Ecommerce Specialist*
 Meg Ullman, *Inventory Manager*
 Pat Villery, *Sales Lead*
 Connie Williams, *Sales Associate*



2021 Leadership Class attendees



MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT FEBRUARY 2022

YOU GOTTA HAVE HEART

February is Heart month - both the organ in your chest as well as Valentine's Day hearts that we use to show our love and affection to someone. My thoughts turn to those close to our NCJWSTL family and the love in their hearts:

- ♥ To the BTSS child when they receive a backpack full of school supplies, books, and winter gear.
- ♥ To the Healing Hearts Bank loan recipient when they receive a microlending loan from us and repay it in a timely fashion while helping build their credit.
- ♥ To the child that goes to school and needs a change of clothes during class and can obtain what they need from a Kids Community Closet.
- ♥ To the widow attending a session of Wife, Widow, Woman who feels the love and support of her peers, knowing she isn't alone in her journey.
- ♥ To our members and friends that tune in for Coffee Talk with SnL or Lunch & Learns to stay connected and learn more about our advocacy work.
- ♥ To our shoppers who come to the Resale Shop, loving the clothes and merchandise at bargain prices while supporting the NCJWSTL mission.
- ♥ To our shop donors who know that their donations make a difference to the lives of women, children, and families.
- ♥ To the members and volunteers who love and believe in our mission, inspired by Jewish values to advance social and economic justice for all women, children, and families, and the work we do each day, each month, and each year for over 125 years.



Sending our love and appreciation to ALL of you from the NCJWSTL Board and Staff.

We hope you will join us on Wednesday, April 27, 2022, at the Ritz-Carlton for our biggest fundraiser of the year, Sisters Act!

Our guest speaker is Kathy Najimy, activist and actor, who has been honored for her work for women and girls' rights and self-esteem, reproductive rights, and student rights. It promises to be a day of fun and food - I hope we can count on your attendance and support. My thanks to the Sisters Act! Co-Chairs led by Marlene Hammerman, along with Darien Arnstein, Barbara Barnholtz, Nanci Bobrow, Jennifer Deutsch, Sherri Goldman, Lisa Gubernik, Susan Katzman, Phyllis Langsdorf, Marilyn Ratkin, Susan Witte, the Sisters Act! Committee, and staff, Jessa Glick, Director of Development & Marketing, and Brooke Wallace, Development & Membership Associate, for all their hard work and dedication.

It is time for Section Awards Nominations! The honorees will be recognized at Board Installation on Thursday, May 26, 2022. The categories are Community Service, Emerging Leader, Fritz L. Linnoff Advocacy, Leadership, and Volunteer Service. If there is someone you would like to nominate for one of these awards, please email Marilyn Ratkin (mratkin@aol.com) or Heather Libhart (hlibhart@ncjwstl.org) with their information by February 25, 2022.

In closing, I hope you feel the warmth and love I share with you and with NCJWSTL. May we be wrapped in a Community Tallis to stay safe, warm, and healthy.

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Many of NCJWSTL's core issues are in the news. Therefore, keeping our members up-to-date on the details through our Advocacy in Action Lunch & Learn series is a top priority. Lunch & Learn programs take place on Zoom on the third Thursday of each month from 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM CT. The link to attend will be provided upon registering online at ncjwstl.org. There is no cost to attend.

UPCOMING SESSIONS

FEBRUARY 17, 2022

Immigration

MARCH 24, 2022 (4TH THURSDAY)

Reproductive Justice

APRIL 21, 2022

Crime Victim Advocacy/Child Abuse

MAY 19, 2022

Racial Justice

SIGN UP FOR 5 WAYS TO ADVOCATE EMAILS



Do you want to stay up to date with what you can do to advocate on behalf of women, children, and families? Sign up to receive our weekly 5 Ways to Advocate newsletter to learn how you can take action with NCJWSTL. To receive 5 Ways to Advocate in your inbox every Monday morning, email Jen Bernstein at jbernstein@ncjwstl.org or call the office at 314.993.5181.

2022 MISSOURI LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The 2022 Missouri Legislative session kicked off on January 5th. NCJWSTL has already been a consistent presence in the capitol as advocates for our priority issues concerning women, children, and families.

Although we anticipate several fights against harmful bills, our Annual Contraception legislation has been filed and has garnered bipartisan support! For those not familiar, NCJWSTL has been championing legislation that would provide an annual supply of an uninterrupted contraception prescription for several years. We have a good feeling that this year might finally be the year.



Why is this legislation so important? Timely and consistent access to affordable birth control is critical for ensuring that women can accurately and consistently use the birth control that meets their needs. One of the most successful, proven methods to increase birth control continuation and avoid unintended pregnancies is increasing the supply of contraceptives provided with a 12-month prescription. We encourage you to contact your legislators to support annual contraception access.

There have already been several bills filed attacking reproductive rights, vaccine and mask mandates, education equity, LGBTQ+ rights, and separation of religion and state. NCJWSTL will be in Jefferson City testifying against any harmful bill, and we need your support.

If you would like more information on our legislative efforts or to get involved, please contact Jen Bernstein at jbernstein@ncjwstl.org.

(Left) Jen Bernstein, Advocacy Manager; Heather Silverman, Director of Policy & Evaluation, and Amy Kuo Hammerman, SPA, at a Reproductive Rights Rally

LEADERSHIP

Sue Lapp
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BOARD & STAFF RETREAT

Bubble wrap, bubble gum, bubble blowing wands, and champagne set the theme for the recent Board and Staff Retreat, joyously in-person for the first time since 2019.

Sue Lapp, Vice President of Leadership, introduced the program with a Torah passage, *v'ahvta l'reiacha kamocha*, love your fellow (neighbor) as yourself. Attendees got to work exploring the positive impact of their personal bubbles of supportive friends, family, and colleagues. Focus then shifted to the importance of connecting with populations outside of those immediate bubbles, using principles from last year's Cultural Intelligence training to effectively bridge across differences. The book *Anti-Racist Ally* by Sophie Williams provided the basis for intensive small-group exploration of ways to view the Section's service and policy activities through a lens of diversity, equity, and inclusion. Racial Justice Committee Co-chairs Amy Hammerman and Sarah Martin shared the work of their committee and will be presenting recommendations in the coming months to move NCJWSTL's racial justice work forward.

"The goal of this year's retreat was to establish a foundation on which to build NCJWSTL's racial justice work. The theme, Expanding Our Bubbles, metaphorically helped us recognize that we all exist in our own bubbles and zones. These bubbles nurture and support us but are also transparent and allow us to see what exists in the world outside our circles. Expanding or breaking out of our bubbles will enable us to better implement the racial justice initiatives and improve our support of women, children, and families in our area," said Sue Lapp.

Thank you to Saul Mirowitz Jewish Community School for hosting the event!



(Left) Michelle Brooks, Treasurer, addresses the board and staff (Right) L to R: Cindy Frank, Jen Bernstein, Advocacy Manager, Phyllis Langsdorf, and Michelle Brooks, Treasurer

COMMUNITY SERVICE

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Wife Widow Woman thrives on the suggestions each of us makes to family, friends, and neighbors when we hear of a woman who has lost her life partner. The program is open to all local women regardless of religious affiliation. Under Linda Sher's coordination, the program offers support groups three times a year. These groups are led by a professional therapist and an alum of the program and have ten to twelve participants. The groups meet in person and can change to Zoom meetings when necessary. Contacting possible participants can be difficult so we ask that you please pass along the names and cell phone numbers of those we might reach out to by emailing their information to Marci Ranger at mranger@ncjwstl.org or calling the office at 314.993.5181.

SAVE THE DATE FOR OUR 2022 BACK TO SCHOOL! STORE - SUNDAY, JULY 31, 2022!

We are committed to providing 2,000 children throughout St. Louis City and County with backpacks, supplies, coats, and more! Planning is underway and maintaining everyone's safety is our highest priority. Stay tuned for details on how you can Sponsor a Child as well as the many volunteer opportunities that will be available before, during, and after the Back to School! Store.



(Left) Child showing off his brand new winter coat (Middle) Back to School! Store Chairs: (Clockwise from top left) Jennifer Scissors, Judy Grosz, Sarah Beth Matt, Chris Bomze, and Alissa Arst (Right) Children posing with their new backpacks

NCJW KIDSCOMMUNITYCLOSET

The NCJWSTL Kids Community Closet (KCC) Volunteer Liaisons were busy this Fall delivering more than 1,200 coats plus hats and gloves to our 28 KCCs serving 32 schools throughout St. Louis City and County.

(Left) Principal Staci Wadlington and Lead Custodian Brandon Epps at Berkeley Elementary School in Fergusson-Florissant School District (Right) Andy Shanker and Wendy Flusser, St. Louis Public Schools - Buder Elementary KCC Liaisons



HEALING HEARTS BANK

On October 5, 2021, The Healing Hearts Bank (HHB) volunteer bankers met at Venable Park in Creve Coeur to enjoy wine, appetizers, and great conversation amongst new and returning bankers. The HHB program is now in its 11th year and has provided more than 200 low-interest microloans to help women and families in our community. In November, we welcomed our 19th agency partner, The Hispanic Chamber of Commerce.



The Healing Hearts Bank (HHB) recognizes long-time banker and retired financial planner, Nina Needleman (pictured left) who generously donates her time and talent by providing financial literacy training to our HHB agency partners and borrowers. This past year, Nina created and taught a nine-topic women's empowerment series in partnership with the YWCA. The sessions included such topics as cash management & budgeting, money values & influence, consumer decision making & debt management, and an introduction to investing. The HHB is grateful for Nina's dedication and commitment to providing borrowers with the education and skills they need to meet their financial goals.

(Above Right) Front Row: Laura Newman, Gay Lipman, Dina Rinder, Marilyn Ratkin; Back Row: Margie Gold, Marcia King, Bonnie Davis, Randee Schmittiel, Patti Teper, Co-Chair, Arlene Baer, Co-Chair, Nina Needleman, Katie Silversmith



Sisters Act!

APRIL 27, 2022



RSVP HERE

SAVE THE DATE

NCJWSTL 125th Celebration

The Ritz-Carlton

11:30 am Luncheon

FEATURING ACTIVIST & ACTOR

KATHY NAJIMY



Visit bit.ly/SistersAct125 or scan the code with your phone camera to learn more, become a sponsor, and purchase tickets!

LEAVE YOUR LEGACY

Keep NCJWSTL Thriving

Planned giving can ensure that NCJWSTL will continue to receive your support in perpetuity and help us maintain our financial capacity and strength for the next 125 years!

Plan Ahead, Your Way

Please consider including NCJWSTL in your will or estate plan. It's a simple way to continue a lifetime of support for our mission. We can make it easy by providing language for you, your attorney and/or your estate planner. If you've already made a planned gift, be sure to let us know so we can add your name to our Legacy Circle. For more information, contact Jessa Glick, Director of Development & Marketing at 314.993.5181 or jglick@ncjwstl.org.



HAVE YOU MADE A LEGACY GIFT FOR NCJWSTL?

We're delighted to recognize and thank these individuals and families who are members of our Legacy Circle:

Darien & Stephen Arnstein, Lise & Lee Bernstein, Nanci & James Bobrow, Michelle & Gary Brooks, Gail & Charles Eisenkramer, Terry Duffy, Jane Goldberg*, Lisa & Mark Gubernik, Amy & Zach Hammerman, Marlene & Harley Hammerman, Terry* & Harvey* Hieken, David N. & Maureen M. Jordan, Betty Kagan, Karen Kalish, Toby* & Irvin* Katz, Susan Katzman, Lucy & David Levy, Sue Matlof, Sidney Martin*, Sophie Martin*, Wilma Messing*, Nina Needleman, Sherri & Steve Newstead, Marilyn & Gary Ratkin, Carolyn & Larry Satz, Bruce Shapiro & Liz Guthrie, Nancy Siteman, Ruth & Alvin Siteman, Lucie Watel, Rochelle Weiss, Susan & Alan Witte (**of blessed memory*)

MEMBERSHIP

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COFFEE TALK WITH SnL

You're invited to join us for our virtual monthly coffee talks hosted by NCJWSTL's Past President, Susan Katzman, and Vice President of Membership, Lisa Gubernik. We will be sipping our favorite morning beverage and enjoying each other's company while discussing light topics.

Each month we have a special guest! Previous guests have included actor Annie Potts, the Sklar Brothers, local news anchor Jasmine Huda, St. Louis lost restaurant and recipe enthusiast Dr. Harley Hammerman, and Pie in the Sky business owner Marcia Mermelstein.

Coffee Talk takes place on the fourth Tuesday of every month, 8:30 AM – 9:30 AM CT. Please register by visiting ncjwstl.org, calling the office at 314.993.5181, or emailing Brooke Wallace at bwallace@ncjwstl.org. Once you are registered, you will receive the Zoom link necessary to attend Coffee Talk with SnL.



NCJWSTL presents

Coffee Talk with SnL

- February 22, 2022
- March 22, 2022
- April 19, 2022 (3rd Tuesday)
- May 24, 2022

VIRTUAL EVENT

RENEW YOUR NCJWSTL MEMBERSHIP TODAY!

We're nearly halfway through our 2021-2022 membership year and we want you to be a part of it! With regular events and opportunities to meet, and multiple community service and advocacy programs and projects, there's always a way to connect with others and make an impact with NCJWSTL. Get involved with Community Service programs like the Back to School! Store, events like Coffee Talk or Sisters Act!, and/or having in-district meetings with decision makers - you know you're making a difference in the lives of women, children, and families in St. Louis - it all begins with a NCJWSTL membership. To join or renew, use our simple online form at ncjwstl.org or call Brooke Wallace at 314.993.5181.



(L to R) Lisa Gubernik, Andrea Newstead, Erica Holliam, Amanda Stein, Gail Eisenkramer

WE WELCOME THESE NEW MEMBERS*

Amy Bennett, Miriam Cherry, Linda Cohn, Ed Finkelstein, Barbara Glassman, Susan Glassman, Susan Kemppainen, Susan Keyes, Catherine Kolbeck, Yuka Kuo, Debbie Lefton, Alex Levine Clardy, Sylvia Manewith, Carol Davis McDonald, Joan Mennett, Marcia Mermelstein, Cindy Payant, Jennifer Rosenthal, Donna Rothenberg, Randi Schenberg, Joann Weiner

WE WELCOME THESE NEW LIFE MEMBERS*

Debbie Lefton, Yuka Kuo

IN LOVING MEMORY OF OUR NCJWSTL MEMBERS*

Rosalyn Borg, Audrey Friedman, Dorothy Rosenbloom

*as of December 14, 2021

NCJWSTL SECTION AWARDS

The St. Louis Section honors several individuals each year at our Installation event in May for outstanding commitment to NCJWSTL. E-mail your submission by February 25th, 2022 and include the candidate's name, address, and phone number; an explanation of why you are nominating the candidate; and your name and phone number. Submit your nomination to Marilyn Ratkin, Awards Committee Chair at mratkin@aol.com or Heather Libhart, NCJWSTL Marketing Manager at hlibhart@ncjwstl.org. Pictured below are the 2021 Section Award honorees. To see a complete listing of award recipients please visit: bit.ly/NCJWSTLSectionAwards.



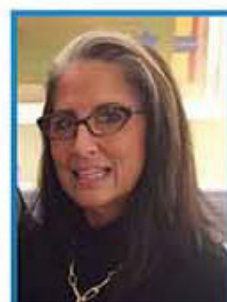
COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

Arlene Baer & Patti Teper



EMERGING LEADER AWARD

Hillary Hinz



FRITZI LAINOFF ADVOCACY AWARD

Debbie Gilula &
Andrea Powers Schankman



LEADERSHIP AWARD

Susan Witte



VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARD

Terry Cox

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

The Community Service Award is given to one or more volunteers who have demonstrated the spirit of NCJWSTL on a particular project, through innovation and dedication

EMERGING LEADER AWARD

The Emerging Leader Award identifies and nurtures future Section leadership and is sanctioned by National. Recipient criteria:

- Has potential for assuming future Section leadership
- Understands and supports the NCJW purpose and programs
- Demonstrates commitment to the Section
- Currently serves on the Section board (for less than five years) or is currently chairing a committee or serving as an officer

FRITZI LAINOFF ADVOCACY AWARD

The Fritzi Lainoff Advocacy Award is given to a member who has demonstrated a strong commitment to advocacy and raising awareness of NCJWSTL issues locally, regionally and nationally

LEADERSHIP AWARD

The Leadership Award is given to a member who has demonstrated long-term leadership and service to the Section

VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARD

The Volunteer Service Award was created to honor outstanding volunteers who have given their time and talents to the Section

NCJWSTL INSTALLATION

SAVE THE DATE!
**INSTALLATION &
SECTION AWARDS**
MAY 26, 2022

Details and formal invitation to follow in the Spring



COUTURIER 2021 & 80 YEARS

The 57th Annual Couturier event was held October 13 – 16, 2021. We are pleased to have exceeded our sales goal, despite COVID restrictions which limited the event to just 25 shoppers at a time.

During Couturier, The Resale Shop kicked off its 80th anniversary with a **#GotItAtTheShop** social media campaign. NCJWSTL's retail operation has grown from a shop open one week a year, to a full-blown retail operation open six days a week, plus an online shopping platform available 24/7 to shoppers at shoptheresaleshop.org. Shoppers were encouraged to take a photo wearing the 80 year anniversary button along with their favorite purchase from The Resale Shop, using the hashtag **#GotItAtTheShop** to share the joy of shopping and donating with our followers. A big THANK YOU to all our volunteers, staff, shoppers, and the 2021 Couturier Committee!

Couturier Committee Co-Chairs: Faith Berger, Phyllis Langsdorf, and Sheri Sherman

Committee Members: Nanci Bobrow, Amy Fenster Brown, Bonnie Davis, Gail Eisenkramer, Susie Fine, Hillary Friedman, Sheri Glantz, JoAnn Goldstein, Farilyn Hale, Marlene Hammerman, Susan Dertke Hendin, Susan Katzman, Elise Krug, Debra Cannamore Lee, Frances Levine, Andrea Lubershane, Alice Ludmer, Sylvia Manewith, Sandra Merritt, Nancy Litz, Peggy Remis, Jane Roodman Weiss, Caryn Sandweiss, Carolyn Satz, Randee Schmittiel, Susan Witte

Pictured Right (Top) Susan Katzman & Nanci Bobrow (Middle) Shoppers waiting to get in the store for Couturier (Bottom) Susan Fischer and Pat Villery



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FEBRUARY

- 2 Ground Hog Day Sale @ The Resale Shop
25% off Storewide
- 7 NCJWSTL Executive Board meeting
- 14 Valentine's Day Sale @ The Resale Shop
25% off Storewide
- 17 Advocacy in Action Lunch & Learn
Immigration
- 18-19 President's Day Sale @ The Resale Shop
25% off Storewide
- 21 President's Day | NCJWSTL office
& The Resale Shop CLOSED
- 22 Coffee Talk with SnL
- 28 NCJWSTL Board meeting

MARCH

- 13 Daylight Saving Time begins
- 14 NCJWSTL Executive Board meeting
- 17 Purim
- St. Patrick's Day Sale @ The Resale Shop
- 22 Coffee Talk with SnL
- 24 Advocacy in Action Lunch & Learn
Reproductive Justice
- 25-26 Spring Fling Sale @ The Resale Shop
25% off Storewide

APRIL

- 15 Erev Passover | NCJWSTL office closes @ 1:00 PM
- 16 Passover
- 15-16 Easter Dress & Suit Sale @ The Resale Shop
- 18 NCJWSTL Executive Board meeting
- 19 Coffee Talk with SnL
- 21 Advocacy in Action Lunch & Learn
Crime Victim Advocacy/Child Abuse
- 22 Earth Day Sale @ The Resale Shop
25% off Storewide
- 25 NCJWSTL Board meeting
- 27 Sisters Act!

MAY

- 6-7 Mother's Day Sale @ The Resale Shop
- 8 Mother's Day
- 16 NCJWSTL Executive Board meeting
- 19 Advocacy in Action Lunch & Learn
Racial Justice
- 23 NCJWSTL Board meeting
- 24 Coffee Talk with SnL
- 26 NCJWSTL Board Installation
- 27-28 Memorial Day Sale @ The Resale Shop
25% off Storewide
- 30 Memorial Day | NCJWSTL office &
The Resale Shop CLOSED

TRIBUTES NOVEMBER 11, 2021 - DECEMBER 16, 2021

Thank you to all of our tribute donors! The money raised through tributes is very important in helping us meet our goals and uphold our mission. Tributes are listed under the name of the person honored or remembered. Each tribute is keyed with the initials of the fund to which the contribution was made. The fund initials appear after the donor's name. Tributes received after the deadline for this publication will appear in the next issue of the Bulletin. You can set up a tribute charge account, and know that you only need to call the office to make your tribute! For more information on making a tribute, visit ncjwstl.org/donate/tributes or call Vicki Rios at 314.993.5181.

KEY

BLUE TRIBUTE = \$10 - \$17

● CHAI TRIBUTE = \$18 - \$24

□ SILVER TRIBUTE = \$25 - \$49

■ GOLD TRIBUTE = \$50+

CHILDREN

(BTSS/KCC) Back to School! Store & Kids
Community Closet Fund
(LF) Lassie Frager Fund
(WBL) William B. and Bernice Susman
Lee Fund for Back to School! Store

DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED

(SF) Sosnoff Fund

SERVICES TO WOMEN

(JB-WWW) Jean Stein Bloch Wife Widow
Woman Fund
(AACT) Advocacy In Action
(WES) Women's Emergency Services Fund
(SP) Section Priorities
(SLL) Ruth and Nancy Siteman
Leadership Legacy Fund
(HHB) Healing Hearts Fund

SERVICES TO OLDER ADULTS

(CC) Crown Center and Older Adult Programs
(WMF) Wilma Messing Fund
(OACAP) Older Adult Community Action
Program Committee

PRESIDENT'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

(ATK) Harry Fredrick and Ann Trepp
Koenigsberg Fund

IN HONOR THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU

Zach and Jenny Abeles, on the bar mitzvah
of Sam Abeles

Andrea and Evan Newstead (BTSS/KCC) ●

Susan and Alan Witte (BTSS/KCC) ■

Leonard Adreon, in honor of his special birthday

Ruth and Alvin Siteman (SLL) ■

Darien Arnstein, in honor of her anniversary

Marsha Birenbaum (AACT) □

Arlene Baer, in honor of being part of the LifeWise
Healing Hearts Team

Marilyn Ratkin (HHB)

Melissa and Jon Baris, in honor of Chanukah

Sheryl and Larry Zigler (BTSS/KCC) ■

Terry Bernstein, on the birth of her granddaughter
NCJWSTL Board and Staff (SP)

Sandy and Ken Birenbaum, on their grandson

Sam's bar mitzvah

Susan and Alan Witte (BTSS/KCC) □

Linda Dahl for your hard work and dedication to
NCJWSTL's Lunch and Learn

Jennifer Bernstein (AACT) ●

Roberta Feinstein, in honor of her grandson

Ethan's Bar Mitzvah

Rick and Sherri Goldman (BTSS/KCC) □

Betsy and Spencer Garland, on the birth of their
granddaughter, Lucy Garland

Sherri and Steve Newstead (BTSS/KCC)

Rick Goldman, on your special birthday

Neal and Susan Kalishman (BTSS/KCC) ●

Marilyn and Gary Ratkin (HHB) ●

Farlynn Hale, on receiving the Parkway Alumni Award

Sherri and Jim Rosen (AACT) ●

Amy and Zach Hammerman, on the bar mitzvah of
their son, Calvino Hammerman

Ellen Alper (SP) ●

Darien and Stephen Arnstein ●

Dick and Dianna Fine (SP) ●

Susan and Alan Witte (AACT) ■

NCJWSTL Board and Staff (SP)

Marlene and Harley Hammerman, on the bar mitzvah
of their grandson, Calvino Hammerman

Darien and Stephen Arnstein (SLL) ●

Dick and Dianna Fine (SP) ●

Rick and Sherri Goldman (BTSS/KCC) □

Francine and Joel Schraier (SP) ●

Gail Lapin, in honor of being part of the LifeWise
Healing Hearts Team

Marilyn Ratkin (HHB)

Marcia King, in honor of being part of the LifeWise
Healing Hearts Team

Marilyn Ratkin (HHB)

NCJWSTL Staff, in honor of making the work of the
NCJWSTL Board possible

Susan Dertke Hendin and Roy Hendin (SP) ■

Nina Needleman, for being nominated and
becoming a finalist for the Willoughby Award
at Philanos

Marilyn Ratkin (HHB)

Nina Needleman, in honor of being part of the
LifeWise Healing Hearts Team

Marilyn Ratkin (HHB)

Sherri Newstead, in honor of her special birthday

Sharee and Mark Feldman (BTSS/KCC) □

Rick and Sherri Goldman (BTSS/KCC) □

Sherri Newstead, on her speedy recovery

Rick and Sherri Goldman (BTSS/KCC) □

Carolyn Satz, on her being named an Unsung Hero
by the St. Louis Jewish Light

Darien and Stephen Arnstein (BTSS/KCC) ●

Steve Schankman, on the birth of

Gabriel James Schankman

NCJWSTL Board and Staff (SP)

Amanda and Michael Stein, on the birth of their
daughter, Lory Isabelle Stein

Ellen Alper (SP) ●

Hummel and Scissors Families (BTSS/KCC) ■

Marilen Pitler (BTSS/KCC)

Marilyn and Gary Ratkin (BTSS/KCC) ●

NCJWSTL Board and Staff (SP)

Angela Stern, for her Chanukah kindness

Yona Spiegelglass (AACT) ●

Karen Tabak, in honor of being part of the
LifeWise Healing Hearts Team

Marilyn Ratkin (HHB)

Roy Wagman, in honor of his birthday

Ken and Lucy Schwartz (BTSS/KCC)

Peggy Yanover, in honor of her grandson
Ethan's Bar Mitzvah

Rick and Sherri Goldman (BTSS/KCC) □

IN MEMORY

Robert Denlow

Ken and Lucy Schwartz (BTSS/KCC)

Norm Field

Sharee and Mark Feldman (BTSS/KCC) □

Charles Fremder

Charles and Gail Eisenkramer (SP) ●

Norma Kaplan (CC) ■

NCJWSTL Board and Staff (SP)

Geraldine "Geri" Friedman

Ruth and Alvin Siteman (SLL) ●

Audrey Gershenson

Marlene and Harley Hammerman (SP) □

Norma Kaplan (CC) ■

Sally and Ken Katzif (BTSS/KCC) ●

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