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Immediate Release

JUNIOR LEAGUE OF CHARLOTTESVILLE PRESENTS 14TH ANNUAL MISTLETOE MARKET AND 2ND ANNUAL COOKIES WITH SANTA

The Junior League of Charlottesville (JLC) will host its 14th annual **Mistletoe Market** holiday shopping event on **Sunday, November 12, 2017 from 10am – 4pm**, located at the Double Tree Hotel (990 Hilton Heights Rd, Charlottesville, VA 22901).

This premier shopping event will feature more than 40 vendors offering unique handcrafted goods, art, jewelry, and more! Tickets are \$5 in advance and \$8 at the door. To purchase tickets online, please visit:

https://www.jlcville.org/purchase-mistletoe-market-tickets/

Proceeds from ticket sales go directly to help support the JLC's vision to increase the quality of life in, and around, Charlottesville by developing a community of lifelong learners and offering volunteer support, financial resources, organizational expertise, and issue-specific advocacy for organizations that provide literacy services.

"Mistletoe Market gives Charlottesville shoppers an opportunity to support the Junior League of Charlottesville and local vendors in a festive, holiday environment. We are calling all of Charlottesville and the surrounding areas to celebrate local vendors, and help us bring holiday cheer and year-round service to the Charlottesville community," said Audrey Rierson, Mistletoe Market Co-Chair.

For the second year, the JLC will also host a special **Cookies with Santa**, which will be held at The Shops at Stonefield (Suite 120, 2035 Bond St, Charlottesville, VA 22901) from **Thursday, November 30 – Saturday, December 2**. At this special event, children will be able to have their photo taken, and enjoy cookies, with Santa! For those with four-legged children, a special **Pets with Santa** session is scheduled for **December 2**.

Complete details and timelines for both the Mistletoe Market shopping event and Cookies, and Pets, with Santa can be found on the JLC website at https://www.jlcville.org/.

The JLC is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women, and improving our Charlottesville community through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable. The JLC currently provides both monetary and volunteer support to numerous local community organizations, including the Boys & Girls Club of Central Virginia and the Ronald McDonald House of Charlottesville. To learn more please visit www.jlcville.org.

Please contact mistletoe@jlcville.org with questions about all JLC holiday events.

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