



A Fort Myers Tradition Presented by the Junior League  
*Women Building Better Communities*

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## ***JUNIOR LEAGUE OF FORT MYERS ANNOUNCES FOOD FOR FUEL DRIVE!!!***

FORT MYERS, Fla. October 13, 2008 – The **Junior League of Fort Myers** today announced that canned food donations will be accepted at the 26<sup>th</sup> Annual **Taste of the Town** on Sunday, Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2008 from 11AM to 5PM at Centennial Park in Downtown Fort Myers. For every five cans of food donated, per person, donors will receive one entry to win **one of ten \$50** gas cards! Drawings will be held throughout the day and you do not have to be present to win.

All canned foods received will be donated to The Soup Kitchen in Fort Myers. The Soup Kitchen has been cooking in Fort Myers since 1984, serving a nutritious lunch six days a week to the homeless and at-risk.

Taste of the Town is a family-oriented food and entertainment festival that attracts more than 15,000 people every year. For the last 25 years, the Junior League has partnered with local restaurants to allow the community to “taste” their signature dishes. In addition to the food and drinks available, there will be a variety bands on two separate stages and plenty of entertainment and activities for children of all ages.

### **TICKET INFORMATION**

Tickets will be available at the gate for \$5 per person. Children under 10 are FREE.

### **VOLUNTEER INFORMATION**

If you would like to help volunteer during Taste of the Town, please call the Junior League of Fort Myers office at 239-277-1197.

#### About Taste of the Town

Taste of the Town is the signature annual fund raising event of the Junior League of Fort Myers, Inc. Proceeds are given back to the community through the League’s volunteer projects. Some of the organizations that have benefited from Taste of the Town funds include the Calusa Nature Center, the Imaginarium Hands-On Museum, Heights Foundation, Our Mother’s Home, and the TLC Center.

#### About The Junior League of Fort Myers

The Junior League of Fort Myers, Inc., a member of the Association of Junior Leagues International, Inc., is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women and improving the community through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable. For more information about Junior League please call 239-277-1197 or visit online at [www.jlfm.org](http://www.jlfm.org).

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