



JUNIOR LEAGUE OF
SHREVEPORT-BOSSIER, INC.
Women Building Better Communities

**JUNIOR LEAGUE OF SHREVEPORT-BOSSIER, INC.
PROVISIONAL MEMBERSHIP CONTRACT
2026-27**

The Junior League of Shreveport-Bossier, Inc. is an organization of women whose Mission is to advance women's leadership for meaningful community impact through volunteer action, collaboration, and training. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable.

I, _____, accept Provisional Membership in the Junior League of Shreveport-Bossier, Inc. (JLSB). I agree to assume the responsibilities and fulfill the requirements for the Provisional year as set forth below:

1. Meeting Attendance

- a. JLSB Provisional Retreat will be held on Saturday, August 1, 2026, at the BHP YMCA 3455 Knight Street, Shreveport. Attendance is mandatory in order to be a member of the JLSB Provisional Class of 2026-27.
- b. JLSB Provisional Meetings are held in the evenings on the third Tuesday of every month beginning in September 2026 and ending in April 2027. The meetings are approximately one hour in length and will cover the information included in the Provisional Training Course. Absences from more than three (3) of the scheduled Provisional Meetings constitute forfeiture of membership. The January 1:1 meeting is required to be one of the five (5) meetings that must be attended.
- c. JLSB General Membership Meetings are held monthly from September to May on the second Tuesday of each month, and are intended for all JLSB members. Provisional Members must attend five (5) of the scheduled General Membership Meetings to complete the Provisional Training Course successfully. The March GMM doubles as a voting meeting for the upcoming year slate and will count as (2) credits for Activities. Provisionals are encouraged to attend this meeting and will receive (1) credit due to their ineligibility to vote on the slate during their provisional year.
- d. JLSB Board of Directors (BOD) Meetings are held monthly from August to May on the first Tuesday of each month. Provisional members are required to attend one (1) BOD meeting, excluding the December and May BOD meeting, which are closed to the public.

2. Community Service Requirements

- a. Community Task – Minimum of three (3) shifts working with different Community Placements of JLSB.
- b. Provisionals are required to work the full schedule shift time slot to receive credit.
- c. Provisional Project - Each Provisional member is required to contribute to a Provisional Project. Projects will be voted on by the Provisional class during the October meeting and are to be completed by the April meeting. Projects may include required tasks outside of the Provisional

meetings.

3. Fundraiser Shift Obligations

- a. Participation in one (1) shift at the Pepsi booth during the Red River Revel Fundraiser October 8-11, 15-18, 2026.
- b. Participation in one (1) shift at any other approved fundraisers for the 2026-27 league year.

4. Financial Obligations

- a. Provisional Course Fee (\$120.00) due by the contract deadline (July 31, 2026).
- b. 2026-27 JLSB Annual Dues (\$120.00) due by the Provisional Retreat (August 1, 2026).
- c. 2027-28 JLSB Annual Dues (\$120.00) due by February 2027.
- d. JLSB Cookbook Provisional Package (\$100.00) due in March 2027.

I will comply with all Bylaws and Policies and Procedures of the Junior League of Shreveport-Bossier, Inc. The following constitutes just cause for removal from membership: non-payment of dues or charges; failure to comply with the Bylaws, Policies and Procedures, and requirements of this League; or other causes deemed detrimental to the Junior League of Shreveport-Bossier, Inc.

I understand the completion of all the above requirements is mandatory for acceptance to Active membership in the Junior League of Shreveport-Bossier, Inc. Failure to meet the above requirements will result in forfeiture of membership and the inability to reapply for admission. I understand that if I am current in all my financial and meeting obligations and am unable to complete the 2026-27 Provisional Training Course due to unavoidable reasons, I may request an extension of 12 months, and if an extension is granted, I must complete the 2026-27 Provisional course in its entirety.

I understand that should I withdraw my application for membership in the JLSB Provisional Class of 2026-27 after July 31, 2026, I will not be refunded the Provisional Course Fee (\$120.00).

The Board of Directors of the Junior League of Shreveport-Bossier, Inc. has final authority over the admission of Provisional members to Active membership based on fulfillment of provisional requirements as outlined in the Bylaws and Policies and Procedures. Active membership status begins June 1, 2027.

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Printed Name _____

Phone Number _____

Home Address _____

E-mail Address _____

Date of Birth _____

Candidate Signature _____ Date _____

THE SIGNED PROVISIONAL CONTRACT AND PROVISIONAL COURSE FEE ARE DUE BY JULY 31, 2026. ANNUAL DUES ARE DUE BY PROVISIONAL RETREAT ON AUGUST 1, 2026.