

CELEBRATING THE WOMEN OF THE JUNIOR LEAGUE OF LANCASTER

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How do you spend your days? I'm in charge of fundraising at the Schreiber Center for Pediatric Development.

Of what are you most proud? I think I'm most proud of the life I've built so far. I bought a house on my own and traveled to other countries (on a nonprofit salary!) and lately I've been enjoying my little family and helping to raise a 10 year old. I'm proud of doing all that and making time to improve someone else's day, in whatever small ways that I can.



Who inspires you? I was inspired by Junior League women before joining and that was a big reason why I attended my first Coffee Chat. Any real-life example of a woman who is simultaneously working on her personal/career goals and giving back to her community helps me to keep going when things are hard. "She can do that despite her busy job/3 kids/other commitment? Then I guess I can too."

If you could give your younger self, or a young woman today, any advice, what would it be? You can't let the doubts or worries about what other people think stop you. The biggest secret is that everyone has the same worries about themselves - imposter syndrome affects everyone. You're doing your thing, you're doing it well, and you should keep going.