Junior League of Richmond Presents 18th Annual Touch a Truck

Put your imagination in gear and head to Richmond International Raceway on Saturday, October 21!

RICHMOND, VA – The Junior League of Richmond (JLR) invites the community to participate in our 18th Annual Touch a Truck Event at Richmond International Raceway on Saturday, October 21, 2023 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., with early admission for a VIP Hour beginning at 9:00 a.m.

A display of giant vehicles - including construction equipment, tractor trailers, car carriers, fire trucks, police cruisers, ambulances, a GRTC bus, and more give plenty of reasons to spend a fall day at this family friendly event.

Beyond touching trucks, kids can jump in a bounce house, dance to their favorite songs, play games to win prizes, watch performances on stage, enjoy crafts, and eat some delicious food from a variety of food vendors.

"We are so excited for the upcoming 18th Annual Touch a Truck event! Touch a Truck is one of the best events that the Junior League organizes all year!" said Kerrigan O'Malley, Chair of the Touch a Truck Committee. "It is a great opportunity for children in the Richmond community to explore vehicles that they may not get the chance to be up close and personal with otherwise. The event also allows children to interact with the people in the Richmond community who operate those vehicles, which is one of the best parts of the event. Not only is it a fun event, but it also is one of the Junior League of Richmond's biggest fundraisers. The funds raised from Touch a Truck allow the Junior League of Richmond to continue to promote our focus area of "women helping women" and implement rewarding events and opportunities for our community partners. We are very grateful for all of the sponsors and participants who make this event such a success year after year."

Touch a Truck general admission tickets are \$12.00 and are available for purchase at <u>www.richmondtouchatruck.org</u> or by calling 804.643.4886. Individual tickets will also be available on the day of the event at the ticket sales both. Family Four Packs (non-VIP) are \$42.00, in advance. If interested in our VIP hour (9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.), tickets are \$17.00 each or \$59.00 for a VIP Family Four Pack. VIP tickets are limited and only available in advance.

We look forward to seeing you there to Climb. Learn. Explore. TOUCH!

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Founded in 1926, the Junior League of Richmond is an organization of women whose mission is to advance women's leadership for meaningful community impact through volunteer action, collaboration,

and training. The Junior League of Richmond is an inclusive group of informed thought leaders intentionally serving and empowering women, youth, and families, striving for collective impact through collaboration and advocacy. We are part of the Association of Junior Leagues International, Inc., which is made up of 295 Junior Leagues in five countries. For more information, visit our website at <u>ilrichmond.org</u>.