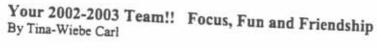


THE JUNIOR LEAGUE OF TORONTO



On June 15th, your Board of Directors boarded a boat for the RCYC for the annual Board Retreat. The early morning fog was so thick you could barely see the end of the boat, but it didn't matter. We were smiling, knowing that we were taking a journey to spend a day of intense planning and to work together for the first time as a team.

We were very fortunate to secure the talents of seasoned trainers Jane Barber (Past President & Sustainer) and Leslie Altken to lead us through an incredible day of strategic thinking. The combination of their corporate and League experience was an invaluable guide to the tasks at hand. They facilitated a group of dynamic women, challenging each of them to define the JLT's internal strengths and weaknesses and our external opportunities and challenges. The focus for the day was to review the 3-vear strategic plan, build on areas within the plan that would help the Board set oals for the coming year and learn about and from each other.

Thank You to Generations Luncheon Donor of Art By Kim Heaps

Jeremy Bortz, of Frame Concepts, generously donated the second prize for the Generations Luncheon. The lucky winner of this fabulous artwork was Kim Heaps, who selected her painting a few weeks later.

Jeremy was born in Johannesburg, South Africa, in 1965. After majoring in art, he pursued a career in photography, art and framing. He eventually came to own numerous galleries and photographic shops. Jeremy acquired a reputation in South Africa for his picture-framing solutions, regularly appearing on talk shows, writing an advice column for a monthly magazine and teaching classes.

Jeremy has a natural flair for vibrant colours. His love of colour is evident in his oversized, abstract, acrylic-on-canvas works. This passion is an extension of his happy disposition and vibrant personality. He now resides in Toronto where, as owner of Frame Concepts, he continues to utilize his array of talents. Jodie Foster recently purchased two of his paintings for her personal collection, and his work has been featured at the Toronto Outdoor Art Exhibition (TOEA). His shop is located at 889 Yonge St., at Davenport. Please take a minute to view his works at www.artbyjem.com.



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Sparkling room...sparkling conversation...



June Awards Dinner: some of the 75th and Generations Cte, Members...Sarah Garriock, Jennifer Sullivan (Generations Co-chair), Marcella Jokay, Di Elder, Kristine Kizemchuk and Sandra Sullivan (Generations Co-chair)