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**REPUBLICAN WOMEN OF RUTHERFORD COUNTY – October 17, 2023 6 PM –
CCARRIAGE LANE INN -337 East Burton Street**

**Join us to hear Tracey Binkley, CFP and Ivie Burns, II, for a discussion of ESG –
Environmental, Social & Governance –and what it means politically for conservatives**



**Reservations due October 13 by 5 pm – reply to this email – \$20 at door – cash or
check (no change provided) payable to RWRC – Have check ready to avoid a wait!**

September Speaker Recap

On September 19, 2023, the Republican Women of Rutherford County met at Carriage Lane Inn for their September Meeting. Our speaker was Carmen Greenberg who moved to the United States from Romania. Carmen shared PowerPoint slides of the beauty of Romania and talked about life under Communist control specifically under the control of Nicolae Ceaușescu and his wife, Elena Ceaușescu from 1965 to 1989 when they were executed. The Two depicted themselves as parents and godlike rulers but in actuality froze and starved their people to death. Ceausescu exported everything but left nothing for his own people.

Life in Romania was like a political machine. The children wore red and white uniforms like the Chinese children and even at a young age informants were cultivated. No one knew who to trust. Military police presence was very strong in Romania. Carmen spoke of her fear as a child.

Now, Carmen is trying to make a difference in Romania by making trips there to identify high school students who would like to learn in the United States. Before America was portrayed badly so now Carmen is trying to bridge the gap. These students will then return home and work to help their country grow. It is a great arrangement for all. This was a wonderful presentation to celebrate our freedoms during Constitution Week.

Respectfully submitted by Marzee Woodward



September Meeting Photos





Nominating Committee



Slate of Officers for 2024-2026

President – Karen Hudson
1st Vice-President – Deborah Arvin
2nd Vice-President – Brenda Baggett
Secretary – Marzee Woodward
Treasurer – Theresa Cole

Tennessee State Convention

Here is picture of the silent auction basket our club is donating to the state convention for the Tennessee Federation of Republican Women. The value is \$580.

Thank you to Marzee Woodward and Christina Leitz for putting this together



NFRW Message on Israel

NFRW President Eileen Sobjack's statement on Israel:



The NFRW has always been a strong supporter of Israel.

This was an unjustified attack by the terrorists group Hamas on innocent civilians, killing hundreds and kidnapping and holding them hostage.

The Nation of Israel has every right to defend themselves in this situation and protect their nation and people.

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Please pray with us for Israel!!

Father, we pray for Your Divine Intervention in Israel. Guard, Protect and keep all within her borders! Divinely turn this situation around for Your Glory. Amen.

Psalm 122:6 says: "Pray for the peace of Jerusalem."

IMPORTANT DATES

October 17th- Tracy Binkley and Ivie Burns- what is ESG? How does it affect the political climate

October 20-21, 2023 - TFRW Biennial Convention - Pickwick Landing State Park

November 14th- Michael Patrick Leahy, host of the Tennessee Star Report

Announcing our Christmas Dinner- Thursday December 7th

Featuring Dr. Carol Swain, award winning political scientist, professor, frequent national media contributor and more. Tickets will be available online in the coming weeks.

