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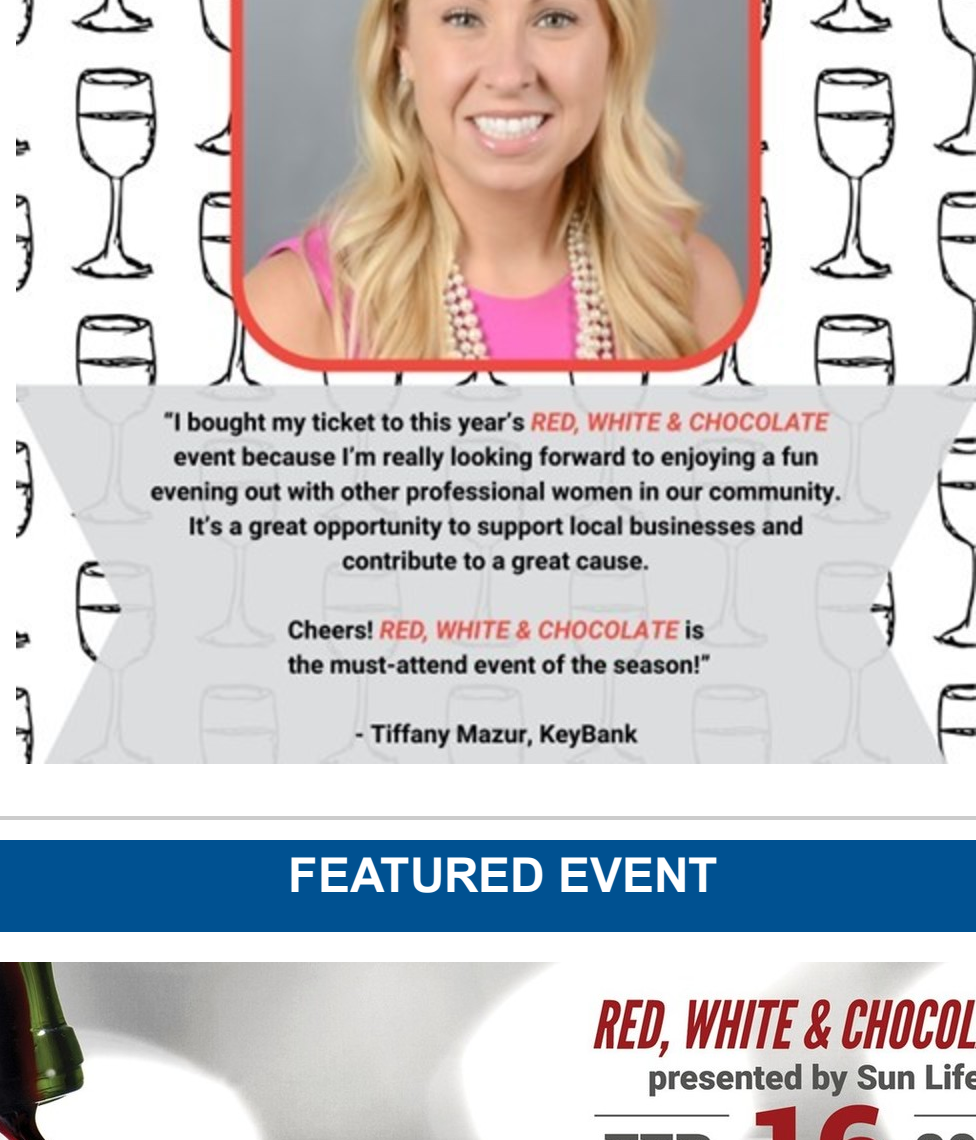
WORDS FROM WOMEN UNITED

JANUARY 2023 EDITION

RED, WHITE & CHOCOLATE

Red, White & Chocolate presented by SunLife, is the must attend event of the season! This year is extra special because it is our 10th anniversary and we have some exciting new features from local vendors that you do not want to miss. Support Women United's mission by participating in the robust drawing with highly sought-after items. Purchase tickets for you and a friend today! Space is limited.

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FEATURED EVENT



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Sneak peek at this year's drawing baskets!

"Merlot You Didn't!" features local artisan goods and wine from Hartford.

UPCOMING EVENTS

JOIN US VIRTUALLY

TUESDAY, JANUARY 31, 2023 | 12:00 - 1:00 P.M.

UNITED WAY'S 98TH ANNUAL MEETING AND PRESENTATION OF THE 2022 COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

This year we are recognizing the **Building Foundations Committee** with our highest honor - the Community Service Award - given in memory of Dr. Frederick G. Adams, a former member of United Way's Board of Directors and community leader, for his commitment to changing conditions for local children and families.

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UNITED WAY WOMEN UNITED® ANNUAL MEETING

Save the Date

Wednesday, March 8 8:00 - 9:00 A.M.

Save the date for the Spring 2023 Women United Annual Meeting! We will recap the fiscal year, goal set and strategize for the year ahead and celebrate the recognition of this year's LeadHERS Award recipient.

Power of the Purse tickets are on sale now!

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POWER of the PURSE

June 8, 2023

Connecticut Convention Center

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Pre-Event Networking and Silent Auction

12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Main Event and Luncheon

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Featuring Keynote Speaker:

JESSICA BRUDER

Bestselling Author and Journalist

Author of **"Nomadland: Surviving America in the Twenty-First Century"**

Jan Turner
Vice President, Web and Marketing Operations, Personal Insurance Direct Markets, Travelers

Stephanie Polzella
Assistant Vice President, Claims Operations, The Hartford

2023 POWER OF THE PURSE CO-CHAIRS

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VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

TAKE ACTION AS A VITA VOLUNTEER

Join us this tax season as a United Way VITA volunteer and help families in our region get the tax credits and refunds they've earned. By offering in-person or virtual tax preparation services at no cost, we're helping families get on a path toward financial security.

There is no doubt that VITA efforts align with Women United's mission to support local women and families as they get on their pathway to financial security. Sign up today and live the experience. VITA has proven to be a vital tool to support ALICE households and provide them that extra help needed to continue their journey towards financial stability.

[LEARN MORE ABOUT HOW THIS EFFORT HAS CHANGED A COMMUNITY](#)

[REGISTER HERE](#)

READ ACROSS AMERICA DAY

Join us as we celebrate reading and diversity on
Read Across America Day
on March 2, 2023!

GET INVOLVED:

Join United Way and our partners for Read Across America Day. Volunteers will read aloud to a classroom of students.

WHY THIS PROGRAM MATTERS:

Read Across America Day is one way that United Way, along with our partners, highlights the importance of building early literacy and language skills for every child, so that all children read proficiently by the start of fourth grade.

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to register



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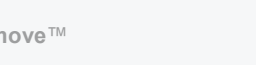
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