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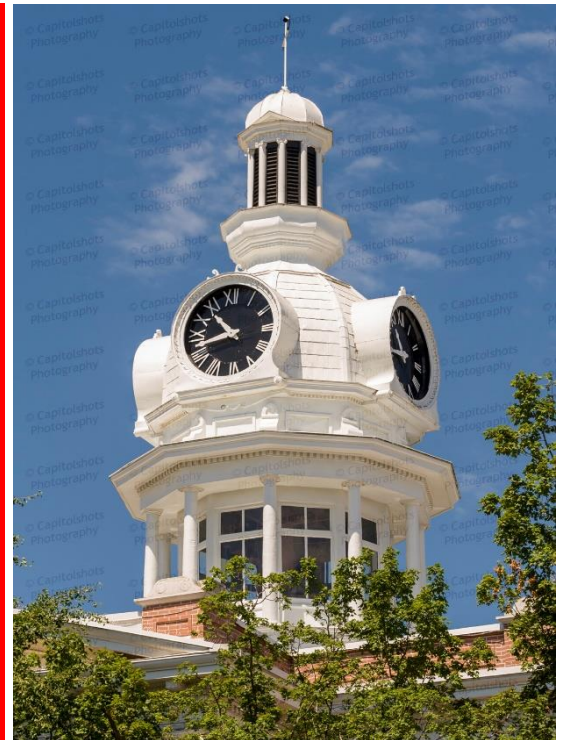
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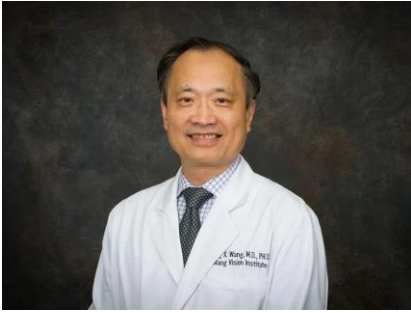


## When Will the Crazy End?



Recently, Republican Senator John Kennedy from Louisiana was on a Sunday morning talk show and he made the following statement, **“If they want to sell crazy go somewhere else, we are all stocked up around here.”** His comment was made in response to all the crazy things the Democrats are doing or have done in Washington. It seems the swamp is bogged down and the insanity is never ending, but the media works hard to make the public think that the Republicans are the problem and President Trump has already lost. If you turned on the major network channels, you probably heard about the email evidence that has been uncovered showing Hillary Rodham Clinton started the whole investigation of President Trump and Russian collusion. No? Oh, then you saw that the reason President Trump has paid so little the past couple of years in income tax is that every month he donates the salary he receives as President to a government agency. No? Wow, alright. Well surely it has been brought up amid all these comedians’ jokes that President Trump will be a sore loser if not re-elected, that it was the Dems who cried, took breaks from social media, and threw all manner of tantrums the last election. No? Hmm, sorry Senator Kennedy it seems **Crazy** is still being sold all over our news and television screens. **The Dems and the Media are determined to sell crazy!**

**PLEASE CHECK OUT OUR CLUB'S WEBSITE at [www.rwrc.us](http://www.rwrc.us)  
Like our Facebook page: Republican Women of Rutherford County**



**October 20<sup>th</sup> Meeting**

Speaker: Dr. Ming Wang

*Will begin taking  
reservations October 1<sup>st</sup>.  
Reservations due by noon  
on October 15<sup>th</sup>.*

*We encourage you to  
invite others.*

**“A Vision for Finding New Common Ground  
in a Polarized World”**

**Ming Wang, MD, PhD**

Harvard & MIT (MD, *magna cum laude*); PhD (laser physics)  
Co-founder,

the **Common Ground Network** ([www.commonground.network](http://www.commonground.network))

Co-founder, Tennessee Immigrant and Minority Business Group  
Director, Wang Vision Institute,

**Dr. Ming Wang, MD, PhD**, is a co-founder of the non-profit **Common Ground Network** dedicated to his lifelong mission to help people find common ground.

As a teenager, Ming fought valiantly to escape China's Cultural Revolution – during which millions of innocent youth were deported to remote areas to face a life sentence of hard labor and poverty. He came to America with only \$50 and earned **two doctorate degrees**, one in laser physics and one in medicine, and graduated with the highest honors from Harvard Medical School and MIT.

**Wang Foundation for Sight Restoration** has helped patients from over 40 states in the U.S. and 55 countries, with all sight restoration surgeries.



*Retired United States  
Marine Corp: Jon Henry*

*November 17, 2020*

*5:45-7:30 p.m.*

*RSVP by noon on 11/12*

We are excited to have as our November Monthly Meeting speaker Mr. Jon Henry. Jon's name may seem familiar to many of you as he previously was a candidate for the United States Senate. This was his first time running for an office and he placed 4<sup>th</sup> in the state, which was really great. Jon has retired from the military and is a farmer. His passion is sharing the message that young people must become engaged in what is going on in their local, state, and national government. His message for all is to become informed voters. Jon will be a great speaker as we celebrate our Veterans in the month of November.

**Check out our website at [www.rwrc.us](http://www.rwrc.us) or our Facebook page at Republican Women of Rutherford County. You can email us at [ContactRWR@yahoo.com](mailto:ContactRWR@yahoo.com)**

## Updated Calendar of Events

October 8<sup>th</sup>: Representative Tim Rudd Fundraiser at The View at the Fountains 6 – 9:30

October 13<sup>th</sup>: Republican Women are hosting at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday with Terry GoTV Event at GOP Headquarters. Get to know our State Representative Dr. Brian Terry at this special Meet and Greet.

October 14<sup>th</sup>: Ambassador Bill Hagerty Fundraiser for US Senate seat at Barrett House,

October 17<sup>th</sup> The GOP Annual Picnic for Rutherford County will be at 11:30 at Lanning Farm. Please go to their Facebook page and follow directions concerning purchasing tickets.

October 20<sup>th</sup>: Meeting at 5:45 at Through the Grapevine. Speaker is Dr. Ming Wang. Meal is \$15 per person and includes salad, entrée, dessert and beverage. Reservations must be made by noon on the 15<sup>th</sup> of October. If you make a reservation and are unable to make it, you will need to pay the club for your meal anyway, as the club still incurs the cost of the meal.

November 3<sup>rd</sup>: Election Watch Party at GOP Headquarters beginning at 6 p.m. Republican Women are cohosting this event so come and check it out as the votes are counted,

November 17<sup>th</sup> Meeting at 5:45 at Through the Grapevine. Speaker is John Henry. Retired USMC. Reservations must be made by noon of November the 12<sup>th</sup>.

December 8<sup>th</sup>: Watch for the exciting news to follow concerning our big Christmas event at the Stones River Country Club with speaker Brian Wilson from SuperTalk Radio 99.7.

*We have many great events planned and the new year looks promising, too. We have got to share our message with other women and let them know how to stop the insanity.*

### Election Date to Keep in Mind:

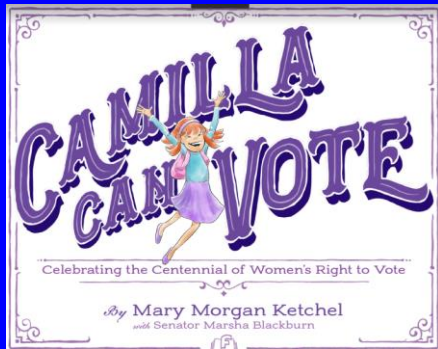
October 5, 2020 Last day to Register to Vote on November 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Early Voting October 14, 2020 Through October 29, 2020

November 3<sup>rd</sup>: State & Federal General , Eagleville, LaVergne & Smyrna Municipal Elections

## The Books Are In

The books are in. If you would like one of the books written by Mary Morgan Ketchel and her mother, Senator Marsha Blackburn, we have received a shipment. The children's book is about the history of the passage of the 19<sup>th</sup> Amendment and the role Tennessee played in its passage. Each book is \$20 with checks made payable to RWRC.



## **September Monthly Meeting of RWRC**

Tuesday, September 15th 2020 the Republican Women of Rutherford County were honored to have as their speaker at their monthly meeting Detective Tommy Roberts from the Sex Crimes Unit here in Murfreesboro. It does not take one long to find sadly how busy Detective Roberts and his Sex Crimes Team are. Just a brief glance over the internet shows the numerous cases Roberts has been involved in. Roberts shared with the group his work on the Scott Walker case. In this particular case, the statute of limitations in reporting cases of sexual abuse was eliminated. Detective Roberts shared information concerning abuse and his career. He then took questions from the group. It was a great presentation!

## Officers of the Republican

### Women of Rutherford County

**President: Terri Kilgour**

**1st Vice President: Karen Hudson**

**2nd Vice President: Marzee Woodward**

**Secretary: Liz Bouma**

**Treasurer: Andrea Norberg**

**Chaplain: Rose Marie Shipley**

**Past President: Felicia Hix**



**A quote from the President to the Police Chiefs in 2019 at Conference in Chicago: "You do an incredible job. The people in this country know it, and the people of this country love you. Interesting Fact: When the people who cry defund the police have trouble, the first persons they call are the police."**

**Phone Banking:** Blake Hassler plans to continue banking with our group of women. We will do phone banking on Saturday mornings 10-12 at the GOP Headquarters. Please let Marzee know by Friday night (10/9) through club email [ContactRWRC@yahoo.com](mailto:ContactRWRC@yahoo.com) if you can help this Saturday. This is a very helpful to Representative Charlie Baum as he works to keep his seat in the State House. If you would like to put up signs or walk neighborhoods with Representatives Baum or Terry as they meet constituents, please email Marzee at [ContactRWRC@yahoo.com](mailto:ContactRWRC@yahoo.com).

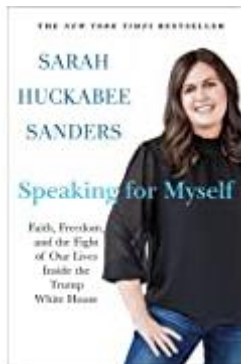


# Bits and Pieces of Information

## *Information you NEED to know*

### Interested in Some Great Books About Great Republican Women?

Check out these and so many more. You will be proud to be a woman in the Republican Party.



### Headquarter Volunteers Needed

Can you help at the Republican Headquarters on Saturday mornings? The GOP has many great items for sale and we can help distribute these. This is a great way we can provide assistance in this important election year. People are charged up this year and it is good to be a part of the movement. Dates available to help are: October 10th, and 24<sup>th</sup>. Email Marzee at [ContactRWRC@yahoo.com](mailto:ContactRWRC@yahoo.com) if you would like to volunteer.

### First Presidential Debate

To many the first Presidential Debate was a painful, chaotic mess. There were high and low points on each side. The glaring issue that quickly arose for many was the lack of respect given to the President. Yes, there needs to be some restraint shown when one interrupts another, but calling the President a fool, clown and all manner of other names is very disrespectful. How are we to teach our children to respect their elders, those in positions of authority, or their own parents, when what they see displayed in front of them is a leader calling the President names? Some said the President came out ready to attack. A Talk Radio Host explained why. In front of him was a representative from the media who constantly attacks him. To the side of him was a representative from a party that continually has brought him more grief than any President has ever had. Yes, He was prepared for anything, but not to be demeaned with disrespectful words. Let's pray that the President and the Republican Party prevail November 3rd.

### Remember in Thoughts and Prayers

Please keep in your thoughts and prayers Elsa Ridley and her daughter Felicia Hix. Marzee Woodward continues to heal from her back surgery on the 15<sup>th</sup> of September, and hopes to be present at our October 20<sup>th</sup> meeting. We want to also send special prayers to all those who have been affected by Covid, whether they have been ill or someone in their family.

Please pray for President Trump and FLOTUS as they manage the virus. The Democrats are now using the President's illness as a reason why he needs to be removed from office.

### Tennessee the Most Regulated State in the Nation

Did you know that in the state of Tennessee many surgeons will send their patients home without pain medication? Yes, it's true. One surgeon told the patient that he couldn't give her pain medicine after major uterine surgery because it would make him look bad. Because of the opioid crisis, Tennessee Legislators under the guidance of Governor Haslam passed stiffer bills restricting what doctors could give patients post-surgery. There is a registry that list doctors and the meds they are giving patients. Human Rights Watch accuses Tennessee of regulating pain medicines to the point that patients are left in pain. Tennessee is actually listed as the most regulated state in the Nation. What does that mean for its citizens? Nothing good. If you know of anyone who has had surgery and was not given any pain medications for the first 3-7 days post-surgery, please contact Marzee at [ContactRWRC@yahoo.com](mailto:ContactRWRC@yahoo.com). We need to make a change.

## **Spotlight on Members Survey: Please send in a Picture of Yourself and answer the questions below. WE NEED YOU!**

Please complete any parts of this form you are comfortable with completing and give to Marzee Woodward at a meeting or you can email it to her at [ContactRWRC@yahoo.com](mailto:ContactRWRC@yahoo.com). Headshots need to be sent by email or given to her at a meeting. We are excited to get to know about you. (Please note the editor will condense if needed.)

1. Tell us something you would like to share about yourself.
  - a. Hobbies?
  - b. Passions?
  - c. Pets?
  - d. Any special travels?
  - e. Why did you decide to join the Republican Women of Rutherford County?