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IWA THE INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION OF BUCHAREST

A LOOK AT THE IWA CHRISTMAS CHARITY BAZAAR 2020: ONLINE EDITION



THANK YOU!

Liana Minasyan

IWA President

Spouse of the Armenian Ambassador



In 2020 we were faced with a multitude of challenges resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic. For IWA, this included the difficult decision to postpone our annual in-person Christmas Charity Bazaar, and to instead focus our efforts on a smaller virtual event in support of the Romanian Red Cross. Despite this setback and the difficulties we all faced in 2020, we were overwhelmed by the support we received from our international community in Romania. With your help we were able to raise over 20,000 RON, feeding hundreds of vulnerable and at risk families in this critical time.

This spirit of giving and solidarity is such a wonderful thing that sets our organization and community apart. Thank you to every single participant for your valuable support and to all organizers for their dedicated hard work and adaptability which ensured the success of this event. Through your participation and contributions we were able to accomplish our goal; continuing to assist those in need throughout these trying times. Together we are making a difference! Thank you again!

-Liana Minasyan

THE ONLINE BAZAAR BY THE NUMBERS

22,018

RON RAISED FOR THE ROMANIAN RED CROSS

220

FAMILIES FED FOR ONE MONTH

36

PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES

2,640

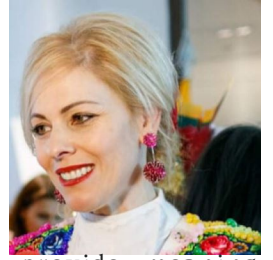
KG OF FOOD SUPPLIED

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



MULȚUMESC!

Marina Coanda Bundac
IWA Bazaar Chair



It was a great honor for me to once again set the tone, shape values and provide meaning together with the most amazing team of country coordinators. Thank you all for your commitment and for generously volunteering your time and resources!

- *Marina Coanda Bundac*

THANK YOU!

Delia Sfetcu
IWA Charity Committee Chair



On the behalf of the IWA Charity Committee, I want to express my gratitude for all the support that the international community has shown in this particular time. As a Country Coordinator, I would like to address an additional special thanks to Romanian ladies for their collaborative efforts and important donations.

Sharing your Christmas traditions, your favorites dishes, your joy and your hope for a better world made us feel that we are not alone, that now more than ever we sustain each other like a big and united family!

-*Delia Sfetcu*



Supplies ready for distribution!

2020 BAZAAR COMMITTEE

Marina Coanda Bundac
Bazaar Chair

Liana Minasyan
IWA President
Spouse of the Armenian
Ambassador

Delia Sfetcu
Charity Chair

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Samantha Petcu
IWA Treasurer

THANK YOU TO OUR INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY FOR MAKING THIS EVENT A SUCCESS!

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· Moldova · Morocco · Sovereign Order of Malta · Palestine
· Peru · Portugal · Romania · Russia · Slovenia · Serbia ·
Spain · Turkmenistan · Tunisia · Ukraine · United Arab
Emirates · United States

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