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JOHNSON CITY, TN - East Tennessee non-profit Uniting for Artem Nataliia and Ukraine (UforANU) is hosting a Mother's Day Royal Ball to benefit Ukrainian refugees in the East Tennessee region.

The charity ball for mothers and daughters will include dancing, light snacks, drinks, Ukrainian-inspired activities such as egg painting and flower crown making, and other activities to help strengthen bonds between mothers and daughters. The event will be held on Saturday, May 18th from 3 to 5 pm at the Holiday Inn at 101 W Springbrook Drive in Johnson City. Tickets are available at uforanu-ball.eventbrite.com.

"This will be a unique way for mothers to create memories with their daughter. It will be an exciting time for dressing in their finest and enjoying a mother-daughter evening of elegance and indulgence While at the same time helping families who have suffered greatly from war," said Katie Rios, founder and President of UforANU said.

All proceeds will benefit Vols for Ukraine (VFU), another East Tennessee non-profit, to aid Ukrainian refugee families in the East Tennessee region. VFU helps refugee families with paying their rent and other bills as well as help with groceries, furniture, clothing, and other necessities. VFU has recently started offering assistance for refugee children to attend music lessons.

“So often people want to help Ukrainians in their suffering, but don’t know how. We are proud to offer this enjoyable way to assist them. These Ukrainian refugee families are now our neighbors, and we are welcoming them with open arms and as much support as we can provide,” said Rios.

UforANU is a new non-profit charity that raises money for organizations providing humanitarian aid to Ukraine and/or refugees in the US. Every two months, UforANU nominates a new beneficiary and all donations raised in those months are granted to a preselected humanitarian aid program of the beneficiary. UforANU is on all social media sites: Facebook, TikTok, and Twitter as UforANU and Instagram as U4ANU.

For anyone wanting to make a difference in the Ukrainians lives, fundraising campaigns, updated information and stories are on social media or their website, uforanu.com.

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