



2018 MAJOR EVENTS CALANDAR

Please note; as events are made available and confirmed, this PDF and the website calendar will be updated so we invite you to revisit often. Support Group Activities, Educational Outreach Dinners and family events are scheduled throughout the year and in all regions of the state. Additional information, venue information locations, and registration information will be available on the individual calendar pages.

HSC's Advocacy Coalition (SCHBDAC) and Ambassador Program; 1st Quarterly Workshop Meeting

January 13, 2018- Columbia, SC., Escape Plan Columbia Meeting Room, 151 Riverchase Way, Lexington, SC. The Coalition members and Ambassador's will prepare for the Chapter's 2018 Advocacy Initiatives and State Hill Days with presentations and workshop activities. When finished, they will enjoy a team building activity as they work together with communication and team building skills to solve the escape mystery rooms and open doors. --Sponsored by HSC & Hemophilia Federation of America.

37th Annual South Carolina School Nurses Association Conference

January 26-27, 2018-Columbia---HSC will be exhibiting to raise awareness and assist in answering questions school nurses have in the care of bleeding disorders patients. Our SC HTC will be presenting with us.

Gateway to Education and Scholarships, Educational Outreach Dinner

February 8, 2018- 6:30 pm- Columbia---Sponsored by Bioverativ and HSC

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February 12, 2018- 6:30 pm- Fort Mill / Rock Hill---Sponsored by Bioverativ and HSC

HSC State Advocacy Days, State Capitol

February 27 – February 28, 2018, Columbia, SC. Marriott Courtyard Columbia Downtown at USC, 630 Assembly Street, Columbia, SC 29201. A dinner training meeting is provided on Tuesday evening with Wednesday morning meetings with South Carolina Legislators. Overnight stay included. Register here- <http://hemophiliasc.org/advocacy/advocacy-day-state-capitol-day/>

National Bleeding Disorders Awareness Month- MARCH 2018

Downtown Greenville, SC goes RED IN RECOGNITION- March 1-15th.

The Liberty Bridge in Falls Park and the Fountains will all be lit up red and the fountains water will be died red for two weeks in honor of this special month. Join us as we work to have the Mayor of Greenville present a proclamation in recognition.

A proposed dinner is being planned for March 2nd in Downtown Greenville, sponsored by Bioverativ and HSC- "The Power of Empowerment".

Join the Chapter throughout the month in different locations as we honor and recognize this special month and raise awareness for ALL bleeding disorders.

NHF Washington Days

March 7-9, 2018, Washington, DC. Hyatt Regency at Capitol Hill, 400 New Jersey Ave NW, Washington DC 20001. The National Hemophilia Foundation and members of the South Carolina Chapter and Coalition will join the bleeding disorders community throughout the nation as they gather at the Nation's Capital to have one voice for advocacy; addressing the needs and concerns of those affected by bleeding disorders with Congressional House and Senate

members of the US Congress. Information and registration here-
<https://www.hemophilia.org/Events-Educational-Programs/Washington-Days>

HSC CARE: Ladies Night Out Support Group Activity

March 13, 2018- Greenville. Join HSC and CSL Behring as we partner to provide a fun and interactive educational group activity for women with bleeding disorders, caregivers, spouses and carriers. CSL Behring Common Factors will be presenting.---Sponsored by CSL Behring

NHF Chapter Regional Meeting

April 9-12, 2018, San Francisco, Calif., Marriott San Francisco Union Square. Regional Training for all 54 NHF Chapters. HSC will be in attendance.

Southeast HTC Regional Meeting

April 15-17, 2018, Florida. HSC will be attending in support of, and in partnership with, our Treatment Centers.

World Hemophilia Day

April 17, 2018

Join HSC and HNC as we come together in honor of this special day. A special event in Charlotte, NC is being planned to light up a national monument in celebration. A dinner event will be included with a special speaker presentation. Sponsored by Bioverativ and HSC.

Par for the Clot- HSC Charity Golf Tournament Fundraiser

April 20, 2018, The Preserve at Verdae, 650 Verdae Blvd, Greenville, SC 29607. This is the Chapter's major fundraiser to support the programs, education, advocacy and services of HSC and research of the National Hemophilia Foundation. A public awareness campaign.

Hemophilia Federation of America Symposium

April 26-29, 2018, Hilton Cleveland Downtown Hotel, 100 Lakeside Avenue East, Cleveland, Ohio. ***"Together We Rock" Symposium*** is an annual community-centered educational event that draws hundreds of members from the bleeding disorder community together to share information, learn new advancements, and build a network of support. HSC will be in attendance. Join the community. Information and registration here-
<http://www.hemophiliafed.org/programs/meetings-events/educational-symposium/>

HELLO- Helping Empower Life's Learning Opportunities. HSC's Annual State Educational Conference, June 1 -2, 2018, Embassy Suites Hotel and Conference Center– 670 Verdae Blvd, Greenville, SC 29607. ***"HELLO"*** is our annual state meeting and educational conference that draws an average of 200 members from the South Carolina bleeding disorders community as they come together to share experiences, learn new information, receive education from national speakers, explore new treatment therapies information and build a network of support. This free event provided meals, hotel accommodations and childcare.

HSC - HNC Teen Retreat Camp- July 5 - 8, 2018, Camp Canaan- 3111 Sand Island Rd, Rock Hill, SC 29732. Camp Canaan is located on a 100 acre island in the Catawba River. Our teen retreat allows teens ages 13-18 years with bleeding disorders from the Carolinas to come together for a four-day teen adventure to build independence, learn self-advocacy and grow friendships to last a lifetime.

HSC's "Chapter Day" at Camp Burnt Gin (July 16-21, 2018)- Chapter Day- Possibly scheduled for July 17, 2018, Wedgefield, SC. SC DHEC Camp for Children with Special Health Needs, 567 Burnt Gin Rd, Wedgefield, SC. We will partner with the SCHTC and DHEC to provide a special "Chapter" day and event for kids with bleeding disorders from around the state and patients of the Palmetto Health Cancer and Blood Disorders Clinic.

“Keeping it Coastal” Educational Family Camp and Adult Retreat- September 21-23, 2018, Marina Inn at Grande Dunes – 8121 Amalfi Place, Myrtle Beach. A three day weekend of education, recreation, family fun networking and empowerment support. An adult workshop is provided by Inalex Communications for our adults without children. Includes all ages and brings members of the bleeding disorders community throughout the state together. Usual participation is over 200 and is free of charge to HSC members. Meals and lodging is included.

NHF 70th National Annual Meeting- October 11-13, 2018 Orlando, Florida. The event is three days full of educational sessions & networking opportunities. Registration and information here- www.hemophilia.org.

Turkey Trot Walk/Run Fundraiser- November 3, 2018, Saluda Shoals Park, Saluda Shoals Park, 6071 St. Andrews Road, Columbia, SC. This is HSC’s largest community based event to raise public awareness of hemophilia and bleeding disorders and to raise funds to support the Chapter’s programs, services and advocacy initiatives. A 5k event for the whole family, our community partners and friends.

Holiday Celebration & Year-End State Meeting - December 8, 2018, Embassy Suites Greystone Hotel, 200 Stoneridge Dr. Columbia, SC 29210-4:00-9:00pm. This event provides a motivational speaker within the bleeding disorders community, celebrates the Chapter’s year of accomplishments and mission moments and provides a view of the upcoming year ahead. A holiday dinner celebration is included with festive arts, crafts and a visit from Santa Claus.

South Carolina’s Bleeding Disorders Advisory Committee (BDAC) Meetings

Information Here- <http://hemophiliasc.org/advocacy/bleeding-disorders-advisory-committee-bdac/>

January 9, 2018, 10:00-12:00pm, Columbia

April 3, 2018, 10:00-12:00pm, Greenville

August 7, 2018, 10:00-12:0pm, Columbia

South Carolina’s Hemophilia and Bleeding Disorders Advocacy Coalition (SCHBDAC)

The Advocacy Coalition meets by conference call on the 3rd Thursday of each month and quarterly in person throughout the year. The Coalition’s mission is to empower the bleeding disorders community of South Carolina to speak to public and private decision-makers about improving Access to Quality and Affordable Healthcare and Treatment.

Information here- <http://hemophiliasc.org/advocacy/advocacy-coalition/>

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MONTHLY MEETING SCHEDULE

Meetings are held in the Richland Main Columbia Library & Greenville Office Conference Room and by conference call on the second Saturday of each month.

01.27.18- COLUMBIA- Board Retreat and Strategic Planning Meeting

02.10.18- GREENVILLE

03.10.18- COLUMBIA

04.14.18- GREENVILLE

05.12.18- COLUMBIA

06.09.18- GREENVILLE

07.14.18- COLUMBIA

08.11.18- GREENVILLE

09.08.18- COLUMBIA

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12.08.18- GREENVILLE