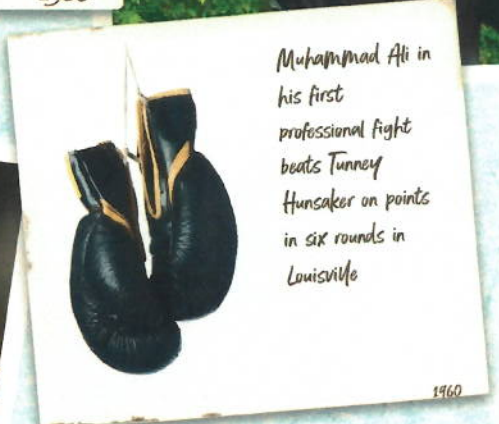
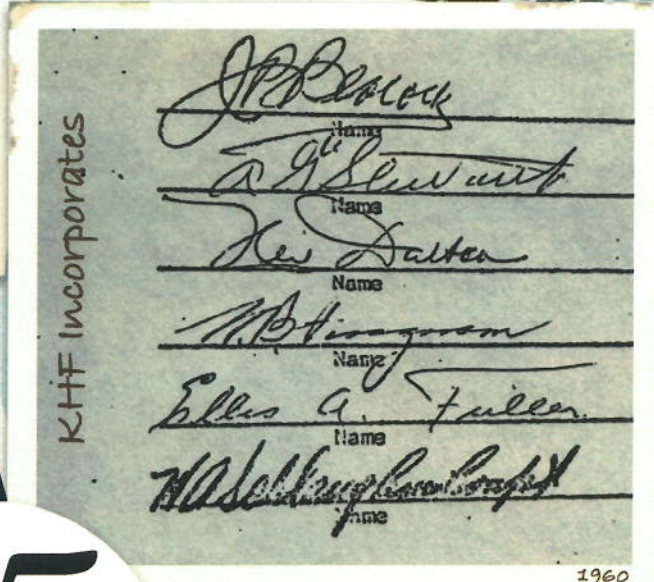
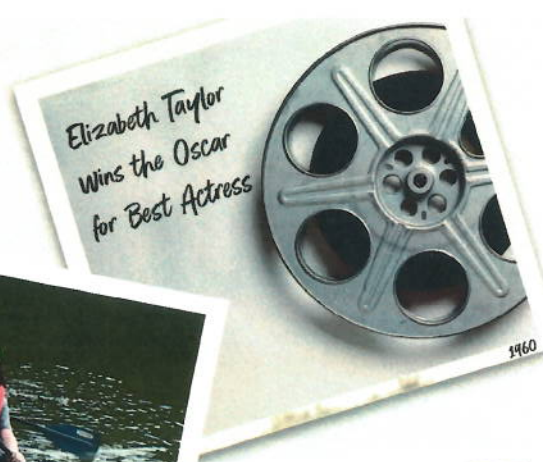




2025-2026 Annual Report



KENTUCKY HEMOPHILIA FOUNDATION

Keeping Healthy Families



How often do you knick yourself shaving, bang your elbow on a door jam, or stub your toe as you make your way to the bathroom? Chances are, like most of us, these are nearly daily occurrences, and though painful they are not life threatening. For thousands of people across the country and many in the state of Kentucky with hemophilia and similar bleeding disorders, a small bruise or cut can warrant a trip to the emergency room and requires vigilance on a daily basis to ensure good health.

KHF's Vision

KHF strives to make a positive impact on individuals' lives who have to cope with the daily challenges of living with a chronic condition.

What is KHF?

The Kentucky Hemophilia Foundation (KHF) is the Kentucky Chapter of the National Hemophilia Foundation (NHF). KHF is a private, non-profit organization established in 1960 as a support system for families affected by hemophilia and similar bleeding disorders. We fill an important role for people impacted by these conditions throughout the Commonwealth. KHF serves individuals and their families through support, education, and advocacy. More than 1000 Kentucky families used our services last year.

Whom We Serve

Bleeding disorders like hemophilia and von Willebrand disease (vWD) can affect anyone. There are approximately 800 individuals in Kentucky living with hemophilia and many more with vWD, a similar bleeding disorder. These rare bleeding disorders have no cure, require a lifetime of expensive treatment, and prevent people who have them from participating in activities that might lead to bruising or bleeding. Currently available treatment requires clotting factor to help the blood clot to be injected several times a week, every week of their lives. The costs for treatment often exceeds \$250,000 a year.

What Are Bleeding Disorders?

Hemophilia and von Willebrand disease (vWD) are inheritable, genetic bleeding disorders that cause an individual's blood not to clot properly. The clotting factor in blood normally stops the bleeding when you cut or bruise yourself. Adults and children living with these condition experience frequent, lifelong bleeding episodes due to a lack of clotting factor in their blood. For someone with hemophilia or a similar bleeding disorder, the bleeding cannot be stopped and even minor scrapes and abrasions can become serious. Bleeding into joints, muscles, and organs can occur spontaneously causing chronic pain, arthritis, other health related problems that worsen over time. They can also face secondary health issues, and persistent other challenges to daily living.

Why We Serve

The changes brought about by learning your child has a chronic condition are life altering. Having a support system that is there for you along a lifelong journey with a bleeding disorder is vitally important. We are here to:

- Provide a Kickstart Health & Fitness Awareness
- Provide a Kind Harbor for Kids and their Families
- Offer Humor, Friendship & Support

Since its incorporation in 1960, KHF has grown into a statewide health agency serving Kentucky's bleeding disorders community.

How We Serve

This year, we commemorate our 60th service anniversary in the state of Kentucky serving affected families. The key components of our programs and services are:

- Advocacy
- Support
- Education
- Health and Independence

We facilitate support, empowerment, and advocacy activities; supply information and referrals through a toll-free number; offer educational seminars about bleeding disorders and how to best live with them; provide a residential summer camp to allow children to have a shared summer experience others take for granted, and bring families together for activities and to let them know they are not alone.

Hope

Hemophilia is an invisible condition to most of us. Right now, these bleeding disorders cannot be prevented and treatment lasts a lifetime. Many advances have been made in the treatment of hemophilia and similar bleeding disorders. The development of laboratory-made recombinant clotting factor has led to the elimination of a number of clotting factor-related viral infections, and the more recent development of a product that is injected under the skin and requires fewer "shots" has increased hope for a cure.

Kentucky Hemophilia Foundation never charges for our services. KHF needs your help to continue to make our services possible. Despite our best efforts we continue to struggle to provide the support these families need. Your contribution will make a difference in the lives of families across the state who live with hemophilia. To those suffering, a little assistance goes a long way.

Kentucky Hemophilia Foundation

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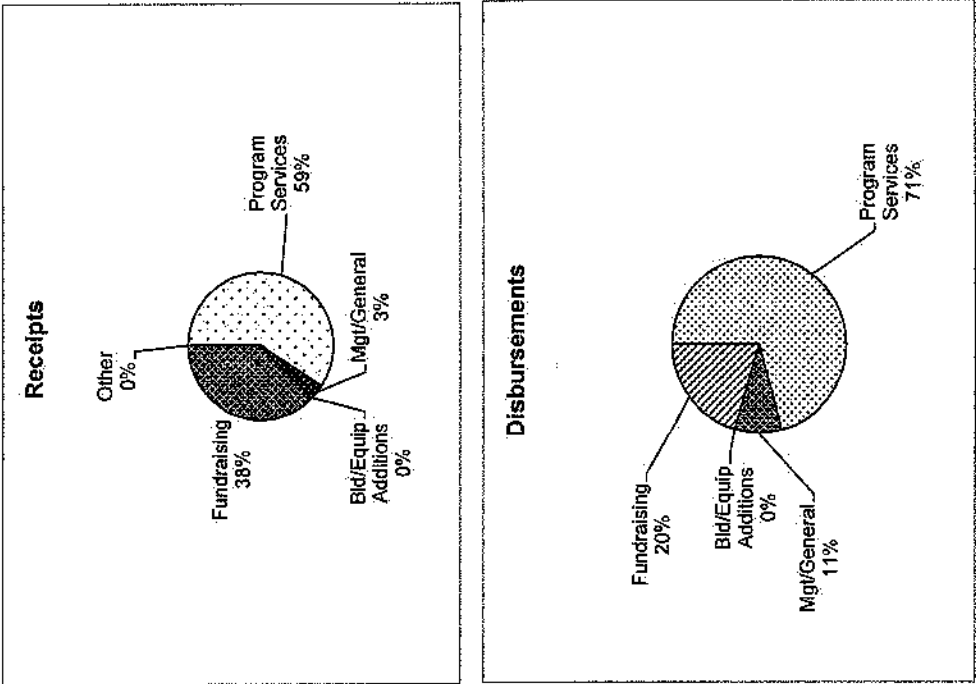
JULY 1, 2024 - JUNE 30, 2025

BEGINNING BALANCE JULY 1, 2024	541,051
RECEIPTS	293,404
DISBURSEMENTS	274,709
BALANCE JUNE 30, 2025	559,746

JULY 1, 2024 - JUNE 30, 2025

SERVICE	RECEIPTS	DISBURSEMENTS
Program Services -10	173,978	194,574
Management/General -00	9,559	24,075
Fundraising -50	109,867	56,059
Building/Equipment Additions	-	-
Total Service Receipts and Expenditures	293,404	274,709

Total Net Asset \$622,247.68



KENTUCKY HEMOPHILIA FOUNDATION (KHF)

2024 – 2025 ANNUAL REPORT

We are proud to acknowledge our 65th service anniversary this year. Since 1960, KHF has built a solid foundation within and for the bleeding disorders community in Kentucky. KHF's mission has been what drives all KHF activities throughout the year. KHF's mission is to assist people with hemophilia and similar bleeding disorders in our state by providing **education, advocacy, support services**, and to **promote research** for a cure.

KHF is a Kentucky Chapter of the National Bleeding Disorders Foundation (NBDF) formerly National Hemophilia Foundation (NHF). As an affiliate Chapter, we operate independently and with our own governance, but we are required to meet NBDF's Chapter standards that NBDF sets forth for optimal organizational, programming, and fundraising capacities and best practices. **We are the longest serving charitable organization in Kentucky that exists for the sole purpose of serving Kentucky's bleeding disorders community.** We are a state-wide, non-profit health charity. KHF relies on many volunteers to help carry out its mission and raise needed funds to pay for programs and services. Nearly **one hundred** volunteers from all parts of the state are involved in this year-round undertaking.

KHF is a 501 (c) (3) charitable organization, federal tax ID: 61-0656750. We do not receive any direct government funding; **nor is there ever a fee to the recipient for services provided. KHF is a Better Business Bureau Accredited Charity.** Being a BBB Accredited Charity means that KHF has met the Better Business Bureau's 20 Standards for Charity Accountability.

Historically, most of our funds are raised through yearly special events. Our winter gala, which features a new theme and has been renamed KHFiesta, golf scramble, and two flower sales have been our primary fundraisers for the past twenty-six to forty-two years. In addition, we request grants and contributions from corporate, individual, and other charitable giving entities. Since there is a limited life cycle attached to special events, we focus on new funding sources and new ways to raise money. Eleven years ago, we embarked on a new fundraiser that promised to be a win-win activity going forward for all involved. We joined the National Bleeding Disorders Foundation's Unite Walk Program, which has spelled success on many fronts and has resulted in a new revenue stream for participating Chapters, including ours.

Your participation in the Unite Walk is CRITICAL to its peer-fundraising success! We are very appreciative and proud that our Kentucky Bleeding Disorders Community has accepted and met this challenge! Based on the success of the previous eleven Unite Walks, we are confident that our Unite Walk will continue to grow.



We are also continuing with our fund development plan, which was adopted by our Board of Directors nineteen years ago, to grow our annual giving campaign and consistently broaden our base of individual donors to ensure long-term existence and operational viability for KHF. For many years, our annual giving campaign jump started with a very generous leadership gift of **\$25,000** that we received from Mr. & Mrs. Forcht of Corbin, Kentucky. This annual challenge gift set the bar high during that time for us to meet their challenge with gifts from other donors, gifts from our Board of Directors, gifts from members of the Kentucky bleeding disorders community, and individual and corporate gifts from the community at large. **A gift of \$1,000 will list you as a Forcht Society Donor. Please help us to continue in this vein to sustain a successful annual giving campaign each year going forward.**

The growth of the annual giving campaign combined with the growth of our Unite Walk and new fundraising pursuits will shape and sustain the long-term future of KHF.

This past year, in addition to our tenth annual Unite Walk, we held our third annual KHFiesta fundraiser, and our 36th annual Play a Round for a Cure golf scramble. We concentrated our efforts on making ends meet, operated within our budget parameters, and maintained our program activities spectrum and service levels. This "tightened belt" approach throughout the year along with a continuing focus on fundraising diversification has served us well and has ensured that we keep operational expenses in check as we experience diminishing support from industry and the corporate sector.

For the long-term, we clearly NEED your support and that of the larger community to help secure KHF's continued financial viability for the benefit of Kentucky's bleeding disorders community.

Today, however, we want to acknowledge and thank those individuals, companies, and philanthropic organizations who supported us this past year - many of them on an ongoing basis.

Our top financial supporters were at the **\$82,100** level Kosair for Kids; at the **\$24,850** level Sanofi; and at the **\$21,850** level Takeda. Followed at the **\$18,048** level by Novo Nordisk and at the **\$14,450** level by CSL Behring.

Primary supporters were the Hemophilia Alliance Foundation at the **\$8,000** level; CVS Health at the **\$7,500** level; Genentech and Soleo Health at the **\$6,600** level; the WHAS Crusade for Children at the **\$6,200** level; and LTC (R) John & Patricia Tharp at the **\$5,250** level.

Significant supporters at the **\$3,000-\$4,250** level were BioMatrix, InfuCare Rx, Octapharma, Pfizer, Mr. & Mrs. Terry Forcht, and Siskin Steel & Supply.

The next important levels of support were the **\$1,000-\$2,600** level: Paragon Healthcare, Accredo, Optum Rx, Karen Lucky, PhRMA, Bayer HealthCare, Kelly Blake, William Gamble, Grifols, GS Steel, HEMA Biologics, Intouch Group, and Republic Bank & Trust Company. Hunter & Nathan Hill, Paragon Hemophilia Solutions, and PhRMA; **\$800-\$950+** level: Glen & Deborah Hitt, National Bleeding Disorders Foundation, Megan & Brian Davidson, and Ursela & Milton Kamala; **\$500-\$750** level: Dianne Hardman, Pamela Howard, William D. Stewart, Sr., Kosair Golf Club, Alan Froula, Kroger Community Rewards, Anonymous, and J. E. Dunn Construction Charitable Fund; **\$250-\$450** level: Mr. & Mrs. Henry W. Boyd, III, David Wayne, Adam McHone, Daniel Cieslak, Debra Duff, PayPal Giving Fund, Tommy Kilcourse, Aaron Lopez, Marwood Manufacturing, Michael A. Gatton, Kosair Boat Club, Shelby County Shrine Club, William Black, Daniel Ratterman, Stacey Retic, Sadalia Sturgill/Lebanon Junction First Baptist Church, Bob Crawford, Barbara W. Grayson, J.T. & S. A. Hoekstra, Pargov Steel Detailing, Peter Podlesnik, Royce Rogers, William Stopher, and Linnzi Wayne; **\$100-\$245** level: Brandon Boian, Rania & Naji Salem, Gary McHone, Charities Aid Foundation America, Samuel Gabehart, Victoria Madden, Ronnie Poynter, Richard Reeve, Janice Richey, John Wayne, Laura & Glenn Webb, Danny & Sharon Schroeder, Jason Bowman, Melody McHone, Sam Browning, Brian Rhodes, Chris Kukla, Chuck Bratcher, Don Wolfe, Mason Stout, Melissa & Patrick Wilkerson, Cliff Routon, Jr., American Online Giving, Mona & Tracey Lucky, Monica Poynter, Darrell Layman, Shannon Johns, Vince Poma, John Plumeri, Mike Anderson, Greg Fiscus, Case Bradford, Brandon Johnson, Lisa Blair, David Blount, Karina Brown, Susan Burtoft, Carter Carpenter, Commonwealth of Kentucky, Susan Dodson, Brandy Fox, Delinda Garrison, John & Leah Graham, Tammy Gray, Arthur Hackman, Dr. David P. & Leslie Houvenagle, Curtis Jacobs, Kentucky Medical Association, Mary Henson Circle, Eric & Venus Marcum, Michael McCollum, Briana McLaughlin, Cory & Whitney Meadows, Keith L. Peterson, Ricky & Kathy Rogers, Louis & Debra Rowe, Mike Ryan, Dr. Thad Schulten, Schwab Charitable, Susan Sketch, Nancy Ward, and Wes Wayne; **\$50-\$99** level: Tim Kelly, Jason Miller, Jaque Moran, Brandon Mullins, Jay Neubacher, Kyle Pierce, Mike Ray, John Schmidt, Braxton Troutman, Nicholas Ingemi, Marty & Heather Terry, Ken & Brenda Reiss, Chuck Woods, Kelly Barth, Steve Holland, Hubert Huffman, Mike Wheeler, W. C. & S. K. Meadows, Patrick & Elizabeth Padgett, Sandra Rawlings, Stan Hankins, Cathy Rosenfeld, Gary Doyle, Charles Fowler, Josh Geer, Mike Baltimore, David Currie, Kathleen & Richard Eigelbach, Karie English, L. & S. Hall, Holly Hinton-Morgan, James & Shannon Hoskins, Lisa Jacobson, Kenlie Place Patio Homes Association, Pat Leshner, Steve Leshner, Vivian Marcum, Charles & Cheri Music, Michael Norwood, Alex Pepper, Stacey Powell, Mr. & Mrs. James Ray, Salter, Southeast Stair Inc., Stacey Sutton, F. Vamoas, Kim Wayne, James & Janie Weiss, Doug Wilson, and Bradley; **up to \$49** level: April Zimmerman, Patrick & Jennifer Dunegan, Keith Brown, Eddie Clemerson, Harley & Jean Smallwood, Ron Thurman, Judy Hayes in memory of Jason Hayes, H. Strand Kramer, Jr. & Evelyn Barr Kramer, Victoria Mason, Sarah Richardson, Mariem Abdallahi, Tina Gage, Zackary Howe, Barbara R. Kinnaird, Michelle Lyons, Travis Price, Patty Shewmaker, Dr. Donald Stokes, Susie Circle of Hope, Connie Wilkerson, Mary Beth Yeager, Immanuel UCC, Ray Kaelin, Veyer, Scott Beckham, Greg & Tamara Carter, Dawn Grant, James & Anna Huff, Todd Schelb, Nita Wayne-Zehnder, and Jessica Wayne.

Income from flower sales, online walk donations, golf contests, and raffles is not listed here.

We thank all those individuals, companies, and philanthropic organizations who supported us throughout the year financially, in-kind, or through volunteer service for their commitment to our cause and our ability to carry out our mission!

Looking Ahead

Two months into the new fiscal year, we again look forward to a productive, proactive, and hopefully prosperous year at KHF. Prosperity for us means raising enough money to be able to pay for the programs and services we provide and end the year with a balanced budget.

We thank our Board of Directors for their leadership and wisdom this past year and for charting the course toward a sustainable future for KHF. We also thank all our faithful and enthusiastic volunteers for contributing their time, talents, and support. Their combined efforts along with support from our contributors will move our organization forward for the worthwhile cause that unites, motivates, and guides us, namely, to provide **education, advocacy, support services** to individuals with hemophilia and similar bleeding disorders in Kentucky and to **promote research** for a cure.

Submitted by
Ursela Kamala

Ursela Kamala
September 13, 2025

Thank You



We appreciate your generous support!

2024 – 2025 Kentucky Hemophilia Foundation Memberships

We thank all members of the Kentucky Hemophilia Foundation for
their support during the 2024–2025 program year

Individual/Family

Memberships, 20

James P. Huff

Nita (Waneta) Wayne-Zehnder

Supporting Memberships, \$35

Judy Hayes

in memory of Jason Hayes

Evelyn Barr Kramer

Victoria & Matt Mason

Stacey Powell

James A. Ray

Sarah Richardson

Patron Membership, \$50

Vivian Marcum

Holly Hinton-Morgan

Charles & Cheri Music

Sustaining Memberships, \$100

John & Leah Graham

Dr. David & Leslie Houvenagle

Cory & Whitney Meadows

Keith L. Peterson

Laura & Glenn Webb

Benefactor Memberships, \$250

Henry W. Boyd, III

Megan & Brian Davidson

Barbara W. Grayson

Champion Members,

\$2,000

LTC (R) John & Patricia
Tharp

2024 – 2025 Kentucky Hemophilia Foundation
18th Annual Fund Drive

*We thank the following individuals and companies for their generous support of
the 2024 - 2025 Fund Drive*

Donation Total,
\$8,000+

Various
Corporate
Donations &
Miscellaneous
Fundraising

Donors, \$3,000 +
Terry & Marion
Forcht

Forcht Society
Donors, \$2,000+
LTC (R) John &
Patricia Tharp

Donors, \$400 - \$500

Kroger Community
Rewards
David Wayne
in honor of Nita Wayne-Zehnder

Donors, \$300+
Michael A. Gatton
for Camp
PayPal Giving Fund

Donors, \$200+
Henry W. Boyd, III
First Baptist Church
Lebanon Junction
Royce Rogers
William Stopher

Donors, \$100+
David Blount
Greg Fiscus
Brandy Fox
Arthus Hackman
Parker Hannifin

Kathy Rogers
in honor of Andy Rogers
Nancy Ward

Donors, \$50+
Mike Baltimore
Scott Currie
Stan Hankins
Shannon Hoskins
Shannon Johns
Sande Rawlings

Donors, \$25+
Circle of Hope
Boutique
Dr. Donald Stokes
Ashlee M. Wolf

Thank You!

Slate of Officers 2025 - 2026

President

Whitney Meadows, Year 1

Vice President

Jennifer Dunegan, Year 1

Treasurer

Bradley Woods, Year 1

Secretary

Mason Stout, Year 1

Slate of Directors 2025 – 2026

New Directors Whose Terms Expire in 2028

Glen Hitt, Sr., Retired, Shelbyville (1st term)

Aisha R. Irvin, Turning Point Brands, Regulatory Affairs Specialist, Louisville, (2nd term)

Bradley Woods, IT Project Coordinator, U of L Health, Louisville (1st term)

Director Whose Term Expires in 2027

Trevor Black, Marwood Manufacturing, Sales Manager, Louisville (1st Term)

Jennifer Dunegan, GSSI, Executive Director, Louisville, (2nd term)

Mason Stout, Godby Realty & Auction, Administrative Assistant, Somerset, (2nd term)

Director Whose Term Expires in 2026

Whitney Meadows, Field Representative, US Senate, Louisville, (1st Term)

Directors Whose Terms Expire in 2025

Andrew Hartmans, MDiv, Cedar Ridge, Executive Director, Fisherville, (2nd term)

Aisha R. Irvin, Turning Point Brands, Regulatory Affairs Specialist, Louisville, (1st term)

Eric Marcum, BSN, The Brook Hospital Dupont, Director of Outpatient Services, Prospect, (2nd term)

Directors Who Are Rotating Off in 2025

Andrew Hartmans, MDiv, Cedar Ridge, Executive Director, Fisherville, (2nd term)

Eric Marcum, BSN, The Brook Hospital Dupont, Director of Outpatient Services, Prospect, (2nd term)

Note: Directors may serve two consecutive three-year terms; Officers may serve two years per Officer position.

WHAT DOES KHF STAND FOR?

The Kentucky Hemophilia Foundation (KHF) stands for more than a thousand families across Kentucky whose lives revolve around incurable bleeding disorders and related health complications. What we do is provide a safety net of education, advocacy, and support services. Our programs and services help guide those families through the daily challenges of living with a chronic illness.

Outreach & Support

Outreach efforts focus on affected families offering many support activities and a source for information and encouragement.

Other support services we offer:

- Bicycle Helmets and other Child Safety Items
- Clinic, Home, and Hospital Visits
- Emergency Financial, Transportation, and Lodging Assistance
- "On the Road" Outreach and Peer Outreach
- School Presentations, Seminars, Health Fairs and other Educational Meetings
- Medic Alert Emblems
- Recreational Activities
- Toll-free "800 Answers" Line
- Fun Fund-raisers and more

Advocacy

- Legislative Advocacy Activities including annual Advocacy Day at the Capitol in Frankfort

Education

- Educational Literature and Video Resource Library
- Educational seminars
- Mentoring program for teens as they transition into adulthood
- Annual education meeting with nationally known speakers
- Scholarships for post-secondary educational pursuits
- Hemosphere newsletter
- C.A.R.E.S — cultural and recreational enrichment scholarship program
- Updates on advocacy, education, and KHF events and activities and other educational mailings
- Family camp is an opportunity for positive family interaction in a stress-free and recreational setting that provides parents an insight into some of the programming and activities that their kids will experience at summer camp

Health & Independence

- Summer camp for children and youths with bleeding disorders and their siblings combines life skills education and leadership development with outdoor adventure
- Men's Retreat allows men to frankly discuss the effects of living with a bleeding disorder
- Women's Retreat offers an opportunity for women and teens with von Willebrand disease (vWD) to discuss women-specific issues

Hope

Many advances have been made in the treatment of hemophilia. The development of laboratory-made recombinant DNA clotting factor has led to the elimination of a number of infusion-related viral infections. Thanks to changes like these, men, women, and children with a bleeding disorder can now participate in a healthier, more active life.

KHF Activities

Highlights July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025

2024 KHF Summer Camp – “Camp Discovery”



The 2024 summer camp was a wonderful experience for all the kids and teens who participated. KHF's "Camp Discovery" takes place at Cedar Ridge Camp in Louisville, KY. A jam-packed activities schedule did not leave an opportunity for boredom or homesickness. Summer camp is such a meaningful and impactful program for every camper. Each participant had a blast competing every day in the "Games of Games," playing "Capture the Flag," swimming, purchasing items in the "Canteen" with virtual dollars earned, and so much more.

The final night event featured a Hawaiian/Polynesian theme reflected by food, beverages, decorations, and music. Every camp participant received a medal for completing the camp program and a certificate of achievement. We thank all our dedicated volunteers who made sure that lots of fun was had in a safe environment, our infirmiry nurses who took excellent care of our campers' medical needs, and our sponsors who helped make summer camp possible.



2024 KHF Annual Meeting – Summer Family Event

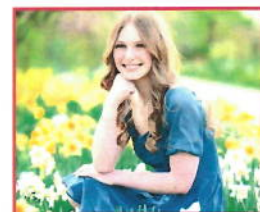


This event is our major education forum every year in late summer/early fall. Speakers presented cutting edge information pertinent to all attending bleeding disorder families. In 2024, topics were "Bleeding Disorders Care – Past, Present, and Future," "Bleeds: How to Recognize and Respond," and "Stop Waiting: Six Principles of Empowerment. Exhibitors engaged with our community and informed them of available products and services. Breakfast and lunch provided welcome interludes. Children's activities and door prizes rounded out the event. KHF recognized outgoing board members, Patrick Dunegan and Travis Price. Travis also received the award of outstanding volunteer for thirteen years of

exceptional volunteer service and leadership as a KHF Camp Counselor. The membership elected officers for FY 24/25. They are Eric Marcum, President, Andrew Hartmans, VP/Treasurer, and Aisha Irvin, Secretary, and they welcomed Trevor Black as a new director on the KHF board.

2024 Fall Scholarship Awards

We awarded two \$500 Scholarships for post-secondary education. The Herb Schlaughenhout, Jr. Memorial Scholarship was awarded to Emily Wolf from Union, Kentucky. She graduated from Boone County's Randall K. Cooper High School and was on her school's Honor Roll all four years of high school, received multiple awards, was active in school clubs, and led several school councils. She is a freshman at the University of Kentucky with a major in Marketing and expecting to graduate with a degree in Business Administration.



The Theodore (Ted) L. Forcht Memorial Scholarship was awarded to Kensey Marie Clayton. She graduated from Bethlehem High School in Bardstown and was on her school's Honor Roll all four years of high school as well. She was active in soccer and basketball and held multiple leadership positions in school clubs and councils. She is a freshman at the University of Kentucky Lewis Honors College majoring in Finance and expecting to graduate with a degree in Finance and a Minor in International Business. We congratulated the two recipients for their accomplishments and awards and wished them a great freshman semester.



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2024 KHF Young Leader Awards

The Young Leader Awards are held annually at our Annual Meeting for teens and young adults, ages 17-25, who have demonstrated excellence in leadership in specific areas of service with KHF. This year, we recognized six amazing young leaders who have demonstrated their leadership skills during the past 12 months, August 2023 – July 2024. Young Leader Awards were presented for demonstrated exceptional leadership to Taylor Currie, Elijah Eke, Sam Johnson, Quinn Jackson, Marissa Johns, Izzi Woods, and Jackson Woods.

2024 Unite for Bleeding Disorders Walk



The 11th Annual KHF Unite Walk once again did not disappoint. This Walk and Community Event celebrates the fundraising efforts of our walkers and walk teams. Twelve teams from across Kentucky and several individual walkers participated in our eleventh annual Walk at E. P. "Tom" Sawyer State Park. The weather was perfect for a walk in the park. Colorful Halloween decorations awaited our walkers on this gorgeous day in October. The aroma of hot dogs and hamburgers soon filled the air to the backdrop of children's laughter and the DJ's Halloween music. After the walk, participants enjoyed those freshly grilled hot dogs and hamburgers prepared by

Eric Marcum, board president and Travis Price, long-term volunteer. Pumpkin painting, pinatas, balloon animals, candies, and the costume contest entertained the many kids who came with their families.



The highlight of the walk celebration was the awards ceremony. Top teams were Team Tag and Trey's Turtles from Bowling Green in 1st place with \$7,025; Team Levi from Cynthiana in 2nd place with \$2,085; and Team XL from Louisville in 3rd place with \$1,520. Each of the top three winning team captains received an inscribed glass award. All top three team members received a medal and a commemorative KHF to-go cup. The top three individual fundraisers also received an inscribed glass award. The recipients were Monica Poynter in 1st place with \$5,200; Levi & Hunter Hill in 2nd place with \$2,060; and Diane Hardman in 3rd place with \$1,295.

We applaud and appreciate the tremendous fundraising efforts conducted by these teams and extend our utmost thanks to them as well as to the other teams and walkers. We also thank our staff and volunteers who contributed so much to the Walk's success. They were Madison Bowles, Lindsay Martin, Eric Marcum, Travis Price, Pam Price, Milton Kamala, Connie Thacker and Kayden, Laura Webb, and Patrick and Jennifer Dunegan. The Walk raised a total of \$28,257 for KHF's programs and services for Kentucky's bleeding disorders community.



Gettin' in the Game



The 2024 Gettin' in the Game Junior Championship sponsored by CSL Behring took place in Henderson, Nevada. Children and teens from across the country gathered to compete in the disciplines of baseball, basketball, golf, and swimming. KHF nominated two Kentucky boys, Nikolai Smith from Shepherdsville and Elias Lowrie from Bowling Green. They both stretched their wings in the baseball competition and had a "ball" doing so.

2024 Poinsettia Fundraiser

Many thanks to our faithful volunteers for helping us make our annual poinsettia fundraiser once again a success! In total, we sold nearly 1,000 plants. This year's poinsettias were beautiful in vibrant colors of red, pink, and winter white. Everyone was very complimentary regarding the quality of our poinsettias, and all our customers seemed pleased. Our primary supporters of this fundraiser are Louisville and southern Indiana churches and businesses as well as churches in Owensboro, Lebanon Junction, Shelbyville, and Lexington. We extend our gratitude to all supporters and

KHF Activities

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to our volunteers who promoted this fundraiser and took orders from family members, friends, co-workers, neighbors, and fellow church members. They are Sharon McMahan, Sadalia Sturgill, Eric Marcum, Deborah Hitt, Myra Loeser, Dr. Joseph H. Cieslak, and April Zimmerman for placing orders. Proceeds from the poinsettia fundraiser benefit our programs and services for Kentucky's bleeding disorders community.



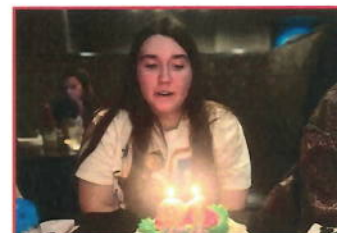
2024 Year-End Family Event

The Year-End Family Event is a time for bleeding disorder families to get together at the German-American Club in Louisville and celebrate the season. Everyone enjoyed the festive atmosphere and the children's growing excitement. Bake contest, "ugly" tie contest, silent auction, door prizes, gifts for kids by Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus, DJ Axel's music, and delicious hors d'oeuvres prepared by Chef John Taylor contributed to a special holiday celebration. Tira Miller won the 29th Annual Bake Contest with her Pumpkin Cupcakes topped with Cream Cheese Frosting. She selected the large, two-section crockpot as her well-deserved prize. The winners of the "Ugly Tie Contest" were Emily Beard, 1st place and Nathaniel Beard, 2nd place. 3rd place was shared by Adeline Beard and Kari Grever. These creative individuals all received a gift card for their unique contest entries. We thank our exhibitors who sponsored this event and who helped make this wonderful celebration possible. Many thanks also to our staff and day-of-event volunteers who were essential to the event's success. They were Madison Bowles, Sam Johnson, Patrick and Jennifer Dunegan, Connie Thacker, Pam Price, Shannon and Marissa Johns, and Milton Kamala.

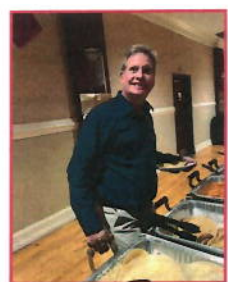


2025 Spring Scholarship

KHF extends congratulations to its 2025 spring semester scholarship recipient! Marissa Johns of Shepherdsville was awarded the \$500 Betty Meadors Mattingly Memorial Scholarship. Marissa is on a pre-med tract at the University of Louisville majoring in Neuroscience. She expects to graduate in May 2026 and has her sights set on attending Medical School. Marissa is a member of the National Bleeding Disorders Foundation's National Youth Leadership Institute and a valued counselor at KHF's Camp Discovery.



2025 KHFiesta Fundraiser



KHFiesta surpassed our expectations once again in 2024. This fiesta-style fundraiser embodies unbridled fun for a very worthy cause. The food, the music, the decorations, and the atmosphere meld into a colorful, fabulous event that is uplifting and enjoyed all who attend. Gustavo's provided authentic Mexican Cuisine, and the talented Miki Galban del Val entertained with contemporary Latin tunes and popular pop music. John Silletto and friends captured our guests' attention with their casino-style gaming, which featured blackjack, Poker, and Roulette, while the Grand Prize drawing and 50/50 raffle added another exciting gaming option. The Grand Prize, a suitcase filled with a multitude of bourbons and other spirits, was won by Hubert Huffman. Much attention was paid to a sought-after array of silent auction items as well. We thank all our sponsors and donors

for their support. Sponsors and donors were CSL Behring, Novo Nordisk, Kosair for Kids, Republic Bank & Trust

Company, Kosair Boat Club, Shelby County Shrine Club, and Mr. & Mrs. Glen Hitt, Sr. We also thank all our volunteers. They were Nick Ingemi, Marissa Johns, Sam Johnson, Milton Kamala, Eric Marcum, Karen Moseley, Pam Price, Travis Price, and especially John Silletto and his gaming volunteers. They were Tom Gerstle, Ed Gould, Dan Josephs, Aaron Silletto, Mike Smith, and Jimmy Maricle. Furthermore, we thank musician Miki Galban del Val, auctioneer Bob Frye, magician Ken Abbott, our KHFiesta Planning Committee chaired by Whitney Meadows, and our Board members. The event raised \$22,000 for KHF's programs and services.



KHF Activities

Highlights July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025

2025 Family Day at the Louisville Zoo

The 2025 Family Day at the Louisville Zoo was once again a resounding success. This was our 26th annual gathering of bleeding disorders families from across Kentucky. Under sunny skies at Louisville's magnificent zoo, this family-oriented event offered something for everyone to enjoy. After our guests toured the animal exhibits, they relaxed at the Oasis Tent with a delicious picnic lunch, while their little ones had fun playing our carnival games and relished

winning great prizes. A drawing for door prizes equally delighted the adults. This event provides respite and relaxation for our bleeding disorders families and an opportunity to visit with friends and make new friends.

We thank our exhibitors who provided valuable treatment information by discussing their products and services. Many thanks also to our volunteers and staff, who helped us facilitate this wonderful event. They were Madison Bowles, Patrick and Jennifer Dunegan, Marissa Johns, Sam Johnson, Nick Ingemi, and Pam Price.



36th Annual Play a Round for a Cure Golf Scramble

The KHF Golf Scramble has a thirty-six-year history of success. This year's fundraiser was no different, when it took place in early June at Glen Oaks Country Club in Prospect. Twenty-one teams headed out on the well-maintained course on a pleasant day with a tolerable heat index.



Their golf carts were loaded with a hearty box lunch, snacks, and cold beverages and plenty of "Go Low" helpers, such as Mulligans, Hitting from the Ladies' Tee, Throw, 'String Forward," and more. After golf, the players enjoyed a hearty dinner, bidding on attractive silent auction items, purchasing 50/50 and Ball Drop chances, and chatting with their teammates before the awards ceremony. The top three teams were in 1st place "The Pioneers," in 2nd place "Salty Sailors," and in 3rd place "Brian Davidson Team. The Longest Drive and Longest/Straightest Drive winners were Matt Holland and Mike

Ryan. Closest-to-the-pin winners were DJ Axel, Owen Wetzel, and Milton Kamala. The 50/50 raffle was won by Shannon Johns and the Ball Drop by Deborah Santiago. Great excitement erupted when the #1 team members were presented with the KHF Champions Golf Jackets to wear during the awards dinner period for a well-deserved photo op.



We thank all our sponsors, donors, contributors, and volunteers for their generous support. Our sponsors were Novo Nordisk, Bronze Level; CSL Behring and LTC (R) John & Patricia Tharp, in memory of Gary F. Bandy, Team Plus Sponsors; Kosair for Kids, Team Sponsor. Player Foursomes were "The Realtors," "Brandon's Bombers," "Team COPY," "Brian Davidson Team," "I Was With Gary Doyle," "Fairways & Greens," "Glen Hitt & Friends," "Matt Holland's Team," "The Horsemen," "Kaelin's Krew," "Kosair Golf Club," "Milton & Friends," "William Black

& Friends," "Salty Sailors," "The Pioneers," "Vince Poma & Friends," and "The Woodsmen." We also thank our Golf Planning Committee chaired by William Black and our staff and day-of-event volunteers. They were Madison Bowles, Glen Hitt, Sr., Matt Holland, Shannon Johns, Milton Kamala, Susan Leffew, Vince Poma, Pam Price, Stacey Retic, and William Black. Proceeds from this fundraiser help fund our programs and services for Kentucky's bleeding disorders community. The event raised \$20,000.

