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Executive Director

You know that we directly assist people with bleeding disorders in developing countries around the world, but you might not know that our sponsors and donors are international, too!

Of 560 sponsors in our sponsorship program, for example, 45 (8%) are from 14 countries. They live in Australia (our largest, with twelve sponsors), Canada, Denmark, Germany, Iceland, Israel, Italy, the Netherlands, New Zealand, the Philippines, Romania, Sweden, Switzerland and the United Kingdom (our second largest, with nine). All share the experience of living with a bleeding disorder. All care about touching the life of a person who shares the same experience, but in more difficult circumstances.

Our recent participation in the World Federation of Hemophilia's congress in Scotland strengthened our appreciation of our important mission, as many representatives from the patient organizations we work with came to thank us, our donors and our sponsors for the invaluable support we provide at the grassroots level--person to person, life to life.

All of us--sponsors, donors, program partners and beneficiaries--deserve to be proud of this unique organization that connects our worldwide community in such a personal way. Thank you for being a part of Save One Life!

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Save One Life at the HFA Symposium and WFH Congress



Save One Life's board member and mountaineer Chris Bombardier (left) with endurance cyclist Chris Seistrup at HFA's symposium.

Save One Life had opportunities to exhibit at the HFA Symposium in

Welcome New Sponsors!

Amanda Amrani Michael Deeb Dalene Dobitz Jon Freeman Hemophilia Foundation of Southern California Kelly Trythall Rita Wintermoyer

We thank these current sponsors who took additional beneficiaries:

Patrick and Julie Gimlett

Sponsorship Announcement

Starting July 1 new sponsorships will be \$35 per month.

Current sponsorships will increase to \$35 per month in January 2019.

For current sponsors who wish to remain at \$22 per month starting 2019, please inform

Jodi Weeks

so that we can take note. Thank you!



Please sponsor nine-year-old Arif today!

A Special Thanks **Our Recent Donors**

In Memory of Barry Haarde

Priscilla Oren

Are You Aware?

Cleveland, OH and the WFH Congress in Glasgow, Scotland in April and May, respectively. We were happy to meet many sponsors and share our work with visitors at HFA, and to meet many program partners at WFH!



President Laurie Kelley and executive director Martha Hopewell with *Mr.* and *Mrs.* Nurul Islam from the Hemophilia Society of Bangladesh.



Our Europe development liaison (and volunteer) Marelle Hart with Megan Adediron (next to Marelle) and members of the Nigerian delegation.

A Sponsor Visit to Kenya

Our new sponsor, Jon Freeman, visited the Jose Memorial Hemophilia Society where he spoke with our key contact, Sarah Mumbi, about hemophilia care and Save One Life's impact in Kenya. Together they ventured to the home of his new beneficiary, six-year-old Israel Kuria. Jon enjoyed meeting this sweet little boy and his family, and gifted them with a refrigerator to store factor for Israel's bleeds.

Hemophilia Awareness Campaign

Anonymous Anton Pieter and Marelle Hart Roodhuijzen Leslie Jacobsen Kin Kam Rene Lebron Karen Lee Gail Liberman Eileen Morrow Derek Nelson Sunder Selvaraj Ernestine Summers Colleen Underwood Paul and Nicole Van Gerwen Amy Wang

Scholarship Program

Scott Alley Terri Cowger Hill

> Micro-Enterprise Grant Program

Kerry Messer Hannah Russell

Smile on Summer Camp Fund

Kristine Adams Darlene Dusevic Kerry Messer Anissa Rasheta

Mission Support

Daniel Freedman Patrick Robert

Endowment Gift

Richard and Wendy Gaton

2017 Annual Report



Read our 2017 annual report by clicking <u>here</u>.

2018 Goals

Goal 1: 1500 sponsorships *To date: 1440 (96%)*

> Goal 2: 65 scholarships *To date: 15 (23%)*

Goal 3: 30 micro-enterprise grants (MEGs) *To date: 22 (73%)*

Help a student go to



Sponsor Jon Freeman with his beneficiary, Israel Kuria, in Kenya.



A happy family thanks to a sponsor's generosity!

A Positive Outcome for a Scholarship Graduate

"I am happy to inform you that I started my first job in a very big Indian multinational company as a junior executive in the audit and inspection department. I am located in their Guwahati regional office, which controls all the northeastern branches of the company.

This would never have been possible without the financial help of Save One Life. The scholarship I received helped me complete my master's in finance. My family and I will never forget your crucial support." college or a family increase their income

Donate Now

In Memoriam

We are sad to share the loss of these young men in April and May. May they rest in peace.



Akash, 22, Nepal, from kidney and liver complications while hospitalized.



Jani, 14, India, from a viral fever while hospitalized.

2018 Corporate Sponsors

We acknowledge these corporations for their valuable organizational support in 2018:

Diamond







Subhash K. Jha



Subhash also serves as vice president of finance for his hemophilia chapter.

Welcome Indore and Calicut chapters of Hemophilia Federation (India)

After two successful assessment visits by our India program coordinator, Usha Parthasarathy, we welcomed two more program partners in India. Calicut joins our program partners in Kunnamkulam and Angamaly in the state of Kerala, and Indore is our first program partner located in the state of Madhya Pradesh. This brings our total of program partners to 48.



Usha meeting a potential beneficiary and his mother at Calicut chapter.



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Usha celebrated World Hemophilia Day with members during her assessment visit to Indore chapter.

Save the Date!

On **Sunday, August 12** we will mount our bikes to make a memorial trip from Odiorne Point State Park in Rye, New Hampshire to Wallis Sands Beach (six miles away) where Barry completed his first historic ride across the United States in 2012. President Laurie Kelley will lead the pack and once arrived, riders will dip their bicycle wheels in the Atlantic in memory of Barry. Once back at Odiorne Point we will enjoy educational presentations and a summer picnic.



Don't miss this special occasion! More information to come in June!

Your Save One Life Team



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