

Insuring Our Futures

MANY THANKS...

To those of you attending the September meeting. What a great kickoff for the year.

NO "COPAY" BREAKFAST

Our version of recent no copay drug plans, the Board would like to show its appreciation at the October and November meetings by providing breakfast to SAHU members FREE OF CHARGE! Our next meeting is Tuesday, October 6th at 7:45 a.m.

SPEAKER – DR. MICHAEL BRYANT

Please join us as Dr. Bryant from Doctor's Direct Healthcare speaks on "What is Missing from the Healthcare Reform Discussion?"

Please RSVP for breakfast to kelly@ebenconcepts.com.



Welcome New Board of Directors

Mel Schlesinger inducts the new SAHU officers

Letter from your SAHU President

We held our first membership meeting of the year on September 1st. We had a great turnout with our NO COPAY breakfast including some returning members that we don't see very often! We tried a new format that many other state chapters already follow with no committee reports. Also successful was a networking time preceding breakfast. NAHU Vice President Mel Schlesinger was our speaker. As always, Mel is always a great speaker to get members motivated. Our Immediate Past President Charles Holder gave an informative report of this summer's Capitol fly-in and our new Board was inducted.

SAHU is proud to announce its two new members: Jamie Grace with SunLife and Billy Ruel with Cigna. Both Jamie and Billy are located in Charlotte but cover the Sandhills territory. We welcome them and thank them for traveling so far each month!

Our first Public Service project of the year as well as (we hope) a membership recruitment tool is assembling a team for the American Heart Association Heart Walk. Our commitment this year will be to those organizations which relate to our mission as well as what must be our new focus – that of WELLNESS.

Kelly

**\$10 PER MONTH
HAS NEVER MEANT
MORE!**

A \$10 monthly contribution to HUPAC has never been more important than it is right now. Donations to HUPAC are essential in our national advocacy efforts to insure our futures.

Donations can be made at a SAHU meeting, online at www.s-ahu.org or by contacting HUPAC Chair Johnny Dawkins at jdawkins@ebenconcepts.com.

**SHOOT FOR
TRIPLE CROWN**

Once you've hit your monthly contribution amount of \$10 to HUPAC, you're a third of the way there. All that's left is recruiting two new members and completing three Operation Shouts. Let's all make this our goal this year.

**IDEAS FOR
SPONSORS**

We have two openings for meeting sponsors. Please let Kelly know if you know of a company willing to support our organization.



2010 Sandhills Heart Walk

Please join the SAHU walking team at the American Heart Association Walk on October 10th at Festival Park. The walk begins at 10 a.m. There is a one-mile walk and a three-mile walk. Please contact Rita Graves (rgraves@doctorsdirecthealthcare.net) and let her know you're if you're interested.

What a better way to not only show your support for the community but to show OUR commitment towards wellness.



(LEFT) Johnny Dawkins talks with new member, Billy Ruel (RIGHT) Members Deborah Locklear, Wendy Barnes and Kathy Allan

SCENES FROM THE SEPTEMBER 1st MEETING



2009-10 SAHU Board

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