

# 2018 COMPANY CALENDAR

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OPEN TO ENGAGEMENT NETWORK  
MEMBERS

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OPEN TO PROSPECTS/PUBLIC,  
REGISTRATION FEES MAY APPLY

FH

OPEN TO CHARITABLE FUND HOLDERS

## JANUARY

PLUG 'N PLAY: MLK JR. DAY AT AUSTIN STREET CENTER FH EN

PLUG 'N PLAY: MLK JR. DAY AT THE STEWPOT FH EN

PLUG 'N PLAY: MLK JR. DAY AT DALLAS LIFE FH EN

ENGAGEMENT CAPTAIN ROUNDTABLE: 2018 GOAL SETTING EN

CEO/PROSPECT HAPPY HOUR - HOSTED BY SHIELDS LEGAL FH EN

PLUG 'N PLAY: METRO DALLAS HOMELESS ALLIANCE HOMELESS COUNT FH EN

## FEBRUARY

PLUG 'N PLAY: FAMILY GATEWAY FH EN

Join Family Gateway in celebration of Make A Friend Day to help organize their donation closet, plan Valentine's Day activities for children, and/or help serve a meal to families in need.

**DATE:** Sunday, February 11th | **TIME:** 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Family Gateway, 711 S. St. Paul Street, Dallas, TX 75201

PLUG 'N PLAY FOR YOUNG PROFESSIONALS FH EN

Join us for a young professionals volunteer opportunity.

**DATE:** Wednesday, February 21 | **TIME:** 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Samaritan Inn, 1725 N. McDonald Street, McKinney, TX 75071

GIVEWISELY COURSE FOR INDIVIDUALS/COUPLES FH EN OPEN

CFT's experts will be offering a special one-day session of our signature GiveWise course to help you define your personal giving strategy and priorities.

**DATE:** Saturday, February 24th | **TIME:** 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Communities Foundation of Texas, 5500 Caruth Haven Lane, Dallas, TX 75225

WOMEN LEADERS' DINNER HOSTED BY MELANIE SHAFFER, PARTNER, CFOSUITE FH EN

This exclusive series is hosted by and for C-Suite women of CFT4B and offers executives an opportunity to network and share ideas with their peers.

**DATE:** Tuesday, February 27th | **TIME:** 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Melanie Shaffer's home

## MARCH

PLUG 'N PLAY: BACK ON MY FEET - PERSPECTIVES ON DFW'S HOMELESS FH EN

At this breakfast event, we will hear stories about the journey from homelessness to employability directly from clients of Back On My Feet. Volunteers are needed to assist in various areas such as registration, set up, greeting, etc.

**DATE:** Friday, March 2nd | **TIME:** 7 a.m. - 10 a.m.

**LOCATION:** Omni Hotel, 555 S. Lamar Street, Dallas TX

PLUG 'N PLAY FOR FAMILIES: HUNGER BUSTERS FH EN

Hunger Busters provides a much-needed third meal of the day to food-insecure children.

**DATE:** Sunday, March 4th | **TIME:** 3 p.m. - 5 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Hunger Busters, 3116 Sylvan Avenue, Dallas, TX 75212

DALE CARNEGIE TRAINING WORKSHOPS FH EN OPEN

This breakfast seminar is conducted by CFT4B member company Dale Carnegie Training. Employees of CFT4B member companies receive a 50% discount.

**TOPIC:** EQ for Leaders | **DATE:** Tuesday, March 13 | **TIME:** 7:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

**LOCATION:** Fort Worth Club - 12th Floor, 306 W. 7th Street, Fort Worth, TX 76102

**TOPIC:** Mindfulness for Leaders | **DATE:** Tuesday, March 20 | **TIME:** 7:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

**LOCATION:** Lawry's The Prime Rib, 14655 Dallas Pkwy, Dallas, TX 75254

BRIO LEADERSHIP TRAINING: THE LEADERSHIP CHALLENGE FH EN OPEN

This one-day workshop is conducted by CFT4B member company Brio Leadership. Employees of CFT4B member companies receive a 60% discount (regular price \$497, CFT4B members can attend for \$189)

**TOPIC:** The Leadership Challenge | **DATE:** Thursday, March 22 | **TIME:** 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Communities Foundation of Texas, 5500 Caruth Haven Lane, Dallas TX 75225

PLUG 'N PLAY: BACK ON MY FEET - RUN WITH THE HOMELESS FH EN

Volunteer with Back on my Feet to run with and for individuals experiencing homelessness in our city.

**DATE:** Wednesday, March 28th | **TIME:** 5:45 a.m. - 6:30 a.m.

**LOCATION:** Salvation Army Adult Rehabilitation Center, 5554 Harry Hines Boulevard, Dallas, TX 75235

PLUG 'N PLAY IN HONOR OF WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH FH EN

Join us to volunteer at Genesis Benefit Thrift Store to benefit Genesis Women's Shelter.

**DATE:** Friday, March 23 | **TIME:** 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Genesis Benefit Thrift Store, 3419 Knight Street, Dallas TX 75219

## APRIL

PLUG 'N PLAY: SPCA FH EN

Volunteers help fulfill SPCA's mission by assisting with volunteer needs in the shelter and clinic. Volunteers will also receive a behind the scenes tour of the facility.

**DATE:** Tuesday, April 3rd | **TIME:** 2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. (McKinney location)

**DATE:** Friday, April 6th | **TIME:** 8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. (Dallas location)

**LOCATION:** McKinney (8411 Stacy Rd, McKinney, TX 75070) | Dallas: 2400 Lone Star Drive, Dallas, TX 75212

PLUG 'N PLAY: TARRANT AREA FOOD BANK FH EN

Join us to sort, inspect and pack nutritious food for hungry children, families and seniors in Tarrant County.

**DATE:** Tuesday, April 10th | **TIME:** 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

**LOCATION:** 2600 Cullen Street, Fort Worth TX

### WOMEN LEADERS' LUNCH HOSTED BY JESSICA NUNEZ FH EN

This exclusive series is hosted by and for C-Suite women of CFT4B and offers executives an opportunity to network and share ideas with their peers. Topic: Crisis Communications – what you need to know and how to prepare for a crisis

**DATE:** Friday, April 13th | **TIME:** 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

**LOCATION:** TruePoint Office, 1400 Landmark Boulevard, Suite 250, Dallas TX 75254

### COMMUNITY HACKATHON: FOOD INSECURITY IN COLLIN COUNTY FH EN OPEN

Join CFT and University of Texas at Dallas for a community hackathon focused on food insecurity in Collin County.

**DATE:** Saturday, April 14th | **TIME:** 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

**LOCATION:** UTD Blackstone Launchpad, 2830 Rutford Avenue, Richardson, TX 75080

### PLUG 'N PLAY: WHITE ROCK LAKE - SHORELINE SPRUCE UP FH EN

Join For the Love of the Lake in celebration of Earth Day for a Sunday spruce up along the shoreline.

**DATE:** Sunday, April 22nd | **TIME:** 8 a.m. - 12 p.m.

**LOCATION:** 1152 N. Buckner Boulevard, Suite 123, Dallas TX 75218

### CAUSE-MINDED CONVERSATION: BRAINIIOUS SCREENING FH EN OPEN

Join us for a screening and discussion of the film Brainious in partnership with the Momentous Institute. Brainious is a shares useful neuro-knowledge for parents and educators in order to help children thrive and reach their full potential.

**DATE:** Wednesday, April 25th | **TIME:** 4 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Communities Foundation of Texas, 5500 Caruth Haven Lane, Dallas TX 75225

## MAY

### PLUG 'N PLAY: FOSTER KIDS CHARITY GIFT DRIVE FH EN

Graduation Gift Drive for foster kids across DFW.

**DATE:** May 1st through May 9th

**LOCATION:** Donations collected at your office

### 2018 CFT/SMU PROFESSIONAL SEMINAR FEATURING CHRIS HOYT FH EN OPEN

Join CFT for our annual professional seminar geared towards professional advisors featuring tax expert Chris Hoyt.

**DATE:** Thursday, May 10th | **TIME:** 8 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

**LOCATION:** Communities Foundation of Texas, 5500 Caruth Haven Lane, Dallas TX 75225

### VOLUNTEER MATCH 101: TRACK, MEASURE, REPORT FH EN

Learn about how CFT4B will be partnering with VolunteerMatch to help you track, measure and report!

**DATE:** Wednesday, May 16th | **TIME:** 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

**LOCATION:** ONLINE - webinar format

### CEO/PROSPECT HAPPY HOUR - HOSTED BY SHIELDS LEGAL FH EN

Join us for networking with complimentary appetizers and cocktails.

**DATE:** Thursday, May 17th | **TIME:** 4 p.m. - 6 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Sixty Vines at Crescent Court, 500 Crescent Court #160, Dallas, TX 75201

## JUNE

### WOMEN LEADERS' BREAKFAST HOSTED BY CHRISTY BERRY FH EN

This exclusive series is hosted by and for C-Suite women of CFT4B and offers executives an opportunity to network and share ideas with their peers.

**DATE:** Wednesday, June 6th | **TIME:** 8 a.m. - 10 a.m.

**LOCATION:** Compass, 4012 Oak Lawn Avenue, Dallas TX 75219

### ENGAGEMENT CAPTAIN ROUNDTABLE: EMPLOYEE GIVING EN

CFT4B hosts quarterly gatherings for Engagement Captains, empowering them to create, manage and improve community involvement and philanthropic programs within their companies.

**DATE:** Thursday, June 21st | **TIME:** 9 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

**LOCATION:** Communities Foundation of Texas: 5500 Caruth Haven Lane, Dallas TX 75225

### PLUG 'N PLAY: RESOURCE CENTER FH EN

Volunteers will support the LGBTQ community by stocking shelves, checking clients in and out, assisting with donation pick up at their food pantry and serving food and washing dishes in the kitchen.

**DATES:** Thursday, June 14th and Friday June 15th | **TIME:** 9 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Resource Center Health Campus Food Pantry, 2701 Reagan Street, Dallas TX 75219

### CAUSE-MINDED CONVERSATION: STEM EDUCATION FH EN OPEN

Join CFT for a special panel discussion featuring experts in education and workforce development as we highlight the urgency of building a stronger education system with a focus on STEM for our region and state. Complimentary cocktails and appetizers provided. Registration required.

**DATE:** Tuesday, June 19th | **TIME:** 4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Sequoia Conference Center - Toyota Headquarters in Plano

### PLUG 'N PLAY: BACK ON MY FEET - MEANINGFUL MILES 5K/10K RACE FH EN

Race with Back on my Feet to run with and for individuals experiencing homelessness in our city. \*Volunteers must be 17 or older.

**DATE:** Saturday, June 23rd | **TIME:** 6 a.m. - 12 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Trinity Groves, Dallas TX

## JULY

### PLUG 'N PLAY: MI ESCUELITA SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE FH EN

Back-to-school supply drive for preschool kids.

**DATE:** July 23rd through August 10th

**LOCATION:** Donations collected at your office

### PLUG 'N PLAY: SENIOR SOURCE FH EN

Senior Source assists and connect older adults to resources, opportunities, and independence.

**DATES:** Thursday July 26th | **TIME:** 9 a.m - 12 p.m.

**LOCATION:** TBD in Dallas

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For more extensive details about these and other events, please visit:

[cft4b.org/events-opportunities/](http://cft4b.org/events-opportunities/)

## AUGUST

### PLUG 'N PLAY: SPCA FH EN

Volunteers help fulfill SPCA's mission by assisting with volunteer needs in the shelter and clinic. Volunteers will also receive a behind the scenes tour of the facility.

**DATE:** Thursday, August 16th | **TIME:** 2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. (McKinney location)

**DATE:** Friday, August 17th | **TIME:** TBD (Dallas location)

**LOCATION:** McKinney (8411 Stacy Rd, McKinney, TX 75070) | Dallas: 2400 Lone Star Drive, Dallas, TX 75212

### CEO/PROSPECT HAPPY HOUR - HOSTED BY SHIELDS LEGAL FH EN

Join us for networking with complimentary appetizers and cocktails.

**DATE:** Wednesday, August 29th | **TIME:** 4 p.m. - 6 p.m.

**LOCATION:** TBD

## SEPTEMBER

### FREEDOM DAY EN FH

Every year CFT hosts Freedom Day, a powerful day of community service that was developed to honor the lives tragically lost and changed on September 11, 2001. This year, more than 1,000 volunteers will participate in the 17th annual event. We will be focusing on projects that benefit and engage the veteran community.

**DATE:** Tuesday, September 11th | **TIME:** 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**DATE:** Saturday, September 15th | **TIME:** 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. (FAMILY EDITION)

**LOCATIONS:** Collin, Tarrant, and Dallas counties

### NORTH TEXAS GIVING DAY FH EN OPEN

Join us for the nation's largest online community-wide celebration of giving! On September 20th, 2018, donations can be made from 6 a.m. to midnight to more than 2,500 nonprofits listed on [www.northtexasgivingday.org](http://www.northtexasgivingday.org). Those donations will be amplified by bonus funds and prizes. Make sure you let your employees know and consider setting up a matching contribution.

**DATE:** Thursday, September 20th | **TIME:** 6 a.m. - midnight

**LOCATION:** [www.NorthTexasGivingDay.org](http://www.NorthTexasGivingDay.org)

### CEO/PROSPECT HAPPY HOUR - HOSTED BY SHIELDS LEGAL FH EN

Join us for networking with complimentary appetizers and cocktails.

**DATE:** Wednesday, September 26th | **TIME:** 4 p.m. - 6 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Sixty Vines, 2701 Dallas Parkway, Plano, TX, 75093

## OCTOBER

### UNVEILING OF HOLIDAY VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES FH EN

Join CFT for our annual unveiling of curated holiday volunteer opportunities for you, your company and your families!

**DATE:** Friday, October 19th | **TIME:** 9 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

**LOCATION:** Communities Foundation of Texas, 5500 Caruth Haven Lane, Dallas TX 75225

### NONPROFIT BOARD TRAINING FOR COMPANY EMPLOYEES FH EN

CFT will be offering a nonprofit board training in partnership with University of Texas at Dallas, geared towards company employees looking to serve on nonprofit boards.

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 24th | **TIME:** 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Communities Foundation of Texas, 5500 Caruth Haven Lane, Dallas TX 75225

## NOVEMBER

### DALE CARNEGIE TRAINING WORKSHOP FH EN OPEN

These quarterly breakfast seminars are conducted by CFT4B member company Dale Carnegie Training. Employees of CFT4B member companies receive a 50% discount with promo code: CFT4B

**TOPIC:** 5 Proven Ways to Retain Your Best Employees | **DATE:** Thursday, November 8 | **TIME:** 8 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

**LOCATION:** Lawry's - 14655 Dallas Parkway, Dallas, TX, 75254

### COMMUNITIES FOUNDATION OF TEXAS' ANNUAL FUND HOLDER DINNER FH

Details forthcoming.

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 13 | **TIME:** 5:30 p.m. -

**LOCATION:** Communities Foundation of Texas, 5500 Caruth Haven Lane, Dallas TX 75225

## DECEMBER

### PLUG 'N PLAY: NORTH TEXAS FOOD BANK AND HOLIDAY CELEBRATION FH EN

Volunteers at this event will sort and pack food for distribution, with holiday celebration to follow.

**DATE:** Saturday, December 8th | **TIME:** 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**LOCATION:** North Texas Food Bank, 3677 Mapleshade Lane, Plano, TX, 75075

### UNVEILING OF THE 2019 CALENDAR WEBINAR

Join CFT4B for our annual unveiling of next year's member training seminars and volunteer opportunities for you and your company employees.

**DATE:** Tuesday, December 18th | **TIME:** 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Online [Here!](#)

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