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The MUSC DPT Class of 2019 is teaming up with Adaptive Expeditions to host the 7th annual **Shots with a Spin** wheelchair basketball tournament and accessibility fair on July 7th, 2018. Our goal is to make this year's Shots with a Spin event the best to date, but we need your help to make our vision come true.

In the state of South Carolina, 8.7% of the population, or 368,000 people live with some kind of mobility impairment. For those in and around the Charleston area, Adaptive Expeditions (AE) is an organization that operates with the sole goal of improving these individuals' overall level of accessibility to promote equality and maximize their quality of life. Over the past several years, patients affiliated with this organization have graciously volunteered their time to assist in teaching MUSC Physical Therapy students practical handling and treatment skills. We wish to show our support and appreciation to this organization.

Adaptive Expeditions (AE) (EIN 45-385 0552) is an interactive educational nonprofit using sport and recreation to offer health & wellness programs to individuals with physical and sensory disabilities. Through education and outdoor recreation adventures, AE empowers these individuals with both technical skills and personal confidence to maintain active, independent lifestyles. AE also aims to build communities where outdoor adventure seekers and Paralympic hopefuls can share ideas and common experiences, have fun, push limits, and redefine what is possible.

AE fills a post-therapeutic service that is both necessary and otherwise missing in the ongoing continuum of care for the individuals we serve. AE is the only existing entity in South Carolina serving this community by teaching adaptive sport outfitting, outdoor recreation risk assessment and management, as well as the technical skills necessary to improve comfort, safety, performance, and independence in the pursuit of healthy lifestyles through engagement in sport and outdoor recreation.

Participants leave AE programs believing: "If I can do this, I can do anything." That attitude transfers to education, life choices, job searches, and ultimately performance on the job. In this sense, sport and recreation is not a simple luxury. Rather, AE uses sport and recreation as a tool to increase individual economic potential and change the overall health and wellness of a population at risk.

This year's event will play host to a wheelchair basketball tournament, information fair, and online silent auction to raise money for AE. The tournament will feature able-bodied teams from MUSC and the Charleston community competing in wheelchair basketball games. In addition to the tournament, we will host an online silent auction. Although fundraising is one of our main goals (**2017 Shots with a Spin event raised nearly \$8,000 last year!**), we feel it is equally important to provide information to the public about what living in a wheelchair is like, bringing as many resources as we can to one location. Your donation is greatly appreciated and we hope you can attend our event on July 7, 2018!

Sincerely,
MUSC DPT Class of 2019



SWAS Silent Auction Gift in Kind Form

I/We _____ hereby give, transfer, and deliver to the Medical University of South Carolina DPT Class of 2019 all of my/our right, title and interest in and to the property described below, relinquishing all my/our claim thereto.

Description of property:

Donor contact information:

Which I/We have valued at: \$ _____

Date of Gift: _____



Shots with a Spin Monetary Donation Form

(Please include this donation form with your checks made out to MUSC DPT class of 2018 and include AWE/ AE in the memo portion of the check)

_____ I would like to support the 6th Annual Shots With a Spin Tournament benefitting AE!

Enclosed amount (please check or fill in the desired amount)

\$10 _____

\$25 _____

\$50 _____

\$100 _____

\$150 _____

Other amount \$_____

Please email muscshotswithaspin@gmail.com for tax ID information.

We would like to acknowledge you at the event for your donation!

*I wish to make an anonymous donation_____

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Platinum (>\$500): Your name printed in our event's slideshow AND a FULL slide ad in projected slideshow if donating on behalf of a business. Social media acknowledgement/advertisement included (Facebook page, Instagram, Twitter).

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The MUSC DPT Class of 2019 graciously thanks you for your donation.