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A Newsletter From Central South Carolina Habitat for Humanity – A Christian Ministry



Fall Builds 2009

Our three Fall 2009 Builds are underway – the Sponsors are:
Bank of America
Central Carolina Realtors Association
Schneider Electric





A Message

from Roy Kramer

Executive Director

Please keep us in prayer that we will remain good stewards of our time, funds and materials.

Our Vision

Build 20+ Houses Every Year

As I look back over this past year and all that has happened with our economy, I am truly thankful for all the blessings we have received here at Habitat. Our weekly staff meetings at the office and ReStore open with a prayer and a devotional. I believe this helps us to remain focused on our mission of providing decent affordable housing for those in need.

The economic slowdown has affected our build schedule and contributions are down, but we continue to look for ways to build our homes. Here are some of our activities to help raise funds:

- **Furniture Drives:** These are being organized at several churches through youth groups to obtain items for sale in our ReStore. This is a great way to get your youth involved in a service project.
- **Habitat Harvesters:** We remove items from homes or businesses prior to demolition for sale in the ReStore. We can always use volunteers.
- **Aluminum Can Recycling:** Drop off points are located at our ReStore and Habitat Office, then turned in to Recycling Centers
- **Metal Recycling:** Drop off point behind the ReStore, turned in to Recycling Centers.

These programs are ways for us to raise money, recycle, and think "green". For more information on these programs, please contact Melanie English of our staff.

In closing, 2009 has been a struggle, but with your support, we continue to move forward in our mission to Eliminate Poverty Housing.

Thank you and have a great Holiday Season!!

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your God.

~ Philippians 4:6

Family Services Update

Fall 2009 – New Homeowners

- ◆ Rose Ellison
- ◆ Sara and Samuel Hernandez
- ◆ Jimmy and Shekinah Ilunga

More Fall 2009 Build Pictures



Some Ways You Can Help



Financial Assistance

- Full House Sponsorship - \$55,000
- Partial House Sponsorship - \$55 per Square foot
- Individual Cash Contributions - Any Amount is Welcome!
- Payroll Deduction Contributions
- Fundraising Support

Building Material Donations – For Building Projects or Sale in our ReStore

Physical Sponsors – Volunteer Labor to Build Houses

In-Kind Donations – Materials or Professional Services (Plumbing, Electrical Work)

Habitat ReStore

- Donate Household Items
- Volunteer in Store
- Visit and Shop in Store
- Donate surplus merchandise

Habitat Harvest Teams – Help “Harvest” Items from Commercial Buildings or Houses being demolished. These items will be Sold in our Habitat ReStore.

Wills, Foundations – Other Opportunities for Habitat Donations

Call us at **252-3570** for more information or Email us at lforsyth@habitatcsc.org

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