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October Newsletter

Dear Friends,

"A man has made at least a start on discovering the meaning of human life when he plants shade trees under which he knows full well he will never sit," D. Elton Trueblood. We do not plant trees (well, we do lay sod and plant flowers and shrubs). We plant homes. Lives are transformed. Individuals and families are given hope. Donors and volunteers discover the difference a contribution of money or a contribution of time can make in the life of just one family. But, it's not just helping one family. It's helping a family for generations to come. It's giving hope to friends and neighbors of what is possible to achieve with hard work and a helping hand. It's helping neighborhoods begin to transform into a safe and decent place to raise children. It's children, developing a heart for service when they see what those with a heart and hand for service are willing to do to help strangers.

For those who give the gift of time, talent and treasure to a Habitat homeowner, they may never see the full impact of that gift. But, it is there. We see it. We see the smiles that light the faces as a homeowner receives

Our ReStore is a great resource for us to continue to build simple, decent affordable homes. At the same time, we are helping to reduce the amount of items filling up the landfill when they are still usable! Your donation of appliances, furniture, as well as building material help us and help the environment. Reduce. Reuse. Recycle. Call 699-1570 today to schedule a pickup of your donation.

Donate

the keys to their new home. We see the smiles of children as they play in their yard and neighborhood. We hear it. We hear it in the stories shared among homeowners when they see each other. We hear it in the successes shared with us. Just remember that you helped plant the tree of hope and opportunity that many will sit under.

Amy Schutz

Executive Director

Builds Update

The support of the Wiregrass is why we can keep building! Thank you from Wiregrass Habitat for Humanity and our homeowners!

Looking for something to do during the week? Want to learn a new skill? Saturdays are not our only volunteer day! Mr. Bob works on the house during the week! Call the office to let us know you want to help him and learn new skills at the same time!



Dothan Build - Last Paint Day this Saturday!

We have had so many wonderful volunteers working with us on our Dothan Build! Some of you have given up Saturdays with family and others have come out during the week. We have been so blessed to have you join us. This Saturday we will have volunteers from Wal-Mart and Wells Fargo to help us finish the painting. We look forward to working with the

rest of our volunteer groups to finish this home.
With your hard work and time, we hope to have
the Jackson family in their home to celebrate
Christmas!



Mr. Bob with volunteers from WEC and Eagle Eye Outfitters



Dothan Build

We are getting the plans in place for our Dothan build to begin in the winter! We look forward to partnering with individuals, businesses and churches for volunteers for this build! This will be our third home in the Cloverdale area.

Ashford Build

While we are building in Dothan, we are also planning for our next build as well! This family of three will be living in the Ashford area to be close to family. This is another great opportunity for the family and only our second home to be built in Ashford.

Daleville Build

We are so grateful for the grant we received to help build a single mom and her three teenagers a home in Daleville. We have been blessed to have the land donated for this home. There will be many opportunities for volunteering on this home. Plans are being made for this home to begin in 2016.

Thanks for taking the time to catch up on your local Habitat affiliate. Hope to see you on a job site, at the Habitat ReStore, or at a home dedication sometime soon!

**Amy Schutz, Executive Director
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Creating simple, decent, affordable housing in partnership with low-income families, volunteers and the communities of the Wiregrass.

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