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# October Newsletter

Dear Friends,

*I was recently asked to, in 10 words or less, describe why we do what we do. After much thought, we decided that what we do is "create generational change, stability and wealth through affordable housing opportunities." It cannot be much simpler than that. Many of our homeowners are the first homeowners in their family. We have seen their children become homeowners. Homeownership creates generational change. As many of our homeowners were renters who moved often, changing not only their address, but the school their children attended. Homeownership creates stability. Because Habitat homes are sold at zero-interest, the first payment a homeowner makes creates equity in their home. Homeownership creates wealth.*

Amy Schutz  
Executive Director

Our ReStore is a great community resource. We provide affordable home furnishings, building supplies, and housewares to the community and keep these items out of the landfill. We have a great store staff, but due to the large donations we receive, help is needed to get the donations processed and out on the floor for purchase. If you would like to volunteer as an individual or with a group, please let us know! We would love to have you volunteer with us. Reduce. Reuse. Recycle. Call 699-1570 today to schedule a pickup of your tax-deductible charitable donation.

**Don't golf but love the golf course? Join us in December and run Highland Oaks!**



**2017 Running "Highland Oaks"  
Half Marathon Benefiting Wiregrass  
Habitat for Humanity  
at  
The Highland Oaks RTJ Golf Courses,  
Dothan, AL  
Saturday, December 16, 2017**

**Wiregrass Habitat for Humanity is partnering with Solid Rock Race Timing for their first half marathon running The Highland Oaks RTJ Golf Course. We are excited about this opportunity as Solid Rock**

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Race Timing has partnered with other charities for half marathons at other RTJ courses. Sponsorships for this inaugural race range from \$100 to \$5,000. Please contact us today if you would like to be a part of this event!

## Builds Update

### Dothan Build



Building walls with Coleman Worldwide Moving employees was such a blessing! Employees took turns coming out to build all the exterior and

interior walls for the Blakes' home. We can't wait to raise the walls with them October 21st. Thank you for all your hard work and dedication to build the walls and make this dream a reality!

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**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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