

All About Habitat for Humanity of Laramie County

Habitat for Humanity of Laramie County, Inc. (HFHLC) is a nonprofit, ecumenical housing organization that works in partnership with people in need to build safe and affordable housing. The homes are sold to Habitat's partner families at no profit and financed with a zero-percent, 20 year mortgage. Partner families invest hundreds of hours of their own labor- sweat equity- into building their homes. Monthly mortgage payments are then recycled back into the program, allowing the affiliate to build additional Habitat homes throughout the community.

Founded locally in 1991, HFHC has built 28 homes throughout the Cheyenne area. Over the course of the 2010 Build Season, Habitat will celebrate the 30th Habitat home built in Laramie County. Additionally, the affiliate annually tithes 10% of unrestricted funding to build homes for its sister affiliate in Guatemala. To date, HFHLC has provided funding to build 8 Habitat homes in Guatemala.

Each year, hundreds of volunteers provide the necessary labor to build homes, while faithful individuals and corporate donors provide the financial resources to build safe and affordable housing for harworking families throughout our community.

Habitat's mission is to eliminate poverty and substandard housing throughout the world. To date, Habitat for Humanity has built more than 350,000 homes, providing affordable housing for more than 1.75 million people.

Learn more. Volunteer. Get Involved.
www.cheyennehabitat.org



News from Habitat for
Humanity of Laramie County

Summer 2010

Habitat wants you! Habitat for Humanity of Laramie County's (HFHLC) summer build season is in full swing and volunteer labor is a necessity to complete the two 1,100 square foot homes.

These homes are located in Habitat's newest subdivision which can be found on Rock Springs Street, east of College Drive.

HFHLC builds on Saturdays (8 a.m.-5 p.m.) and Sundays (Noon-5 p.m.) and the construction of these homes will continue through August.

In order to sign up as a volunteer or to learn more please visit HFHLC on the web at www.cheyennehabitat.org.



**Volunteers
Needed!**



**Cars for
Homes**



Have a car, truck, boat or RV that you just can't get rid of? By donating it to Habitat for Humanity's Cars for Homes vehicle donation program you will be able to help a family in your community find their way into a new home and a better life. With cars for homes you can help Habitat build homes with families in need of **a hand up, not a hand out.**

To donate a car, truck, boat or RV to Cars for Homes, call 1.877.277.4344 toll-free or visit www.habitat.org/carsforhomes

YOUTH BLITZ BUILD 2010

Sign up today for the Habitat for Humanity Youth Blitz Build!

Anyone interested in leaving their mark on our community should get involved in our final push to complete this year's Habitat homes. This year's Blitz Build will take place from August 9-13.

For more information please visit the Habitat ReStore (located at 1805 Ames Avenue) or email Mike Morris at michael@cheyennehf.org.

Volunteers enjoying a day on the build site last summer.



Quick and Easy Ways to Support Habitat

"Anyone can get involved!"

Penny Lane Project

Donate your loose change and pennies to Habitat and Anderson Elementary's *Penny Lane Project*, with the goal of collecting one million pennies. Donations can be dropped off at the Habitat for Humanity ReStore, 1805 Ames Avenue, or at First National Bank, 2015 Central Avenue, (ask for the Penny Lane account). All proceeds will benefit Habitat for Humanity of Laramie County.

Cans for Habitat

In addition to helping the environment, recycling aluminum cans can also help Habitat for Humanity build homes in your community.

Donate your aluminum cans to Habitat by simply dropping them by the Habitat ReStore (located at 1805 Ames Avenue) and help make safe and affordable housing in your community a reality.

Habitat for Humanity Restore

Donate your gently used home improvement items and furniture to the Habitat for Humanity ReStore, (located at 1805 Ames Avenue). All donations are tax-deductible and help benefit Habitat for Humanity of Laramie County.

The ReStore is open to the public from Wednesday to Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and donations are accepted Thursday-Saturday from noon to 5 p.m.

To inquire about a possible donation or schedule a pick-up contact the ReStore at 307-638-8067