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# *The Hammer and Nail*

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## Executive Director News



On 9/26/2008, Executive Director Mark Prokop represented Granville County Habitat for Humanity at the South Granville Senior Center's Health and Safety Day in Creedmoor, NC



**Harmonious cities**  
 World Habitat Day, 2008  
 6 October 2008, Luanda, Angola

On 10/6/08, Executive Director Mark Prokop Celebrated World Habitat Day 2008 at Vance Granville Community College South Campus in Creedmoor, NC

*Meet The Ostrander's, the newest Granville County Habitat for Humanity Family.*



## New Habitat Family Moves into New House

As of June 1, 2008, a new family moved into a new Granville County Habitat for Humanity home. The Ostrander family is the 8th family to move into a home in Granville County since Habitat started there in 1992. Their new home is in Stem, NC



The most recent Granville County Habitat for Humanity home

## Home Repair Tip of the month

### Painting

- Always thoroughly clean the surface to be painted. Dirt, grease or loose paint will stop your paint from adhering properly. Use a **wire brush, sanding block** or **power sander** to remove loose paint and grime before applying any primer or paint.

Take time to fill in all joints, cracks and seams in the surface before painting. This is easy and quick with a **caulking gun** or **wood putty** and a **putty knife**. Don't start priming or painting until the caulk or putty is completely dry.



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### Staff:

**Mark Prokop, Executive Director**

**Barbara Chapman, Re-Store Manager**

## Re-Store News

### Re-Store hires a Re-Store Manager

As of September 1, 2008, Granville County Habitat for Humanity Re-Store hired its first Re-Store Manager. Her name is Barbara Chapman.

Barbara was born and raised in suburban Atlanta, Georgia. In 1993, Barbara, her husband, and her children moved to Oxford, NC. Since then, she has done home repair for a living.

Granville County Habitat for Humanity welcomes Barbara to the Habitat family. Executive Director Mark Prokop is very excited to have Barbara around. "Barbara has done a wonderful job and has

made a huge impact in the short time that she has been the Re-Store Manager." Barbara is happy to be here and looks forward to many years managing the Re-Store. If you have any questions about the Re-Store, Barbara can be reached via email at [granvillerestore@embarqmail.com](mailto:granvillerestore@embarqmail.com)

### Re-Store Hours

As of Tuesday, November 11, 2008, the Re-Store is open on Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and on Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. We invite retirees, church groups, businesses, and community members to join together and consistently manage the Re-Store on another weekday. That way, we can serve the general public better.

### New Merchandise

Lots of plumbing/bathroom fixtures have just arrived. We have toilets, sinks, pipes, fixtures, and tubs, and at the prices you want.

### Christmas in August Sale still going

**ReStore**  
Christmas in August

The Christmas in August Sale will continue through December 31, 2008. Come and get all of your Christmas needs. Prices start as low as \$0.10.

**Merry Christmas and  
Happy New Year!!!**