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Board of Director News



On 1/16/2009, Habitat for Humanity International Organizational Development Program Consultants held a retreat for the Granville County Habitat for Humanity Board of Directors.

If you are interested in being on one of our teams, then contact Executive Director Mark Prokop. Teams include "Family Selection & Support", "Construction", Land, "Fundraising/Development", "Volunteer", "Church Relations", and "Re-Store".



Granville Habitat Fundraiser Feb 12

On Feb 12, 2009, Granville County Habitat for Humanity is having a lunch and dinner fundraiser at the Taste of Fuji Japanese Restaurant to raise money to help build our next Habitat home. The restaurant is located at 1515 NC Highway 56, Creedmoor, NC. 10% of all sales for the day will be given to Granville Habitat. Musician Jimmy Lovelace will perform from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Starting at 7:30 p.m., Taste of Fuji will have Karaoke. There will be drawings for prizes too.

Granville County Habitat for Humanity Partners with Cars for Homes Program

Granville County Habitat for Humanity is constantly looking for ways to raise money to build homes for families in Granville County. One way that we can raise money is through Habitat for Humanity International's Cars for Homes Program. It is quick and easy to donate cars, trucks, boats, RVs, motorcycles, construction equipment or other vehicles — running or not! Plus, when you donate your car, your vehicle donation may be eligible for tax deduction purposes if you itemize. (Consult the IRS or your tax adviser for details.)



Cars for Homes™



Nice Car

For more information on the Cars for Homes Program, check out <http://www.carsforhomes.com> or call 1-877-277-HFHI (4344) toll free.

Home Repair Tip of the month

Installing a Wood Stove

The Chimney - Every Wood Stove needs a chimney—either a LINED Masonry or Class A Insulated Metal. You cannot use a Stovepipe through a window! Existing Fireplace Chimneys can be used if they are partially or fully lined with approved materials. Careful if you have a “pre-fab” or zero clearance fireplace - most stoves are not able to be used in this type of unit.

The Stovepipe - Stovepipe is used to connect your stove to an approved chimney. Most stovepipe should be 18” from a wall or ceiling - this can be reduced by the use of pipe heat shields or special double-wall close clearance interior pipe.

The Floors and Walls - Non-Combustible flooring must extend under the entire stove, continuing for 12” past the sides and 18” in front of any loading doors. Wall clearances can be reduced by using either a rear heat shield on the stove (if available as an option) or properly installed wall protection.



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Re-Store News

Re-Store Hours

The Re-Store is open on most Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and on most Saturdays from 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Also, call 919.693.5694 and make sure the Re-Store is open.

Re-Store Volunteers

The Re-Store is always looking for volunteers to help out on Tuesdays and Saturdays. If you are interested in volunteering or have any questions about the Re-Store, please contact our Re-Store Manager, Barbara Chapman at granvilleresstore@embarqmail.com. We invite retirees, church groups, businesses, and community members to join together and consistently manage the Re-Store on another weekday so we can serve the general public even better.

Merchandise Highlights



We have brand new light fixtures for sale at the prices you want.

Happy Valentines Day

Amore

Valentines Days is February 14, 2009.
Note: Amore means “Love” in Spanish.