



March 2021 Newsletter

Spring has Sprung!

Spring is officially here; the birds are chirping, trees are blooming and hammers are banging in nails.

Yep, it's build season! Habitat for Humanity Clark & Floyd Indiana is excited to start building again this year. The pandemic may have slowed us down but it cannot stop our mission.

The Women Build Project 2021 has officially begun with construction at 1215 N Pearl St. We are planning to get the foundation down for two more houses yet this year. One will be at 252 Jackson St in New Albany and the other at 410 Newman Ave in Clarksville.

We are so grateful to the City of New Albany, Mayor Jeff Gahan and New Albany Redevelopment for donating the land at 252 Jackson and 1215 N Pearl St in New Albany. Our wonderful friends at the Town of Clarksville, and the Town Manager Kevin Baity generously donated the land at 410 Newman Ave.

The support of the community provides affordable homeownership which helps provide stability, encourages self-reliance, generates confidence and enhances safety and health.

Without you, families would still be struggling. Without you, families would live in stress and fear of making ends meet. Join us on a build day or do a virtual build and donate today. Visit our website at [habitacfi.org/donate/](https://www.habitatcfi.org/donate/) to provide support for our builds.

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By wisdom a house is built, And by understanding it is established; And by knowledge the rooms are filled With all precious and pleasant riches.

Proverbs 24:3-4

Learn more about becoming involved with Habitat for Humanity Clark & Floyd Indiana. Call Nichole or Jerry at 812-948-1235 or visit our website at www.habitatcfi.org

Town of Clarksville donates new build site



Town of Clarksville generously donated property located at 410 Newman Ave, Clarksville this year for the Vectren House Build Project 2021.

This generous donation will enable Habitat to build a house for Donna Gray and her young daughter.



Our plan is to begin laying foundation by the end of May with framing going up in June.

This project is sponsored by a \$60,000 grant with Vectren, a CenterPoint Energy company.

This is the third house Habitat for Humanity Clark & Floyd Indiana has built in partnership with the Town of Clarksville, Habitat worked together with the Town of Clarksville on our builds on S Clark Blvd and most recently at Fallsview Drive.

We are so grateful and thrilled to continue to partner with the Town of Clarksville and Vectren in building a stronger and better community.

Thank you Town of Clarksville for your continued support of our mission!

If you and/or your friends/coworkers want to learn more about scheduling a build day, Call Nichole at 812-948-1235 or visit our website at www.habitatcfi.org



COVID-19 continues

As the State of Indiana continues to progress towards opening up businesses and events, we here at Habitat for Humanity Clark & Floyd Indiana continue to monitor the spread and impact of COVID-19.

We are so grateful for our community volunteers who give of their time to help us build. During these days of COVID-19, we continue to have in place our Safety Guidelines including those who volunteer during Build Days.

Habitat for Humanity Clark & Floyd Indiana continues to follow the guidance as outlined by the Center for Disease Control (CDC).

To ensure the safety of our volunteers, staff and core crew construction members, we have implemented and continue to monitor our safety guidelines.

We ask you to wear face masks, gloves and practicing social distancing while on the build site. Prior to starting the day, you will be asked to complete a COVID-19 questionnaire as well as complete our volunteer waiver form.

Protecting our volunteers is vital to having a safe and fun day.



City of New Albany Partners to build 2 houses!



Along with the New Albany Redevelopment Commission and Mayor Jeff Gahan, the City of New Albany donated two plots of land to Habitat for Humanity Clark & Floyd Indiana this year!

Josh Staten, New Albany Redevelopment Director, states "We've always had Habitat for Humanity in mind for this property." He further commented the city has been pleased with the quality of work performed by Habitat and that such partnerships can bring more affordable housing options to New Albany.

We are thrilled to have partnered with New Albany over the years. The city has always been a great partner and we look forward to building many more houses together in the future.

Property located at 1215 N Pearl Street will be the focus of our Women Build Project 2021. This house has started with foundation being laid due to the generosity of Calhoun Construction. Framing is due to start in early April.

The second property, located at 252 Jackson Street, will be the focus of our Apostle Build Project 2021. Our goal is to lay the foundation by the end of June and start framing shortly thereafter.

Thank you City of New Albany, Mayor Jeff Gahan and Redevelopment Commission for your donation and continued support!



We celebrate Doneiska, the Women Build 2020 home recipient.

Thank you to everyone who supported the building of her home and thank you to Doneiska for her hard work throughout our home ownership program.



Our First Virtual House Dedication

On March 8, 2021, Habitat for Humanity Clark & Floyd Indiana held our first virtual House Dedication. The Women Build Project 2020 house, 1510 Chartres Street had the finishing touches completed in February and was ready for Doneiska and her boys to move in.

COVID-19 not only delayed and slowed down the build, it changed the way we normally do our house dedications. We here at Habitat are used to being adaptable and flexible so, we planned our first virtual house dedication.

Congratulations Doneiska!

Thank you to all the 2020 Women Build Teams who may this possible!



Want to become a volunteer? Looking for a way to give back to your community? Call us today at 812-948-1235 and learn how you can build a better tomorrow for those who need a hand-up, not a hand out.

Framing it out with Women Build Project 2021!



The Women Build Project 2021 officially kicked off the build project this past March.

Teams gathered together to put together interior and exterior frames. The excitement in the air was amazing! Women showcasing their power and making an impact!

The build site is located at 1215 N Pearl St in New Albany, thanks to the land donation from the City of New Albany, Mayor Jeff Gahan and New Albany Redevelopment.

Thank you to Calhoun Construction

donated time, talent and treasure to help lay down the foundation. Our goal is to complete the house later this Fall and have Teanna and her daughter in their new home before the holidays.

Check out our Facebook, Instagram and Twitter pages for more details about the upcoming dedication ceremony later in February 2021!

Thank you to Lowe's for your Women Build partnership.



Women Build 2021



This project is made possible through all the wonderful work the Women Build teams have done. Thank you to:

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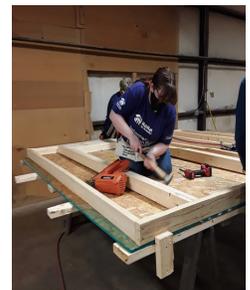
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