



# Women Build Kick-Off Event

April 12, 2021





# Mission

Seeking to put God's love into action, Habitat for Humanity brings people together to build homes, communities and hope.

# Vision

A world where everyone has a decent place to live.

**24**  
years

**103**  
local  
families

**309**  
individuals

**92**  
tithe  
families

# Team Leader Role

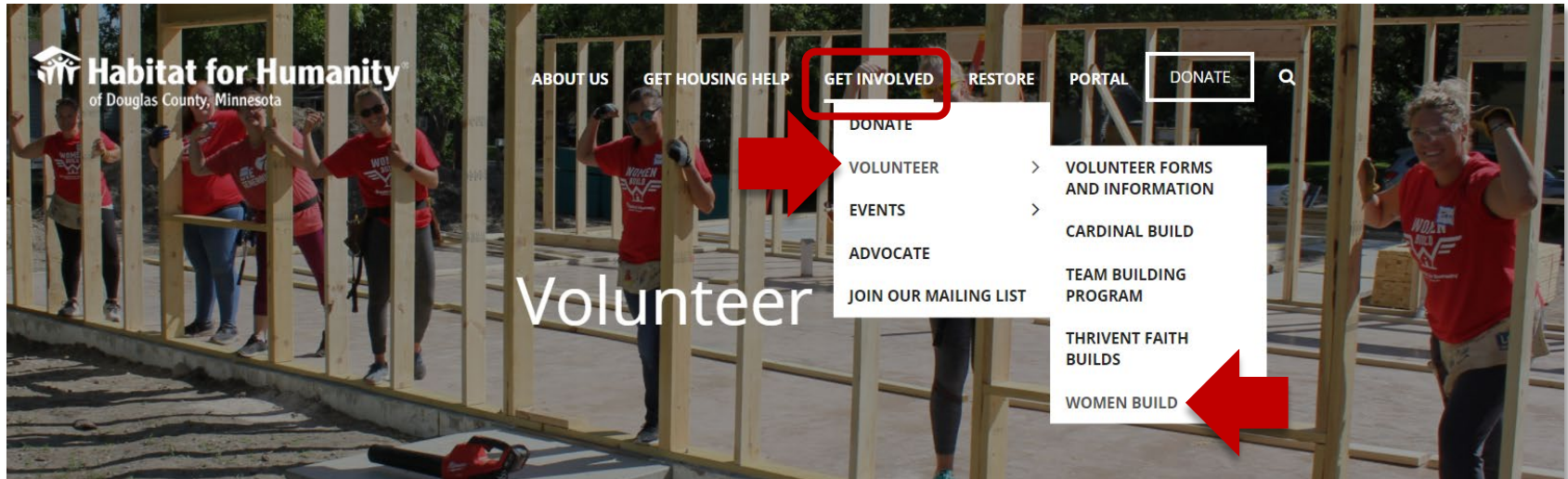
- Recruit volunteers
- Sign up for a build day
- Help team raise \$1,500
- Communicate with Habitat and team
- Distribute t-shirts
- Have FUN!



## Team Leader Insights



# Habitat Website



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# Who can volunteer?

- Build site volunteers
  - Must be 16+
  - No construction experience needed
  - Maximum of 5 people per shift
    - Morning: 8:30 am to Noon
    - Afternoon: 1 to 4:30 pm
    - Full day
  - Limit of 2 shifts
- Prayer support
  - Devotion on build day
  - [365 Days of Prayer Team](#)





## Women Build 2021 Build Day Choice Form

Team Leader: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

 Please return  
to Sara by  
May 3, 2021

July Build Dates	August Build Dates	September Build Dates
•	•	•

### **Please indicate your top three choices for build days**

We will do our absolute best to schedule you on one of your top 3 choices.

Volunteer groups on the build site are limited to five (5) people. If you have more than five people interested in helping on the build site, the group will need to separate into two shifts for the same day.

 Our team has \_\_\_\_\_ total volunteers who plan to help on the build site. Reminder: build site volunteers must be **age 16 or older**.

	List the date	Which shift does your team want this day?		
		8:30 am – Noon	1:00–4:30 pm	Both shifts
First Choice				
Second Choice				
Third Choice				

Please indicate dates that will NOT work for your team: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Tell us about your team**

Team members include: \_\_\_\_\_

## April 26

## Emailed to Team Leaders

## May 3 – VIP!

## Due back to Habitat

## May 12

## Build day assignments communicated

# Team Roster



## 2021 Women Build Team Roster

Please return to [sara@hfhdouglascounty.org](mailto:sara@hfhdouglascounty.org) one week prior to your scheduled build day. Thanks!

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Be Creative!

Team Captain: \_\_\_\_\_ Team Co-Captain (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

	Name:	Address:	Phone:	Email:	Shirt size
1.					
2.					
3.					
4.					
5.					
6.					
7.					
8.					
9.					
10.					

### Email Sara:

- One week before scheduled build date
- Please be thorough
- Fillable PDF on our website

# One week before build date, you'll receive:

- Confirmation email
- Directions to build site
- [Link to waiver](#)  
(on website)



## 2021 Construction Volunteer Guidelines during COVID-19

The health and safety of our volunteers is our top priority. COVID-19 requires changes to volunteer procedures. We want to encourage volunteers to come back when they feel safe. If you are entering a Habitat site, whether in our office, ReStore or construction site, the protocols below will apply to you.

**Build sites will have limited people on site, including Habitat staff. Please do not go to the build site without prior consent from the Community Engagement Coordinator or Construction Supervisor.**

### Adjusted build site practices:

- Limited number of people on site, including Habitat staff.
- Volunteer groups limited to five (5).
- Volunteer shifts have been adjusted to allow for additional sanitizing of tools:
  - 8:30 am – Noon
  - 1:00 – 4:30 pm
- Volunteers must be age 16 or older to volunteer on the build site.
- No walk-in visitors or volunteers will be allowed.
- In lieu of common source water, each person must provide their own water. No on site water or food provided.
- Habitat staff and volunteers will participate in a health screening before entering the build site.

### Before arriving at a volunteer site:

- Please assess your signs and symptoms.
- Do not come to volunteer if you are feeling ill or have been exposed to someone ill.
- **All volunteers are required to complete an online waiver. [Link to Habitat 2021 Online Waiver](#)**  
(The online waiver only needs to be completed once per year. No paper waivers are available.)

### What to bring to the build site:

- Please bring your own clean personal mask.
- Please bring your own individually filled and labeled water bottle.
- Please bring your own gloves.
- Please bring your own glasses – prescription, sunglasses or safety glasses. A limited supply of safety goggles are available and appropriately sanitized.
- You will get dirty. Wear clothing that you do not mind tearing or staining.

### What to wear:

- **Wear closed toe shoes or boots and long pants.** Open toe shoes and shorts are not proper work site apparel and will limit your ability to participate in construction activities.
- **Layered clothing is recommended.** You may not know in advance if you are working indoors or outdoors. Dress appropriately for the weather.
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Please track your team's donations and fundraising efforts on this form. Once complete, please submit to Habitat for Humanity of Douglas County using the secure drop box near our front door. **Checks can be made payable to: Habitat Douglas County. All fundraising dollars are due June 11, 2021.**

**Team Leader / Team Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Date	Donor Name (Church, Business, Individual)	Address	Phone	Email	Amount Received	2 Signed Initials

**Building *strength, stability, and self-reliance* through *shelter*.**

**TOTAL:** \_\_\_\_\_



# Online Giving Instructions

1. Visit [hfhdouglascounty.org](http://hfhdouglascounty.org), click **DONATE**



or text **DOUGLAS** to 26989



← Click the link

2. Select your preferences:

**Give Monthly**  
Already have an account? [Login](#)

One Time **Monthly** Round Ups

← Select the frequency of the donation.

\$10 \$25 **\$50** \$100 \$\_\_\_

← Identify the amount to donate.

Choose a Campaign:

Area of Greatest Need  
Area of Greatest Need  
Thrive4 Faith Builds  
Women Build

← Choose the campaign you'd like to support.

☐ I'd like to give in honor/memory  
☐ Add a donation note/comment

← Click Add a donation note/comment

**Donate \$50**

**Donation Note**

Add a Personal Note to your Donation

Write a Message...

← Enter the name of your Team Leader/Team in the message section.

☐ Allow my note to be public

**Save & Add Note**

← Click save and add note.

3. Enter your contact information and follow the prompts

**\$100 Monthly Gift**  
Already have an account? [Login](#)

**Continue**

[Login to the Terms & Conditions](#)



# Sponsorship Form

## Women Build 2021 Sponsorship

Business/Church/Individual: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**YES**, we will be a proud sponsor of the Women Build 2021!

\_\_\_\_\_ Enclosed is our contribution of \_\_\_\_\_ (Payable to Habitat Douglas County)

\_\_\_\_\_ Please bill us in the month of \_\_\_\_\_ for \$ \_\_\_\_\_

The team we are sponsoring is called/led by \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank you for your support!**



# Fundraising Strategies & Ideas

## Women Build Team Fundraising Strategies & Ideas

Each build team is asked to raise \$1,500. These funds may come from many sources such as individual donations, special fundraisers or events, church donations or business donations. Get creative and have fun...the opportunities are endless!



Host a coffee hour with a free will donation



Have a garage sale with proceeds going to the Faith Builds program



Bean bag tournament



Bag groceries



Sew, quilt or craft



Have a neighborhood BBQ



Host a bake sale



Hold a chili feed



Hold a car wash



Have a silent auction

**Did you know...** Thrivent members can apply for Thrivent Action Teams to organize fundraisers, including any of the above suggestions as well as other fundraising event ideas

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Phone: 320-808-6744

**Thank you for building strength,  
stability and self-reliance  
through shelter for Douglas  
County families!**