

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

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Happy Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving is just one moment of the year. We at Habitat for Humanity of North Augusta have 365 days to be grateful for our many Sponsors, Donors and Volunteers who have made 2015 a successful year by providing the means to assist a family in need. We are wishing many blessings to you and your families this Thanksgiving Day.



We are especially thankful for the support that First Baptist Church of North Augusta has provided over the past many years. It is Sponsors like FBCNA that make Habitat for Humanity of North Augusta successful in the pursuit of our mission. When we talk about First Baptist Church of North Augusta we also include the contributions from the congregation and not to be forgotten are the Judy Barnes Women on Mission of First Baptist Church who has provided refreshments at each of HFHNA's home dedication ceremonies which all attendees enjoy.

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L to R: Terra Carroll NA C of C, Pastor Thomas Ratchford, YvetteGreen PotashCorp Brooke Cosnahan Partner, Lori Rogers Sponsor, Marlene Hernandes HFHNA, Tom Ellers, President HFHNA

Habitat for Humanity of North Augusta is happy to announce the ground breaking for House No. 17

(See more photos on page 3)



On September 16, 2015 Habitat for Humanity of North Augusta, presented a plaque of appreciation to FBCNA during the weekly Wednesday Supper. Receiving the plaque on behalf of First Baptist Church is Patrick Harmond, Student Pastor. Pictured below is Pastor Hamond holding the plaque for all to see.



Habitat for Humanity of North Augusta also recognizes and offers many thanks to one of our newest Sponsors who made House No. 16 a reality. The Greater Augusta Association of Realtors partnered with other Sponsors and Donors by providing generous financial support for the construction of HFHNA's 2015 house No. 16 located at H&H Street in Belvedere.



Don Evans, HFHNA Development Chairman presents a certificate of appreciation to Barbara Sanders, President of GAAR



We are also proud to welcome Better Homes and Garden Real Estate Executive Partners as a Sponsor and we are thankful for their wonderful financial gift towards the completion of House No. 16. Sponsors such as Tommy Stephenson, are the reason why Habitat for Humanity of North Augusta has been successful over the past 16 years. We look forward to a long relationship with Tommy and his organization going forward.



Tommy Stephenson receives certificate of appreciation from Don Evan

We highlighted three valued Sponsors in this issue of the Habitat for Humanity of North Augusta Newsletter but they are among many other Sponsors and Donors (see page 5) who, year after year, provide the means for HFHNA to meet their mission goals. Habitat for Humanity of North Augusta, being a 100% volunteer enterprise, could not complete the home built each year without the generous assistance from all of our Sponsors, Donors, lunch providers and volunteers.

Thanksgiving Day is a time when family and friends gather to enjoy the bounty that God has provided for us. It is also during this time that expressions of thanks are extended for all the blessings that we experience in life. We want to extend a heartfelt thank you to all who has contributed to building House No. 16 whether the contribution was financial, building materials, appliances or the hard work of the many volunteers who toiled on the job site. You all deserve our gratitude for coming together to help provide, not only a wonderful home, but along with the house, you created hope for the future. THANK YOU!

**Ground Breaking House No. 17
117 Swathmore Avenue
North Augusta, SC**



Habitat for Humanity of North Augusta welcomes Brook Cosnahan (picture above) as their newest Partner for House no. 17. Brook currently resides in Clearwater with her two children, 3-1/2 year old Shyla and 1-½ year old Leland and is a member of New Life Ministries in Aiken. Brook has been working at Urban Outfitters for the past four years. Unfortunately Urban Outfitters will be relocating out of the area, but this has not held Brook back. While currently searching for a new full time job, Brook is working two part time jobs at Kroger and Chick Filet in North Augusta. When asked what her future goals are, she said “to have a stable home life with her children and to be the best mom she can be. Partnering with Habitat for Humanity of North Augusta will provide opportunities for her children that they otherwise would not have.”



Pastor Thomas Ratchford of First Baptist Church of North Augusta gives the Invocation



Yvette Green HR Manger at PotashCorp



Lee Pickett, HFHNA Board member, explains the Habitat mission to a Sno-Cap customer **during HFHNA FUNraiser at Sno-Cap** last month. The owner of Sno-Cap, Rachel Franklin, provides a “revenue share” opportunity every Monday during the month of October each year in support of Habitat for Humanity of North Augusta. We extend our thanks to Rachel, her staff and their loyal customers for this wonderful opportunity.

Support Habitat for Humanity

By supporting Habitat for Humanity-North Augusta, you will have helped by making a significant difference in the lives of Habitat families, not only in your community, but also around the world. On behalf of these individuals, we sincerely thank you for your contribution.

If you would like to become a Habitat for Humanity of North Augusta Sponsor contact Don Evans for more information:

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Click [here](http://hfhna.org/donate/) for more information on donating <http://hfhna.org/donate/>



HFHNA is an all volunteer organization. All housing projects are completed with the help of community volunteers and donor contribution of construction supplies and other needed goods and services.

Habitat for Humanity North Augusta Board of Directors:

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Pat Barfuss – Lunch Cmte

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Upcoming Events

HFHNA Board meeting

7:00 December 1, 2015

Our Vision

A world where everyone has a decent place to live.

Our Mission Statement

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

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Judy Barnes Women on Mission of First FBCNA

HFHNA LUNCH PROVIDERS

China Buffet	Monterrey Mexican restaurant	Sno-Cap Drive In
Chick-Fil-A	Teresa's Mexican Restaurant	Subway Food Lion Plaza
Church of the Most Holy Trinity	Papa John's	Wife Saver
Marco Pizza	Pizza Hut	Zaxby's
Maurice's BBQ	Ryan's Steak House	

HFHNA is a nonprofit, ecumenical Christian ministry that builds for people in need regardless of race or religion and we welcome volunteers and supporters from all backgrounds

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Gene Carline, Editor