

Alabama

Birmingham HFH, Greater Fairfield

Available Spaces: 50

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Habitat Birmingham is ranked 5th out of 1500 affiliates in the US, building 45+ new homes and rehab/repair 50+ annually. The local population is 1 million with a median income of \$56K. Think summer camp when envisioning volunteer center - bunk beds, common spaces, big kitchen to prepare meals. Birmingham is located in the Appalachian foothills, and is referred to as the "Magic City." Birmingham has ties to iron industry: Sloss Furnaces and Vulcan Park (see the world's largest cast iron statue). Birmingham played a pivotal role in the civil rights movement - visit the Civil Rights Institute.

Southwest Alabama, HFH of Mobile

Available Spaces: 60

Contribution: \$140.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 14

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other: camp grounds - cabins

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

HFHSWA serves about 40 families a year, and has just dedicated its 200th home. The BP oilspill in 2010 has affected the citizens of Mobile County. Already suffering from the poor economy, a large majority of the service area families depend upon income from sea-based operations. One year later, some are still unemployed or working for lower wages. Volunteer opportunities include work on new construction, renovation and A Brush With Kindness. Mobile has over 300 years of history, is the home of Mardi Gras and is 45 minutes away from beautiful white sand beaches (now oil-free).

Baldwin County, HFH of Foley

Available Spaces: 18

Contribution: \$175.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Join us on the Gulf of Mexico to build our first ever Collegiate Challenge House. Frame day will be Feb. 12 and the build will continue throughout the eight weeks of Spring Break. Our affiliate works from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm to give you time to visit the white sandy beaches of Gulf Shores, Alabama and enjoy being a tourist during the afternoons and evenings. Our weather during spring break is usually in the low 80's with blue skies and sun each day. Make sure you sign up early for your spot - we can only take 20 students per group maximum! Come join us on the Gulf Coast!!!

Athens/Limestone County, Alabama, HFH of Athens

Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other: Hotel or Host Family

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

At Habitat Athens we build homes that are healthy, safe and environmentally friendly for families that live below 50% of the median income of Limestone County and that can qualify for our program. We also build Green, LEED Certified homes. We believe in using green technologies because it is beneficial to the homeowner's health and wellbeing, it saves on their monthly utility bills, and, as important, it is being responsible for a sustainable future. Come learn high-performance home building with us! We provide housing, either a hotel or with a local host family, lunch and breakfast snacks.

California

Ventura County, HFH of Oxnard

Available Spaces: 35

Contribution: \$150.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 10%, Advance Days: 10

Area Description:

Join us for a week in beautiful Ventura County to help Habitat build it! The hard work that you contribute as Construction Site Volunteers will help to provide safe, decent and affordable housing for hard-working and deserving families in need in our community. Construction Site Volunteers can expect to be generally involved in all aspects of new home construction. No experience is necessary! All tools, equipment and instruction will be provided by HFHVC. The homes we will be working on are in Oxnard Ca. They are 2 single story 4 bedroom homes. Feel free to give us a call.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other: University

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

College Groups Need Faculty/Advisor

Los Angeles, HFH of Greater Gardena

Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$175.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 14

Area Description:

Los Angeles County has been one of the hardest hit by the foreclosure crisis, so Habitat for Humanity has been working hard to take advantage of the situation by rehabbing vacant homes and converting them into affordable housing for Habitat families. Fortunately for you, Los Angeles is also the IT place when it comes to a great vacation. We have miles and miles of public beaches, great weather, Hollywood, countless museums, multiple professional sports teams, hiking, abundant culture and excitement!

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other: Hostel, College Dorms

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Colorado
**Montrose County, HFH of
Montrose**

Available Spaces: 15
Contribution: \$125.00
 No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban
Work Week: Monday - Friday
Minimum Age: 16
Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Scenic views from Montrose include the snow capped San Juan Mountains to the South, in which the towns of Telluride and Ouray are nestled. Black canyon National Park lies 15 miles to the East. Habitat for Humanity will be building home in a subdivision West of Montrose.

**Roaring Fork Valley, HFH of the
Carbondale**

Available Spaces: 10
Contribution: \$125.00
 No Advance Contribution Required:
 Advance Amt: 0%, Advance Days: 0

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other: Comm. Center & Fire Sta.

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban
Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday
Minimum Age: 18
Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

We are constructing 2 duplexes in Silt with 4 partner families. Silt, CO is just minutes away from Glenwood Springs - a local tourist attraction. Activities in Glenwood include visiting the Hot Springs, hiking, rafting, skiing, and the Glenwood Caverns Adventure Park. The housing will be at a small Community Center in Silt and volunteers will be expected to bring a sleeping bag and pad to sleep on a wooden floor. There is a kitchen in the community center. Showers will be a couple of blocks away at the Fire Station in Silt.

**Routt County HFH
Steamboat Springs**

Available Spaces: 10
Contribution: \$125.00
 No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban
Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday
Minimum Age: 16
Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Our affiliate serves the Steamboat Springs area, which includes many service industry workers at or below federal poverty level. Housing prices are 50% more than the Denver metro area, and dozens of these families live in unsafe, leaky trailers or cramped older homes in need of repair or expansion. Our A Brush with Kindness program aims to work alongside these families to improve their living conditions to simple, safe, affordable housing.

**Chaffee County HFH
Buena Vista**

Available Spaces: 15
Contribution: \$125.00
 No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other: Campground

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban
Work Week: Tuesday- Saturday
Minimum Age: 16
Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Come build in beautiful and sunny Colorado. This will be Chaffee County's first Collegiate Challenge and we look forward to showing off our beautiful mountain town that is surrounded by 14,000 foot peaks. Work on new home construction during the day and in the evening go for a hike, or soak in our local hot springs. On you day off you can raft the mighty Arkansas River!

Connecticut

**Coastal Fairfield Co., HFH of
Bridgeport**
Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$125.00

 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 50%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

Bridgeport is located along the Connecticut coast, a little over an hour's train ride to New York City and 30 minutes to New Haven. We also want you to be able to experience the city itself, to give you a better understanding of the community you are serving. We will work hard to offer your group varying opportunities for service learning, such as providing dinners with Habitat homeowner families and making you aware of local events. Bridgeport has a variety of colleges and universities where sporting events abound, along with its very own Arena at Harbor Yard which is host to sporting.

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other: Community Center

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Delaware

**New Castle County, HFH of
Wilmington**
Available Spaces: 30

Contribution: \$150.00

 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 21

Area Description:

Come spend the week at one of the largest Habitat's in the Northeast! Habitat for Humanity of New Castle County, Delaware builds over 20 homes a year and works with over 7,000 volunteers on a yearly basis. During the time that your group is here, we will be building 21 new town homes in downtown Wilmington and working on various other projects. We close down the sites for your group and give each participant the chance to learn and build various aspects of construction. At the end of the week, we hope that your group really feels like it made a difference.

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

**Sussex County HFH
Georgetown**
Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Area Description:

Sussex County is known for its mix of agriculture and tourism, combining a landscape of farms with a coastline of beaches. It is also home to over 4,000 families living in substandard housing conditions. You should expect to learn how to do anything from framing walls, to installing windows, to final touch ups and painting. You may also be involved in our A Brush With Kindness program, which involves exterior home improvement projects. You will stay within the community at local churches that will welcome you with open arms (plus food, love, and hospitality!) We look forward to having you!

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Florida
**Pensacola HFH
Pensacola**
Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$125.00

 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 14

Area Description:

The Pensacola area contends with an ever-growing poverty housing problem. Pensacola Habitat is the only organization in our area that provides a home ownership opportunity to very low income families. Pensacola Habitat is the only organization in our area that provides a home ownership opportunity to very low income families. The affiliate expects to receive more than 1,000 housing applications in 2011. After a day of hard work on the Habitat construction site, Collegiate Challenge participants can spend the late afternoon and evening relaxing on the world's whitest beaches.

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Other: Tuesday through Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

**Palm Beach County, HFH of
West Palm Beach**
Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$150.00

 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 14

Area Description:

Palm Beach county is situated along 47 miles of the beautiful Atlantic ocean front. And with over 100 miles of freshwater canals, rivers and lakes there are plenty of fantastic natural wonders and activities to explore. There is a great housing need in this county and we need your help to pursue our mission. We will be working on both new construction and rehabing older homes. Accommodations will be modest and may include sleeping on the floor of a church or in our Habitat Volunteer House but when you are with-in 1 mile of the beach does it really matter? Helping families never felt so good!

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other: Habitat Volunteer House

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

**Martin County, Inc, HFH of
Stuart**
Available Spaces: 10

Contribution: \$175.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

Martin County is located in South Florida on the east coast where it is always warm and sunny. Your accomodations are a 15 minute car ride away from the beach. It is a slower pace here, but there is plenty to do and lots to explore. Be prepared to be spoiled during your visit. The Martin County community is a wonderful supporter of Habitat for Humanity and they especially love to have the college groups in town. You will have plenty of time to build and meet our families with some fun activities mixed in. All meals will be provided for you Monday -Friday.

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other: Clarion Inn (local hotel)

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

**Charlotte County HFH
Punta Gorda**
Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$175.00

 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

Charlotte County Habitat is located in Punta Gorda, FL. There are several Gulf of Mexico beaches in nearby Englewood. Our community suffered greatly during the downturn in the building industry & the decline of the economy, resulting in an unprecedented need of safe affordable housing in our community over the past two years. We expect to build ~10-20 homes this fiscal year. In addition, we serve the community with the "A Brush with Kindness" program, a neighborhood revitalization program. Come and join us! *Note: Contribution amount based on 5 day stay at lodging. Extra day cost \$15/person.

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Other: Mon -Thurs or Tues - Frid

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

**Southeast Volusia HFH
New Smyrna Beach**
Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other: Private House

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

New Smyrna Beach is a beautiful beach-side city - surrounded by water; the Atlantic Ocean, the Indian River Inracoastal Waterway and the Mosquito Lagoon. With legendary white sand beaches and a vibrant river, outdoor recreation is a mainstay for residents and tourists alike. We are situated about 15 minutes south of Daytona Beach and approxiamtely one hour drive from Orlando attractions. We have a vibrant Habitat that builds 8+ new homes each year. We are thrilled to have college spring break students with us each year and they have reported a great experience.

**Marion Co, Inc., HFH of
Ocala**
Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other: Cabins: rvcampocala.com

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Ocala/marion County-The horse capitol of the world is centrally located in the heart of Florida. There is easy and almost equal distance to the Gulf of Mexico, the Atlantic Ocean (Daytona Beach!), the many Orlando theme parks and numerous state parks. The need for affordable housing solutions are plentiful with the very high unemployment and foreclosures in our County. You will experience a M-F 8am-2pm work schedule (may leave after lunch on Friday). Please view rustic cabins (each sleeps 4) and other accomodation details at www.rvcampocala.com.

**Highlands County HFH
Sebring**
Available Spaces: 35

Contribution: \$150.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other: 4H Camp

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

 College Groups Need Faculty/Advisor

Area Description:

Your accomodations will be in a cabin on a lake with canoes, kayaks, and a fire pit. The construction will include SIPS Panel building (see SIPSTEAMUSA.com) and will be built in a community that will be 60 homes when completed. All stages of construction should be available: painting, framing, siding, sod, roofing, etc.

**St. Augustine/St. John's County, HFH of
Saint Augustine**
Available Spaces: 10

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other: Home

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

St. Augustine is the nation's oldest city with many historical buildings and sightseeing tours to display them. Our cobblestone streets downtown offer a variety of shopping. There is also a popular outlet mall closer to I-95. Downtown St. Augustine is situated on the intercoastal waterway and is a short 7 minute drive from the beaches. Jacksonville and Daytona Beach are both within an hours drive.

**East & Central Pasco County, Inc., HFH of
Dade City**

Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$130.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 50%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

Pasco is part of a 9 county region known as the "Nature Coast." We are located in the Tampa Bay Area, less than an hour from Florida's best beaches, 30min from Tampa, 90min from Orlando & its attractions. HFHECP is focusing on a city known as Lacochee. Lacochee, a thriving mill town, is in rural northeast Pasco County, not far from Dade City. The town needs so much; it's hard to tell where to begin. There are few paved roads, no street lights, & no sewer system. The business district fizzled out long ago. You will be staying in our Habitat Volunteer house, full kitchen/dining area.

Student Accommodations:

- Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
Other: Habitat Volunteer House

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Georgia

New Horizons HFH of Gtr Sumter Americus

Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other: Volunteer Housing

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

New Horizons Habitat for Humanity is located in Americus, GA where Habitat for Humanity started. Here in Americus, we have the Global Village and Discovery Center where your group can see what Habitat houses in different countries look like. We are also about 15 minutes away from the home of former President Jimmy Carter. At New Horizons, our mission is to create decent, affordable housing in partnership with families to make adequate housing a matter of conscience and action for everyone in our communities. Visit us on Facebook!! New Horizons Habitat for Humanity

Macon Area HFH Macon

Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$125.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 14

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

We are revitalizing a broken neighborhood. Since 2005 we've built 25 houses with 21 yet to be built. Two churches have come back to life, crime is way down, one church "Family Life Building" has been refurbished by Leadership Macon at \$65,000 with new heat/air, kitchen, baths and showers, etc. You'll stay there. The church installed a computer lab with high-speed access and volunteers to man it. Many programs are available to residents as is cross-support from local Episcopal churches with VBS and Saturday programs. Macon Habitat builds year round at a rate of approximately six home per year.

Valdosta-Lowndes Co. HFH Valdosta

Available Spaces: 0

Contribution: \$175.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 7

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other: Valdosta State University

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 1 "Adult
 College Groups Need Faculty/Advisor

Area Description:

The city of Valdosta, located in beautiful, sunny, South Georgia, is not only known as the "Azalea City," but also as "Georgia's Best Adventure Town," "Winnersville," and "ESPN's Titledown USA." Some interesting trivia about Valdosta is that it's: the boyhood home of the legendary gunfighter Doc Holiday, the setting of the hit movie, "Zombieland," which was filmed at Valdosta's biggest tourist attraction "Wild Adventures Water and Theme Park." Valdosta also has many places to sample fine southern cuisine and shop for that unique souvenir of your travels (especially Pecans!).

Greene County HFH Greensboro

Available Spaces: 12

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other: Volunteers Home

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

This is a rural area. You will be staying on beautiful Lake Oconee with a volunteer family. Breakfast food will be provided at the home. Lunches will be furnished at the jobsite. Dinners will be provided by area churches. We are just an hour away from Atlanta and most groups that come take Wednesday off and travel to Atlanta to visit CNN, Aquarium, etc. You will be on your own for meals on Sunday, Wednesday (if taken off) and Saturday.

**Dodge County, HFH of
Eastman**
Available Spaces: 24

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other: Dorms on complex

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Dodge County is made of several small towns & rural areas that are economically depressed & is made up of a large number of families needing affordable housing. Despite our present economic situation, Dodge County melds a history richly based on southern hospitality & hometown values. Points of interest, within an hour's driving distance from Eastman are the Warner Robins Aviation Museum and Naval Base, the Georgia Music Hall of Fame, the Georgia Sports Museum, Harriet Tubman Museum, Museum of Natural Arts of Sciences as well as the Ocmulgee National Monument.

Hawaii

**Maui Inc, HFH
Wailuku**
Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Multi-cultural neighborhoods, rich in ethnic and religious cultures, close-knit families and multi-generational living. Living in temporary family housing with multi-family members usually isn't associated as temporary and over crowded. County bus system available, but not necessarily to job sites, rental vans needed. Beach access and hiking suggested daily and within a few miles available in the morning or afternoons. Museum and government buildings near to lodging. Lodging in church hall with full kitchen and bath, sleeping on floors with sleeping bags.

Illinois

**Chicago South Suburbs, HFH
Chicago Heights**
Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

We are rehabbing homes located in the southern suburbs of Chicago --- Lansing and Park Forest. There is a wide variety of work involving both skilled and unskilled activities. Another way of expressing the opportunity is to suggest we will have both "grubby" work and "glory" work. You will be a 45-minute train ride away from downtown Chicago.

**Coles County HFH
Charleston**
Available Spaces: 25

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other: EIU Campus

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

 College Groups Need Faculty/Advisor

Area Description:

We are part of the capacity build for 2012. Our local EIU Chapter has raised funds to sponsor construction of their own house for the 2012 Build. We have the college campus to be utilized for accommodations. The students in that chapter are excited to be a part of this capacity build. We are the Land of Lincoln, and have many historical sites that can be visited to educate your group on Abraham Lincoln. We have local state parks with beautiful surroundings in which to hike and day camp.

Indiana
**St. Joseph County, HFH of
South Bend**
Available Spaces: 45

Contribution: \$125.00

 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 7

Area Description:

Vision with action can transform the world. This belief informs our planning for the future and is at the heart of every build. Since our inception in 1987, Habitat for Humanity of St. Joseph County has built homes with 128 families. Homeowners tell us their lives are transformed the moment they join with us in taking their first steps toward homeownership. Donors and sponsors tell us their lives are transformed as they see the impact of their giving—simple, beautiful homes that provide hard-working, low-income families with the dignity and pride of homeownership.

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other: Houses

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

**Monroe County, HFH of
Bloomington**
Available Spaces: 10

Contribution: \$150.00

 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 14

Area Description:

Habitat for Humanity of Monroe County is Indiana's 2010 Affiliate of the year! We are currently working in a neighborhood that will eventually be home to 34 Habitat houses. Bloomington, IN is the home to Indiana University, one of the most beautiful college campuses in America. Downtown Bloomington offers buildings and shops filled with unique apparel as well as restaurants that introduce diverse tastes and cuisines from many cultures. Our past groups have been housed by local churches.

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Other: Tuesday-Friday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

**Morgan County, HFH of
Martinsville**
Available Spaces: 12

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Area Description:

We have a small, warm, welcoming community conveniently located between the State Capitol, Indianapolis and Bloomington, home of the main Indiana University campus. We will schedule our Spring build to begin during Collegiate Challenge week. That means raising the walls and putting on the roof! We build two homes a year and the need for our affordable homes is evidenced by a continuous waiting list of partner family applicants. Check out pictures of our last two builds, both with Collegiate Challenge teams, on our website. www.morgancountyhabitat.org

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 1:6

Iowa
**Iowa Heartland HFH
Waterloo**
Available Spaces: 12

Contribution: \$75.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

Iowa Heartland HFH is a medium size affiliate serving three Iowa counties. IHFH builds 10 to 12 homes a year. Spring is a great time to have volunteer crews come in, because there will be several new projects starting. Volunteers stay at local churches, who provide showers, a sleeping area and a kitchen for meals. Habitat staff will try to plan other fun and free activities for volunteer during their stay. March in Iowa can be unpredictable, so plan for all types of weather.

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 1:5

Kentucky

Lexington HFH Lexington

Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other: Christian Camp Site

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Lexington Habitat for Humanity builds about 15 homes per year for families that live in sub-standard housing. Our partner families for 2012 include several immigrants from Africa, several single-parent households, one family with a paraplegic, wheelchair-bound member, and mostly families with young children. The families work alongside volunteers to help build their homes. Student groups rave about our affiliate, our staff and --most of all-- the accommodations. The Blue Grass Christian Camp provides a rustic, clean and safe place for students to sleep, complete with full kitchen.

Hardin County HFH, Inc. Elizabethtown

Available Spaces: 12

Contribution: \$0.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other: Wesley Hilltop House

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

We will be working on several Habitat Houses. We build 4 a year. Students will stay in a mission house with its own kitchen. Bring sleeping bags and air mattresses. No beds. Our work schedule can be adjusted to your program. Consider visits to Manmouth Cave, Churchill Downs, and the KY Horse park. We will provide lunches at the work site. Local civic groups will host evening meals. You will have a full kitchen to make your own breakfast.

Madison & Clark, Counties, KY, HFH of Richmond

Available Spaces: 16

Contribution: \$125.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 50%, Advance Days: 10

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Our lodge sleeps 16 and has complete kitchen, full size washer, dryer, 4 showers and 3 toilets, wireless access. We are 3 blocks from YMCA which cost \$20 for the week to use. We have new shopping center with many restaurants, movie theater and shopping just down the road. Berea (10 miles), the Artisan Capital of KY, is a must visit with their quaint shops and homemade items. Richmond is home to Eastern Kentucky University and offers many varied sporting and cultural activities as does Berea College. We have wonderful local hiking, parks and recreation areas for your use.

Louisiana

St. Tammany West, HFH Mandeville

Available Spaces: 16
Contribution: \$175.00
 No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban
Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday
Minimum Age: 16
Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Habitat for Humanity St. Tammany West has completed over 200 new construction homes within the 30 years that we have been working within our community. This year, we have the unique opportunity to be a part of a mixed income community, the first of its kind within our area. We need to complete 10 homes within 15 months and we need your helping hands to work alongside our partner families in order to accomplish this goal.

Rapides HFH Alexandria

Available Spaces: 12
Contribution: \$125.00
 No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban
Work Week: Monday - Friday
Minimum Age: 18
Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Due to the declining economy Central Louisiana's pool of affordable housing has decreased significantly. The low to moderate income families that we serve work minimum wage jobs, and have no credit and/or credit challenges that prevent them from accessing safe and decent housing. As a result, these families live in substandard housing (i.e. mold, poor insulation, inadequate heating/cooling, overcrowded) or are homeless. The families that are able to access decent and safe housing spend over 50% of their monthly income on such shelter. Therefore, our objective is to build seven new homes.

Calcasieu Area, HFH: Lake Charles

Available Spaces: 20
Contribution: \$125.00
 No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban
Work Week: Monday - Friday
Minimum Age: 16
Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Our affiliate has a huge heart to help our community. Currently we have the land, finances, and heart to house families yet we need hands to help build homes. Our affiliate has great connections with different churches in the community that are able to house multiple volunteers. These churches are use to hosting teams and are equipped with beds, showers, and washer/dryers. Lake Charles, LA's population is around 73,000. It has the structure of a city with the feel of the outdoors with different attractions and great places to eat.

Lafayette HFH Lafayette

Available Spaces: 12
Contribution: \$125.00
 No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other: Habitat Volunteer House

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban
Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday
Minimum Age: 16
Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Lafayette Habitat for Humanity (LHFH) was established as an affiliate of Habitat for Humanity International (HFHI) in 1992 and has completed 78 homes to date in our service area of Lafayette and Vermilion Parishes. 44 of those homes have been built since the 2005 hurricanes, many of them in partnership with hurricane-affected families. We are currently building out the last phase of a 33-home subdivision on East Gilman Road in Lafayette, and we want YOU to be part of this momentous time with us! You will reside right down the street from our worksite in a Habitat home with bunk beds.

**East St. Tammany HFH
Slidell**
Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$200.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

Come on down to Slidell, Louisiana! Our East St. Tammany Habitat affiliate is known for being friendly, fun and hard-working. Because our area is still recovering from Hurricanes Katrina and Rita, many people here need safe, decent, affordable housing. We rely heavily on our awesome volunteers to help us make that happen. Located just outside of New Orleans and near Mississippi beaches, it's a great place to visit, in addition to having the best construction crew and staff around! We look forward to hosting your group and will do everything we can to help you enjoy your visit!

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Maine
**7 Rivers Maine, Inc.; HFH
Bath**
Available Spaces: 10

Contribution: \$125.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance

Amt: 20% Advance Days: 14

Area Description:

Founded in 1990, HFH/7RM serves 31 towns along the Maine coast. To date, we have completed 31 homes and helped over 100 people. New home construction is our focus during the summer months. Join volunteer site supervisors, volunteers, and prospective homeowners on site to see how we build homes as well as dreams. After a long day on site, tour the local beaches, lighthouses, and lobster shacks to truly enjoy Maine at its best. Some Meals Provided

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other: showers available off site

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Massachusetts
**North Central Massachusetts, Inc., HFH
Fitchburg**
Available Spaces: 12

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other: Campground Dormitory

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

 College Groups Need Faculty/Advisor

Area Description:

Habitat for Humanity North Central Massachusetts is a short trip west of Boston, and serves a broad group of 25 communities ranging from a rural to a small urban setting. It is the birthplace of Johnny Appleseed, with natural marshlands and fruit orchards still dotting the historic region. HFHNCM is centrally located in Fitchburg, an old mill town with a high number of abandoned buildings and a struggling infrastructure, as well as an ever-present need for decent, affordable housing.

The volunteer lodging is on a lakeside campground, with a volleyball court and plenty of yard space.

**Springfield HFH, Greater
West Springfield**
Available Spaces: 12

Contribution: \$150.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other: Board members homes

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 1 adult

 College Groups Need Faculty/Advisor

Area Description:

Springfield MA is a mid-size city known for being the birthplace of Basketball and also the "City of Homes." Despite it's title as the city of homes, Springfield faces a high foreclosure rate and many vacant lots. Our affiliate is committed to providing affordable housing to residents of the greater Springfield area. Recently affected by a tornado that destroyed large sections of the city, there is a possibility that students might work on tornado recovery efforts.

Michigan

Kent County, HFH of Grand Rapids

Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

This year Habitat for Humanity of Kent County is celebrating 27 years and our 300th home. Our goal for the next year is to impact 50 families thru a combination of new construction, renovation of existing homes that were foreclosed on and a program called A Brush with Kindness. We are absolutely committed to sustainable building and all of our homes since 2007 have been LEED Certified. We are committed to offering our Collegiate Challenge groups a variety of tasks for them to experience. Our goals are to keep you safe, have fun and get a lot of work completed!

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

College Groups Need Faculty/Advisor

Battle Creek Area HFH Battle Creek

Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$140.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

Calhoun County is approximately 120,000 people, with Battle Creek being its largest city at a population that falls below 60% of median income level. Much of the housing in the city core is older housing stock; as a result, we have strategically decided to do primarily "gut" rehabs. This city has a robust series of festivals throughout the year, such as Festival of Lights, Field of Flight Hot Air Balloon Festival, Worlds Longest Breakfast Table, etc. Our affiliate has a volunteer center that house 25 guests comfortably. Separate sleeping rooms for males and females with a large common room

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Blue Water HFH Port Huron

Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$125.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 50%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

BWVHFH was started in 1990 by a small group of volunteers. Today, it has grown to be able to serve over 80 families and operates a ReStore. We are connected to Canada by both bridge and ferry. There is shoreline on both Lake Huron and the St. Clair River. Although early spring can still bring a late snow, the city of Port Huron has a junior hockey team and other opportunities, and also a short drive to metro Detroit. Many of the new jobs available in the area are lower paying jobs that make it hard for residents to qualify for conventional loans or make needed repairs to their homes.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Lakeshore HFH Holland

Available Spaces: 10

Contribution: \$175.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 50%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Working with our affiliate, you will be building homes, communities and hope for families in the Holland area. Worksites will be in the Holland and Zeeland area and will include new builds, rebuilds and critical home repair projects in our targeted neighborhoods.

A kitchen, lounge area, and a place to sleep will be provided by a local church (please bedding and/or air mattress). Showers will be available at the Holland Aquatic Center where you will have access to their pools and gym!

While in Holland, you can enjoy spending time at beautiful area beaches and hiking trails or in downtown

**HiawathaLand, Inc.; HFH
Manistique**

Available Spaces: 25

Contribution: \$150.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

HFH HiawathaLand is located in Manistique, MI. With 70% of the homes in our area in substandard conditions, we seek you to help revitalize our community. For our volunteers, we have a volunteer center that occupies the upper level of the Blanchard Center, our Habitat facility. It has men's & women's dorms, shower rooms, and a multi-purpose room. The kitchen & dining room, located on the 1st floor, are fully quipped. There is easy access to basketball courts, a softball field and playground equipment in the adjacent city park. Plenty of other outdoor activities are available for every season!

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

College Groups Need Faculty/Advisor

Minnesota

**South Central Minnesota, HFH of
Mankato**
Available Spaces: 10

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Habitat of South Central MN seeks to eliminate poverty housing by constructing over 90 homes since 1991. We build an average of seven homes a year. Need is high for quality housing, most of our applicants pay astronomical dollars for rent, live in overcrowded and unsafe conditions. Habitat for Humanity of SCMN is building a 13-lot unit subdivision, Habitat Park, in Mankato. Framing, sheetrocking, flooring, siding are among the collegiate challenges. Participants stay in a church or college dormitory. Most meals provided. Mankato is a scenic river valley, booming art and music scene.

**Fergus Falls Area HFH
Fergus Falls**
Available Spaces: 10

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other: Battle Lake Motel

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

We are the only affiliate in a 5000 square mile rural area in the lakes of Minnesota. We build up to 5 homes per year and completed 29 A Brush With Kindness projects in the past year. We are also helping with tornado recovery following the June 17, 2010 tornado in Wadena, Minnesota. We also operate an active "home deconstruction" program -- over 50% of our materials are provided by home deconstruction.

**Winona-Fillmore Counties, HFH-
Winona**
Available Spaces: 12

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other: Schools

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Habitat for Humanity Winona-Fillmore Counties was founded in 1994 and finished its first home in that year. By 2009, as Habitat celebrated its 15th anniversary, 40 homes had been completed. In response to devastating floods in southeastern Minnesota, Habitat built its first home in Fillmore County in 2009. For 2012 we are building 2 new homes; one in Utica and one in Harmony. We are also starting A Brush With Kindness (ABWK) an exterior home preservation service for low income homeowners. Volunteers can expect to work on new construction, an ABWK house or in our 7500 square foot ReStore (a

Mississippi

Northeast Mississippi HFH Tupelo

Available Spaces: 15
Contribution: \$125.00
 No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Mississippi still ranks first among poverty in the United States. Our need for affordable housing is overwhelming. Our affiliate has 20 families waiting for houses. Volunteers are our largest need! Volunteers will participate in all aspects of construction - including framing, hanging vinyl siding, laying floors, roofing, painting, etc. Volunteers will be provided breakfast at the church each day as well as lunch on the jobsite. Dinner will be provided three nights during the week. Volunteers will have access to a full kitchen, gymnasium, pool table, and TV.

Mississippi Gulf Coast, Inc., HFH of the Gulfport

Available Spaces: 45
Contribution: \$125.00
 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 30

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

HFHMGC is currently working on new construction as well as the rehab of homes in Harrison, Jackson & Stone counties. Our work week runs from Tuesday-Saturday, from about 8AM-4PM.

HFHMGC volunteers are housed at local volunteer camps, where lodging and meals are provided. Meals are provided on Monday evening, 3 meals a day Tuesday-Friday, & a continental breakfast and bag lunch on Saturday. All teams must check out of the camp on Saturday morning.

Volunteers register online in advance for their trip with HFHMGC so that we can provide the best possible experience to our amazing volunteers.

Hattiesburg Area HFH Hattiesburg

Available Spaces: 15
Contribution: \$150.00
 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 7

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Hattiesburg was affected by Hurricane Katrina and the recent decline in our economy. HAHFH works to address the prevalent housing issues with new house construction and rehab and repair. Hattiesburg is known for it's southern hospitality and is a little over an hour's drive from New Orleans, Mobile, and the Gulf Coast. It houses two universities, one which is known for birthing football legend, Brett Favre. Students will participate in a variety of constructions tasks and will be staying at our office housing. Partner families will participate beside them during their week of service.

George County HFH Lucedale

Available Spaces: 20
Contribution: \$125.00
 No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

George County, a rural county (population 21,250), is 35 miles north of the MS Gulf Coast beaches. The need for decent affordable housing here is great even six years after Katrina! We are a small but growing affiliate which has built 30 homes and plans to build three more by June 30, 2012. We are one hour from the Gulfport/Biloxi airport and 45 minutes from the Mobile, AL airport. Malls, theaters, museums, beaches are all within an hour's drive. We promise you Southern hospitality and great appreciation for your help!

Missouri

Truman Heritage HFH, Inc. Independence

Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

We are building houses in the 25-50% low income housing in the Independence, MO area. Our affiliate is located about 15 minutes to downtown Kansas City in the Entertainment district. Our Board of Directors and volunteers have special activities to entertain the students in the evening.

Montana

Flathead Valley, HFH of Kalispell

Available Spaces: 18

Contribution: \$135.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Kalispell is in the heart of the magnificent Rocky Mountains, poised in the northwest corner of Montana. There are countless year-round recreational activities to be taken advantage of in Kalispell and the surrounding area, including most notably, Glacier National Park. Our affiliate is in the second year of a project that includes the construction of sixteen homes over four years. Student volunteers will be an essential piece of the project, having the opportunity to work on some of the first houses of this project.

Gallatin Valley, HFH of Belgrade

Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

We build with local volunteers and Collegiate Challenge groups. This year with weatherization a major factor we are looking for groups to help in this area as well as with our first "passive home." If you want to experience what a passive home is like & how it will positively impact our future energy needs you should be an active builder on this home. We are located just north of Yellowstone National Park which we get our students down to on their day off. A guest lodge provides passes for swimming in hot springs in March. Skiing & snow tubing at ski resorts located within an hour's drive.

New Jersey

Paterson HFH

Paterson

Available Spaces: 10

Contribution: \$125.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 50%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

We build year round; approx 10 homes/year. 45 min. from NYC.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Salem County, New Jersey, Inc., HFH of Carneys Point

Available Spaces: 25

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Area Description:

We are proud to celebrate our 30th anniversary in 2012. We are NJ's oldest Affiliate. We have hosted many work groups over the years and many return to help out as they are very impressed by our affiliate's accomplishments and mission to provide affordable housing. Aside from the worksite, campfires at the church or swimming at the YMCA or lake, the worksite is very close to Philadelphia, Ocean City, NJ or Wilmington, DE. Wilmington Blue Rocks is a nice spring/summer night out after a long day working on the house. God Bless you for your dedication and willingness to serve.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
Other: YMCA Showers&Recreation

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week:

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Gloucester County HFH Pitman

Available Spaces: 50

Contribution: \$115.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Area Description:

GCHFH believes that home-ownership provide both a social and economic platform from which low-income working families can build and grow their futures, in doing so, those families become good neighbors and good citizens. Intrinsicly, home-ownership is nothing less than simple human dignity. Come be a part of our South Jersey Team. We will house you in our Partner Church and provide as many meals as possible. Our Board Members will set aside one night for a dinner/event. More information will be available in our Collegiate Challenge packet.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

New Mexico

Taos, Inc., HFH of Taos

Available Spaces: 25

Contribution: \$125.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 10%, Advance Days: 28

Area Description:

We are a very small affiliate and build one to two houses a year. The Taos area has a great community with lots of things to do, like hiking, museums, shopping, skiing, disc golfing, horseback riding, etc. We are at 7000 ft. Despite our somewhat glamorous reputation, Taos is a rural community with a high rate of poverty and unemployment. These issues have inevitably caused many instances of substandard housing. With the help of good people like you, we have built 27 houses during the past 15 years. Your help is greatly needed and appreciated here at Habitat.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Other: Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri.

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

New York
Buffalo, HFH
Buffalo
Available Spaces: 18

Contribution: \$125.00

 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 10

Area Description:

Habitat Buffalo works in Buffalo, NY in diverse neighborhoods. There is great need in the city for low cost, safe housing. Houses are rehabbed twelve months of the year. We have a waiting list of qualified needy families. The affiliate has dedicated 214 houses in its 25 years. Our goal is to dedicate 20 houses per year. We usually have five work sites open and mid-week work crews. Niagara Falls is nearby. There is a lot of music available. Buffalo is home to the original chicken wings. There is great architecture in Buffalo. There are many colleges with activities.

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other: Retreat Centers

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Westchester, HFH of
New Rochelle
Available Spaces: 30

Contribution: \$150.00

 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

Habitat for Humanity of Westchester is an organization of thousands of volunteers who seek to eliminate poverty housing and homelessness throughout Westchester County, and to make decent, affordable shelter a matter of conscience and public action. Habitat invites people from all walks of life to work together in partnership to build houses with families in need.

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

 College Groups Need Faculty/Advisor

Newburgh, HFH of Greater
Newburgh
Available Spaces: 10

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

Volunteer groups who do a work week with Habitat Newburgh have the chance to make an impact on the lives of the children and parents of a hard-working partner family, in a city that is in great need of Habitat's work. Newburgh is located in the heartland of the beautiful Hudson Valley. In its heyday, Newburgh was an All-American city, but is now one of the most distressed urban communities in America. Habitat Newburgh has built over 47 houses, new builds and gut rehabs, in the historic district that includes all of the city's East End. Join us for a fun and rewarding volunteer experience.

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

North Carolina

Forsyth County, HFH of Winston Salem

Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

Our affiliate will have complete 300 homes by the end of 2011, serving more than 1000 family members. There are many substandard housing areas in our community and Habitat Forsyth has started rebuilding neighborhoods vs just build houses. Our affiliate offers dormitory style accommodations located above our offices with separate sleeping quarters, showers and access to a full service kitchen. We are close to many parks, mountains and only 4 hours from the beach. We engage many communitiy partners that provide lunch and dinner for the students on site, at Habitat or at a home or church.

Student Accommodations:

- Volunteer Center
- Private Home
- Church
- Other: Dormitory area

Building Location:

- Rural
- Suburban
- Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Iredell County, HFH of Statesville

Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$100.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

Habitat Iredell offers a meaningful experience for all our volunteers, regardless of skill level. Work in a community that appreciates your work and welcomes every group with open arms. Located a half hour north of Charlotte and an hour east of Asheville, Habitat Iredell is conveniently located a the junction of I-40 and I-77. Weather is moderate all year long. Accommodations are provided by local churches and most meals are provided. Volunteers will be working on either new construction, renovation, or critical home repair projects. All tools and safety materials are provided.

Student Accommodations:

- Volunteer Center
- Private Home
- Church
- Other:

Building Location:

- Rural
- Suburban
- Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Wake County, HFH of Raleigh

Available Spaces: 30

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

Habitat Wake, located in Raleigh, NC is fortunate to be in an area with multi plus factors in living (we build 20-25 houses per year), working (we build year-round), playing (collegiate basketball, football, baseball, hockey, soccer, museums, dining out, theater). Raleigh is in the center of the State and going east is 3 hours to the beaches and going west is three hours to the mountains. Education and technology abound with NC State, UNC-Chapel Hill and Duke University in the immediate area within 30 miles of each other. With two build cycles a year, we have many tasks happening every day.

Student Accommodations:

- Volunteer Center
- Private Home
- Church
- Other:

Building Location:

- Rural
- Suburban
- Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Alamance County, N.C., Inc., HFH of Burlington

Available Spaces: 12

Contribution: \$150.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

Located in the heart of NC, HFH of Alamance County welcomes the opportunity to extend true Southern hospitality to you! An affiliate that is well-supported by the community, we will afford you opportunities to interact with Habitat partner families, Habitat volunteers, Habitat staff, and local Habitat supporters. Our new construction efforts are led by a strong Construction Supervisor and crew. You will enjoy the favorable climate and easy-going way of life in Burlington, NC. And, if you are a college basketball fan, nothing could be finer that to be in Carolina!

Student Accommodations:

- Volunteer Center
- Private Home
- Church
- Other: Furnished house

Building Location:

- Rural
- Suburban
- Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

**Craven County NC, HFH of
New Bern**
Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

New Bern, known as the birthplace of Pepsi Cola, is the county seat of Craven County. Originally, a Swiss settlement, the city is named after the Capitol of Switzerland, Bern, and has a similar flag. Tryon Palace, home to the British Governor William Tryon, was completed in 1770. It then became the state Capitol building for newly independent North Carolina until 1790 when it burned down. It has since been rebuilt. The build site will be located in the town of Havelock in Craven County, midway between historic New Bern and the beautiful beaches of the Crystal Coast. Some Meals Provided

**Cabarrus County, HFH
Concord**
Available Spaces: 25

Contribution: \$175.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other: YMCA for showers

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Habitat Cabarrus County is located 20 minutes north of Charlotte, NC. We currently are building new homes in a dedicated Habitat community as well as doing major renovation projects are part of our Neighborhood Revitalization efforts. Area churches host our collegiate challenge team plus help provide meals. Local restaurants provide lunch and dinner (including vegetarian options). All groups need a "can do" attitude and basic sleeping gear (pillow, sleeping bag, air mattress). HFHCC takes care of the rest. Our is for our volunteers to have a great experience having others!

**Chatham HFH
Pittsboro**
Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$150.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other: Camp Royall cabins

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Chatham Habitat is located in Pittsboro, NC which is 15-20 minutes from UNC Chapel Hill, 20 minutes from Apex/Cary and 30 minutes from Raleigh, NC. Volunteers are crucial in this rural affiliate and Collegiate Challenge is invaluable for us. About 50% of our construction volunteer hours for the year come from this event, and over 104 homes have been built in large part due to help from college students. Groups stay in heated and cooled cabins at Camp Royall and have access to the numerous amenities including indoor basketball, large dining facilities, etc.

**Rocky Mount Area HFH
Rocky Mount**
Available Spaces: 24

Contribution: \$140.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

RMAHFH has been a long-time benefactor of the collegiate challenge...we make it fun and meaningful. Many groups take a trip to the coast (the Outerbanks are 2 hours away) during the week. We have a great facility and friendly staff.

**Mitchell-Yancey HFH
Micaville**

Available Spaces: 15
Contribution: \$100.00
 No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban
Work Week: Monday - Friday
Minimum Age: 16
Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Mitchell-Yancey Habitat is a small rural affiliate serving two counties. We build one house per year. We are located in the heart of the Blue Ridge Mtns, near the Appalachian Trail and the Blue Ridge Parkway. Our area brings you the best of two diverse worlds; whether you're a lover of fine craft or an outdoor enthusiast, there's something for everyone. Whitewater rafting, hiking, craft collection, fishing, gallery and studio touring, gemstone mining or sit on a rock with your feet in a briskly moving mountain stream and relax.

**Caldwell County HFH
Lenoir**

Available Spaces: 12
Contribution: \$125.00
 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 50%, Advance Days: 30

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban
Work Week: Monday - Friday
Minimum Age: 16
Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Caldwell Co. Habitat is located in the foothills of the Blue Ridge mountains with spectacular views and a array of activities. We have had a large unemployment population over the last few years making the need for Habitat more prominent than ever before. I like to provide a heavy morning snack, lunch everyday, all evening meals and a couple of evening activities. The other evenings we allow free time for leisure of your choice after dinner. We normally lodge a FUMC of Lenoir with cots available, kitchen and washer & dryer, large recreation room.

**Mount Airy Area HFH, Inc., Greater
Mount Airy**

Available Spaces: 20
Contribution: \$125.00
 No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other: At ReStore

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban
Work Week: Monday - Friday
Minimum Age: 16
Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Plan a half-day to hike nearby Blue Ridge Parkway trails; end-of-week pool party in indoor, heated pool at local community center; walking trails near by; relaxing spot to be for a week in a rural community.

**Goldsboro-Wayne, Inc. HFH of
Goldsboro**

Available Spaces: 20
Contribution: \$125.00
 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 14

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
 Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban
Work Week: Monday - Friday
Minimum Age: 16
Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Goldsboro has the highest rent of any metropolitan area in North Carolina. the average rent in Godlsboro is \$975, but the average Habitat homeowner's monthly mortgage payment is \$375. We work to alleviate substandard housing in Goldsboro by building affordable, quality homes for deserving families in our area. We build 6-7 homes per year and greatly depend on the volunteer hours of Collegiate Challenge students. We have a great time on and off our site, and often give our CC students a break during the week to make a day trip to the beach (1 1/2 hours away).

Ohio

**Cleveland HFH, Greater
Cleveland**
Available Spaces: 10

Contribution: \$125.00

 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 14

Area Description:

GCHFH has built over 160 homes over the last 20 years. Participants will serve on new construction and rehab homes, as well as in our ReStore, recycling and reselling donated building materials at discount prices. Join the fight to eliminate substandard housing in one of the "poorest big cities" in the country. Local attractions include the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, professional sports teams, restaurants, and concerts. Breakfast and orientation will be provided on Tuesday morning.

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other: Local Colleges

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Oklahoma

**Central Oklahoma HFH
Oklahoma City**
Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$150.00

 No Advance Contribution Required:
 Advance Amt: 0%, Advance Days: 0

Area Description:

Central Oklahoma Habitat for Humanity builds about 45 new homes each year. We also help 50 plus families a year with our Critical Home Repair Program. We have good relationship with a centrally located church that will help with the lodging and some entertainment activities. The facility has a full gym with walking track, racketball and workout areas. Oklahoma City has several thing to do such as Profession sporting events, National Cowboy and Western Heritage Museum, OKC Bombing Memorial, Bricktown Riverwalk and the Largest Luxury Movie Theater in the US. **WARNING:** Great experience offered

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Oregon

**Rogue Valley, HFH
Medford****Available Spaces:** 16**Contribution:** \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations: Volunteer Center Private Home Church

Other:

Building Location: Rural Suburban Urban**Work Week:** Monday - Friday**Minimum Age:** 16**Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio:** 5:1**Area Description:**

The Groups will be staying in church facilities where full use of the bathrooms, showers, kitchen and dining room are available. The work will be mostly construction and at least one day in Restore. There is a Lot of local attractions, including Oregon Caves, Crater Lake national park, and lots of hiking & outdoor activities.

**Bend Area HFH
Bend****Available Spaces:** 10**Contribution:** \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations: Volunteer Center Private Home Church

Other: School

Building Location: Rural Suburban Urban**Work Week:** Monday - Friday**Minimum Age:** 16**Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio:** 5:1**Area Description:**

Bend Area Habitat for Humanity serves the Bend and Prineville communities. We build new homes as well as rehab existing homes and sell to families going through the Habitat program. We also paint, and repair exterior of homes, yard maintenance and clean up as well. These additional services are available to low income members of our community. Our 0% loan applies to all these services as well as the new and rehabbed homes. Students always have a great time volunteering with us and there are unlimited outdoor activities to participate in once the workday is over. Choose us! :)

Pennsylvania

Greene County HFH Waynesburg

Available Spaces: 12

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

We are a rural, agricultural and coal mining community. The largest population center in the county has a population of about 5000.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

York HFH York

Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$125.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 50%, Advance Days: 45

Area Description:

We are only 40 minutes from Gettysburg, Hershey and Lancaster. We are only 90 minutes from Baltimore. There is so much to see and do including Battlefield tours, Amusement Parks, Amish Community, tours of local snack companies and the BEAUTIFUL BALTIMORE HARBOR! Lodging includes 2 separate living quarters for male/female, common living area and full kitchen centrally located in downtown.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Harrisburg Area, HFH of Gtr Harrisburg

Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

The need for simple, decent and affordable housing is rapidly increasing the Harrisburg area. For the past 25 years, the Harrisburg Affiliate has been in operation, we have taken great pride in making the Collegiate Challenge experience meaningful and fun for the students, partner families, and staff, with the help of the community. Harrisburg's state capital building was voted 'most beautiful' state capital by the Smithsonian. The city is also full of great history and a wonderful river front. Just down the road you will find Hershey, which has several fun activities for you to enjoy.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Montgomery County, HFH of Norristown

Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$150.00

Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

Habitat for Humanity of Montgomery County is located just outside Philadelphia. In our county, there are over 5,700 families living in substandard housing. We have various build sites for construction volunteers and opportunities in our ReStore, a home improvement thrift store that allows us to keep new and gently used items from the landfill and allows us to put money back into home construction. You'll get to work with cool, knowledgeable people like our Construction Manager, ReStore Manager, and other Habitat volunteers!

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

**Lebanon County, HFH of
Annville**

Available Spaces: 12

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

Habitat for Humanity of Lebanon County is currently renovating houses in Lebanon City. Lebanon City is a smaller town located 30 minutes away from the heart of Amish Country and 30 minutes from the Harrisburg, the State Capital. In the evening take a ride to visit the Amish, catch a senators game in Harrisburg, take a tour of a local mine, visit Fort Indian Town Gap, or walk the local rails to trail. Over the next year we will be renovating 3 houses in the City of Lebanon. Each house present is own unique challenges and will be at different stages. We look forward to hosting you.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other: Church Retreat Center

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

South Carolina

Sea Island HFH

Johns Island

Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$150.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 14

Area Description:

Sea Island Habitat for Humanity was started in 1978 and serves populations from suburban James island to rural Edisto Island. The service population is a mix of residents whose families have lived on the islands since the pre-Civil War era and new residents of largely Hispanic immigrant families who have moved here in more recent years. Many of our applicants currently live in conditions that people think no longer exist in the United States. We see applicants with no running water, heat, or floors in their homes. When residents are fortunate enough, they have family they can turn to.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Georgetown County, SC, HFH

Georgetown

Available Spaces: 22

Contribution: \$200.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 50% Advance Days: 7

Area Description:

Habitat for Humanity Georgetown County is a county with a diverse socio-economic population. We have very wealthy retirees who live along the coast and the rivers & we have very poor families who live inland. It is reported that 33% of the housing is sub-standard and that 68% of all adults are functionally illiterate. The faith based community embraces all of our Collegiate Challenge groups & demonstrates that southern hospitality is alive and well. Students enjoy the beaches along the Atlantic, local theater, history and sumptuous seafood while helping families in need.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Mon - Fri (Wed - free day)

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

LowCountry HFH

Beaufort

Available Spaces: 12

Contribution: \$175.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 50%, Advance Days: 10

Area Description:

We are a small community with economic extremes. Beaufort County is one of the fastest growing for retirees, but one with low wages and extreme poverty as well. The need for affordable housing for working families is great. Retirees come to Beaufort for its coastal location, history and beauty. We are located halfway between Charleston, SC, and Savannah, GA, and have easy access to beaches at Hunting Island State Park and Hilton Head Island. We generally work from 8 am to 1 or 2 pm, so there is ample time to hit the beaches, shop and tour the area.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Hilton Head Regional HFH

Bluffton

Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$145.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 50%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

Hilton Head Regional is located in the Lowcountry of South Carolina. Our student groups are housed in a Retreat Center in a rural area near horse farms. We are located between Savannah and Charleston, both close enough for day trips. The beaches in Hilton Head are also very popular.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

**Marion County, HFH of
Marion**
Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$150.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Marion County is located approximately 45 miles from Myrtle Beach, SC which offers over 60 miles of wide, soft, sandy beaches. We are also located approximately 115 miles from the rich history of Charleston, SC. We afford students Wednesday afternoon off of work in order to enjoy their brief stay in Marion County and visit some of the attractions our state has to offer. Poverty housing is rampant in Marion County and our affiliate is striving to eliminate that by building one quality, affordable home at a time.

South Dakota
**Sioux Falls, HFH of Greater
Sioux Falls**
Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Habitat's office is only 5 minutes from the city's Namesake Waterfalls. At Falls Park, an elevator zips you up the observation tower for sweeping views of the Big Sioux River, the falls and the city. Browse the nearby historic downtown shopping district for specialty items, including Native American art. At the Great Plains Zoo & Delbridge Museum of Natural History. In 2012, we hope to build 10 Habitat homes. We would love to have your help!

**Sicangu Tikaga Okiciyapi HFH
Mission**
Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$200.00

 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: .25%, Advance Days: 30

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

We are the fifth poorest county in the US Todd County SD is located on the Rosebud Indian Reservation Need for family-overcrowding-little if any financing for home mortgages Old boys dormitory 4 bunk beds per room, with centralized cooking and dining facility, community bathroom with showers local museums- 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 hours to Mount Rushmore and Crazy Horse Monuments- Bad Lands -Bear Butte- Devils Tower

Tennessee
**Rutherford County Area HFH
Murfreesboro**
Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$75.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

Rutherford County Area Habitat for Humanity is a great place to feel at home when you are away from home. Founded in 1989, our affiliate has built 105 homes in the last twenty-two years. While we do serve all of Rutherford County, our founder's primary objective has been to rebuild the South Money community. We are currently the fifth largest county in the nation in terms of growth. There is always something to do in our great community!

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

**Blount County, HFH of
Maryville**
Available Spaces: 30

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Area Description:

Blount County is situated at the foothills of the Great Smoky Mountains. Hiking, bikeing, horseback riding, tubing, kayaking, camping, Cades Cove, Pigeon Forge, Gatlinburg, Dollywood Theme Park, and other attractions are within an hours drive. Our southern hospitality makes for a great experience!

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

**Anderson County, HFH of
Oak Ridge**
Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$150.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance

Amt: 50%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

In the shadow of the Appalachian Mountains with all its recreational opportunities sits Anderson County with over 15% of the population living under the poverty line. Over 65% of the housing stock was built before 1960 and in need of repair, renovation or replacement. Working with us will give a taste of Southern hospitality while gaining experience in a variety of construction project formats. We look for crews that can be flexible and in return, we make sure they have a great week. Come join us!

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Texas

**El Paso, HFH of
El Paso**
Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$130.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Two countries and three states come together at the pass to the north - Four historic missions capture the history of Mexico and the US border. The beauty of the desert is tempered by the economic poverty of the region and the tragic violence of our sister city, Juarez. A growing affiliate that embraces our Collegiate Challenge volunteers with warm El Paso hospitality, great Mexican food, lots of sunshine, boots and country western dancing, White Sands and the largest urban park in the US, Franklin Mountain State Park.

**Northwest Harris Co, HFH of
Houston**
Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$175.00

 Advance Contribution Required: Advance
 Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 14

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

The Habitat NWHC affiliate is located in the north west suburbs of Houston. We are building an entire neighborhood and we need your help! Building an entire neighborhood offers volunteers the unique opportunity to see all stages of construction progressing in one place. Volunteers will have a variety to do and will have a lot of fun. We may also offer volunteer opportunities in deconstruction and the ReStore depending on which days the volunteers are working. Our staff and regular volunteers are vibrant and enthusiastic and we always look forward to our Collegiate Challenge volunteers.

Utah

**Castle Country, HFH of
Price**
Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$150.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:
 Volunteer Center

 Private Home

 Church

Other:

Building Location:
 Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Serving Carbon and Emery Counties in SE Utah, HFH of Castle Country has a broad area of service for a sparsely populated yet very dynamic and beautiful landscapes. On the rural frontier, HFHCC builds houses deliberately and efficiently, utilizing systems and materials that may have a higher initial cost but in the long term cost less to maintain and repair. Near top national parks and monuments, along with vast surrounds of public land, volunteer groups working alongside HFHCC will have plenty of opportunity to explore the wild desert landscape and raft the rivers. Tours/hook-ups provided.

Virginia

Eastern Shore Of Virginia HFH

Exmore

Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other: showers at YMCA usually

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Other: M-F, with Wednesday off

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

ESVA Habitat serves 2 of VA's poorest counties on Rural Delmarva Peninsula betw/ Atlantic Ocean & Chesapeake Bay - farming & commercial fishing - very little industry or business - large low-income population - much substandard housing & few unskilled job options (Perdue plant) - growing Hispanic population in agriculture, construction - labor camps- small towns, friendly family atmosphere& great hospitality -close to Chincoteague, Va. Beach, Ocean City - local history dates to 1600s- NASA Center -excellent HFH worksite staff teaches& encourages-building House #37 now - families at work site

Rockbridge Area HFH

Lexington

Available Spaces: 12

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other: Carriage House

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Area Description:

Ambitious rural affiliate with experience hosting college groups. Knowledgeable construction supervisors who value learning, safety, and fun. Teams to work on 1-2 new construction homes. Chance to meet and/or work with future homeowners. Historic area with a vibrant, cultural community surrounded by the Blue Ridge and Allegheny mountains. Easy access to 2 universities and downtown Lexington. Attractions include: hiking, fishing, swimming, good local restaurants, historical museums, Goshen Pass, Blue Ridge Parkway. Great accommodations at Carriage House, kitchen provided upon request.

Washington

Yakima Valley Partners HFH

Yakima

Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$150.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 50%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

Yakima, while located 2 hours east of Seattle, gets over 300 days of sunshine a year. This sunshine not only makes Yakima the apple capitol of the world, but also a great place to build houses throughout the year. Along with lots of orchards and vineyards and farms to see and experience, Mt. Rainier is only a 1 1/2 hour drive or simply relax after a hot day by floating the Yakima River. The Yakama Indian Reservation comprises a large portion of Yakima County, and along with the large Hispanic population offers a diverse cultural experience.

Student Accommodations:

- Volunteer Center
- Private Home
- Church
- Other: shower at YMCA

Building Location:

- Rural
- Suburban
- Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Spokane, HFH

Spokane

Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

Habitat for Humanity-Spokane began building modest affordable homes for very low-income Spokane area residents in 1987. Since that time, Habitat-Spokane has built 208 new homes and a sophisticated core of dedicated supporters and professionals. As we embark on the largest build in our history, a 114 home development in the lowest income area in our county, you will become a critical part of our success by helping build the very first 6 homes of this development. Our jobsite offers a supervisory staff of three experienced builders ready to lead your Habitat adventure.

Student Accommodations:

- Volunteer Center
- Private Home
- Church
- Other:

Building Location:

- Rural
- Suburban
- Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Island County, HFH of

Oak Harbor

Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$125.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 50%, Advance Days: 60

Area Description:

Oak Harbor is a beautiful waterfront community nestled on the shores of the Puget Sound, enjoying one of the most scenic pastoral, forested and maritime environments in the Northwest. Habitat for Humanity of Island County, founded in 1997 by Vic and Marlene Jones is on track to complete its 30th home. We work with families who live in substandard conditions partnering with volunteers, local businesses and churches to build new decent and affordable homes. We currently have land and are in need of construction assistance to help us build 3-4 houses in the Spring of 2012.

Student Accommodations:

- Volunteer Center
- Private Home
- Church
- Other:

Building Location:

- Rural
- Suburban
- Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

West Virginia

Almost Heaven HFH Franklin

Available Spaces: 68

Contribution: \$150.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

We serve all of Pendleton County, West Virginia. We are 3 hours SW of Washington DC and right in the heart of Appalachia. The inescapable beauty is coupled with extreme poverty. We have built 110 new houses and performed over 300 rehabilitations and repairs. In 2012 we plan to build 12 new houses and perform 3-5 repair jobs per month including wheel-chair ramps, exterior cosmetic repairs, and weatherization. Our community is loaded with well-preserved natural wonders; mountains, caves, swimming holes, and shallow trout beds. Come and see for yourself why we are Almost Heaven.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Huntington (WV) Area HFH Huntington

Available Spaces: 14

Contribution: \$125.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 50%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

Over the past 21 years, we have hosted more than 97 teams of college students and adults who have helped us build 75 houses to date. Each volunteer made a tremendous contribution to our community and we hope they left Huntington with happy memories and a true sense of accomplishment. There are many opportunities for fun and relaxation in the Huntington area and in the state of West Virginia. Please visit the following websites: <http://www.ghprd.org> (Greater Huntington Parks and Recreation District) & <http://www.wvvisit.org> (Greater Huntington Convention & Visitors Bureau)

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Greenbrier, Inc., HFH of Lewisburg

Available Spaces: 30

Contribution: \$150.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 100%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

Nestled in the Alleghany Mountains, we serve all of Greenbrier County, WV. The area offers many recreational opportunities and is considered a premiere tourist destination. Despite the beauty, poverty abounds and many families struggle to find affordable housing. The County Seat of Lewisburg was voted as the coolest small town in America in 2011 and White Sulphur Springs is home to the Greenbrier Resort. www.greenbrierwv.com We build 10 new homes per year and 5-7 repairs each month. New homes are built to Energy Star & constructed with environmentally friendly, energy efficient materials.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
Other: House

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Monday - Friday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Marion County HFH Fairmont

Available Spaces: 10

Contribution: \$125.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 10%, Advance Days: 12

Area Description:

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center
 Private Home
 Church
Other: Local campsites

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Other: Either

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

We are a small affiliate in WV. We are located just south of Morgantown, the home of WVU. While we are a small affiliate we have a lot of heart. We are currently working on our 10th house and hope to finish it soon. Marion County and the surrounding area has a lot to offer people with a variety of interests. We have beautiful scenery, lots of hiking, biking and lakes in the surrounding area. We are also a little over an hour south of Pittsburgh if you want to catch a Baseball game or do some shopping. Fairmont is nicknamed the friendly city and I believe you will experience that!

Wisconsin

Milwaukee HFH

Milwaukee

Available Spaces: 20

Contribution: \$125.00

Advance Contribution Required: Advance
Amt: 25%, Advance Days: 30

Area Description:

Milwaukee Habitat for Humanity has served over 500 families through our new construction and A Brush With Kindness programs. This year, we have a goal of building 40 new construction homes and completing 35 A Brush With Kindness projects within the year.

Volunteer groups will work on our new construction or A Brush With Kindness projects. For our new construction homes volunteers will be able to help frame, install insulation, drywall or paint. For A Brush With Kindness, volunteers help paint, work on porches, interior work including flooring, kitchen and bathroom repairs.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other:

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 16

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1

Wyoming

Eastern Bighorns, HFH of the Sheridan

Available Spaces: 15

Contribution: \$125.00

No Advance Contribution Required:

Area Description:

Our affiliate is located in Sheridan, WY, a town of 17,500 people located at the edge of the Bighorn Mountains. Although we are a small community, there is ample access to outdoor activities, and a surprisingly large amount of cultural activities, including art exhibits, theater, and music. We are also blessed with a wealth of community support for non-profit and volunteer groups, including our dedicated volunteer board of directors - who host meals and often provide housing. The staff at our affiliate is fairly young and laid-back, but we are enthusiastic go-getters.

Student Accommodations:

Volunteer Center

Private Home

Church

Other: Board member's ranch

Building Location:

Rural Suburban Urban

Work Week: Tuesday - Saturday

Minimum Age: 18

Minimum Youth/Adult Ratio: 5:1