Habitat for Humanity of Bergen County Holiday Buzz

December 20:

Wishing you PEACE, LOVE and JOY for this festive season!
We offer our thoughts and prayers for those spending the Holiday withou
a decent home, in need of warmth and comfort.

CARS FOR HOMES



Habitat affiliates in Bergen County, Morris County, Newark and Paterson have been awarded a matching donation grant of up to \$100,000 from the Habitat Cars for Homes™ program.

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Breakfast With Santa

December 18, 2010



JERSEY ROAD TRIP

Do you have a car, boat, motorcycle or RV just sitting around? Think about trading it in and supporting Habitat for Humanity.

WE have a special deal for you!

Habitat affiliates in Bergen County, Morris County, Newark and Paterson have been awarded a matching donation grant of up to \$100,000 from the Habitat Cars for Homes program. This means that the cash value of vehicles donated to these affiliates between Nov. 1, 2010, and June 30, 2011, will be matched with donations from the parent organization.



Habitat Bergen's
Youth United
will host their 2nd annual
Breakfast with Santa.

Waldwick Ambulance Corp

20 White Lane, Waldwick, NJ

9:00-10:30 am & 11:30-1:00 pm

Reserve your space NOW

\$7 per person

Tickets can also be purchased at the door.

For details Click Here

January 11, 2011

BLUE MOON MEXICAN CAFE

20% of all purchases will be donated to HfHBC.

Enjoy a delicious meal, lunch or dinner; take the food home or have it delivered.

Visit any 3 of the BLUE MOON restaurants.

Woodcliff Lake

Act quickly and donate a vehicle before the end of December and you may still be able to claim the deduction on your 2010 income tax return.

The matching grant program will culminate in the Habitat Cars for Homes "Jersey Road Trip," a week-long event to be scheduled in the spring of 2011. A group of representatives from the Habitat Cars for Homes "program will help build homes in New Jersey, spending a day at each of four Habitat for Humanity work sites in Bergen, Essex, Morris and Passaic counties.

For more information about this special fundraiser click here,



Power your home with GREEN Electric.

Save big in the month of December - Sign up for Viridian and receive an additional 10% off your first electric bill and Habitat Bergen will also receive \$10.

HfHBC is part of a unique fundraising program. At no cost to you, switching to Viridian electric, you will benefit in 3 ways:

Save money each month on YOUR electric bill.
Save the planet by using "green energy".
Support Habitat Bergen which earns money on
each account opened up.

It's EASY!

Visit www.viridian.com/habitatbergen to register today

For frequently asked questions, please click here.

OritaniBank Charitable Foundation

On November 30th, 2010 Habitat was presented with a \$100,000 grant.

Englewood Wyckoff

You must present the Blue Moon Mexican Cafe flyer at time of purchase for the 20% to apply towards Habitat For Humanity of Bergen County.

Click here for the flyer.



Save the Date

2011 Builder of the Year Awards Celebration

June 1, 2011

The Venetian

546 River Drive Garfield, NJ

Show your support





Renee Gordon-Johnson

The Habitat Bergen office is especially grateful to have a



Kevin Lynch, Jacey Raimondo



Phil Wyks, James Vandervalk, Kevin Lynch, Jacey Raimondo, Christine Incontro, Neal Klausner

The grant will be used to underwrite the cost of building a 4-bedroom condominium for the D'Annibale family home in Waldwick.

Thank you to Our Newest Partners



HELP SUPPORT THE HABITAT BERGEN MISSION

Home Depot at Work in Garfield

3 days and 250 sheets of drywall...

volunteer as dedicated to our mission as we are.

Growing up in Sloatsburg, NY, Renee Gordon-Johnson previously lived in Union and Edgewater, New Jersey and now is a full time resident of Paramus

Renee has a degree in accounting and has been assisting us in keeping our affiliate "in check". She also shares her time at the Center for Food Action - Bergen County.



She loves to spend her free time rooting for her favorite team at Yankee

Stadium.

Renee has a heart bigger then most. Her flexibility and willingness to join in whenever and wherever needed is so important. We are very grateful Renee has chosen HfHBC as one of her missions.

THANK YOU RENEE!!







click here for more photos



Gift Wrapping

Outlets at Bergen Town Center



Thanks to our numerous corporate sponsors, especially United Water, UPS and Lakeland Bank, and to our wonderful volunteers (Sandy, Rene Caroline, Norma and many more).

We are grateful for everyone's effor and the amazing donations.

We have already exceeded last year's total!!

There's still time to visit us at The Outlets at Bergen Town Center and let us wrap your gifts!

Happy Holidays to Everyone!!

Celebration of ALL the Years

GREYHEADS Holiday Lunch-In



On December 15th our devoted grou of 'Greyheads' gathered together at Vitales Restaurant in Teaneck for the Annual Holiday Celebration.

Many of the members have been swinging the hammer together for over 15 years and have grown to be an integral part of our affiliate.

We are forever grateful to have them on our sites.

What's UP in the Months to Come!



FUNDRAISER at the NEW Paramus Store January 13, 2011

January 22, 2011



Celebrate Marcy Steele's 70th Birthday!

RUN-RUN-RUN in NYC Half-Marathon



March 20, 2011

Click the icons for more info.

CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS - We need YOU in 2011!!



Are you interested in volunteering?

Visit our website under the Volunteer Tab to find out how to become a team player and build affordable homes in Bergen County.

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