

Salem County Habitat Construction Update - 4/14/08

Thanks to all who helped this week, the Tuesday Crew, Erik and Merritt from the 1st Baptist Church of Pedricktown, John, Sabrina, Kelly, Lonnie and Phil and the Neumann College group.

ACCOMPLISHED LAST WEEK

Maple Rd, Pittsgrove As the site warmed, our supplier came out to look over the flooring de-lamination issue. We decided to wait until we are under roof to make a final determination of replacement vs. repair of the 12 or so affected pieces. With trusses stacked up in the yard, we began on Tuesday to develop a system of hoisting, raising, toe-nailing and bracing them into place at 24" OC. Slowly we made progress and by days end were 4 trusses short of a full house. Saturday we went back to bracing and re-bracing, making sure all trusses were properly in place. We built a soffit ladder for the 12" overhang on the last gable and set it into position, against the sheathing that had been nailed into place as a stop. Another team went back and installed pieces of wall sheathing up to truss ends, on the front and back of the house. Working between the rain and no rain moments, we moved dirt to the low spots around the foundation and set two sections of 5/8" roof sheathing into place before the sky opened up for the final time.

ReStore This week was spent getting on the same page. We looked into the status of several components of the Zoning Board approval and settlement issues like the CO with Bucky, Amelia, Paul and the Habitat Board of Directors.

PLANS FOR THIS WEEK

Maple Rd, Pittsgrove This week we continue installing the roof sheathing, making sure truss alignment is correct. Last scrutiny of the outside wall sheathing should be completed, checking for missing nails and nails that missed.

ReStore This week we meet and plan the move forward to settlement.

PLEASE CONTACT US - WE NEED MEMBERS FOR THE WED CREW!!
Volunteers to make up lunches for a day, for our workers!!

Call or email us to volunteer!!!!

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VOLUNTEER CORNER - Future Schedule

Tue	4/15	Tue Crew	Sat	4/19	Pitts Pres/Dare, Spirit Life Fellowship
Tue	4/22	Tue Crew	Sat	4/26	Neumann Coll/ UPenn ?
Tue	4/29	Tue Crew	Sat	5/3	Open
Tue	5/6	Tue Crew	Sat	5/10	Open
Mon	5/11 – 5/24	RV Care-A-Vanners			
Tue	5/13	Tue Crew	Sat	5/17	1 st Bapt Ped/ Asbury UMM /Amer Soc Int Design
Tue	5/20	Tue Crew	Sat	5/24	Open
Tue	5/27	Daretown Sch	Sat	5/31	Open
Mon	6/23 – 6/28	Ark and Dover Pres Church			
Mon	7/07 – 6/12	Framingham MA, Church Parish			