



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

2021 SPONSORSHIP & BUILD OPPORTUNITIES

House Sponsorships

House sponsorships help defray the costs of land acquisition, development, and house construction. A full house sponsorship is \$100,000, but most house sponsors fund a partial sponsorship, starting at \$5,000. House sponsors usually provide teams of volunteers. Each Habitat-NCG build takes 14-16 weeks, 13 of which require volunteers. Most sponsors prefer Saturday build days, but some weekday volunteer days are available.

Master Builder Sponsor—\$100,000+

Multi-house sponsorship with the opportunity to bring up to 25 volunteers every volunteer build day on one or more build sites. Exclusive sponsorship recognition.

Hammer Sponsor—\$40,000—\$99,999

Opportunity to bring up to 25 volunteers on at least 5 build days. Logo used in all recognition. **Foundation Sponsor—\$20,000—\$39,999**

Opportunity to bring up to 15-25 volunteers on at least 3 build days. Logo used in all recognition. **Carpenter Sponsor—\$10,000—\$19,999**

Opportunity to bring up to 25 volunteers on at least 1 day

Build Day Sponsor—\$5,000—\$9,999

Opportunity to bring up to 10-15 volunteers on 1 build day

Home Repair Program Sponsorships

Our Home Repair Program is targeted primarily at income-eligible seniors on fixed incomes, veterans, and disabled homeowners. We perform repairs ranging from exterior repairs such as siding replacement, painting, and landscape clean-up to critical repairs such as HVAC, roof, window, and deck replacement. Sponsorship opportunities starting at \$1,000 are available.

Home Repair Sponsor—\$1,000—\$15,000

Opportunity to bring up to 5-25 volunteers on at least 1 repair build day.

Benefits of Sponsorship Includes:

- Financial contribution toward house build or repair project.
- Volunteer opportunities for up to 25 volunteers per assigned workday.
- Opportunity for team building on volunteer days.
- Invitation to First Nail and Dedication Ceremonies.
- Invitation to Habitat-NCG events throughout the year.
- Networking with other house sponsors/area businesses throughout project.
- Photos of volunteers for use in company print materials, website, and social media.
- Listing as a house sponsor on build site signs and printed materials associated with build.
- Listing as house sponsor in Habitat-NCG Annual Report and on Habitat-NCG website.
- Company featured on Habitat-NCG social media sites through build site photos, sponsor sign photos, linked press articles, etc.
- Two press releases throughout the course of the build mentioning sponsorship
- Provide one or more families in Cherokee, Dawson, Forsyth, and North Fulton with secure, stable, and affordable housing.

Medlock Tr 7 – Spring 2021

6310 Medlock Rd, Gainesville, GA (Forsyth County)

- Construction Begins – January 23, 2021
- First Nail Ceremony – February 13, 2021
- Dedication Ceremony (house complete) – May 22, 2021
- Family Selected – The Ervin Family



Jacques was born and raised in Georgia, while Jessica was born in Pennsylvania and raised in Georgia. They met online in 2010, married in 2013, and now reside in Cumming. Growing up, both Jacques and Jessica's families struggled a lot. This has driven their desire to secure stability for their son, Ben, through purchasing a home of their own. Jacques has worked for NCR for 5 1/2 years and Jessica also worked for NCR until 2016 when she became pregnant. Jessica had a very difficult pregnancy which required her to leave her job. Jessica attempted to go back to work after Ben's birth, but his compromised immune system left him constantly sick. While this created a tightening of their financial belts, it has been a privilege to be home with him. However, it has also made buying a house through conventional means next to impossible. Jacques suffers from asthma which is exacerbated by living in an older, dusty apartment. Jacques and Jessica are very excited about partnering with Habitat-NCG, They look forward to a stable, healthy environment for their family, and a yard in which Ben can play safely.

Shady Trail 1 – Spring 2021

245 Shady Tr, Canton, GA (Cherokee County)

- Construction Begins – February 6, 2021
- First Nail Ceremony – February 27, 2021
- Dedication Ceremony (house complete) – June 5, 2021
- Family Selected – The Miller Family



Growing up, life was challenging for Sarai Miller. She is one of six children, and experienced daily struggles due to poverty. There were many moves between California and Georgia over the years. Sarai attended high school in Decatur, Georgia. After graduation, she attended Georgia Perimeter College and Georgia State University, where she graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Biological Science in 2015. She went on to obtain her Master's Degree in Public Health in 2018. Sarai enjoys her position with Home Depot, where she has worked for over three years. Her daughter, Jamie (8) is currently a second grader. Jamie likes school and especially loves math and reading. When not working on her studies, she enjoys gymnastics, dance, and educational games. The family's living situation can be quite unsafe at times. Gunshots can be heard close by which creates a lot of fear and sleepless nights. Sarai is determined to find a healthy and safe environment for her family.

Shady Trail 3 – Spring 2021

255 Shady Tr, Canton, GA (Cherokee County)

- Construction Begins – February 6, 2021
- First Nail Ceremony – February 27, 2021
- Dedication Ceremony (house complete) – June 5, 2021
- Family Selected – The Lamrabette/Rochdi Family



Hassane Lamrabette and his wife, Assia, met in Morocco in 2006. She was visiting from France while Hassane was attending the university. Hassane was one of six children who grew up in a small city while his father served in the military. While attending the university, he was able to obtain a Visa to come to the United States. Assia was able to join Hassane in the U.S. in 2011, and they were married. The couple welcomed their first child in 2013. Journeyd is now six years old and wants to become a police officer when he grows up. Their second child, Anas, came along in 2018. Prior to moving to the U.S., Assia worked in human resources. She is now happy to be a full-time wife and stay-at-home mother. Hassane is a produce supervisor for Whole Foods in Sandy Springs. He enjoys his work and believes there are great career opportunities for him with the company. It is difficult for this family of four to live in a small apartment. The neighbors are constantly complaining about the children making noise as they play. Hassane, Assia and their two boys are well on their way to realizing the American Dream of homeownership.

Medlock Tr 8 – Summer 2021

6310 Medlock Rd, Gainesville, GA 30506 (Forsyth County)

- Construction Begins – July 1, 2021
- First Nail Ceremony – July 17, 2021
- Dedication Ceremony (house complete) – October 23, 2021
- Family Selected – The Lapping Family



Sarah Lapping grew up in Minnesota. In 2017, she left all of her family and friends behind to make a fresh start for her family in Georgia. She has two sons; Tevon, age 8 and Makaeo age 6. Although the relationship between Sarah and the children's father did not work out, he lives locally and remains very active in the children's lives. Sarah works as an Emergency Department Technician at a local hospital taking care of patients. She is currently finishing up her prerequisite classes for nursing school and has plans to obtain her BSN. When they first moved to Georgia, Sarah and the boys were renting an apartment in Sandy Springs, but the rent was too expensive. They found another apartment that was being built in Cumming, which was considered affordable. The transition process was very hard and left them living in a hotel for 2.5 months. It was great to finally move into the nice, new apartment, but the rent is constantly increasing and becoming too expensive once again. Sarah and the boys love spending time together, having movie nights, and doing fun activities outside. They are excited to finally have a place of their own they will be able to call their forever home.

Pritchett Dr 1 – Summer 2021 – WOMEN BUILD

198 Pritchett Dr, Woodstock, GA 30188 (Cherokee County)

- Construction Begins – July 10, 2021
- First Nail Ceremony – July 24, 2021
- Dedication Ceremony (house complete) – October 23, 2021
- Family Selected – The Smith Family



Alfrieda Smith lived in Woodstock, Georgia with her immediate family for most of her life. In July of 2016, Ms. Smith lost her daughter in a tragic car accident, leaving behind two young boys. Alfrieda quickly stepped in to fill the gap and take care of her two grandchildren. She applied for permanent guardianship of the young boys and won. Jaiden (5) was born with Hydrocephalus, is legally blind, and has a severe seizure disorder which presents many challenges for all involved. Justice (4) has proven to be a real trooper. He is a great help to his grandmother and loves his older brother very much. The family currently rents a basement apartment. Though this is sufficient shelter, the space lacks proper ventilation and natural light which has caused mold issues, creating substandard living conditions for the family of three. The apartment is not wheelchair accessible for Jaiden and generally makes even getting in and out a challenge. Owning a Habitat home will not only provide accessible options for Jaiden, but also allow the family to literally breathe clean fresh air in a house they call their own.

Pritchett 2 – Fall 2021

130 Pritchett Dr, Woodstock, GA 30188 (Cherokee County)

- Construction Begins – September 11, 2021
- First Nail Ceremony – September 18, 2021
- Dedication Ceremony (house complete) – December 18, 2021
- Family Selected – The Abdi/Gebresillasie Family



Kasech Abdi came to the United States from Ethiopia in 2005 and became a naturalized citizen in 2011. She met her husband, Michael Gebresillasie in 2016 during a visit with her family back in Ethiopia. They were engaged in 2017 and he came to join her shortly thereafter. The couple welcomed their first child, Loza in 2019. They are excited about welcoming a second child into the family later in 2021. It has taken a while for Michael to receive his work permit but he will soon be working for a convenience store chain. Kasech has worked for Whole Foods Market for more than two years. She loves her job and finds it rewarding. She learned of the Habitat opportunity from a co-worker for whom Habitat is currently building. Affordable housing has been a challenge for this young family. They currently live in a high crime area in an older apartment. Even so, their monthly housing expense is over \$1200 per month. Their desire is to find a place to live where their family can grow, be safe, and become part of the community.

Medlock Tr 5 – Fall 2021

6365 Medlock Rd, Gainesville, GA 30506 (Forsyth County)

- Construction Begins – August 14, 2021
- First Nail Ceremony – September 11, 2021
- Dedication Ceremony (house complete) – December 18, 2021
- Family Selected – The Kimani Family



Patrick Kimani grew up in Kenya and became a naturalized citizen of the United States in 2013. He married when he arrived in Georgia in 2004. Since then, he and his wife had two sons; Jesse (17) is a senior in high school, and Joshua (14) will enter high school next year. Patrick has lived in an apartment in Sandy Springs since his divorce from the children's mother. The apartment is small with very limited space for Patrick and two growing young men. The dining room has become a makeshift living area due to limited bedrooms. The location of their parents' homes frequently creates challenges getting to school and attending events. Patrick is a hard worker as evidenced by his fifteen plus years working for Walmart especially in the last year working long hours due to the COVID-19 pandemic. When he is not working, he and the boys love soccer and baseball. They enjoy spending time together at the local park playing soccer when they can pick up a game. It has been Patrick's lifelong dream to own a home.