



Habitat at Holiday News!

The holidays are right around the corner and there are some fun things happening at Habitat that you won't want to miss! Please take a minute to read through the information below. Then make sure to let us know what lists you'd like us to put you on. We look forward to see you all soon!

Habitat Holiday Dinner & Party

When: Sunday, December 6, 2009, from 2-4pm

Where: Grand Hall, Marietta First United Methodist Church, 56 Whitlock Ave., Marietta, 30064, 770-429-7800

What: Food, fun, and games! Santa will pay a special visit, and each child will leave with a picture and a gift. There will be door prizes for the adults as well!

Who: For all Habitat homeowners and their children
RSVP by November 13

Toys for Kids

As in years past, we will give a new toy to all Habitat kids ages 1-17. Please call or email to have your name, and your children's names, ages, and gender added to our list. Toys will be given out at the Holiday Party.

For the Holiday Party and toys, please RSVP by November 13 to:

Joyia Hull in Family Resources at 770-432-7954 or email her at jhull@nwmetroatlantahabitat.org.

Please let her know how many adults and children will be attending and the age/sex of the children for toys.

Art Contest

Is there a budding artist in your family? We're looking for holiday related art submissions and have prizes for the winners. Habitat kids up to age 18 are asked to submit a drawing related to the theme, "**Home for the Holidays.**"

Contest Rules:

- All artwork must address the theme, "Home for the Holidays."
- Entries must be free-hand drawings, using pen, pencil, crayon, paint, or any combination of those media.
- A straight edge may be used to aid in drawing a straight line.
- Gluing stars or other materials to the surface is not permitted.
- Use of stencils or tracing is not permitted.
- Entries must be on **plain** white paper or poster board no larger than 9 x12.
- All entries must be received in the Habitat office **on or before November 27**
- Name, address, and age must be included on the back of each submission.

Criteria for judging:

Artistic ability and adherence to the theme.

Artwork will be featured on the Habitat family website, the main Habitat website, and will be showcased throughout the holidays on a variety of Habitat related materials.

General Habitat News

- **Please, please, please...**if we do not have your email address; send it to us as soon as possible. It is the fastest, easiest way for us to let you know about anything happening at Habitat and in your community. Send your email address to jhull@nwmetroatlantahabitat.org
- Have you visited our family web blog? We are posting all important news there first so be sure to check it out. Go to: www.cobbbhabitatfamilies.wordpress.com
- **Who's who at Habitat.** We've had lots of changes here in the past year. So that you know who to contact in case you have a question, here's a list of the staff:

John Kerwood, President & Executive Director
Bill Alexander- Chief Financial Officer
Bobbie Kight – Bookkeeper
Lisa Kennemore – Receptionist & Volunteer Coordinator
Marianne Snyder – Family Resources Director
Joyia Hull – Family Resources Coordinator
Don Martin-Development Director
Tamara Wilhite – Development Coordinator
Robert Long- Construction Manager
Bart Thein – Punch and Warranty Manager
James Chambley-Warehouse Manager
Bethany Dreher – Construction Coordinator

