Habitat for Humanity®
Central Arizona

Volunteer Information Packet

WELCOME YOUFRA VOLUNTEERS!

Thank you for volunteering with Habitat! Whether you swing a hammer or raise a paintbrush, you are reminding families that they're seen, valued and a vital part of this community.

As the volunteer day approaches, please make note of the following:

What to expect:

- No prior construction experience is necessary. Volunteers are guided by our skilled team leaders through each task.
- Each task vary in intensity. There will be something for everyone!
- Please note that the task may change from what is initially communicated.
- All tools/materials will be provided on site.
- All individuals who enter the site will have their temperature checked.

What to wear:

- Facemasks/Coverings are optional
- Please dress with safety and modesty in mind.
- Wear clothes that you wont mind ruining
- A belted or elastic waistband jeans are preferable.
- Closed-toe, closed-back non slip-on shoes. Work boots are preferred but thick-soled tennis shoes with a solid grip are acceptable.

Come join us!

We will be building:

When: **November 6th, 2021**
7:30a - 1:00pm

Where: **1227 S. 12th Ave**
Phoenix, AZ 85007

Register at vhub.at/faithgroups

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What to bring:

- Water bottle (water will be available on site as well).
- Sun block and sun protection (hat, sweat rag, etc...).
- Lunch/Snack (check with your coordinator if lunch will be provided).
- Please leave large items like purses and backpacks in your car or at home.

Rain Hotline:

- In case of rain, call our Rain Hotline to see if sites are open: **602-262-8679**

Build Site Safety Overview:

The job site is a place full of activity. Be aware of your surroundings at all times. You are responsible for your own safety as well as the safety of others. **If you see something unsafe notify a Team Leader immediately.** Please note the following:

- **No one under 16 years old is permitted on or around the active construction site.**
- **All volunteers must complete the volunteer waiver prior to participating in construction.**
- **Volunteers should carry medical ID and emergency contact information.**

Tool Safety:

- Always follow specific directions from site leaders regarding the safe use and operation of tools.
- Safety glasses are required when using power tools.
- Inspect the cords, outlets, and blades before using.
- Do not disable any safety features.

Lifting and Carrying Items

- When lifting, stand close to the load, bend your knees, use a firm grasp, and lift by straightening your legs.
- Keep your back straight and your body vertical.
- Get help with heavy or long loads.

Roof and Ladder Safety:

- Exercise caution when utilizing a ladder. Ensure ladder is on a stable surface.
- Use a partner to steady a ladder.
- Ensure A-frame ladders are fully extended.
- Do not lean or reach for items when on a ladder - move the ladder instead.
- When on the roof, move slowly and carefully. Never walk backwards.
- Never lay anything down on the roof. Tools and other objects can slide and fall off, injuring others.
- Be aware of people working above and below you.

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