



## Newsletter April 2017

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### Our Home

In June 2016 Wells Fargo donated a rundown home to us that needed to be torn down. Because of the condition and the location of the home we decided to build an office and storage building so we would never have to move again. Since starting in 1993 we have never had a place of our own so it is exciting to finally have a place to call home.

We decided to put up a pole barn and it should be totally completed soon.

We have had many volunteers working on the building including our construction crew and contractors. Most of the contractors have donated their time and for that we are truly grateful.

### Family Selection

We are currently rehabbing a house in Hopatcong that will eventually go to a mother and daughter. The house started out at 400 sq.ft. and we are putting an addition on the house that will double the sq. ft. We hope to have the house done within the next five months. We also just had a 680 sq. ft. home in Franklin donated to us. This too is a home that needs a total redo. We are very grateful to the past homeowners that thought of us and the people we serve. When completed this home will go to a family with at least two children.

### Fundraising

*Home on the Run*, with Andy Ball of *Main Street Events* is our run/walk to be held July 1, 2017 at Skylands Stadium in Augusta. The race is sanctioned by USATF and it is also a Gran Prix. The race starts in front of the building and ends at Home Plate in the stadium. If you or someone you know likes to run, or even if you can only walk, come out and join us and also learn more about Habitat for Humanity by talking with our volunteers at the tables. To get an entry form, visit our website. Early sign up is \$25 per person. If you have a group of five or more, it is \$20 per person. We would like to thank

all the people/businesses that have contributed to our race with either monetary contributions, gift certificates, or other donations including our Presenting Sponsor, **Clearview Realty**. Visit [www.clearviewrealtynj.com](http://www.clearviewrealtynj.com), to see their current listings. Our other sponsors/contributors are: Braen Stone <http://www.braenstone.com/>, Regional Cancer Care Associates [www.regionalcancercare.org/locations/sparta/](http://www.regionalcancercare.org/locations/sparta/), National Lecithin, Inc [www.nationallecithin.com](http://www.nationallecithin.com), Chiropractic Health Clinic of Sparta [www.chirohealthclinicsparta.com](http://www.chirohealthclinicsparta.com), McIntyre & Company <http://www.maccpanj.com/>, Sussex-Wantage Preschool <http://sussexpreschool.com/>, State Farm Sparta – Alex Aguado, Agent [www.alexaguado.com](http://www.alexaguado.com), McGovern & Roseman, P.A., Reneco Shoprite [www.shoprite.com/member\\_ronetco/](http://www.shoprite.com/member_ronetco/), Golden Castle Jewelers <https://goldencastlejewelers.com/>, CAVA Winery <http://www.cavawinery.com/>, Holiday Inn [www.newtonexpress.com](http://www.newtonexpress.com), Riviera Maya <http://rivieramayanj.com/>, Whitewater Flies <http://www.whitewaterflies.com/>, Tanti Baci Caffè [www.tantibacicaffe.com](http://www.tantibacicaffe.com), Garden of Life [www.1gardenoflife.com/](http://www.1gardenoflife.com/), Applebee's <http://restaurants.applebees.com/nj/newton/6-n-park-dr.html>, Hollywood Tans <http://hollywoodtans.com/>.

### Volunteers

In March we hosted an appreciation dinner for our volunteers and contractors to show our gratefulness for all they do to help us help the community. Without their dedication and contributions we would not be able to keep the prices of our houses down and provide the other services we do for the community right here in Sussex County.

Visit our website and sign up to receive our quarterly newsletter.

Our Restore closed in June 2015 and we do not know when we will reopen it.