



**The Heartland House Build**  
*Help Build Hope*  
August 25-26, 2023

**FAQs**

**Where is the build taking place?**

Templed Hills Camp & Retreat Center, 5734 Durbin Rd, Bellville, Ohio, 44813. Camp housing will be arranged for volunteers staying over Friday night.

**Who are our partners for this project?**

The Heartland Conference Disaster Response Team is partnering with CrossRoads Missions, Louisville, Kentucky and Habitat for Humanity of Ohio to address affordable housing needs in our community. Click [here](#) to learn more about CrossRoads Missions and [here](#) to learn more about Habitat for Humanity.

**What are we building?**

In less than 24 hours we will build the exterior and interior walls of a 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom single family house. Those wall sections will then be shipped to a job site for final construction.

**What is the registration fee for this event?**

The fee for volunteers arriving on Friday night is \$135 (\$100 tax deductible material donation and \$35 for food & lodging) and the fee for volunteers arriving on Saturday is \$110 (\$100 tax deductible material donation and \$10 for meals & snacks). The fee for high school/college youth over age 16 is \$50.

**Can I arrive on Friday night even if I'm not part of the cut team?**

Yes. Just pay the \$135 registration fee that includes overnight lodging and Friday meal.

**What if I want to participate but cannot afford the registration fee?**

No problem. Just contact the Heartland Conference office to learn about scholarship opportunities for this project.

**Do I need to come both Friday and Saturday?**

No. We need 25-30 volunteers to cut and prepare the materials on Friday and 80-120 people to complete the build on Saturday.

**Do I need construction skills or experience to participate?**

No. While some experience is helpful for the Friday cutting crew, the bulk of the work can be done by folks with little or no building experience. Construction supervisors will be on hand to teach and guide us through every step of the process. All you need is a willingness to work and learn.

**Do I need to bring tools or materials?**

No. All tools and materials will be provided.



**Are there ways to participate without being involved with the actual build?**

Yes. We need 10-12 volunteers to help with hospitality including meal and snack preparation.

**What if I want to support this project but I cannot be there for the actual build?**

Prayers and financial support are always welcome. All donations to this project will support this and future disaster response efforts.

**What if I have more questions?**

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