

From Lincoln Logs to Framing

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Jackie Trimble likes to play in the dirt.

Having moved to Colorado Springs in 1994 to be closer to family, she works full time at an electronic component testing company, but every Saturday she reserves for Pikes Peak Habitat. This summer marks Jackie's second year as a construction volunteer.

"My first time on a construction site made me nervous, but supervisors like Gary and Tim were friendly. The people, the volunteers made for a great atmosphere."



Construction must have been in her blood when she was a child. "I used to dabble in Lincoln Logs and Legos. I liked to make things." Today, she has graduated to something larger. "My favorites are

framing and roofing; it's like a puzzle." But she surprises people when she says, "I like digging post holes for fences. It's just me and the post hole digger."



**Jackie Trimble, regular volunteer,
at a Habitat worksite.**

Jackie learned quickly on the construction site and became a "regular" after six months. "The supervisors impressed me by their commitment and how long they stick around." Asked if she's afraid of doing something wrong, Jackie replied, "Of course, but how else do we learn if we don't make mistakes?"

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She enjoys working with other volunteers, but it's special when the homeowners are on site. "I like to hear the homeowners' stories. It gives me a new perspective on life."

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Every Saturday, Jackie enjoys

"making friends, being productive and having some fun." If there's one thing she could change, Jackie said, "I wish we [Pikes Peak Habitat] had more funding support."

When the money comes in to build more houses, Jackie's ready. "I keep my tools in the car!"

Ent Federal Credit Union Employee Giving Campaign

This spring, Ent Federal Credit Union embarked on an employee giving campaign on behalf of Pikes Peak Habitat.

Hundreds of employees raised funds through their Service Centers as well as with bake sales and raffles. In June, over 100 employees



volunteered at our Country Living work site. A lot of work was accomplished by their cheerful staff, who either sought donations or paid for the privilege to volunteer!

Over the course of the drive, Ent's employees raised over \$38,000! Pikes Peak Habitat is extremely thankful for the amount of work that was completed. Thank you, Ent Employees!



Follow Our Progress

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As a partner of Pikes Peak Habitat, we are accountable to you. Your support helps deserving families get into a permanent home. Below, you can see the projects we are currently working on. In the chart, please follow our progress — from Ground Blessing to Dedication — for each family.

FAMILY	LOCATION	GROUND BLESSING	EXPECTED COMPLETION	DEDICATION	SPONSOR
	BRAGG FAMILY Country Living	9/21/12	September 2013	TBD	 Improving homes. Improving lives.
	MANTEI FAMILY Country Living	11/3/12	September 2013	TBD	 Improving homes. Improving lives.
	IRELAND FAMILY Downtown Colorado Springs	11/5/12	August 2013	TBD	 CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS
	BURNS FAMILY Country Living	11/3/12	September 2013	TBD	 Improving homes. Improving lives.
	STRAND FAMILY Woodmen Vistas	3/10/13	December 2013	TBD	
	BENAVIDEZ FAMILY Downtown Colorado Springs	4/13/13	December 2013	TBD	 CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS
	KLEINE FAMILY Woodmen Vistas	7/8/13	February 2014	TBD	
	WIGGINS FAMILY Woodmen Vistas	8/11/13	August 2014	TBD	 POSTLES BUILD 2013 Pikes Peak Habitat for Humanity PikesPeakHabitat.org

We encourage you to thank our sponsors. Without their help — and yours — we could not impact these families.



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Happenings at Habitat:

• Volunteer at the ReStore

Have you considered volunteering at Pikes Peak Habitat's ReStore? The ReStore is a building supply store whose proceeds benefit Habitat. The retail store needs your help in several areas including: **receiving donations; pricing inventory; stocking inventory; cashiering; store maintenance; and store organizing.** Please contact Martha Lewis at 719.667.0840 ext 303 or volunteer@habitatrestorepp.com to get started!

• Future Builds

Since 1986, Pikes Peak Habitat for Humanity has been building homes for those in need. *We anticipate this need will continue to grow.* One way to ensure your legacy in our region is to include Pikes Peak Habitat for Humanity in your estate plan. When you evaluate your will, we ask for three things:

1. Make sure your family needs are taken care of.
2. Please remember to include the following in your estate plan:
Name: **Pikes Peak Habitat for Humanity, Inc.**
IRS Designation: **501(c)(3)**
Tax ID Number: **35-1640064**
3. Please call and tell us.

If you have any questions, please contact Andy Petersen, Development Director at 719.475.4800 ext 5 or andy@pikespeakhabitat.org.

We would enjoy hearing from you!