



MEDIA ADVISORY

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Pikes Peak Habitat for Humanity's "Youth Interfaith Construction Olympics" Brings Youth Together to Support Affordable Homeownership

WHAT: On Sunday, September 18, 2022, Pikes Peak Habitat for Humanity (PPHFH) will host its first *Youth Interfaith Construction Olympics*. Students in 3rd to 12th grades will work in teams from diverse faith congregations to build various projects out of items donated to PPFH's ReStore. Completed student projects will be sold in the ReStore Northeast, and proceeds will benefit PPFH's Interfaith Build for Unity home, currently being built for a local family.

This will be a fun and engaging opportunity for kids to learn about Pikes Peak Habitat's mission, work in partnership with kids their age from different faiths, and use their creativity to help a local family achieve affordable homeownership. There will be snacks, Olympic-themed games, and a guaranteed good time.

This event is closed to registrants and their families, but members of the press are invited to attend to view the activities and share the story of Habitat.

WHO: Chloe Henry, PPFH Faith in Action Program Manager
Various congregation leaders and families from El Paso County

WHEN: Sunday, September 18, 2022
1:30–4:00PM Students will work in groups on their projects
4:00–4:30PM Closing ceremonies will include viewing of all student projects, plus a special prize and gold medal awarded to the winning team in each age group

WHERE: PPFH's ReStore Northeast
6250 Tutt Blvd, Colorado Springs, CO 80923

More information about the Interfaith Build for Unity: pikespeakhabitat.org/second-interfaith-build-for-unity/

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About Pikes Peak Habitat for Humanity

Pikes Peak Habitat for Humanity (PPHFH) builds strength, stability and self-reliance through shelter in El Paso County. We build permanent, affordable homes in partnership with the community and prospective homebuyers. Partner families purchase their homes with affordable mortgages. PPFH has been an affiliate of Habitat for Humanity International since 1986 and has assisted 204 families in El Paso County. In addition to new construction, PPFH also offers repairs for homeowners who are seniors (65 and older), veterans, and cost-burdened families. For more information, visit www.pikespeakhabitat.org and follow us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#).