



Women Build

September 29th - November 18th, 2023



fueled by



Build Like a Woman

400 volunteers. 37 days. Two brand new homes.

Since 2002, Habitat for Humanity St. Tammany West has hosted our annual Women Build project which empowers women, without excluding men, to build homes, enabling them to positively impact the lives of families and children by making home ownership a reality. Women possess all that's needed to create dramatic change in our community.

From September 29th to November 18th, two new homes will be built by teams of ladies (and gentlemen!) from all backgrounds, skill levels and industries. Over the last 21 years, Women Build has improved the lives of families and children in 35 homes.

Together, we will build strength, stability and self reliance with our homebuyers who will work 300 Sweat Equity hours as their down payment on their new homes. They will purchase their homes through Habitat's program with a zero percent interest mortgage that will not exceed thirty percent of their income, ensuring that the home is affordable to them.



A Day at Women Build



8:45am
Check in



9:00am
Mandatory
safety
speech
and
morning
circle



9:15am
Workday
begins



12:00pm
Lunch and
networking



1:00pm
Return to
work



3:00pm
End of
workday

62%

of our homes have a female head of household

11,000

or more of St. Tammany Parish households are severely house cost burdened (paying more than 50% of their income on housing)

\$1,520

is the current fair market rent for a two-bedroom apartment which means it is out of reach for a household earning less than \$60,800 per year

Why Women Build?

"Thank you to all of the Women Build volunteers, sponsors and donors. This would not be possible without you. We are so appreciative of everyone who has sacrificed their time to help my family. Words cannot express our gratitude."

Ami,
2020 WB Homeowner

"My family is so grateful for this opportunity to have a place to call home. The volunteers and sponsors helped make homeownership a reality for me. Thank you!"

Jerica,
2021 WB Homeowner

Partnership Opportunities

Legacy Sponsor \$10,000

- Prominent logo on T-shirt and sponsor sign
- Logo and link on website and newsletter
- Featured in all media press releases
- Speaking opportunity at Wall Raising and Dedication
- Special sponsor highlight on our social pages
- 30 second on-site video highlighting partnership
- 25 paid volunteer registrations for an exclusive build day



Community Builder \$5,000

- Logo on T-shirt and sponsor sign
- Logo and link on website and newsletter
- Special sponsor highlight on our social pages
- 30 second on-site video highlighting partnership
- 20 paid volunteer registrations for an exclusive build day



Neighborhood Builder \$3,000

- Logo on T-shirt and sponsor sign
- Logo and link on website and newsletter
- Special sponsor highlight on our social pages
- 30 second on-site video highlighting partnership
- 15 paid volunteer registrations



Leadership Builder \$1,000

- Name on T-shirt, sponsor sign, website and newsletter
- Special sponsor highlight on our social pages
- 10 paid volunteer registrations



Family Builder \$500

- Name on sponsor sign, website and newsletter
- 5 paid volunteer registrations

All construction volunteers must be at least 16 years of age. Under age 18 must be accompanied by a supervising adult.

All contributions should be made payable to Habitat for Humanity St. Tammany West and are tax deductible. For tax purposes, our federal identification number (EIN) is 72-0921695.



Women Build Sponsor Form

Sponsor Information

Sponsor Name*: _____

Contact Person: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

*Please provide the name how you would like it to appear on marketing materials. If included in sponsorship, please email a high resolution logo to lweeks@habitatstw.org.

Method of Payment

Partnership Level: Legacy Community Neighborhood Leadership Family

Check mailed to Habitat for Humanity St. Tammany West, 1400 North Lane, Mandeville, LA 70471.

Credit Card Type: _____ CC#: _____

Expiration: _____ Verification Code: _____ Pay Online (QR code):



Volunteer Dates: Sept. 29th - Nov. 18th, Tues. - Sat., 9am - 3pm

of Volunteers in Group*: _____ Preferred Volunteer Dates**: _____

Our Volunteer Coordinator, will contact you to schedule your volunteer dates.

*Each individual Women Build volunteer not included in a sponsorship is requested to donate \$30 to participate.

**Volunteer dates will be held until September 16th. By that date, if sponsorship payment is not received, the hold will be released.

Meet our Women Build Homebuyer



Danielle is a single mother of two boys and has been a Secretary for Children's Hospital Northshore Center for four years. She is originally from Upstate New York, but is establishing roots in Louisiana and loving it!

Once in the new home, Danielle plans to save for a new car. She has also decided that she wants the family to have a brand-new start and she is currently saving to buy all new furniture! After she is settled, she would like the family to take a nice long vacation to go and visit friends and family in Upstate New York, that they haven't seen in over five years.