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more than words...

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RETIREE BUILDERS
FEBRUARY 2008 Newsletter



BUILDERS RALLY

APRIL 22-25

EXCITEMENT IS GROWING FOR

"LEGACY BUILDERS III"

HENRY BLACKABY, BILL THORN, ROY COTTON AND BOB DIXON WILL BE LEADING US.

THERE WILL BE GAMES, ACTIVITIES, VALUABLE LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES TO CHOOSE FROM AND PRIZES! COME JOIN US FOR A GREAT TIME OF SPIRITUAL ENCOURAGEMENT, FUN AND FELLOWSHIP!

HAVE YOU MADE YOUR RESERVATIONS FOR THE RALLY? CALL TODAY!



ROY COTTON



HENRY BLACKABY



RATES:

RV Space and all 16 meals for Couple	\$96
RV Space and all 8 meals for Single	\$48
Dorm room and all 16 meals for Couple	\$96
Dorm room and all 8 meals for Single	\$48
RV Space per night (no meals purchased)	\$10
Individual Meals	\$5

Motel Rooms are now filled, but there are still plenty of RV and dorm spaces. There is also a good possibility that more rooms will open up. If you wish to get on that list, please call Linda Woods at 214-828-5346. We will call you as soon as we know.

"...And when two or three of you are together because of me, you can be sure that I'll be there."

Jesus



BILL THORN

BRICK MASONS

We are going to do the following churches starting in February '08:

February- We will be assisting the Smith County Builders at FBC in Whitehouse, Texas which is south of Tyler.

March or April- We will be building a concrete block building in Dallas at the Cornerstone Baptist Church. This will be used for showers for the poor.

May- We will be at East Texas Baptist Camp bricking a building for them.

Thanks, Gus Green 903 564-3721

CHURCH BUILDERS

February 11, 2008

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

1416 Texas Avenue
Odessa, Texas 79761

PASTOR: David Johnson 432-367-0038

BUILDING CHAIRMAN: Ted Parson 432-366-2764, c 432-528-8313

Metal Building--Heat will be on.

We will construct walls, classrooms, will do electricity, and sheet rock. All walls will be metal studs.

DIRECTIONS:

Going west on I-20 to Odessa. Exit onto 385 (Grant Street). Go north for two miles. There will be a traffic light at 13th and 14th streets, but no light at 15th. Turn right on 15th and go one block to N. Texas St. RV parking will be on the corner lot of 15th and N. Texas Street.

COLLEGE HEIGHTS BAPTIST CHURCH

1515 Briar Lane
Wharton, Texas 77488
Phone: 979-532-4442
PASTOR: Don Hurley h. 979-532-3596 c. 979-533-2284

Existing roof is flat over classrooms. We need to put a two foot pitch to solve a water problem. We may, also do work in the classrooms. No electrical or plumbing will be needed.

DIRECTIONS:

Traveling from the north on Hwy 59 from Houston, take the first Wharton Exit (Hwy 60). At stop sign take a left to the first light. Take a left at the light onto FM 1301 by CVS Pharmacy and proceed two lights to the Alabama Road intersection. HEB will be in front of you. Take a right on Alabama Road and go four blocks to Briar Lane. Go left two blocks and you will see the church. From the south going north on Hwy 59, exit at Hwy 60. Go to light on 1301 at CVS Pharmacy and proceed to Alabama Road intersection. You will see HEB store. Turn right and go four blocks to Briar Lane. Go left two blocks and you will see the church on the left. We will need several men on each job.

God Bless You,
SYDTR

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CAMP BUILDERS

Everything went great during the month of January. I am thankful for the larger number of volunteers on each job. Help me pray for this to continue through out the year.

For Feb.4 - 22 we will be working at **Zephyr**, at Sandia and **Highland Lakes** near Spicewood.

Directions to Zephyr—from U.S. 37 take C.R. 534 to C. R. 3162 go left to camp.

Directions to Highland Lakes- from S. H. 290 take S. H. 71 to C. R. 2322 right to camp.

March 3 thru 21 work will be at **Highland Lakes** near Spicewood and **East Texas** near Newton.

Directions to East Texas- From Newton take S.H. 87 south to F. M. 2939. Go west to camp on right.

April job will start March 31 due to the Rally starting Apr. 22-24. April jobs will be **Panfork** and **Riverbend**.

May jobs will be **Panfork** and **Pineywoods**.
Call if you have questions.

In His Service
Burt
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PROJECT BUILDERS

We will start a four week job at **Kingdom Manifesters Church in Ft. Worth on Feb 11.**

Directions- Off Interstate 35W, take the Berry St exit (48-A) go east to Riverside and turn north or left on Roberts St and it will turn into McCurdy. 2401 McCurdy. This will be a Church from the slab up. We will be here until March 7th.

On **March 17th** we will start a job at **Missouri City** (south west side of Houston) 5002 Sienna Parkway. **Directions-** -Take Hwy 6 south to Sienna Parkway and turn west to job site. This is a new church and we will be there until The Rally at Latham Springs.

On **May 5th** we will start a job at **Freestone Baptist Church.** **Directions-** Go to Teague, Tx and go south on FM80 to Freestone (738 FM 80 South). We will be there four weeks.

Starting in **June** we will be working in **New Mexico and Colorado through September or October.**

Hope everyone has made their plans to be at the Rally in Latham Springs...See you there

God Bless,
Chuck Cosper 806 683 5117
chuckcosper@aol.com

Builders,

Don't forget the Texas Baptist Men Convention and Board Meeting February 22nd and 23rd. There are limited RV spaces available at the Dixon Building, so please call if you're planning to come. TBM will provide meals, but you **must** RSVP to Cathy Lawrence, 214-828-5356 or cathy.lawrence@bgct.org. Please do so ASAP.



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CABINET BUILDERS

March 10, 2008

Calvary Baptist Church

1906 IH 35 North
San Marcos, TX 78666
Dennis Spire, Pastor
Phone 512-353-8540

April 10, 2008

Grace House

7404 Hwy 90 West
San Antonio, TX 78286
Billie and Jacqueline Thornton, Directors
830 537 4333

In June, 2008 we plan to be at **Freestone Baptist Church,** Freestone, TX.

Call if you have questions.

God is good, all the time!

Don Lay

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FURNITURE BUILDERS

The furniture builders started the 2008 schedule at Alto Frio on January twenty-second. This is a good sized job as we are building furniture for the newly constructed 13,500 square foot motel/dormitory building. We will need all the help we can get.

There are plenty of RV sites available as well as some rooms if you do not have an RV, but wish to come. Please call before you come if you need a room as they are limited.

Our second project will start around the first of April at the Highland Lakes camp. At this time, we do not know exactly what this project will include, but we expect to be there through the month of May. Again, there should be plenty of RV spaces available for all who wish to come.

Our fall project will be at the Pineywoods camp in east Texas. This job will probably start in late August and go through October. More details on these last two jobs as they become available in future newsletters. Please call if you have questions.

In His Service,

Melvin Williamson 936 662 4007

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Note from Bill....

I'm so excited about the up coming Builders Rally. We have already had about 20 couples signed up. We will have great speakers and music; break out sessions, and lots of good door prizes. It will be a time of fellowship and spiritual up lifting. If you plan to attend, please make your reservations as soon as possible.

I have mentioned several times in previous newsletters that we were looking back to Camp Overlook in Mountain View, New York to help finish the Great Hall. The ones of you who went up there this past August know what an impact you all made on the community and the surrounding area. Our ladies touched so many lives in their ministry of making clothes and other things for children and adults. We have an official request to go back. Right now we are looking at middle July to middle August, 2008. Five couples have responded saying they would like to go back.

Please let me know as soon as possible if you would like to go. All projects are open to anyone who would like to go. Our prayers are with you all.

Bill

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