

building strength

INSIDE THE 2019-2020 ANNUAL REPORT



**Together, we are building a world where
everyone has a decent place to live.**

building community



Amato Family



Chaisson Family



Hamrick Family

“Habitat for Humanity literally changed my life, and for that, I’ll be forever grateful.”
-Habitat Homebuyer, Erica Hamrick



Hoffman Family



Mitchell Family



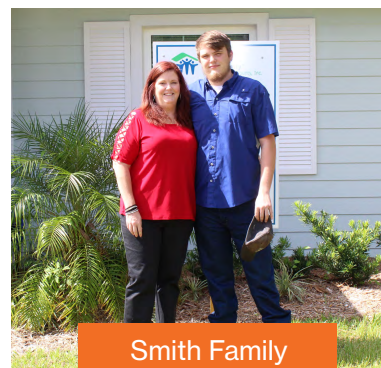
Provau Family



Smith-Hollinger Family



Russell Family



Smith Family



Warren Family

thank you for your impact

To our partners in mission,

While the world around us changed over this past year, our mission and daily march towards the goal of helping families by providing a safe and secure place to call home has remained unchanged.

Last year around this time I was new to the organization and encouraged by the future of Habitat and the work we do here. I continue to feel encouraged but also have a sense of pride when looking back over the year. Our staff, volunteers, board, donors, and homeowners have made a huge impact this year to support our mission and build great homes! We couldn't do what we do without all of us working together as a team.

The impact and importance of a stable home has only been illuminated more this year as our nation has dealt with challenges of Covid. Our mission is needed now more than ever. So as we enter this next year I find myself with a renewed sense of urgency and admiration for our mission.

This year we will build our 150th home in South Sarasota County. The significance of knowing that in those homes children are waking up feeling safe, and parents are resting easier knowing they can provide stability for their family, is not lost on me. This is important work.

Millard Fuller once said "Everyone – all of us, every last person on God's earth – deserves decent shelter. It speaks to the most basic of human needs – our home – the soil from which all of us, every last person, either blossom or wither....we must have a place to live and grow."

Thank you for your piece in making this happen for our homeowners. We are honored to be on this journey with you and look forward to the next year ahead!

Blessings,



Shannon Hoyt
Executive Director
Habitat for Humanity South Sarasota County

Women Build Month is Here!

Join us for our first ever Women Build MONTH! Due to Covid-19, we are revamping our usual Women Build to allow for social distancing. Our Women Build Month will take place each Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday from 7:30 a.m. to noon through the month of October.

Sign up today to claim your spot and join in the fun with strong women building strong community here in South Sarasota County!

Visit

www.habitatsouthsarasota.org/women-build-2020



Building stability while having fun!

Women Build 2019



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Speakeasy 2019



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Volunteers Build Self-Reliance



Volunteer Spotlight



Russ Bermeister

An Illinois native, Russ Bermeister retired and moved to Venice in 2004. When he moved to Venice, he wanted to find a way to keep busy and give back and his daughter helped him find the Habitat for Humanity Restore. He has been serving with the ReStore for over 14 years! Every morning at 6AM, ReStore staff can count on his smiling face and ability to fix anything he puts his mind to.

He will tell you, "If you break it, you fix it!" However, the truth is that he is always willing to find a way to help where it's needed.

We are all in awe of Russ' abilities and strengths. He tells anyone who asks him how he does it, "A body in motion stays in motion!"

Russ met his wife Laurie at a roller rink in 1948 and married her on March 31, 1949. They just celebrated 71 years of marriage. They have two wonderful children, their daughter Carol and their son Larry both of whom Russ is very proud of, and surely, they are very proud of him as well! Russ is grateful to have Habitat for Humanity Restore to keep him busy, but there are no words to describe how grateful we are to have him as one of our volunteers!

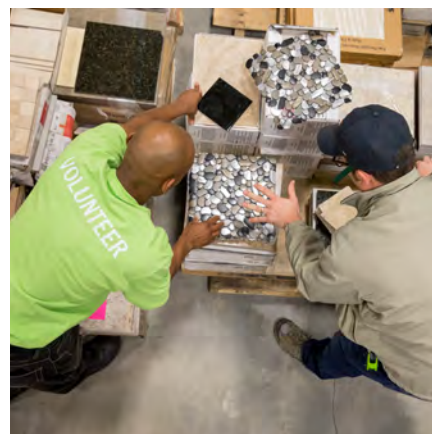
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ReStore by the Numbers



Voted **Best of Venice**
for the **second year**
in a row!



2 homes

sponsored
through
ReStore profits



77

volunteers completed

5,655



hours



**Welcome Tracy Wilson
as our new ReStore
Manager!**

We are so thankful to have Tracy join the team and bring his passion for affordable homeownership and great quality items to our shoppers! Stop by and say hi in our Venice ReStore!

The ReStore is not just a place where you can donate your new or gently used items and find a great deal on furniture, housewares, or building materials. It is a place where community is cultivated; where people from all walks of life work together for a greater good; and a place that strengthens families and builds homes.

YOUR IMPACT, OUR GRATITUDE

Save the Date!

SAVE
THE DATE

UNDER THE BIG TOP

WITH HABITAT

DATE

FEBRUARY 26, 2021

TIME

6:00 PM

ADDRESS

Plantation Golf and Country Club at 500 Rockley Blvd.
Venice, FL 34293

\$125

PER PERSON

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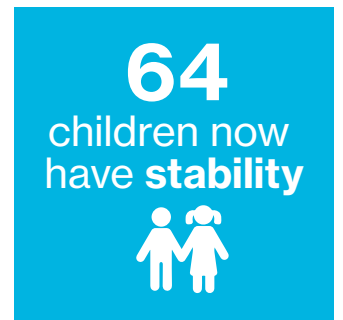
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- Blaise Castellano
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- Elizabeth Natherson
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8 families
purchased
homes



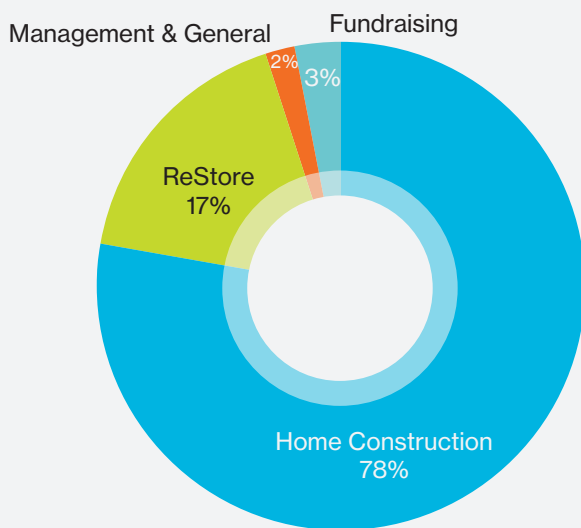
Staff Members

- Shannon Hoyt, Executive Director
- Christina McCauley, Development Coordinator
- Michael Sollitto, Director of Construction
- Mary Ouellette, Homeowner Services Coordinator
- Mimi Evans, Office Manager
- Lucille Keegan, Staff Accountant
- Gene Dunning, Site Supervisor
- Mike Argenziano, Warehouse Manager
- Tracy Wilson, ReStore Director
- Katie Reeves, Development Assistant

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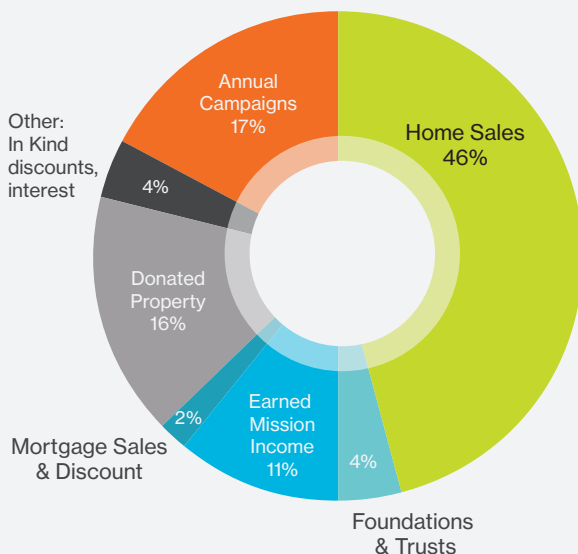
Functional Expense by Category



\$26,693.06
donated
internationally
through local tithe



Revenue by Category



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A FAMILY IN SOUTH SARASOTA
COUNTY FY 2019-2020

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