

AFFORDABLE HOUSING AWARENESS WEEK

APRIL 19 - 25, 2009

Join 14 local non-profit housing organizations to help ensure that everyone in the Richmond area has a safe, affordable place to call home. We need your help to build and repair homes for your neighbors in need. Sign up at www.AffordableHousingRichmond.com.

Special Events

Events are free but advanced registration is required. Call (804) 422-5010 or visit www.AffordableHousingRichmond.com.

Sunday, March 29

Kick Off Tour and Party

3:00 – 7:00 pm

Leaves Main Street Station and tours the areas where volunteers will be working during Affordable Housing Awareness Week 2009. Stay for a party at Main Street Station after your tour. Registration for this event is limited to 150 participants.

Thursday, April 23

Party with a Purpose

Plant Zero

5:00 – 8:00 pm

Join us for food and live music to celebrate our volunteers and share stories from the week.

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Programs

Monday, March 30

Call 12

5:00 - 6:30 p.m.



Franklin Federal employees will answer questions related to Affordable Housing Awareness Week. Call (804) 345-1212.

All Week

A Day's Work for Workforce Housing

Local employees will have the opportunity to complete a service project with one of the participating housing non-profits. Lunch will be provided. All volunteers will need to select a project and register online at www.AffordableHousingRichmond.com.

BB&T Bank Bus

The BB&T Bank Bus will be at various locations and events throughout the week. It is equipped with computers and focuses on financial literacy and Affordable Home Ownership.

Monday, April 20

Virginia Supportive Housing launches

www.FindHousingVA.org

VSH in partnership with Bon Secours Richmond Health System, will launch an affordable housing data base that lets you search for affordable rental housing in the Richmond area.

Tuesday, April 21

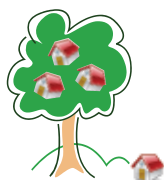
ElderHomes launches the Renew Crew

ElderHomes launches their new volunteer effort, the Renew Crew, that focuses on home repair. Join us at 604 E. Brookland Park Blvd. at 10:30 am for refreshments.

Thursday, April 23

Walking in Their Shoes

Eighteen community leaders spend a day navigating the challenges faced by the homeless in our area including transportation, food, and shelter.



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