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## Summer 2018

## Welcome Home to Amber and Her Boys!

On Sunday, April 29th, a crowd of over 50 friends, family and volunteers gathered at 620 Ponderosa St. in Potlatch, ID to celebrate the completion of the Minard home. Palouse HFH Board Chair Doug Arlt opened the program. Pastor Larry Veith of Grace Community Church offered the opening prayer and litany. Potlatch Mayor David Brown welcomed Amber and her boys to their new community and presented them with season passes to the Potlatch City pool. Several groups were on hand to present Amber with housewarming gifts. Palouse Patchers made quilts for Amber and each of her boys. (You can see in the photos that Amber's oldest boy wrapped himself in his quilt and didn't take it off for the rest of the afternoon.)

Potlatch Beta Sigma Phi presented a box of books for the boys. Palouse HFH Project Manager Dave Ostrom presented a box of home care supplies donated by Procter and Gamble. The Potlatch VFW, Scout Troop 358 and Venture Crew 380 donated yard care supplies and tools, which were stowed in Amber's shed, ready to use in her soon-to-be yard and garden. Codger Crew member Verlan Cochran presented a custom-built step stool signed by each of the Codgers. In her laundry room was a new washer and drier donated by Avista, and in her kitchen a refrigerator and stove donated by Whirlpool. Howard Hughes Appliance in Moscow provided the remaining kitchen appliances. Finally, Schweitzer Engineering Laboratories made a gift that was used to stock the shelves of Amber's kitchen with food and cooking supplies.

Habitat Construction Supervisor Dave Stradley, Construction Committee Chair Brent Bradberry, and Project Manager Dave Ostrom all shared memories and experiences from the build. Then, it was Amber's turn, and she shared how much this home means to her as a place of refuge, as a place to make memories, and to raise her boys. Her love for the volunteers shone in her comments—her experience working alongside the Habitat volunteers, learning new skills, joking together and becoming part of the Habitat volunteer family, was obviously a life changing one.

Doug Arlt presented Amber with a bible on behalf of Habitat, and then Dave Ostrom handed Amber the key to her new home. After refreshments and a brief time visiting, everyone did what Habitat does best—they got to work. This time, it was moving Amber's belongings into her home from the waiting vehicles outside. Within half an hour Amber was moved in. The group wished her well and left her to settle into her new home.

By Jennifer Wallace, Exec. Director

Lending a hand to move Amber into her home.



Mayor Dave Brown welcomes Amber with passes to the City pool.



Verlan Cochran, Codger Crew member, presents Amber with a step stool he built, signed by the Codgers.





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## **Gifts Given in Honor or Memory**

Gifts were given in Memory of **Ken Hall**, former Palouse HFH Construction Supervisor, and in honor of **Leonard Johnson and Roger Willemsen**, longtime Habitat for Humanity volunteers.



**Dick O. Sanchez** died Feb. 20th at Gritman Medical Center with family by his side. Dick was born Oct. 14, 1929, in San Francisco to Dionisio and Orosia Sanchez Yzuel. The family moved to Boise when Dick was five. He graduated from Boise High School and then attended Boise Junior College for two years before being drafted into the Army as a paratrooper. He and Dolores Johnson were married in Winnemucca, NV, on April 27, 1952. They

were stationed in Georgia and North Carolina before his honorable discharge in 1953.

They moved to Boise, then Palouse and Moscow while Dick made his career with Idaho Department of Transportation. In 1987, he completed a degree in geology at the University of Idaho.

Dick was a skilled craftsman. He took pride in his home and made the yard a showpiece with many custom additions. He will be remembered as a wonderful husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. He is survived by his wife Dolores, their six children and their spouses, 8 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, four brothers and an infant son.



William "Bill" E. Dunn passed away May 17 in Lewiston. He was born in Halstead, KS, on Oct. 3, 1931, and raised in Buhler, a Mennonite farming community. He met his wife, Irene, while studying at Bethel College where he graduated with a degree in business administration. They were married on Sept. 4, 1953. Bill earned a master's degree in hospital administration at the University of Michigan, and served as CEO at Mennonite Hospital in Bloomington, IL for 26 years.

In 1973, Bill spent a three month sabbatical at Hospital Albert Schweitzer in Deschapelles, Haiti, and from 1985-1991 Bill and Irene lived in Deschapelles while Bill oversaw hospital operations. The couple enjoyed the vibrant community of international volunteers and exploring the island. After their move to Florida in 1991, Bill continued to serve as hospital CEO, leading fundraising, shipping and recruiting efforts to support the hospital.

The couple retired to Clarkston in 2000, where he volunteered with local churches and community organizations including Habitat for Humanity and the Northwest Parkinson's Foundation. He enjoyed his grandchildren, supporting their activities and sharing his love of exploring the natural world and foreign cultures with them. He will be remembered as a lover of desserts, an avid runner, beloved husband, father, grandfather and friend. He is survived by his wife Irene, a sister, three children and two foster children, and their spouses, six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

## Minard Home Build — Thank you!

It takes a community to build a Habitat home.

Many thanks to all those who donated funds, critical expertise, building materials, skilled construction work, or personal time and effort to help build Amber's home!

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## Palouse Habitat Surplus Sale



munity volunteers

Since we opened in August 2012, the Surplus Sale has helped repurpose 687,000 pounds of home improvement materials. We've kept 69 elephants worth of material out of the landfill! In fact, just since January this

year, we've added another 7 elephants to the herd!

How do we do it? Well, it's thanks to donors like you who cleaned out their closets, shops and garages, or who thought of Habitat when renovating their home.

Call Habitat before you take it to the landfill, 208-882-5246, and schedule a pick up.

All funds help build homes for those in need on the Palouse.





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## Habitat Hero: Moscow Pullman Building Supply



MBS Manager Scott Jutte accepting the Habitat Hero award from PHFH Board President Doug Arlt.

This year Palouse HFH Board of Directors chose Moscow/ Pullman Building Supply as our Habitat Hero. This award is given annually to a business, individual or organization who has demonstrated commitment to support our efforts to provide safe and affordable homes for low-income homeowners around the Palouse. Past recipients include Chuck Spurgeon of Spurgeon Construction, and Jim Fredenburg, formerly of Strom Electric.

Moscow/Pullman Building Supply has supported Palouse HFH's homebuilding efforts, providing dedicated expert guidance, excellent customer service, and help keeping construction costs affordable. In addition, individual members of the staff have volunteered personal time and talent to create unique items for the auction at Beans 'n' Jeans.

Thank you Moscow/Pullman Building Supply for all you do!

## Volunteer Spotlight: Josh Bakken

Josh Bakken, a local teen participating in the Compass program, which helps students with mental or physical handicaps find opportunities to try different career options, helped paint the Minard home this spring. For Josh, it was a chance to see if construction work was something he'd enjoy as a career. For Habitat, it was a chance to work with another great volunteer. We asked Josh to share a little about his experience with Habitat.

What has it been like to volunteer with Palouse Habitat for Humanity? Great!!! I liked painting with Amber, and how she said she will always remember me when she goes into the room we painted together. I also liked it when Daryl got paper stuck on his foot—that was pretty funny and we both laughed.

What have you learned? I learned painting is hard work but doing it to help someone have a home is worth it.

*Is construction something you enjoy?* Yes

Tell us about yourself? I like to play video games, I am working with Compass to experience lots of different jobs. I really want to get a job. I am home schooled. I have two sisters and hope to have a dog one day.



## See you at:

\*\*Potlatch Days July 21st

\*\*Beasley Realty Breadstick booth
at The Lentil Festival August 17th

\*\*The Inland Empire County Fair Sept. 6-9th

\*\*The Latah County Fair Sept. 13-16th

\*\*The Palouse Days Sept. 15th

## Seen at Habitat: Minard Home and Beans 'n' Jeans



















What an event! A sold out crowd raised over \$100,000 at Beans 'n' Jeans this year!

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