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SPRING PARTY

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It's nearly Spring Party time! Don't wait, buy your tickets now

We are so excited to be hosting our second annual Spring Party on April 29 at the amazing [PearlWest](#) in downtown Boulder. We'll be on the fourth floor/rooftop, which means in addition to enjoying amazing food from [Cured](#), amazing brews from [Boulder Beer Co.](#), we'll get the amazing views of the Flatirons for a backdrop.

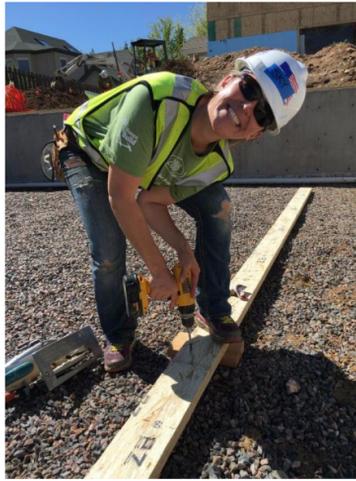
What more could you want in a night of food and fun? How about some music? We'll have that, too, thanks to Dragonwagon Project. (Click [here](#) to see a video of them performing.)

And how about silent and live auctions too? We've got that covered as well with an assortment of exciting and interesting items. Vacation getaways, original artwork, sports memorabilia and family activities are just a few of your choices.

The party is our largest fundraiser of the year and money raised is vital to our work to provide strength and stability to hard-working families like [Ralph and Jennifer's](#), whose home means independence, celebrations and teenage rites of passage; and [Leo and Juana's](#), whose home means a strong foundation for a bright future.

Please join us. We can't wait to see you there! Buy your tickets [here](#).

Thanks to our sponsors [Coburn](#), [Egress Inc.](#) and [Crestone Capital](#).



Women Build Week, tool clinic are coming soon. Sign up today

Flatirons Habitat for Humanity and Lowe's are holding the 10th annual [National Women Build Week](#), May 6-14.

Flatirons Habitat is one of 300 Habitat organizations nationwide hosting Women Build projects during the week with support from Lowe's, a longtime partner in the event.

Lowe's helped launch National Women Build Week in 2008. Each year, the company provides the support of Lowe's Heroes volunteers and conducts how-to clinics at stores to teach volunteers construction skills.

This year, Lowe's contributed nearly \$2 million to National Women Build Week. Since its partnership began in 2003, Lowe's has committed more than \$63 million to Habitat and helped nearly 6,500 families improve their living conditions.

Locally, participants will be putting the finishing touches on four homes at [Wonderland Creek](#) in Boulder.

Construction experience is welcome, but not necessary. Everyone is welcome to come build with us as we near the home stretch on the project.

To kick off Women Build Week, [Lowe's in Louisville](#) will be holding a how-to tools clinic at 1 p.m. April 30. Women will build a simple planter and get their hands on a variety of tools during the clinic, which is open to all women, whether they chose to build with us or not.

"We look forward to working with Lowe's for the 10th year of National Women Build Week and the opportunity to engage women in our work," said Susan Lythgoe, executive director of Flatirons Habitat. "We invite women of all skill levels to join us on the build site and take the clinic hosted by Lowe's to learn valuable construction skills."

[Click here to sign up to build with us during Women Build Week](#)

[Click here to RSVP for the free Lowe's tool clinic](#)

Come join our team!

Have a heart for giving and a mind for construction? Come work with us. We're hiring a construction site superintendent.



The site superintendent will oversee AmeriCorps members, volunteer crew leaders, volunteers and groups, and will work Tuesday through Saturday.

We're looking for someone who can help continue our tradition of ensuring a great volunteer experience and who can assist our director of construction in all aspects of site planning and implementation.

If the job sounds like something you or someone you know is interested in, click [here](#) to see the full description and info on how to apply.



CU team presenting plans for Flatirons Habitat at Race to Zero

A team of 15 University of Colorado-Boulder undergraduate and graduate students this weekend will be presenting a concept for net-zero energy home design as part of the U.S. Department of Energy's [Race to Zero Student Design Competition](#). The team, Buffs 4 Humanity, is one of 40 finalists that will be presenting at the National Renewable Energy Laboratory in Golden.

Buffs 4 Humanity designed their concept for Flatirons Habitat land on South Boulder Road in Louisville, a parcel for which civil engineering capstone students last year created planning documents. The work by the CU students could serve as starting points

for development of the [parcel](#).

The Buffs 4 Humanity team worked closely with Michael Bautista, our director of construction, and Jeff Dawson, a principal at Studio Architecture in Boulder, on their concept. We wish them the best of luck at NREL this weekend.

Come build with us in Jamestown

We're nearing completion of our work in Jamestown, where we're helping two families rebuild after the flood of 2013, and we could use your help to push past the finish line. No construction experience required, just a desire to help.



If you'd like to join us, register as a volunteer by clicking [here](#).

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