

THE BUILDSITE

A Typical Service Day Schedule for a Wichita Habitat Volunteer

Volunteers are asked to avoid parking directly in front of the service site, as material trucks may need to pull in. Please use the good neighbor policy and do not park in front of anyone's driveway or mailbox.

- ❖ Closed-toe tennis shoes or boots are required
- ❖ Clothes you don't mind getting dirty are strongly encouraged
 - Light colored, cotton clothing and a hat are recommended for the summer
 - Layered clothing is recommended for the winter
- ❖ Jewelry is not allowed, because it can get damaged or lost very easily
- ❖ Please do not bring: purses, pets or children

7:50 – 8:05 a.m. – Volunteer Check-in and Registration

- ❖ On your project day, please arrive by 8 am, dressed appropriately, prepared for the weather and ready to work! Our staff works tirelessly to get families into their homes on time, and ask all volunteers commit a full day when volunteering; Early/late departures break project momentum
- ❖ Be sure to sign in, make a nametag and await further instructions

8:05 a.m. – Volunteer Coordinator and Construction Coordinator give Morning Orientation and Safety Overview; tasks assigned, service-day begins

11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. – Lunch Break

- ❖ Lunch is not provided by Wichita Habitat for Humanity. Volunteers are asked to bring their own lunch or pick up food, during the scheduled lunch break, to eat on site. We strongly encourage all volunteers to eat their lunch on site in order to keep the project momentum going. If you are with a group, check with your team leader to see if lunch is being catered

2:00-2:30 p.m. – Site Cleanup

- ❖ Your assistance with picking up materials and putting away tools is incredibly helpful and appreciated!

2:30 p.m. – Service Day Ends – Head Home!

Stay hydrated, take breaks when needed, be flexible and have fun! We hope you enjoy your experience and learn something new!

