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Building Foundations & Framing the Future

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Special points of interest:

- Nov. 5—Family Day
- Nov. 6— Daylight Savings begins
- Nov. 21—Monthly Board Meeting
- Nov. 24— Happy Thanksgiving
- Nov. 24-25—Office Closed
- Dec. 3—Family Day



It's That Time Of Year Again

While the glory of Autumn is giving way to more cooler temperatures, it's time to turn our thoughts to winter heating costs. Did you know that American homes waste an average of \$150.00 per family each year in energy costs? With just a little money and time you can lower your utility bills and help save the environment at the same time.

Here are some winter heating tips that can help you:

1. Change your furnace filter each month.
2. Have your furnace inspected and tuned for the season.
3. Install a programmable thermostat.

It will pay for itself in one year.

4. Clean registers and vents and keep registers open and clear of drapes and furniture to allow for maximum air flow.
5. Close window coverings at night and open during the day to keep rooms warm.
6. Add area rugs to hardwood or tile floors to help keep feet warm.
7. Lower the temperature to 55 degrees when you are on vacation. Water pipes will not freeze and you will save money.



Claim that extra hour of sleep!!!

Daylight Savings Time Begins this month. Don't forget to turn your clocks back one hour on Sunday, November 6th.

Family Day Time

This month's Family Day will be held on Saturday, November 5 at 10:00 am at the Janesville office. The topic is "nails, screws, and glue". Children 4 and older will learn how to use simple tools and get to take home their handmade planter, complete with plant. Oh yeah, and have lots of fun too!

Donate a Car to Help Build Homes

Here is your chance to give thanks in a unique way! Why not donate your unwanted vehicle to build Habitat for Humanity homes in the Rock and Jefferson County area through Habitat International's Cars for Homes™ program. Simply call 877-277-4344 or visit the www.carsforhomes.org

website to donate cars, trucks, boats, RVs, motorcycles, airplanes or other motorized vehicles – running or not.

What a wonderful way to give thanks!

