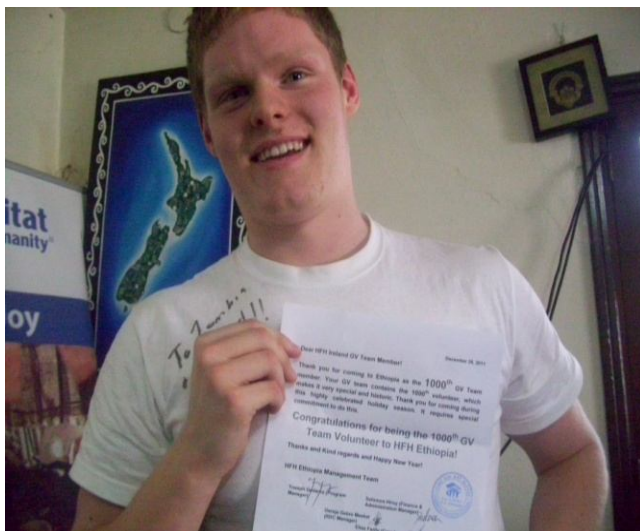




Habitat for Humanity Ethiopia hosted 1000th GV volunteer

Habitat for Humanity Ethiopia hosted 1000th Global Village volunteer on December 28, 2011. HFH Ethiopia staff welcomed a team of 8 volunteers from Habitat for Humanity Ireland among which Patrick Hogan stood to be the 1000th Global Village volunteer.

In the opening of the event which took place at HFH Ethiopia National office in Addis Ababa, the National Director, Kebede Abebe said, “as this team includes the 1000th volunteer, we consider you as lucky ones and the team will be specially remembered for many years to come.”



The 1000th GV team volunteer Patrick Hogan (December 28, 2011)

The event marked HFH Ethiopia’s successful hosting of Global Village teams and volunteer mobilization in its effort to provide decent and affordable housing for needy families.

HFH Ethiopia staff and the GV team from HFH Ireland celebrated the event before the team’s departure for the 8-day-build in Debre Berhan community, 130 km from the capital, Addis Ababa.

The following are the team members and their respective numbers: Nicola Quinn (993th), Kenneth Molloy (994th), Ciara O'Connor (995th), Sinead Curley (996th), Fergus Molloy (997th), Maria Lucey (998th), Sheryl McElwee (999th) and Patrick Hogan (1000th)

HFH Ethiopia has hosted 69 Global Village teams from different countries such as USA, Northern Ireland, Great Britain, New Zealand, Canada, Republic of Ireland and others since 2000.

HFH Ethiopia would like to thank all sending countries, team leaders, volunteers, donors and all partners for their support to our program.

HFH Ethiopia has served more than 7000 families with its housing, kitchen improvement, and water and sanitation programs since 1993 and remains committed to continue serving more families at an increasing rate in the years to come.



GV team from Republic of Ireland with HFHE staff at HFHE National Office (December 28, 2011)