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"Extreme Makeover" seeking volunteers, donated items for Fayetteville project

A staff report

"Extreme Makeover: Home Edition" needs your help.

The ABC reality series is asking for late-night volunteers and donated materials to give one lucky Fayetteville family a dream home.

The program, which will reveal the winning family Thursday, is asking for donations of hardbound books, antique desks and outdoor furniture. Other supplies include five-gallon jugs of water, take out boxes, coffee cups and wrapped snacks. General volunteers to help out with the overnight 2 a.m. shifts also are needed.

The show producers and volunteers will work around the clock starting Thursday to build a new home for one deserving family. "Extreme Makeover" chose Blue Ridge to design and build the Fayetteville home for an episode to air this fall during the show's ninth season. The build is estimated to take 106 hours.

A "Heroes, Hearts & Hard Hats Festival" to help raise money for the build has been scheduled for noon to 9 p.m. Sunday.

The family's new home is scheduled to be revealed July 21.

To volunteer, donate services, equipment, funds and expertise, go to joinextreme.com/northcarolinaorblue_ridgelogcabins.com for details.

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