



BUILD YOUR OWN “EXPRESSION OF THE HOLIDAYS” GINGERBREAD DREAM HOME

and support

Habitat for Humanity - National Capital Region

Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC)

is proud to present its 6th Annual Gingerbread House Competition.

Create an expression of what the holidays mean to you. Submit a creation that showcases the distinct flare and style of your business, your culture or your own creative personality.

**Submit a Gingerbread Dream Home and
have the chance to win cash prizes!**

1st Place: \$1000; 2nd Place: \$500; 3rd Place: \$250

A silent auction will be conducted to raise additional funds for Habitat for Humanity and to ensure lucky families will have a wonderful Gingerbread Dream Home to decorate their homes for the holidays.

For the first time, CMHC and Habitat are moving the festivities to downtown Ottawa to the **Rideau Centre, November 16-18, 2007.**

The exhibit of Gingerbread Dream Homes is open to the public from 9:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Fri & Sat, 11:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Sunday.

Submit your entry, bring the family.

Admission is free.

Entry Guidelines

Show off your talent and creativity! Build and design an “Expression of the holidays” with a Gingerbread Dream Home.

Let your imagination run wild! You are encouraged to be creative in your design - make it reflect your personal style, your business, or your cultural traditions.

Rules for Submitting an Entry

- The Gingerbread House should be delivered on a solid base no more than 2 feet wide by 2 feet long.
- To enter, a donation to Habitat for Humanity in the amount of \$250.00 is required. Payment can be made by credit card or a cheque payable to Habitat for Humanity.
- Contestants are required to drop-off their Gingerbread Dream Home at CMHC National Office, 700 Montreal Road, no later than 2:00 p.m. November 14th. Please see security in the front lobby for assistance. It is possible to make after hours deliveries by ringing security at the front door.
- Each Gingerbread House will be sold in a silent auction to raise additional funds for Habitat for Humanity.
- Winners of the competition will be decided based upon creativity and uniqueness.

A panel of judges representing CMHC, Habitat for Humanity and the media will begin judging all entries at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 17. Winners will be announced by 6:00 pm. An awards ceremony will take place on Sunday at the close of the event.

To register, please submit the attached registration form by fax or email by November 9th.

For questions pertaining to the contest, contact Angele Legault, CMHC at 613-748-2300 extension 3280

- *Habitat for Humanity-NCR and CMHC reserve the right to refuse participation for any entry deemed offensive.*
- *Habitat for Humanity - NCR assumes ownership of the Gingerbread Houses once they have been delivered.*

BUILD A "HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS"

CMHC presents the

6th Annual 'Home for the Holidays' in partnership with Habitat for Humanity NCR Gingerbread House Competition

Registration Form:

Entry Deadline - November 9th, 2007

Build Drop-off Deadline - November 14th, 2007

Organization Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Full Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Name of Baker/Creator: _____

Other I prefer to support this event by making a \$250.00 donation.

Please register my team for ____ entry(ies) in the 6th Annual 'Home for the Holidays' Gingerbread House Competition. I agree to pay \$250.00 per entry by the following method (specify below) or please accept my donation of \$250.00 to be paid by the following method (specify below)

Cash _____

Cheque (Cheques payable to Habitat for Humanity-National Capital Region)

Visa _____ Expiry _____

MasterCard _____ Expiry _____

Signature of Cardholder: _____

Send completed form to

Habitat for Humanity NCR by fax: 613-749-8991 or
email: reception@habitatncr.com

For Office Use Only
Entry Fee Received:

*On behalf of Habitat for Humanity-National Capital Region and CMHC,
thank you for participating in this festive event and may you and your family have
a safe and fun filled holiday season!*