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BON APPETIT' STEPS UP TO HFH'S PLATE-LITERALLY

Fedele Baucio, owner of Bon Appetit', and part-time local resident gave Habitat a check for \$5,000 and offered a to cater a meal for the Rocha and Cazares families.

Fedele and his wife Linda built his business from the ground up with locally sourced, mostly organic menus served up fresh.

In his own words:

“I've always had a soft spot for Habitat for Humanity. Few things are as critical to human survival as shelter and food, and access to them should be a basic human right.

That's why off and on for more than a decade now, Bon Appétit Management Company has sponsored Habitat for Humanity homes, including some of us swinging hammers on a few, and our chefs have volunteered to cook meals for both volunteers and the homes' new residents. The feeling of community created by people coming together to build a home for someone who needs one is so special, it deserved to be celebrated.

Bon Appétit Management Company operates cafés for corporations, universities, and specialty venues in 32 states, and our mission is to provide “food service for a sustainable future.” We define that as “flavorful food that's healthy and economically viable for all, produced through practices that respect farmers, workers, and animals; nourish the community; and replenish our shared natural resources for

future generations.”

We are proud to help Habitat for Humanity provide shelter for those in need in our community and to share our cooking with you.”

Thanks to his generosity the two families will not only have a delicious meal in the home prepared by Bon Appetit' chefs, but the gift of \$5,000 will pay for both of their kitchens along with Whirlpool's gift of the appliances.



Fedele Baucio from Bon Appetit's website

HFH GETS PG&E AWARD FOR SOLAR INSTALLATION BY MENDOCINO SOLAR

Once again HFH won a PG&E grant for twenty-five thousand dollars to install solar panels on the roofs of the Rocha ad Cazares homes at 458/460 Chuck Greenberg Court.

Bruce Erickson will do the installation with our own Frank Richards at no cost to Habitat or our Partners. This a bigger unit for each home that those on Dick Williams Way as the cost of panels has come down. It should lower their electric bill to nearly zero.

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This edition will be a shorter on than usual because most of our time and energy has been given to construction. While we are progressing well, we are working on the interior and do not have much newsworthy to report. *We can use more volunteers on the jobsite Sundays from 8:30 to 4:00. If you can join us, skilled or not, we would welcome your support.*

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Coming in the next newsletter will be a special focus on all our Partners-what they and their children are up to, what awards they have won, where they are working and how those with paid off mortgages are feeling about graduating off the mortgage roll, along with some updated home photos of some pretty classy gardens.



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