



**N. Ireland District Boys' Brigade
in partnership with
Habitat For Humanity N. Ireland**

***We are currently recruiting for members to join
'The 2009 BB India Team'***

Are you a member of Boys' Brigade, aged 16* or over (no upper age limit) and interested in being part of a team of volunteers, travelling to India in August 2009.
(* must be 16 by date of travel)

After a successful Trip in 2007 there is an opportunity for The Boys' Brigade to be part of a longer term relationship with Habitat for Humanity Northern Ireland, supporting their work in Madurai, India and seeing how the community can grow and develop with our encouragement and support.

In 2007, The Team built two homes alongside the families who now live in them and saw first-hand, the impact of their support. We now have the opportunity to build a further TEN homes; the special focus of this project is to help ten disadvantaged women and their families living in substandard housing in the Madurai District.

Partnering with Habitat means that the family will not only have a new home but new skills and confidence, research has also shown children do better at school and there are significant health benefits for all the family.

Building Activities:

Team members will assist local volunteers with a variety of unskilled tasks such as mixing and passing cement, carrying bricks and digging, you will also have the opportunity to develop new skills such as, bricklaying and plastering. However *No prior construction experience is necessary!*



If you are a member of Boys' Brigade, male or female, young or old and want to find out more about this exciting challenge please register your interest with the Team Leader **Glen Miller** on **07824378855** or **glen.a.miller@hotmail.co.uk** or why not come along to the information evening, (no commitment at this stage) in First Antrim Presbyterian Church Hall on **Tuesday 25th November at 8:00pm**

If you are unable to make it to the information evening, please contact the team leader who can arrange to have an information pack sent to you or if there are several people from one Battalion, Area or Company he can arrange to meet with you.

We are able to accommodate a maximum team size of 40 people; a selection process may be used if the team is oversubscribed.

Application forms will be available at the Information Evening or by contacting the Team Leader.

How to get to First Antrim Presbyterian Church:

From Belfast: Come off at Junction 6 signposted Antrim B95, Follow straight through to end of road, Turn left and go immediately to right lane. At roundabout turn right towards the town centre. At mini roundabout go straight across and down to just after Viscount O'Neill's pub. You will see a tree near to the roadside, Turn left down the Avenue to First Antrim.

From Londonderry: Come off at Junction 1 and head towards Antrim, Go straight across 4 roundabouts. At the traffic lights at the Police Station turn left, up past Tescos and Courthouse, over Zebra crossing, turn Left at Mini roundabout and right down Avenue to First Antrim.

