

PROJECT UPDATE

As you have been hearing through mailings or in person, we have our share of facility goals we are working toward right now. We want to take this opportunity to update you on some exciting developments that will enable us to get moving on a couple of them this spring.

STAFF DUPLEX

We have received another gift toward the Staff Duplex. This will enable us to get started on this project. We are going to have a contractor build the house and take it to a certain point and then finish out the project with volunteers. If you have interest in helping with painting, trim work, or other finishing touches, we would appreciate your help.



Final plans for staff duplex will have a gable roof rather than a hip roof pictured above.



NEW CABINS

We currently have two cabins fully funded and plan to break ground on these by the time you are reading this. We are well on our way with the others, but still need the support of all of you to keep us going. We will also be doing our own painting, trim work, and finish plumbing on the cabins so your help in these areas would be greatly appreciated.



Thanks to Jim Eicher, George Steiner, and Von Balsiger, all of Berne, Indiana, for helping to clear trees at the cabin site in March.

THANK YOU!



We are blessed to have Cal Graber working as our project overseer for the staff duplex and new cabins. Cal and Virgil Claassen have already put in many hours to get these projects moving.

PENINSULA HOUSE

We will be putting the Peninsula House up for sale again this spring. We are hoping to find a buyer for this property to complete financing of the new staff duplex as well as pay for the sewer project listed below.



Basic Information:

- 1284 square feet, plus finished rec room and laundry room in basement
- 3 bedrooms, 1 full bath
- Master bedroom has walk-in closet and additional room attached (could be used for den or sitting room)
- Carpet new in last 3 years
- Roof new in 2004

For further information, please call Justin Weaver at 269-476-9744 or email at Justin@friedenswald.org.



SEWER PROJECT

We are hoping to continue working at the sewer project over time. With the sale of the Peninsula House we will have more flexibility to work at this at a faster pace. One buyer helps with both of these items. Both are needed and greatly appreciated.

Justin, Penny and Luke work on the sewer lines at the Peninsula House last October.

It is exciting to realize that we have spent many months working toward these goals and now we have the opportunity to watch them develop. Thank you for your help on these projects to date and if there are areas mentioned above in which you can see yourself participating, please notify us with your interest. We realize that some of you can help financially while others can help with your time and energy here at camp.

Thanks for everything each of you do to make Friedenswald a great place!