



## PRESS RELEASE

### Always's "ABLE" To Help Out

### Raise the Roof

On Saturday, September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2005, ABLE ROOFING will be sponsoring a **Raise the Roof** charity event for the non-profit group TAASC. The employees of ABLE ROOFING will be donating their personal time in providing the labor to tear off and install new roofs on both the house and garage on the property. The shingles for the project are being donated by GAF MATERIALS CORPORATION. ABLE ROOFING will be donating new windows and miscellaneous materials as well and will provide the labor to install all new vinyl siding donated by CRANE PERFORMANCE SIDING to both buildings. CITY BARBEQUE will pick up the tab by providing lunch for everyone attending the event.

Dan Carter, President of ABLE ROOFING, said of the event, "We feel strongly, at ABLE, that being a contributor to the community is also a very important part of our core values and culture. We have developed strong relationships with several local organizations and contribute in various ways to dozens more. This was a great opportunity for our employees to take part in offering their time to a non-profit group that will benefit greatly from their efforts."

The interior of the house will be re-done into an office/meeting space for TAASC's ongoing program development and general meetings. The garage will provide storage for their kayaks, canoes and other water related sports items. There is also a dock on the water donated by Columbus Watershed Management that is currently being renovated.

TAASC is a 501c(3) non-profit organization, formed in 1997 with a mission to offer various adaptive sports and recreational programs to individuals of all ages and all disabilities. In addition TAASC offers training services to other communities and organizations wishing to serve people with disabilities and their families. TAASC stands for The Adaptive Adventure Sports Coalition.

The City of Columbus has donated usage rights to the property and buildings owned by the city on the Scioto River for TAASC to use for meetings, gatherings, and their many sports programs.

For further information regarding the **Raise the Roof** event you can contact Cheryl Cox, at ABLE at 614-509-2030. For more information regarding the non-profit group TAASC you can contact 614-293-4963 or check out their web site at [www.taasc.org](http://www.taasc.org).