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Come to the Open House! It's celebration time at the half-way mark of a student home-building project

With only a couple hours a day of class time available, it takes students from Spring Lake Park High School's exceptional Construction Trades Program two years to complete a custom-crafted home, from top to bottom.

On Tuesday, May 29, 2007, students will celebrate the half-way point of the home they are building at **8927 Pierce Street in Blaine** with an **open house** that is open to all. Stop by between **4:30 and 6:30 pm** for hot dogs, pop, a chat with the students, and a tour of the house.

Spring Lake Park's program is one of the few school districts anywhere in which students build a home on-site every two years. It's the ultimate in hands-on education.

The house that the students completed *last* year at this time—located next door to the current home-building project—included these features:

- two-story Craftsman style
- 2,300 square feet
- three-bedrooms
- two-and-a-half tiled baths
- full basement
- heated three-stall garage
- maintenance-free exterior
- all-oak woodwork throughout
- gas fireplace
- tile, oak, and carpeted flooring
- whole house intercom system with CD player
- air-to-air exchange system
- 98% efficient gas furnace
- underground sprinkler system
- landscaped, sod lawn

The current home-building project will be equally as spectacular . . .



Pictured is the home that Spring Lake Park High School students completed last spring. They are currently half-way through construction of their next home-building project.