



Students raise money for the **HABITAT FOR HUMANITY** cause; representatives from greek councils, student groups, and colleges made **SHACKS** lived-in 24 hours a day for one week in September. *Photo by Bobby Klimczak.*

sleeping on the **bricks**

STUDENTS SUPPORT LOCAL COMMUNITY BY OCCUPYING BRICKYARD

Every year during the fall semester, the Brickyard becomes home for one week to students participating in Habitat for Humanity's Shack-A-Thon. Started in 1991 with only one shack, the event has grown to around 16 shacks.

Participants are responsible for building and staffing their shacks 24 hours a day for the entire week, with at least one student in the shack at all

times. The event has become a competition to see which groups can build the most creative shacks and who can raise the most money, which goes toward building homes in the Raleigh area.

Throughout the week, students panhandle, play games and sell food and crafts, all to get money in the name of their organizations. Collectively, the groups raise more than \$25,000 each year.



Place a Shack-A-Thon
memory here.