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Handyman helps fix up shelter

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Handyman George Alston chats with Mary Skorepa, marketing director at Safehouse, about the installation of a playground set.

A local handyman company celebrated the National Day of Service by helping the Safehouse of Seminole on Friday with repairs and maintenance.

Mr. Handyman of Lake Mary donated two Mr. Handyman technicians to install a small deck, secure a swing set, assemble bunk beds and paint the Safehouse of Seminole.

Safehouse is a safe and confidential shelter

for domestic violence victims and their children.

"We are thrilled to be working with the Safehouse of Seminole as part of Mr. Handyman's National Day of Service campaign," said Chad Olson, owner of the Mr. Handyman of Lake Mary. "We are always looking for ways to give back to our community and we are excited to be a part of a national operation to help organizations in need."

More than 300 U.S. and Canadian locations rallied around the cause and donated their skilled technicians' time to a local charity of choice. Ideally, company executives at the franchise system's national headquarters aim to donate more than 300 hours of work to homeless shelters, hospitals, senior care centers, schools and churches, as well as non-profits and other community service organizations.

