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THOUGHT OF THE DAY

"With realization of one's own potential and self-confidence in one's ability, one can build a better world"

MONSOON FLOOD RELIEF & EARLY RECOVERY IN NAROWAL

Year 2013, also witnessed severe floods in different districts of Punjab, Baluchistan & Sindh. As per initial estimates total damages in this particular year gave rise to deadly destruction in 13 districts of 3 province. Narowal was also one of the badly effected districts in Pun-



jab. The five main tributaries flowing in district Narowal, were the main cause of flood. Amongst them Nullah Dake, Nullah Basantar and Nullah Bein



were main contributor in the destruction and casualties.

Since MOJAZ has its head office in Narowal, its team immediately conducted rapid need assessment to find out the extent of destruction and urgent needs of the effected

MOJAZ Foundation with the financial support of PPAF was successful in providing food, hygiene facilities along with agricultural inputs to the flood effectees in 3 tehsils of district Narowal.

communities. The findings were then shared with several donors. PPAF came forward to help MOJAZ Foundation in reaching out to the needy communities by providing financial and technical support. The emergency relief project was implemented in 2 tehsils of Districts Narowal namely Shakargarh and Zafarwal. All the identified

beneficiaries (5,250) were provided with the following support. i.e 1. Food hampers, 2. hygiene kits and 3. agri-inputs.

The project specifically targeted the most vulnerable groups within the targeted



tehsils and was successfully completed within the stipulated time period of 1 and a half month.



REPRESENTATION IN PAKISTAN'S 1st WILDERNESS BASED CONFERENCE (MARKHOR 2013)



MOJAZ employee Sarah getting her Award for the best MARKHOR 2013

Apart from community empowerment, MOJAZ Foundation also focuses on empowering its employees and allowing them to perform well both at professional and personal level. MOJAZ motivates them to go forward with opportunities in order to expand their exposure. Similarly, one of the employees of MOJAZ Foundation Ms. Sarah attended Pakistan's first wilderness based conference (MARKHOR) as a

MOJAZ representative at Mukshpuri peaks (9240 ft altitude) enhancing her understanding on servant leadership, teamwork and personal development. Ms. Sarah won the BEST Markhor 2013 award along with a small cash prize. The conference had more than 90 participants from all over Pakistan who were selected on the basis of academic, geographical & professional credentials.

Motivating employees to expand their exposure through professional & personal development.

SUCCESSFUL TRAINING ON BUSINESS MANAGEMENT & MARKETING TOOLS

MOJAZ Foundation successfully carried out a 3 day training workshop on business management & marketing tools having participants from adjacent areas in Muzaffargarh. The main objective of this training was to aware local entrepreneurs and small businesses starters about the basic principles of business, self realization of stable business development & providing them guidance of how they can make their business sus-

tainable through less investment &



maximum outputs. The training consisted of Ice breakers, interac-

tive sessions, group discussions, presentations, role play & team building activities. The training also allowed the participants to open up and talk about their weaknesses and the effective measures they can take in order to overcome them. The training was concluded by a positive and encouraging feedback from the participants. Keeping in view, the feedback MOJAZ is planning to conduct similar workshops in future.

MONITORING VISIT FOR QUALITY TESTING OF SURVEY DEVICES



With the financial support of PPAF, MOJAZ Foundation is implementing a project on disability in Muzaffargarh aimed at promoting rights of persons with disability (PWDs) & providing various kinds of services to enhance their effective participation in

community. Under this project, in the month of July hearing aids & other assistive devices were provided to the 1370 identified beneficiaries through a medical camp. In September, MOJAZ Foundation carried out a Quality testing survey in Sharif Chajra to evaluate the overall quality of all those assistive devices that were given to them in

the Medical Camp. As a conclusion, all of the devices were working fine and up to the date. The PWDs were also noted to be satisfied & were happy with the quality of all the devices. These devices helped them to overcome their physical challenges which were effecting their social participation.

BEST PICTURE OF 3rd QUARTER



This is a snapshot from one of the projects under the LEP component in Muzzafargarh. A line of motorcycle rickshaws was beautifully captured by one of the livelihood officer Mr. Munim of MOJAZ Foundation. These motorcycle rickshaws were given to poor and vulnerable beneficiaries which were identified using the standard poverty score card established by the organization for income enhancement.

SUCCESS DIVISION

Refurbishing Socio-Economic Lives



Khadim Hussain is now an successful entrepreneur, acting as an example for others in his community.



Front view of Khadim Hussain's very own Karyana shop

Khadim Hussain, a 40 year old tenant, spent his entire life striving to improve his socio-economic conditions. However, there were hardly any opportunities available in his poor village-GulKhakh, situated in district Muzzafargarh that could help him come out of his miserable condition. He was not even able to provide for basic necessities of life for his family. Khadim wished to provide all of his children (4) with Education but that remained a dream for a long a time. The only source of income for Khadim, was from cultivation of agricultural land as a tenant.

Muzzafargarh, being an agrarian community, has the majority of locals involved in agriculture related activities. As a local, Khadim Hussain was also one of the victims of exploited labor as a result of which after all the invested time & hard work in agriculture his monthly income would remain less than 5,000 PKR.

Tired of his condition & hardships he approached MOJAZ Foundation. Khadim Hussain, along with some other poor people of the area, was identified as "vulnerable poor" by MOJAZ Foundation on the basis of Poverty Score Card exercise and got selected for the Enterprise Development Training Programme and Asset Transfer under PPAF funded project "Livelihood Enhancement and Protection (LEP)".

This programme is designed to identify poor and to enhance their livelihood. Under this programme, Khadim Hussain was granted with a Grocery Shop (Karyana Shop). He also received several trainings and was facilitated to develop linkages with the local market.

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cycle for his family to an extent. He is very hopeful for his better future. His children are now not only getting education but their overall family conditions and lifestyle has been improved. Khadim believes that breaking from his old & wild circumstances with the support of MOJAZ Foundation has helped him become self-sustainable & independent.

V I S I O N

To promote Socio-Economic Empowerment through Inclusive right based approach.

M I S S I O N

To be a self sustained organization by serving Vulnerable & Marginalized communities through provision of financial & Non-Financial services on sustainable basis.



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