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Rehabilitation is the only solution to empower the downtrodden people.

3rd **Jan 2024**: On new year beginning, HAS provided opportunity to another 30 needy unemployed poor Women to earn their dignified livelihood.

In continuation to women empowerment programme under its VTEDS Project of SGH (Self-help group) concept HAS established two more skill centres at Khalsa Colony Sunjwan road Jammu and in Dawaran, a far-flung village of Tehsil Uri in collaboration with Kashmir Development Foundation, a UK based organisation.

Today the Khalsa Colony Jammu VTEDS centre was inaugurated at 11:30 am by the worthy Chairman of organisation Mr Bashir Ah Mir along with HAS Secretary Mr Naseer Ahmad Rather and Treasurer Mr Ghulam-udin Wani.

On this occasion some reputed local citizens, parents / guardians of the beneficiaries were also present there to encourage the beneficiaries. While addressing the gathering, Chairman and Secretary briefed the audience about the aims and objectives of Human Aid Society VTEDS (Vocational Training cum Enterprise Development Scheme) as per the methodology of Self-help Group (SGH)concept.

During their interaction with the beneficiaries a well-qualified young lady from Sikh community who had got admission in the centre came forward and expressed her gratitude towards this initiative of HAS and shared her views with the HAS team and said that she had completed her higher studies (BEd) degree years back but is still jobless and facing hardships in earning the livelihood for family. She said, "I am hopeful that this centre would turn my despair into hope and enable me to earn a dignified living for myself and my children".

On this occasion an old lady who is guardian of a poor orphan girl from previous VTEDS centre (Rahimabad Bathindi Jammu) went emotional and thanked HAS & KDF-UK for giving her orphan niece this free skill training to make her selfreliant. She also thanked for giving her equipment support to start-up her business because she was unable to bear the expenses of her own.



Another skill centre of Dawaran Uri was inaugurated today at 02:00 p.m by senior Executive member of the organisation Er Mohammad Sadiq Bhat and Senior GB Member / VTEDS Program Coordinator Mr Ghulam Mohi-u-din Ganai along with HAS Officials Mr Riyaz Ah War and Mr Wahid Majeed Ganai.

After completing the inauguration, HAS Officials conduct an awareness session for the enrolled beneficiaries of Dawaran (newly established skill centre) and their parents about the benefits of various govt schemes and programmes especially the scheme VISHVAKARMA as introduced by central govt of India which is exclusively meant for Artisan Community of the nation. While briefing the schemes, Mr Riyaz Ah War (HAS official) assured the beneficiaries that he will constantly guide and help them in availing the benefits of the said scheme.

It is pertinent to mention here that the Human Aid Society in collaboration with KDF-UK had already trained 135 women during last two years and most of them had established their small business units and are living their dignified life. VTEDS Project as run by these organisations yielded good results and had given birth to many success stories.



The death of renowned Kashmiri pandit actress Ayshia Zaroo is a big shock to her family, but an irreparable loss to Kashmiri art literature.

15th **Jan 2024**: A delegation of Human Aid society visited the house of Kashmiri renowned artist Late Ms Ayshia Zaroo who passed away last week of this month after a short illness at her home, Lali Bagh, Jammu House. Late Zaroo skilfully played her role not only in highlighting the Kashmiri culture and civilization but also remembered his mother tongue at every level.



On her demise many leading cultural and literary organizations of Jammu and Kashmir have expressed their grief and sympathy to the family separately. While a high-level delegation team of well-known social organisation Human Aid Society in perusing its social commitment and strengthen the Kashmiri Brotherhood visited the house of Late Ashyia zaroo today morning under the leadership of its Chairman Bashir Ah Mir and offered their heartfelt condolences and sympathy with the bereaved family on behalf of Human Aid Society Members/ volunteers in particular and on behalf of Kashmir Muslims brothers in general. Mr Mir in his condolence speech not only consoled the bereaved family but also made them realize that the sympathy of Muslim will always remain available for all communities who so are living with us and nobody can separate our souls nor any one can success in destroying our brotherhood.

Late Zaroos elder sister, Mtr. Baharti Zaroo who is also a well-recognized actress herself, thanks Human Aid Society in particular and all those Kashmiri Muslim brothers in general who so paid their sympathy with our family on this crucial time.

She added that my younger sister late Ms. Zaroo spent her entire life in literature and art, she left no stone unturned in her private life to serve her five sisters and a widowed mother, this was which we can never forget.

Senior delegation of Human Aid Society interacts with Mr Minga Sherpa (DM Baramulla).

18th Jan 2024: Today a high-level delegation of Human Aid Society (MOTHER NGO) led by its senior advisory board member Mr Ghulam Rasool Wagay flanked by its Vice Chairman Mr Pz Irshad Ah, execute member Er Mohmmad Sadiq Bhat, GB Member Er Farooq Ah Malik, Ghulam Mohi-u-din Ganai, Mohammad Sultan Bhat, Manzoor Sheeri, Riyaz Ah War and Wahid Majeed interacted and formally welcomed Mr Minga Sherpa who had recently assumed the charge as the District Magistrate Baramulla.



During their interaction, Mr Wagay briefed Mr Minga Sherpa (DM) about the vision and mission of Human Aid Society and urged that this organisation is always trying to become a bridge between administration and the people since from its birth and in this regard, the organisation is organising several interactive programmes round the year wherein many govt officers are invited in order to listen the grievances of people and their solutions thereof.

Mr Wagay further added that civil and police administration always praised the work of Human Aid Society and this is why the district administration had designated this organisation as MOTHER NGO for the district.

The District Magistrate, Mr Minga Sherpa thanked the delegation and assured them that whether it will be NGO Human Aid Society or any other else, you will find my best cooperation during my tenure. However, he said that for the peace, prosperity and the development of the district, whenever I need the support of NGOs, I will never hesitate to call such institutions who so I will find rendering their selfless efforts in making my UT / Nation strong and our doors will be always remain open for them.

Human Aid Society distributed Relief among fire victims of Dachi Uri.

20th Jan 2024: Emergency relief and rehabilitation team of Human Aid Society led by its senior member Er Farooq Ah Malik who was accompanied by Riyaz Ah war, Shamsuddin lone and Irfan Hamid Bhatt and Mohmad Sabir lone reached Dachi Uri, a border village of district Baramulla where recently in a terrific fire incident four houses become Ash due to electric short circuit and this fire incident make 26 souls comprising upon women and children and this giant fire forced these families to live under the bare sky during this harsh winter.

The Chairman Human Aid Society soon after receiving this heartfelt news from a renowned, social and political activist of Uri Dr Sajad Shafi and he takes serious note of this incident and requested the rehabilitation team to go to the spot and not only gave courage to these people but also does whatever cash and kind help is possible on behalf of the Human Aid Society so that these victims can have some comfort in this bitter cold. The HAS team in obeying the request of its chairman immediately rushed to the spot and distributed Bedding, blankets, daily essential commodities among the fire victims besides it the organisation distributed cash assistance of five thousand Rupees (5000) to each victim family.

On the occasion, Mr Farooq Ah Malik expressed his heart felt grief and sorrow towards the fire victims and also expressed sympathy on behalf of the organisation. He also requested other NGO organisations to come forward and help these families in this tough time. Mr Milk also thanked the Deputy Commissioner Baramulla Mr Minga Sherpa for visiting the victims' homes and assuring them every possible help from the district administration.

