

SEPTEMBER 2024 REPORT

Zero Hunger. Why UNO Sustainable Goal 02 is relevant for J&K?

Jammu and Kashmir has a unique geographical position as compared to other states of India because it consists upon three major regions, JAMMU, LADAKH and KASHMIR. The Jammu province is considered hot, LADAKH is coldest hilly region and Kashmir is known as a beautiful valley surrounded by mountains on all four sides. The Jammu province is all time connected with the other states of India and it is also close to the central capital as compared to Ladakh and Kashmir provinces. The road and air traffic connectivity of Jammu region uninterrupted round the year while the road and air links connecting the Ladakh and Kashmir are often disconnected for weeks and months and due to the closure of the NH-44, the local population suffer a lot for food grains and other essential commodities. The market prices seem to be skyrocketing and poor people are being forced to die.

The farmers of Kashmir valley are hardly planting one crop in their fields due to harsh and chilly weather conditions and sometimes the un predicted rain and snow vanish their crops and it causes severe shortage of ration for local population. The prices of the ration exported from the other parts of the country also seen to be skyrocketing and the poor people are not able to bear it and become victims of hunger.

People of the whole world are aware of the fact that Jammu and Kashmir has been suffering from almost last 35 years and due to which not only our young generation has lost their lives but also a long line of widows and orphans has stood up and these orphan children and widows of the affected families are facing difficulties to get two meals a day they are sometimes fed-up with the starvation and reach the verge of suicide or choosing an illegal path for themselves.

National and International Organizations are not very inclined to work in this Kashmir for restoring its glory which may be due to several reasons and in these situations the local NGO's is the only ray of hope for these hopeless people but it is worth to mentioning here that the local NGO's do not have enough financial recourse to help these people to any extent.

Human Aid Society despite its limited financial resources consistently deliver ration kits under its "ZERO HUNGER PROGRAMME" to BPL/ widow/ Orphans headed families at their door steps since from year 2018. The organization salutes all its local donors in general while its national and international funding partners in particular, who have continuously offered us their support without any discrimination of Caste, Creed, Color, region, religion and nation and we can confidently say that together we are rendering our selfless efforts for the sake of humanity in the world.

On 16th of Sept 2024 On the eve of Eid Milad-un-Nabi (PBUH) Human Aid Society in continuation of its Zero Hunger Programme distributed food kits among 66 poorest of poor people on account of Muslim Aid Australia (Maa) against their received quota for 250 families wherein the organisation had already disbursed 184 food kits in the month of Augst 2024. On this occasion a special prayer was offered for the donors of the organisation who always come forward to meet out the requirements of poor and needy ones.



Social Commandment's. 14th Sept 2024. By the Grace of All mighty Allah Human Aid Society reaches at that level wherein many multinational companies and the well reputed local level Committees are feel proud by inviting the members of this organisations as their special guests and in this connection a multinational farmers tool maker company **Husqvarna** had invited the Chairman Human Aid Society on 14th Sept 2024 at Gulmarg for launching their agricultural product wherein a galaxy of productive framers and distributors of various district of the said company where present. On this occasion Chairman hailed the steps as taken by the Hasqvarna manufacturing company for improving of agriculture sector and introducing their latest agricultural tools/ equipment and also making them possible at the door steps of Kashmiri farmers.





Condolences note:

20th sept 2024. Human Aid Society Paid its heartfelt condolences with the family on the sad demise of Mr Mohammad Shafi Pandith first IAS officer of J&K Ex Chairman Public Service Commission and additional Chief Secretary of J&K Govt. Paying a great tribute to Mr Late Mohmad Shafi Pandith the Chairman Human Aid Society said that Mr Laet Shafi Pandith's Sab was become an inspiration for our youths when he first cracked the IAS exam from Kashmir , he added that Mr Shafi Sab was a great social activist and a honest Bureaucrat who contributed a lot during his tune over and departure has created a deep void, which will be difficult to fill. we pray that Allah (SWT) grant him highest level of Janah

"KHWAJA GHULAM AHMAD SABNEN YAARAN HUND AKH SAMANBAL"

A Galaxy of Former Public Servants, Educators, Social Activists, and Journalists come together in Baramulla to discuss various Social Issues.

27th September 2024: For old Times Sake; In today's fast-paced world where everyone seems to be too busy to talk, getting to meet your friends after years of correspondence through social media only is one of the most exciting things that could happen in one's life. In a similar fashion, a group of friends involving former public servants, educators, social activists, and journalists met at an event titled "KHWAJA Ghulam Ahmad SABNEN YAARAN HUND AKH SAMANBAL" today in the conference hall of Human Aid Society's office in district Baramulla's Dewan Bagh locality.



The event was attended by Former Deputy Commissioner Baramulla Mr Ghulam Ahmad Khwaja, Director University of Kashmir (North Campus) Dr. Irshad Ahmad Wani, Former Principal Boys Degree College Baramulla Prof. Mohammad Ismail, Former Principal Government Degree College Uri

Dr. Sheikh Nazir Ahmad, Baramulla Working Journalist Association Chairman (BWJA) Haji Karamat Qayoom and its President Mr Gulzar Ahmad Zargar, Former Secretary Red Cross Baramulla Mr Sheikh Abdul Hameed, Former Accounts Officer Finance Department Haji Ghulam-ud-Din Wani, Former Assistant Executive Engineer Haji Mohammad Sadiq Bhat, Former BDO Haji Gh Mohmad Sofi, Prominent Social Activist Mr. Bashir Ahmad Mir, President Janbaaz Academy Khanpora Mr. Abdul Majeed Akhoon and social activists Mr. Mohammad Yusuf Khan and Mr. Peerzada Irshad Ahmad.

Freelance Journalist Ms Tahira Firdous was also present.

The participants decided to work on a theme every year. This year, they pledged to fight drug menace collectively to save their families and the society at large from its grip. They also thanked Human Aid Society and its staff for being the hosts of this intellectual gathering. It is pertinent to mention that Mr. Ghulam Ahmad Khwaja served as the Deputy Commissioner of district Baramulla between 2012 and 2013. He grew closer to civil society during his tenure here.

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