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Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP)

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It is an honor for me to share with you the fifth Annual Progress Report of Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) for the year 2023-2024. Like previous years, we initiated some new interventions this year as well. Developing the technical skills of the rural youth is one of the main objectives of SVDP. In this respect, six students from village Bajara were given full scholarships and enrolled at the Hunar Foundation Institute, Rashidabad, Tano Allahayyar. They completed a six-month diploma in different trades. Furthermore, 10 more students from Bajara and Gachero Old villages have been enrolled in the same institution.

Apart from that, we stepped in Kandiaro Town this year. With the financial assistance of Mr. Ramchand Oad from the USA, we donated 15 laptops, 10 solar panels, School shoes for 150 poorer students, Science lab material, 20 water coolers, Filter plant material, CCTV cameras, Loudspeaker and other items to Government Boys High School Kandiaro. Besides, after a meeting with the stakeholders of Jhangara Town, a transport facility was provided for the girl students who regularly attend free Academy classes at Bajara. Moreover, the girl students of Kachhi village were also given a transport facility for attending free computer classes at the Bajara.

SVDP established a Family Park three years before at Village Bajara which was inaugurated this year. The construction of the new building of Abdul Yaqeen Turk School of Excellence

was also completed during the reporting year. With regard to the school, seven children of poor families were awarded full scholarships. The students are given free lunch at the school.

We formally intervened in Village Gachero Old, Taluka Moro this year by establishing a Center for Vocational Empowerment where a one-month course on basic tailoring was organized with the support of a local community-based organization. Regarding our health component, SVDP provides nutritional support to infants of the poor families living on the bank of Manchhar Lake. Further, a large number of eye patients were checked-up and operated at the Natha Foundation eye hospital with the support of SVDP. Moreover, a large number of poor patients especially women were facilitated regarding their treatment at Syed Abdullah Shah Hospital Sehwan. Apart from that, anti-mosquito spray was spread in 6 villages.

SVDP always values vulnerable individuals as well as communities. In this regard, four ultra-poor families were supported regarding the construction of their houses in Village Bajara.

According to a survey conducted by SVDP in Village Bajara, 310 plants have survived and grown-up during the last four years. This is a big achievement because maintaining a plant is a difficult task. With regard to the Fruit Farm, Berry and Toot (Mulberry) plants offered their first yield this year.

One of the core values of our organization is to support neglected segments of society. In this regard, SVDP started a Differently Abled Persons survey in Union Council Bajara, Taluka Sehwan and Union Council Gachero Old, Taluka Moro. The purpose of the activity was to collect data and take efforts to bring change to the lives

of those people who are still unaddressed. SVDP made arrangement for the laboratory test of drinking water being supplied to the Village Bajara from one of reputable laboratories. Further, the soil and agricultural water of the Fruit Farm was also tested. Samples of both types of water were found safe and good for the human consumption and agriculture purpose.

An initiative was started a few years ago under the banner “Inter Villages Learning Initiative”. In this connection, the people of different villages visited each other and benefited from their best practices. 20 women from Village Gachero Old, Taluka Moro visited Village Bajara during the reported period and appreciated the interventions of SVDP in Bajara.

Last but not least, we are thankful to Dr. Aijaz Hussain Turk for his continuous financial assistance. We are also thankful to the Board of Directors and our team for their continuous and dedicated efforts for making the projects successful.

**Muhammad Ibrahim
(Mehran Mallah)**

Executive Director

Education & Learning

Two Batches of Students Completed Office Automation Courses at Center for Computer Education



Sindh Village Development Program has established a Center for Computer Education at Village Bajara. Two batches of 32 boys' and 29 girls' students have completed their three-month course in Office Automation during the reported period. Moreover, the third batch is continued since May 2024 and will be completed until July in which 13 boys and 13 girls are enrolled.

Laptops, Solar Panels, Filter Plant and other material donated GBHS Kandiaro

Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) with the financial assistance of Mr. Ramchand Oad donated 15 laptops, 10 solar panels, school shoes for 150 poorer students, Science lab material, 20 water coolers, Filter plant material, CCTV cameras, Loudspeaker and other items to Govt. Boys High School Kandiaro, District Naushahro Feroze 25 January 2024. The articles handed over to Mr. Abdul Rasheed Soomro Headmaster GBHS Kandiaro.



Transport Facility Provided to Girls Students of Jhangara for Attending Free Tuition Classes at Bajara



Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) has also started its activities in other villages surrounding Bajara. In this regard, a transport facility has been given to the 14 girls' students of Village Jhangara since 25 March 2024. The purpose of the activity was to facilitate the girls to attend the free tuition classes of English, Science and Computer

Annual Result Day event organized at AYT School Bajara



Abdul Yaqeen Turk School of Excellence, Bajara (A project of Sindh Village Development Program) organized an Annual Result Day event on 31 May 2024. SMC chairperson Mrs. Kazbano, SMC member Syed Imam Ali Shah and Head Teacher Nisar Ahmed Chagdo distributed Result Cards, Trophies and medals among the students. Besides, 35 mothers of the children also participated in the event.

Teeth Cleaning Day Celebrated at AYT School, Hygiene Kits Distributed



Teeth cleaning day was celebrated at Abdul Yaqeen Turk School of Excellence Village Bajara on 21 May 2024. All the children were oriented on the importance of teeth cleaning. Afterwards, they participated in a teeth cleaning activity. Hygiene kits were given to seven children belonging to ultra-poor families living on the bank of Manchhar Lake on the occasion.

Developing Skills of Rural Youth: Six Students from Bajara Completed Diploma in Technical Trades



Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) aims at developing the technical skills of the rural youth. Six young people from the village Bajara of Taluka Sehwan completed their six-month diploma in technical courses at Hunar Technical Institute Rashidabad, Tando Allah Yar on 28th June 2024. The students graduated in different technical skills including Air Conditioning & Refrigeration, Electrician and Plumbing. All the expenses like monthly fee, accommodation, food and transport were borne by the SVDP. They were enrolled in January 2024.

Second Batch of 10 Students Qualified enrolled in different Technical Courses

Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) believes that technical education leads to employment and economic empowerment. Therefore, it plans to develop the technical skills of the young people of the rural areas in Sindh. In this way, after the graduation of six students, 10 more students from Village Bajara, Taluka Sehwan and Village Gachero Old, Taluka Moro appeared in the entry test and interviews at the Hunar Foundation Technical Institute near Tando Allahyar on 25 June 2024. All the candidates were selected and registered in Air Conditioning & Refrigeration, General Electrician, Motorcycle mechanic, Welding



and Plumbing trades. All their expenses including monthly fees, accommodation, food and transport are being borne by the SVDP.

Free Coaching Classes: English, Math and Science are taught at Bajara



Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) is running a free Tuition Center at village Bajara where English, Mathematics and Science subjects are taught to the students of different classes since three years. The total number of boy and girl students is 66. Tests are being taken on weekly basis.

CASE STUDY



A journey from Bajara to Iraq

He was keen to learn English language when he got admission to the high school of his village. Muhammad Budhal Bughio was born in the village Bajara which is situated on the bank of Manchhar Lake. He completed his primary education in 2006 from a local primary school and then got admission in Govt. Boys High School Bajara. “Then I continued my academic journey at Govt. Degree College in Sehwan Sharif, which is about 12 kilometers away from my village, where I completed my intermediate studies and earned my Bachelor's degree.” Budhal narrated.

Though his father Jaan Muhammad was a farmer, but he continued to support him regarding pursuing his education. “From a young age, I had a strong desire to learn English but couldn't explore this interest further because of financial constraints.” He further said that “everything changed in 2020 when I discovered the Manchhar Academy for Students' Empowerment (An initiative of Sindh Village Development Program) which offered free education to students from low-income backgrounds. I joined the academy and committed myself to improving my English skills.”

After completing his BSc, Budhal pursued a Diploma of Associate Engineer (DAE) in Mechanical from Mono Technical College Sehwan and earned his degree in 2023. “Then I learned about the NEBOSH Level 3 degree offered by a UK institution. To support my studies, I got a job at Gasco Engineering Pvt. Ltd and finally I became able to enroll in NEBOSH in Lahore,” he expressed.



While preparing for the exam, he was promoted as an Assistant Officer at Gasco. Though he failed at his first attempt but he continued his hard work and passed NEBOSH course in 2023. After transferring to Port Qasim, Karachi, he decided to pursue an IT diploma at The Educator Institute along with additional training in HSEQ field. These experiences helped him to grow into a competent HSE professional. Afterwards he worked at Amcorp Engineering and Construction Pvt. Ltd Lahore, where he worked on the ABL Mall project.

Recently, I received a job offer of as a HSEQ Engineer in Iraq. “Looking back, I know that learning English at the SDVP' free academy was key to my success. I'm very grateful to the SDVP staff and my teacher for their support and for giving me the chance to improve my English, which helped me advance in my career.” Budhal concluded.

Office Automation Course Completed, Certificate Distribution among the Students



24 girls and boys have completed a two-month “Office Automation” course at the Center for Computer Education at Village Bajara, Taluka Sehwan. Dr Aijaz Hussain Turk, head of SVDP's Advisory Board and a senior member of SANA and guests distributed certificates among the students in an event organized by SVDP on 21 December 2023. Moreover, prizes were distributed among the boy students who got positions in a grand test of Science subject at the Tuition Center. In addition, appreciation certificates and gifts were distributed among the SVDP staff members. The students and their parents attended the event.

Distribution of certificates and Prizes among the students and the staff



Dr. Aijaz Hussain Turk and Social Worker Haji Ishaque Lakho and others distributed computer course certificates and prizes among the girl students who got positions in a grand test of Science subject at the Tuition Center being run by the organization. The event was organized at the Family Park Village Bajara on 20 December 2023. Moreover, appreciation certificates and gifts were distributed among the staff members. SVDP BoD Members Dr. Ali Gul Khushik, Abdul Hameed Chandio and Ali Gohar Turk also participated in the event.

Dr. Aijaz Turk Visited Abdul Yaqeen Turk School of Excellence



Dr. Aijaz Hussain Turk visited Abdul Yaqeen Turk School of Excellence (A Project of SVDP) village Bajara on 20 December 2023. He met children and chatted with them. Afterwards, he had a meeting with the school teachers. He praised the learning environment of the school and appreciated the teachers.

A Study Trip Arranged for the AYT School Kids

The management of Abdul Yaqeen Turk School of Excellence village Bajara arranged a trip for the kids of the school on 9 November 2023. They visited Manchar Lake, Naing, Kae and springs. Kids were amazed at seeing the sights and listening to the sounds of nature.

New Building of AYT School

The construction of the new building of Abdul Yaqeen Turk School of (AYT) Excellence Bajara completed on 10 September 2023. The teachers and the mothers of the students also participated in the event.



International Days Celebrated



International Children Day, Fruit Day, Art Day and Water Day were celebrated at AYT School Bajara in July 2023 during the summer camp activities.

Full Scholarship for Seven Children of AYT School

SVDP is supporting poorer students in getting education. In this regard, a full scholarship was given to seven children of the poor of the poorest households living on the Manchar Lake bank in January 2023. The scholarship includes fee, course books, uniforms, stationary and transport facility. They have been admitted to AYT School Bajara. It is noteworthy that 11 children of KG and Nursery classes have been studying on scholarships at the school since its inception.

Health, Hygiene & Nutrition

Nutritional Support for the Infants of Poorer Households living in Manchhar Lake

Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) has been providing Nestle Bunyad milk and Nestle Cerelac to five infants of the ultra-poor households living in Manchhar Lake for three months. The said items were distributed among the families on 23 June 2024

Differently Abled Persons Survey in Bajara and Gachero Villages, 111 Cases Reported



Differently abled persons are a neglected segment of our society. They are facing discrimination and various other problems at every level in our society. Keeping in consideration the significance of the problem, Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) initiated surveys in Village Gachero Old, Taluka Moro with the support of volunteers, and in Village Bajara and in nearby Villages, Taluka Sehwan in May 2024. In this way, 34 cases were reported in Village Gachero Old while 77 cases were reported in Bajara and nearby villages. SVDP was planning to address the cases with the support of relevant institutions.

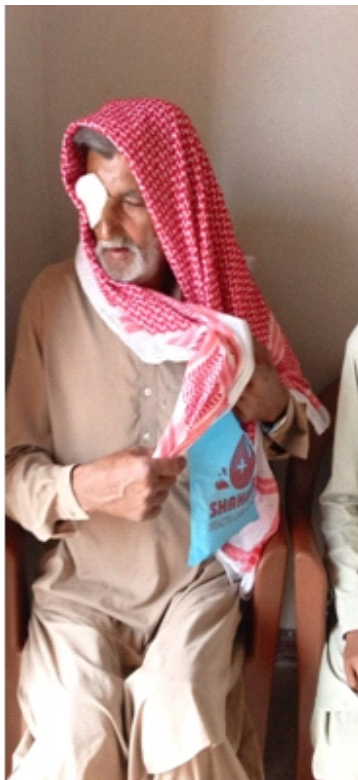
30 eye patients of Village Bajara were checked up and operated



Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) has built a strong relationship with Natha Foundation regarding the treatment of eye patients. In this way, 30 eye patients were checked up at the Shahbibi Health Care Center Sehwan during April and May 2024. Seven out of the total patients were operated while eight patients were referred for advanced treatment to Karachi. Besides, 9 patients were recommended vision glasses. SVDP provided medicine to six poor patients.

Treatment of 12 Poorer Patients, 2 Surgeries

Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) gives high priority to the health of the poor people and supports those who are unable to afford their treatment. In this regard, 12 patients, including nine women got treatment during April 2024. They were suffering from different diseases and were hospitalized at Syed Abdullah Shah Institute of Medical Sciences. Two women suffering from ENT and Piles problems were operated. SVDP supported them in terms of medical tests, arranging blood, food and transport facilities.



Anti-mosquito Fog Sprayed to Prevent the Spread of Malaria in Bajara and other Villages



Malaria cases are reported in the villages located near the Manchhar Lake, Taluka Sehwan. Keeping in consideration the situation, SVDP started an anti-mosquito campaign by spraying fog in Bajara and nearby villages. A SVDP team went to every home and sprayed anti-mosquito fog through a fogging machine in April 2024.

22 people including 10 school children were screened at the eye hospital in Sehwan

Sindh Village Development Program provides health facilities to the people of Village Bajara. In this regard, 10 children of AYT School Bajara and 12 female patients were screened at Shahbibi Healthcare Center Sehwan in the last week of March 2024. One school student was diagnosed for further treatment while seven women were diagnosed with weak vision and recommended for glasses. The rest of the people were given medicine. SVDP provided transport facility and lunch for the patients.



Treatment of 15 Poorest Patients



SVDP gives high priority to the health of poor people and supports those who are unable to afford their treatment. In this regard, 15 patients, including 12 women and 3 male got treatment during March 2024. They were suffering from different diseases and were hospitalized at Syed Abdullah Shah Institute of Medical Sciences. SVDP supported them in terms of medical tests, arranging blood, food, hygiene items and transport facility.

12 Eye Patients of Bajara were Screened, 4 Diagnosed for Operation

12 eye patients (5 female and 7 male) of the Village Bajara were screened at Shahbibi Healthcare Center Sehwan on 25 December 2023. Three male and one female patients were diagnosed for surgery while others were suggested vision glasses and medicines.



Two Eye Patients were operated

Two female eye patients from the village Bajara and a suburb were operated in Shahbibi Healthcare Center Sehwan while one patient was suggested vision glasses on November 7, 2023. It is noted that SVDP provides free transport and volunteer assistance to the patients

Eight Eye Patients of Bajara Screened, 2 Diagnosed for Operation



Eight eye patients (7 female and 1 male) of the Village Bajara were screened at Shahbibi Healthcare Center Sehwan on 18 October 2023. The 2 female patients were diagnosed for surgery while others were suggested vision glasses and medicine.

Four eye patients of Village Bajara were operated

Four eye patients of the Village Bajara and other villages were operated at Shahbibi Healthcare Center Sehwan on 14 April 2023. Further, 5 patients were checked up as.

Fifteen eye patients of Village Bajara were operated



15 eye patients of the Village Bajara and other villages were checked-up at Shahbibi Healthcare Center Sehwan on 7 April 2023. Four patients were diagnosed for operation. Further, four patients including one woman were suggested vision glasses.

Four eye patients of Village Bajara were operated



Four eye patients including three women and one man of village Bajara were operated at Shahbibi Healthcare Center Sehwan on 18 February 2023. They were given medicine and glasses as well.

Alternative & Sustainable Livelihood Options

First harvest of the Fruit Farm: Ber Plants begin to fruit

One of the main objectives of Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) is to create models in Sindh. In this regard, a Model Fruit Farm project is being implemented in the village Bajara, Taluka Sehwan. The core purpose of the intervention is to introduce and promote sustainable and modern agricultural trends in the area. The 12 plants of Ber (Zizyphus Mauritiana) began to bear fruit in February 2024 after planting of one year. It is noteworthy that Ber is commonly known as the poor man's apple due to its nutritional value.



Olive and other Varieties Planted at the Model Fruit Farm near Bajara



A Model Fruit Farm project is being implemented in the village Bajara, Taluka Sehwan by SVDP. Different trees including olive plants and other varieties have been planted in the last week of February 2024. The core purpose of the intervention is to introduce and promote sustainable and modern agricultural trends in the area.

One month course on basic tailoring concluded in the Center for Vocational Empowerment



A one-month training course on Basic Tailoring concluded at the Center for Vocational Empowerment at Village Gachero old near Moro town of district Naushahro Feroze on 12 February 2024. The Center was established by Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) in collaboration with Gachero Old Association for Healthy Environment and Development (GOAHEAD). 10 young girls participated in the training led by a local stitching expert. The purpose of the event was to develop the tailoring skills of the girls so that they could empower themselves.

Second harvest of the Fruit Farm: Mulberry Plants gave Fruit First Time



The Mulberry (*Morus Alba*) plants gave their first fruit in March 2024 after planting of one year at the Model Fruit Farm being implemented by SVDP near village Bajara. The core purpose of the intervention is to introduce and promote sustainable and modern agricultural trends in the area.

Certificate Distribution Event at Vocational Center Gachero Old



After completion of a one-month training course on the basics of tailoring, a certificate distribution event was organized at the Center for Vocational Empowerment at Village Gachero Old Taluka Moro on 02 March 2024. More than 40 female participants in the event, which was jointly organized by Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) in collaboration with Gachero Old Association for Healthy Environment and Development (GOAHEAD). The key speaker of the event was Mr. Iftkhar Bughio while Mr. Faiz Muhammad Bughio and others also spoke on the occasion, followed by a presentation of a training participant. Certificates were distributed at the end.

Test for Female Tailors for Advance Training at Center for Vocational Empowerment

A test for the advanced training in stitching was conducted at the Center for Vocational Empowerment in Village Gachero old near Moro town of district Naushahro Feroze on 30 December 2023 wherein 14 female tailors participated. The experts of Marvi Vocational & Training Center Bajara arranged the event. The participants prepared different shirts and frocks in the test. The purpose of the event was to select the candidates for the advanced training.

Inauguration of Center for Vocational Empowerment near Moro



Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) in collaboration with Gachero Old Association for Healthy Environment and Development (GOAHEAD), has started a vocational center in Village Gachero old near Moro town of district Naushahro Feroze. Dr. Aijaz Hussain Turk, senior member of SANA inaugurated the vocational center on 19 December 2023 attended by a large number of women. The work samples of the female artisans were displayed there. Dr. Aijaz Turk and others spoke on the occasion. Dr. Turk also attended a meeting of the volunteers followed by lunch.

A Step towards Sustainable Agriculture: More 1380 Plants Planted at the Model Fruit Farm



One of the main objectives of Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) is to create models in Sindh. In this regard, a Model Fruit Farm project is being implemented in the village Bajara, Taluka Sehwan. In this way, more 860 plants of different varieties have been planted in September 2023. The core purpose of the intervention was to introduce and promote sustainable and modern agricultural trends in the area. Moreover, 520 Date plants were planted in the month of June as well.

Environmental Protection and Climate Risk Management

310 Plants have Survived and Grown-up in Village Bajara

Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) donated and planted more than 1000 plants in village Bajara, Taluka Sehwan, District Jamshoro during the past four years. In May 2024, our team conducted a survey and found that 310 plants have survived and have grown-up in the village. As per the figures, 110 plants of different kinds are of up to five feet in height while 200 plants are of up to five feet in height. With regard to variety, 65 plants are Neem Trees, 190 are Conocarpus, 18 are different fruit plants, 11 Moringa, 10 Eucalyptus, and 17 plants are of different varieties including Sukhchain, Sumble, Gul mahar, Talhi, Sarinh etc. It is noted that SVDP has established a Plant Nursery in the village which offers plants to the people freely.



Inauguration of Family Park at Village Bajara

Dr. Aijaz Hussain Turk and Social Worker Haji Ishaque Lakho inaugurated Dilsher Turk Famil Park at Village Bajara, Taluka Sehwan on 20 December 2023. The park has been developed by Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP).

Water and Sanitation

Water and Soil Quality Tests of the Water Supply Scheme and the Fruit Farm: Both found Safe and Good for Drinking and Farming



Sindh Village Development Program's solar supported water supply scheme has been providing drinking water to five villages including Bajara for more than 8 years. The SVDP team collected three samples of the drinking water as per the guidelines of Drainage and Reclamation Institute of Pakistan (DRIP) Tando Jam in April 2024 and handed them over for quality testing. According to the findings, the water is safe for drinking purpose. Apart from this, a Model Fruit Farm project is being implemented by the SVDP near the village Bajara. The core purpose of the intervention is to introduce and promote sustainable and modern agricultural trends in the area. The SVDP team collected samples of the soil as per the guidelines of the irrigation water of Drainage and Reclamation Institute of Pakistan (DRIP) Tando Jam and handed them over for quality testing. According to the findings, the soil as well as the water are good for every kind of farming.

Supporting Ultra-Poor Families

Rashan Bags Distribution among Nine Poorer Households in Manchar Lake



SVDP distributed Rashan bags among the ultra-poor households living in Manchhar Lake on 19 April 2024. A female team of the organization distributed the bags including nutritional items for the babies among nine poorer families.

Lunch Arrangement for 7 Ultra-poor Children

SVDP supports poorer students in receiving education. In this regard, a full scholarship which includes fee, course books, uniform, stationary and transport facility has been given to seven children of Abdul Yaqeen Turk School of Excellence Bajara. Those children belong to ultra-poor households living on the Manchar Lake bank. SVDP has started to provide lunch for those students since 15 April 2024.

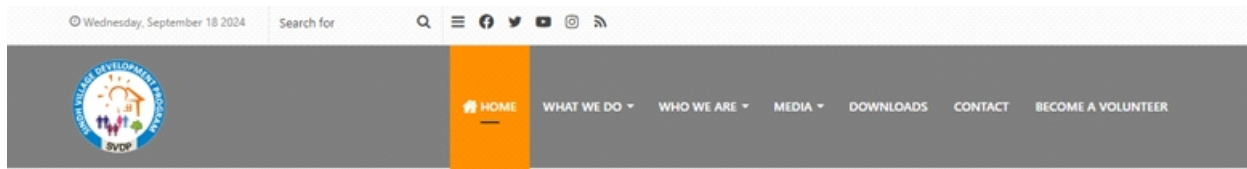


Supported ultra-poor families in construction of their houses

Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) always supports vulnerable and ultra-poor families. In this regard, two trucks of bricks were donated Punhoon Rind and Nazeeran of Village Bajarain March 2024. Prior to that a large sized room was constructed for Anwar Bughio in October 2023. Moreover, Hakeem Gurglo of Manjhand Town was also supported regarding repairing his home in May 2024.

Information & Knowledge

SVDP launched its Website



SVDP launched its website in January 2024. The purpose of the initiative is to provide a virtual platform for potential donors, volunteers, and partners as they can be informed about the organizational activities. One can visit it by clicking on the link given below: <https://svdp.pk/>

Community Mobilization

Improving Rural Life: Meeting with Stakeholders at Village Jhangara

Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) in collaboration with social activists of Jhangara Town arranged a meeting at Jhangara on 21 December 2023 wherein more than 30 social activists and stakeholders participated. The meeting was hosted by Mr. Shahid Hussain Shah while moderated by Mr. Abdul Majeed Bughio. The stakeholders discussed the issues, challenges and way forward. Dr. Aijaz Turk was the chief guest of the event. Further, SVDP core team members like Mehran Mallah, Dr. Ali Gul Khushik, Abdul Hameed Chandio, UC Chairman Furqan Shah, Awais Iqbal Chandio, Muhammad Aarab Babar and others participated and spoke on the occasion.



Bonfire (Mach Kachahri) with young people of Bajara



A Bonfire event was organized by the SVDP at the village Bajara on 21 December 2023 which was attended by a large number of young people from the village. Dr Aijaz Turk and members of the Board of Directors of SVDP participated in the event. The content included songs, discussion and other entertaining segments.

Meetings & Visits

SVDP Team Visited Fish and Poultry Farms near Tando Muhammad Khan



SVDP's Executive Director Mehran Mallah and the Chairperson Dr. Ali Gul Khushik visited Naimatullah Protein Farm, Meerani Fish Farms and Meerjat Plymouth Poultry Farm in Tando Muhammad Khan on March 31, 2024. They were briefed about the process, management, marketing by the managers of the farms. Plymouth Poultry Farm was a unique model of chicken raising. Plymouth is an American breed. The hens give more eggs than other varieties. Thanks to Mr. Sarang Shah for his support and hospitality.

Changing lives: Darwat Dam benefited Agriculture and promoted livestock in the area

Mr. Mehran Mallah and Dr. Ali Gul Khushik visited agricultural interventions based on Darwat Dam near Thana Bula Khan on 28 March 2024. Young grower Mr. Aftab Ahmed Rajar briefed about the agricultural and livestock developments in the area and visited the agricultural farms based on the water of Darwat Dam. The delegate met the local people who told them about the benefits of the Dam. Afterwards, they visited the Dam as well.



Understanding Sustainable Agriculture: A Visit to an Integrated Agricultural Farm



Mr. Mehran Mallah and Dr. Ali Gul Khushik visited Ghosiya Agricultural Farm near Aongar, District Thata on March 27, 2024. Mr. Aftab Ahmed Khan who was the owner of the farm, briefed about the projects being undertaken there. He told about the new approaches regarding agriculture, livestock, poultry and fisheries. Afterwards, the delegate visited different parts of the farm led by the manager Mr. Sohrab Khan.

Inter-villages Learning Initiative: Women of Village Ghachero Old Visited Bajara

SVDP has initiated “Inter-villages Learning Initiative” activity. The purpose of the initiative is to learn the best practices and experiences from the others. In this regard, 20 women from the village Gachero Old, Taluka Moro visited Bajara village on March 9, 2024. The delegate was led by Mr. Noman Bughio, General Secretary Gachero Old Association for Healthy Environment and Development (GO AHEAD). They visited the interventions of the Bajara Village Development Project (BVDP). Moreover, they visited the village and had meetings with the female community members. In addition, they visited Manchhar Lake and other tourist points of the area. The female team of the SVDP fully facilitated them. The visitors appreciated the efforts of the SVDP being undertaken in Village Bajara.



Need Assessment Survey of Government Schools of Kandiaro



Executive Director Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) Mehran Mallah visited four government schools of Kandiaro town District Naushahro Feroze on 29 February 2024. He had meetings with heads of schools, teachers and students. During his visit regarding the need assessment survey, he visited Govt. Boys High School, Govt. Girls Higher Secondary School, Govt. Girls Primary School and Govt. Boys Primary School Qurban Ali Tanwari. Mr. Adul Rasheed Soomro HM GBHS led the events. Apart from this, he had a meeting with the team of the community organization GO AHEAD and a meeting with HM Govt. Boys High School Village Gachero Old in Moro town as well.

SVDP delegate had meetings with the Secretaries and Minister

A delegate of Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) consisting of Dr. Aijaz Turk and Mehran Mallah along with activist Dr. Ayoob Shaikh had meetings with Secretary Health, Secretary Education and Minister Local Government Sindh at Sindh Secretariat in Karachi on 28 December 2023 and discussed the issues of village Bajara Taluka Sehwan and Village Gachero Old, Taluka Moro.

Session on Integrated Village Development Initiative in Sindh

Mehran Mallah, Executive Director SVDP represented Bajara Project and other SVDP activities in a session on Integrated Village Development Initiative in Sindh at 4th Latif Literature and Art Festival at ARTS Council Karachi on 5th November 2023.

Building Skills of Rural Youth: A Meeting with Management of Hunar Foundation



A team of Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) consisting of Mehran Mallah (Executive Director) and Naveed Ali Bhatti (Admin & Finance Officer) visited the Hunar Technical Institute at Rashidabad near Tando Allahyar on October 17, 2023. They had a meeting with Mrs. Majida Khursheed, Head of Operation of the Hunar Foundation. The purpose of the meeting was to develop a working relationship with the institute for the skill development of the young people of rural Sindh.

Building Skills of Rural Youth: SVDP Team Visited Hunar Technical Institute

A team of Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) consisted of Dr. Ali Gul Khushik (Chairperson), Abdul Hameed Chandio (President) and Mehran Mallah (Executive Director) visited the Hunar Technical Institute at Rashidabad near Tando Allah Yar on September 23, 2023. After an orientation, the team visited technical workshops of the institutes led by the Principal Haresh Kumar Khatri. The team praised the dedicated and sincere efforts of the Hunar Foundation which is offering its non-for-profit services regarding skill development. The purpose of the visit was to develop a working relationship with the institute for the skill development of the young people of rural Sindh.



SVDP General Body meeting, new office bearers elected

General body meeting of Sindh Village Development Program (SVDP) was held its office at Hyderabad on 23 August 2023. New officer bearers and Chairperson were elected for the next tenure while Executive Director was also appointed for next three years.

Audit Report

SINDH VILLAGE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (SVDP)
37/1 CIVIL LINES TARIQ ROAD SINDH HYDERABAD
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

	Notes	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
CASH AND BANK BALANCES (CLOSING)	5		
Cash In hand		2,242,802	421,912
Cash In Bank		2,242,802	421,912
GENERAL FUND	6		
Opening Balance		1,098,615	145,389
Surplus/(Deficit) during the year brought forward from Revenue and Expenditure Accounts		1,633,301	953,226
		2,731,916	1,098,615
ACCRUED AND OTHERS LIABILITIES	7		
Payable to Staff against Expenses		362,137	-
Audit Fee Payable		30,000	-
Accrued Salary and Others Liabilities		454,593	270,605
Withholding Income tax Payable		12,500	109,402
		859,236	310,007
ADMINISTRATIVE AND OPERATING EXPENSES	8		
Operational Staff / Human Resource Salaries		3,659,436	2,598,367
Solar System		-	334,100
Education & Learning Development		1,443,393	-
Environment Pro: & Climate Risk Mangt		401,000	-
Sustainable & Livelihood Development		53,800	-
Administrative Cost		2,049,135	-
GOVDP/GBHS Kandiaro Project		938,740	-
Fruit farm Project		1,245,263	-
AYT Excellence School		378,450	-
SANA ANMOL Project		215,000	-
Operational Expenses		1,308,276	-
Office Renovation		-	8,000
Miscellaneous Exp		-	254,400
Repair & Maintance		-	28,000
Transportation		-	37,700
Audit Fee Including SRB		-	43,200
Advocate Consultant Fee		-	30,000
Donation Family Support		-	36,500
Environment Protection & Climate Risk Management		-	82,930
GOVDP Project		-	22,540
Fruit Farm Project		-	1,349,467
AYT School of Excellence Expense		-	2,431,400
Operational Advance Grands		-	1,241,652
Health & Hygiene Development Initiative		-	332,648
Livelihood Opportunities Initiative		-	6,000
Education & Learning Development		-	1,142,167
Depreciation		289,360	190,916
		11,991,853	10,169,987

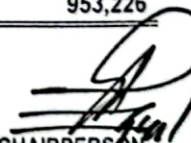


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37/1 CIVIL LINES TARIQ ROAD SINDH HYDERABAD
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
INCOME & REVENUE			
GRANTS & DONATION			
Received from Iqbal Turk		11,552,233	11,123,213
Received from SANA ANMOL Project		358,000	-
Received from GBHS Kandiaro Project		987,000	-
Financial Support Initiation		516,000	-
Others Donation		11,921	-
Sold Scrape Vehicle		200,000	-
Bank Profit		-	-
		13,625,154	11,123,213
EXPENDITURE			
Less: Administrative and Operating Expenses	8	11,991,853	10,169,987
Income Position on Operating stage		1,633,301	953,226
Other Income		-	-
		1,633,301	953,226
Financial Charges	9	-	-
Net Income fund Position before taxation		1,633,301	953,226
Less: Income tax withholding	10	-	-
Net Surplus (Deficit) fund Position for the Year		1,633,301	953,226


EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR


BOD MEMBER


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SINDH VILLAGE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (SVDP)
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BALANCE SHEET
AS AT 30TH JUNE, 2024

	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
FIXED ASSETS			
NON - CURRENT ASSETS			
Book Value as per schedule attached	4	1,348,350	986,710
		<u>1,348,350</u>	<u>986,710</u>
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash & Bank	5	2,242,802	421,912
Accounts Receivable		-	-
Total Current Assets		<u>2,242,802</u>	<u>421,912</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		<u>3,591,152</u>	<u>1,408,622</u>
FUND AND LIABILITIES			
Fund Balances	6	1,098,615	145,389
Fund Surplus/(deficit) after tax for the Period		1,633,301	953,226
		<u>2,731,916</u>	<u>1,098,615</u>
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Accrued Expenses and Others Liabilities	7	859,236	310,007
TOTAL LIABILITIES		859,236	310,007
TOTAL FUND		<u>3,591,152</u>	<u>1,408,622</u>
			
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