

bad and Mardan. These were attended by 524 students contributing in a variety of programs including quiz competitions, presentation of national anthem, skits and delivered speeches on importance of education. 82 guests including parents and SMC members participated in functions. SMC members, CM, FEO, teachers and elders also participated and expressed their views for further improvement and importance of education as well as problems pertaining to schools

BEFARe distributes NFIs to the flood affected families in Sind.

BEFARe in a consortium with International Medical Corps (IMC) is carrying out a project on the provision of comprehensive primary healthcare services, including hygiene education and distribution of hygiene related NFIs to the flood affected population for an immediate response in 4 districts of Sind.; namely Shikarpur, Larkana, Jaccobabad and Qambar Shahdadkot. The project has been funded by DFID-UK. BEFARe is responsible for the distribution and replenishment of hygiene kits and jerry cans for storage of clean drinking water. BEFARe is also responsible for conducting hygiene promotion sessions separately for male and female through hygiene promoters (HPs) at the identified four districts.



Hygiene Promoter is conducting HP session in district Qambar shahdadkot

May 2011 was the concluding month of the project. The teams in May 2011 hastened their efforts for achieving the target of re supply of 13,000 H.kits within the stipulated time. NFIs were distributed

in the already identified UCs of the targeted districts where HP sessions had already being conducted. The teams also remained in close contact with IMC focal persons and benefiting communities for the coordination and support.

Apart from distributing H.Kits the teams conducted 77 HP sessions benefiting 933 male and 884 females.



NFIs distribution in district Larkana

BEFARe in another intervention in collaboration with IMC supported by OFDA is delivering similar services in two other districts of Sindh namely Dadu and Thatta.

The team in May,2011 conducted 28 Hygiene Promotion (HP) Sessions in the targeted UCs benefiting 1997 male and 1072 female.

KfW Country representative visits BEFARe sites in Malakand

On May 9, 2011 Dr. Anna (Country Representative, KfW), Mr. Shahzada Pervaiz (Consultant KfW), Mr. Bakhtiar Ahmed Lodhi (Infrastructure Officer, RAHA UNHCR) accompanied by Manager P&I



Dr. Anna at GTVC Mingora (F)

BEFARe and E1 team visited GTVC Mingora (F) and GCMS Sangota (M) The visiting team examined the tailored products prepared by female trainees. The visiting team also held discussion with trainees regarding the progress and efficacy of different trades introduced under RAHA intervention

BEFARe conducts reconstruction work at 15

Department of E&SE schools in Peshawar and Malakand.

BEFARe under RAHA initiative is implementing project BEFARe-E2 supported by KfW through UNHCR under RAHA for rehabilitation of school services at 15 Department of E&SE schools, setting up of computer labs amongst 8 of them and improved learning opportunities accessible to children and youth both from refugee and host communities.

In May 2011 BEFARe continued to carry out construction work at the identified 15 Department of E&SE schools.



Constructed room and varranda at GHS Chakdara

The 6 computer labs continued to provide computer literacy to 800 local and refugee youth.



Students in computer labs at GHS Chakdara

BEFARe establishes library at GCMS Sangota

During the visit of KfW team to GCMS Sangota, it was proposed by Dr. Anna Christine (KfW Country Representative) to establish a proper library for students of the institute. The institute has few text and reference books to be utilized by students for their studies. After thorough inspection of the library and deliberation with the management, the visiting team consented establishment of proper library for students. Upon instructions of KfW technical team, appropriate study racks in the library for study have been put in place and significant number of text and reference books will be provided to the institute in due course of time.



Library at GCMS Sangota

BEFARe attends ToT at Islamabad

BEFARe with the support of The Asia Foundation (TAF) under the Free And Fair Election Network (FAFEN) is striving to mobilize marginalized communities. Apart from advocacy events the project facilitate communities and especially youth to enlist themselves as Constituency Relation Groups (CRGs) and compile area profiles to identify institutions and services provision in comparison with the required resources for better future planning

Project Manager BEFARe in May 2011 attended TOT arranged by FAFEN at Margalla Hotel Islamabad. The training will be further replicated to the project staff by the trainer.



BEFARe staff attending ToT arranged by FAFEN at Islamabad

BEFARe provides guidance to teachers and Head teachers in pedagogy and School Management

BEFARe regularly enhances capacity of its teaching and supervisory staff on various aspects of teaching and management, and community mobilization.

During May 2011, BEFARe Master Trainers (MTs) and Field Education Officers (FEOs) organized 89 meetings with 603 teachers and HTs and guided them on pedagogical improvements as well as on management of schools.



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Education; the basic development



CE BEFARe, Mr. Shakir Ishaq along with BEFARe staff is inspecting the products made by trainees under BEFARe/RAHA Project.

BEFARe conducts exhibition for its trainees at WBDC (Women Business Development Center) Peshawar

BEFARe with the support of KfW through UNHCR under RAHA initiative is implementing project BEFARe-E1 "To improve livelihood and local economies in refugee affected and hosting areas by strengthening 10 government technical training institutes to provide quality vocational skills training to both Afghan refugees and local communities in District Peshawar and Malakand Division.

BEFARe in May 2011 arranged an exhibition for E1 trainees of GTVC Hayatabad (Women) Peshawar and GTVC Gulbahar (Women) on May 12, 2011 at Women Business Development Centre (WBDC) of SMEDA. BEFARe E1 team organized this exhibition to develop trainees for exploration of business opportunities available in the province through different channels and gain on their marketing skills

women from different walks of

life visited stalls and purchased products that were prepared by trainees during and after completion of courses. This event helped BEFARe to share progress made by the trainees of BEFARe E1 with Project Manager of WBDC who not only appreciated their efforts; but also suggested to register them with Pakistan Tourism Development Corporation (PTDC) that can help them to come forward as successful businesswomen.

Mr. shakir Ishaq, CE BEFARe attended the exhibition and encouraged the trainees for their commendable job.



BEFARe staff taking interest in the products made by the trainees

BEFARe conducts final exams in its administered schools.

BEFARe is implementing the largest refugee education project worldwide with the support

of UNCHR in 52 Afghan refugee camps in KP since 1996. The program is currently supporting 53,000 Afghan refugee children enrolled in 129 schools.

The final examination of the academic year 2010-2011 were conducted in May 2011 at all the sub offices of BEFARe. The result was compiled and declared on June 01, 2011. The result announcement ceremonies were attended by Sub-Office Managers (SoM) Field Education Officers (FEOs) Master Trainers (MTs) Field Education Supervisors (FESs) SMC members, camp elders students and parents. Position holder students were also awarded prizes.



Students appearing in final exam in Akora khattak camp

BEFARe conducts Focal Point Trainings (FPTs) for its teaching staff.

Focal Point Trainings (FPTs) are a regularly practice in BEFARe schools which continually enhance capacity of teachers. In May 2011 BEFARe trained 769 teaching staff including 154 female teachers through Focal point training in Sub-Office Peshawar, Kohat, Mardan Abbottabad and Timergara. FESs organized these trainings in various subjects and pedagogical concepts in the presence of Master Trainers and Field Education officers.

BEFARe organizes parent day at its administered schools.

BEFARe organized Parents' Day at 3 schools in Abbotta

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