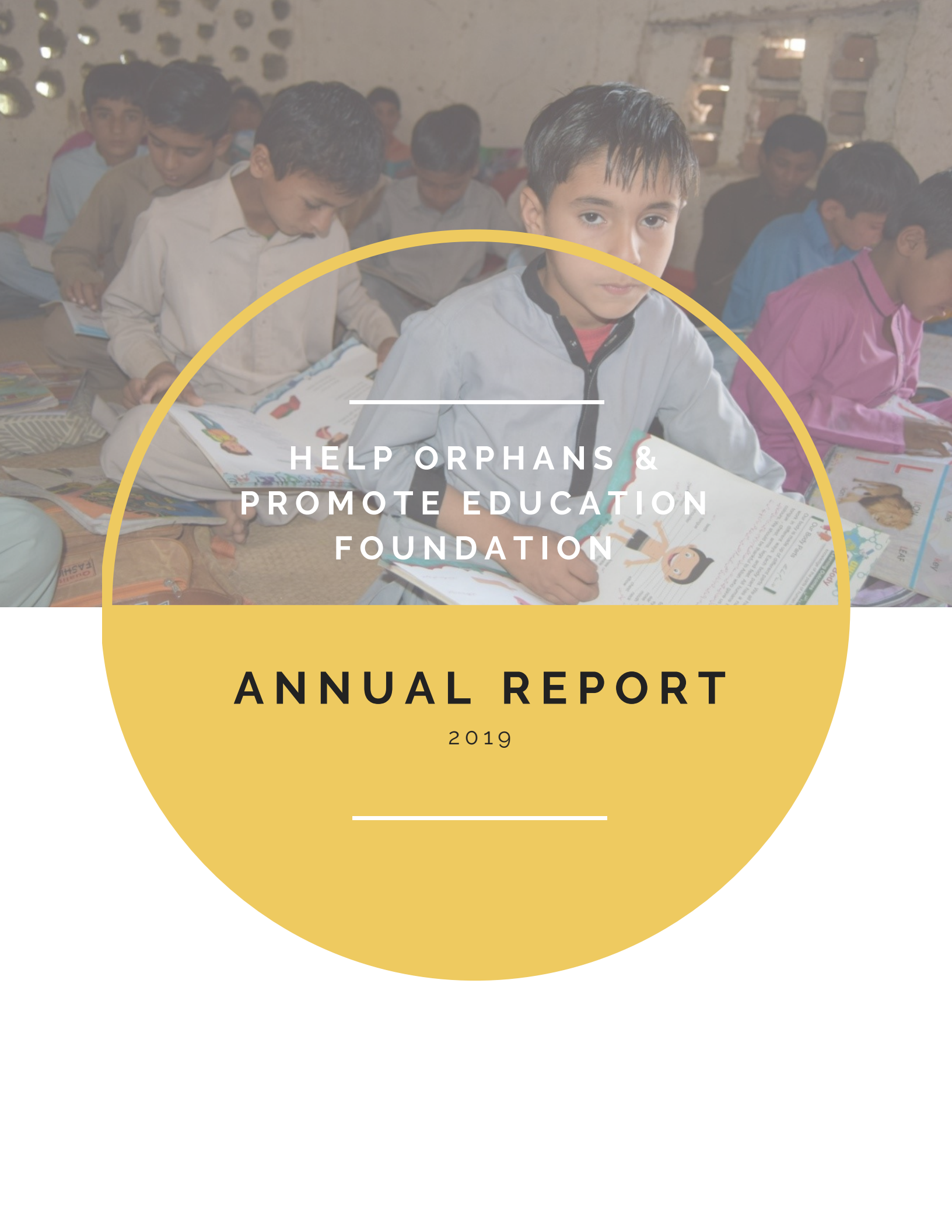




HELP ORPHANS &
PROMOTE EDUCATION
FOUNDATION

ANNUAL REPORT

2019

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ABOUT US

Help Orphans and Promote Education Foundation (H.O.P.E.) is a federally registered Canadian charity that is focused primarily on providing education by sponsoring orphans and needy children. H.O.P.E. also strives to provide relief to the people affected by natural disasters, to help bring them back to a normal life. This, we believe, will bring hope and enlightenment by giving these children an opportunity to play an active and productive role in the society.

We strongly believe in complete transparency and take great measures to ensure that every penny of the donated funds is used in the most effective manner. We contribute to projects which not only take care of the immediate needs, but also provide the means through which an orphan can become self-sufficient and lead a respectable life.

MISSION & VISION

H.O.P.E. Foundation's foremost task is to equip the poverty-stricken young generation of orphans and needy with the most important tool to help cultivate them into leaders of tomorrow – Education.

To advance education by providing scholarships, bursaries, awards and other form of financial assistance to children and youth who are orphans or in financial need; and to provide financial and material relief to the victims of disasters.



OVERVIEW

This report provides an overview of the activities of H.O.P.E. Foundation in 2019. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have questions about any of our activities. In line with our official charter, impact in the following two major areas has been highlighted in this report:

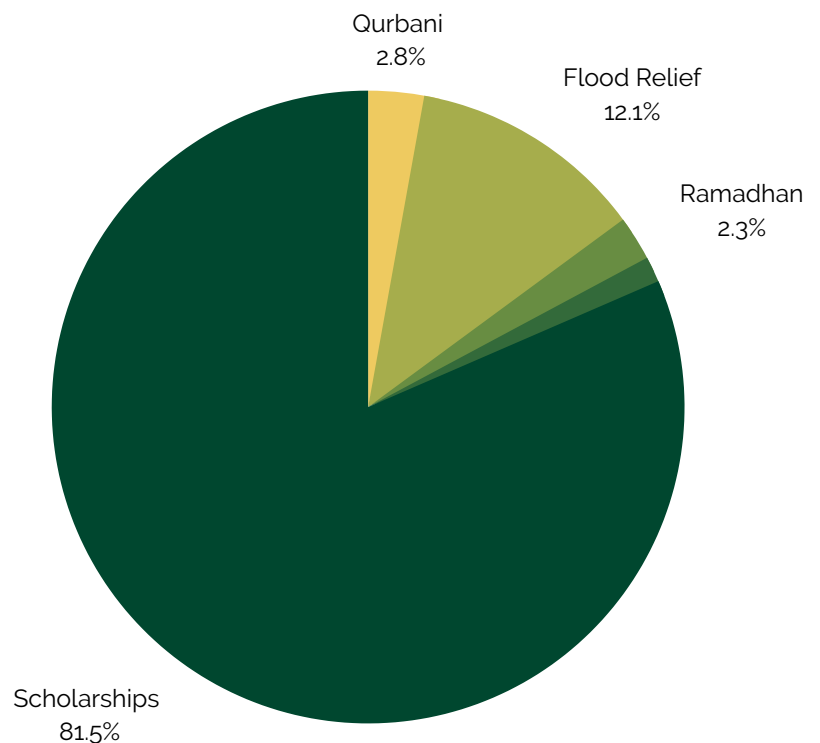
- Helping Orphans and Promoting Education
- Emergency Response and Relief



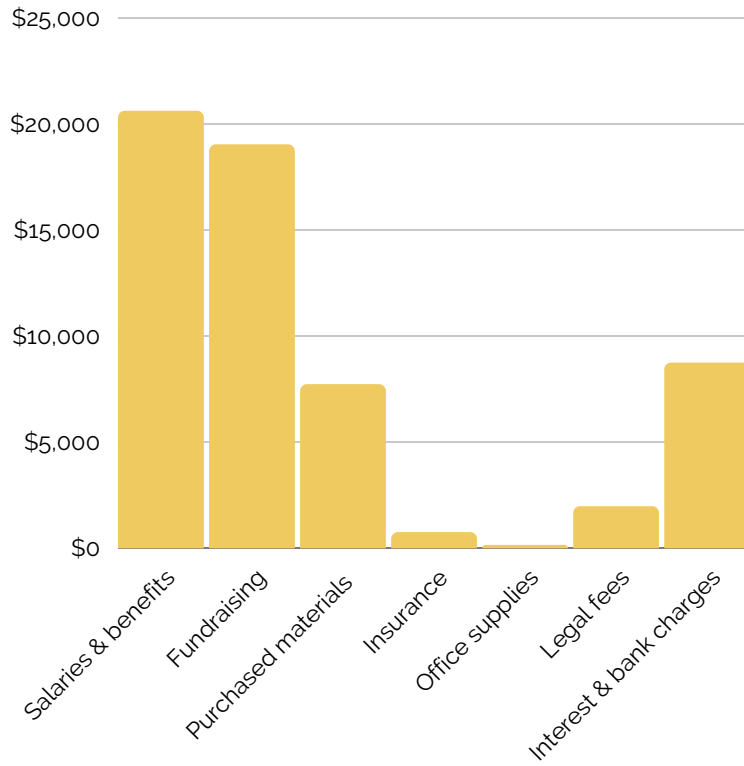
FINANCES

H.O.P.E. Foundation Canada oversees its various operations in Pakistan, including the transfer and disbursement of funds through a registered charitable organization in Pakistan known as MAWA (Muhammad Ali Welfare Association). MAWA also acts as an official local NGO partner of H.O.P.E. in Pakistan. The entire process is supervised by a regional director of H.O.P.E. Foundation.

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A breakdown of the total collections received of **\$683,042.00**

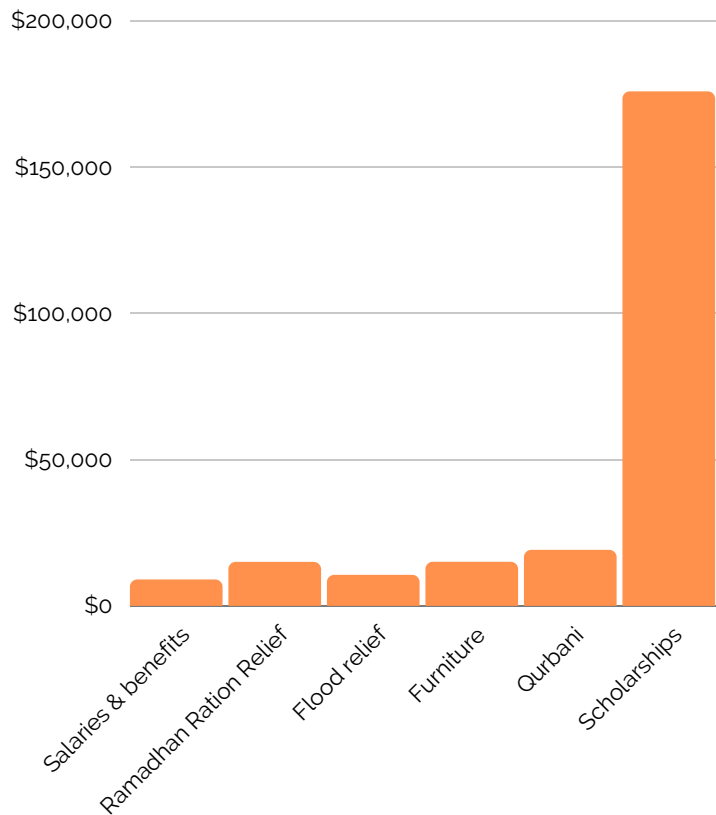


\$539,462.00

Charitable
Expenses (Donations)

A breakdown of **other expenses** totaling **\$58,784.00** in **Canada** for the year of 2019. The **balance** as of December 2019, to be **carried forward** to 2020 is **\$171,585.00**

A breakdown of **expenses** in **Pakistan** totaling **\$243,163.00** for the year of 2019. The **balance** as of December 2019, to be **carried forward**, in Pakistan, to 2020 is **\$232,799.00**



PROJECTS OVERVIEW

Qurbani

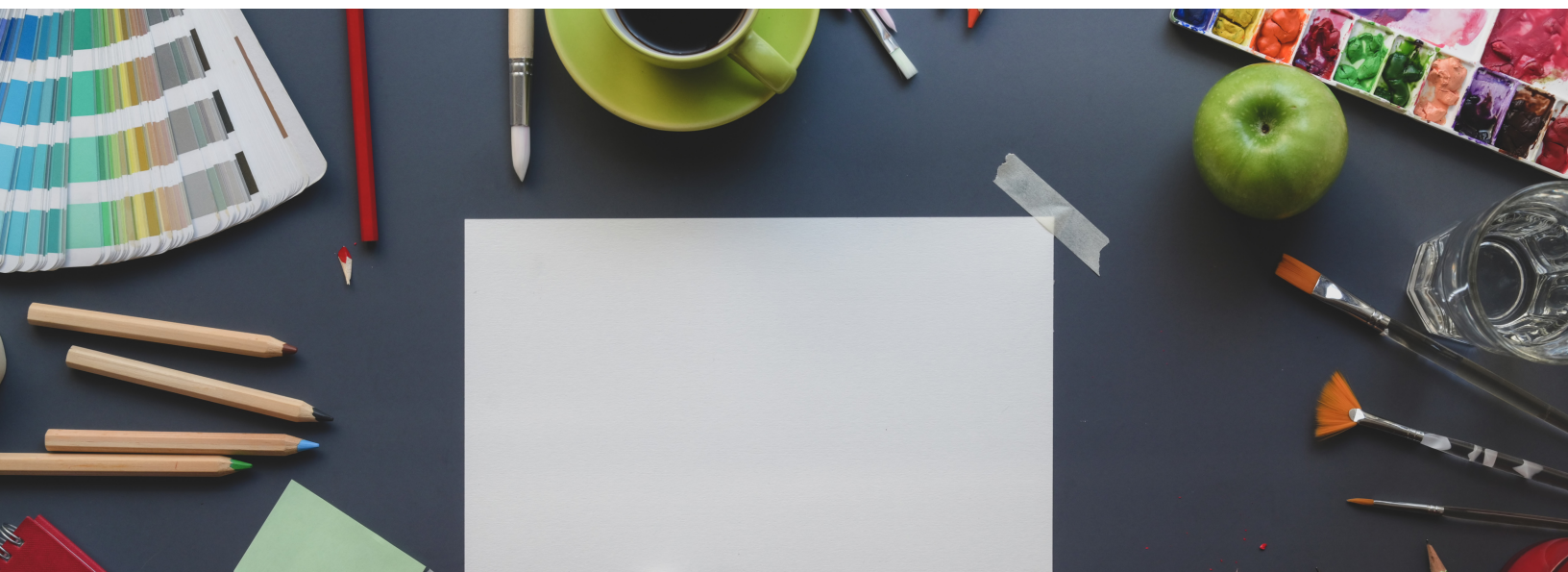
Each year, H.O.P.E. Foundation runs the campaign for collection of funds prior to Eid-ul-Adha. With the collected funds, H.O.P.E. Foundation purchases livestock on behalf of the donors and fulfills the religious rites and duties by distributing meat amongst the neediest and most deserving in the remote regions of Pakistan.

With your help, H.O.P.E. Foundation's 2019 Qurbani campaign was able to raise **\$18,888**, through which, **1,003 deserving families** were helped. These are the families whose malnourished members are unable to acquire the day-to-day necessities, let alone, incorporate meat into their diets. However, through your generous donations, the families could enjoy meat, even if for once in the year, on the joyous day of Eid-ul-Adha.



Scholarships and Educational Support

In 2019, H.O.P.E. Foundation raised a total of \$175,571 for scholarships and educational support. Through the funds, 34 schools and 4,500 students in various regions of Pakistan were supported. The schools supported are not ordinary schools – rather, these schools and the students within belong to the most geographically and demographically disadvantaged areas of Pakistan. These regions historically have not had any establishment of educational facilities, nor had the norm of children enrolling in education. As such, H.O.P.E. Foundation opted to take upon the responsibility of establishing educational institutions, infrastructure and a new mindset within the civilians of these regions, such that the leaders of tomorrow & generations to come are equipped with the most important tool of all, education. With your continuous help, support and donations, H.O.P.E. Foundation added to the list of schools supported, and strengthened the operations and enrollment of its previously supported institutions.



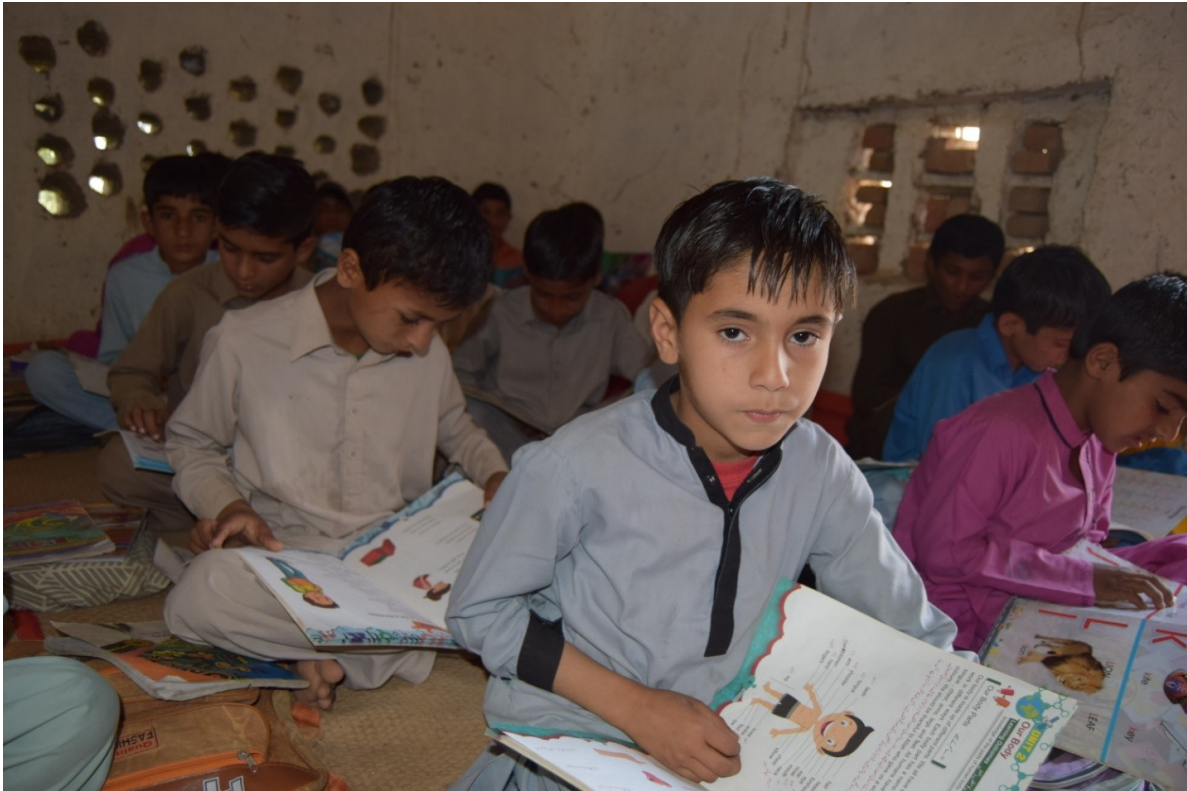
AL-ASR BASTI GAJOJI D.G. KHAN



**AL-HADI SCHOOL – MASTIE WALA GD.G. CEMENT
FACTORY D.G KHAN**



RAZA MEMORIAL PUBLIC SCHOOL NASEERABAD



SHAN-E-ISLAM PUBLIC SCHOOL



Iran Floods - Emergency Response & Relief

Iran was hit by unprecedented rainfall from mid-March to April 2019. Around 140 rivers burst their banks as flash floods and landslides swept away roads, homes and corps.

Total Collection: \$ 80,155

Red Cross disbursement: \$ 55,000

Disburse through MAWA Pakistan to Iran: \$ 25 155.00

HOPE Foundation took the initiative and helped the victims through their partners Canadian Red Cross.



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Flooding affected approximately 10 million people, or 1 in 8 Iranians, and left 2 million in need of humanitarian assistance. Dozens of people lost their lives.

Right away, Iranian Red Crescent teams on the ground sprang into action to save lives, evacuating nearly 10,000 people to safety and conducting search and rescue activities.

Even in the most remote or cut-off communities, Red Crescent volunteers arrived by boat or helicopter with much needed humanitarian aid.

While the floodwaters have largely receded and weather conditions have stabilized, the scale of this disaster means many Iranians still need support. But because of your generosity, the people of Iran do not have to suffer alone. The International Red Cross Red Crescent Movement, in support of the Iranian Red Crescent, will continue to be there for those in need, providing shelter, health care and livelihood support as people recover from these devastating floods.

Meet Dr. Riazi, who helped stop a disaster within a disaster



After the immediate danger of flash floods and landslides, a new danger emerges: infectious disease. Waterborne diseases can appear after flooding, and if not properly treated can easily become epidemics. This is why Iranian Red Crescent mobile medical teams are so important.

Dr. Zahra Riazi is a specialist of infectious disease. She visited the hard-hit villages of Qanqomah and Sallaq Yiliq in Golestan Province after the flood.

"The villagers had persevered through the initial flood problems with the assistance of Red Crescent relief workers, but intestinal diseases due to infected food and water had spread in the village," said Dr. Riazi.

Dr. Riazi examined 160 patients in just three days, prescribing free medication and following up with many of them over the phone with test results and advice.

The eight-member mobile medical team included an infectious disease specialist, dentist, general practitioner and psychologist. Together, they provided services to 1,300 people in the two villages. Months after the initial disaster, the Red Crescent has operated dozens of mobile clinics. This is the kind of support you are providing to those in need.

HOW YOUR SUPPORT IS MAKING A DIFFERENCE



296,000
people given emergency shelter



33,000
Red Cross Movement staff and volunteers responded



29,000
people received health interventions, including psychosocial support



216,000
food parcels delivered

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

The Canadian Red Cross would like to thank the generous individuals, businesses and organizations who donated more than \$150,000 in support of our response to the Iran Floods. Compassionate donors like you have enabled us to deliver help and hope to the people of Iran.

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Ramadhan Ration Relief

Total Collections: \$ 15,097

Total Spent : \$14,784.00

H.O.P.E. Foundation arranged foods for poor and needy people of Pakistan throughout various areas specially in remote villages. We distributed the Ration bags to fulfill their immediate ration needs during the month of blessed Ramadhan 2019.



Total Fitra Collection: \$ 8,691

Note: These funds were utilized for scholarship or school furniture and educational needs.

Picnic 2019

Total Expense: \$ 5,570

Each year, H.O.P.E. Foundation has organized a community picnic for volunteers of the organization. The purpose of this gathering is to emphasize to the volunteers, who are the core of the foundation, its purpose, mission, and future direction. Over 500 community members attended the 2019 picnic day and enjoyed with their families a day filled with fun activities.



TESTIMONIALS

D. Bochan Syeda (Medical Student)

An MBS final year student, who had lost her dream to be a doctor upon her father's sudden death, by a terrorist (Sectarian violence) attack. Bochan is the eldest daughter in her family, where her mother is the household lady. Their family's only bread earner was shot due to his faith. H.O.P.E. Foundation helped her to complete her dream, and now she is in her final year to become a doctor. This will bring a light of hope to her family.



Ehsan Ali Lashari

A student from Baluchistan district, Jafferabad. His father belongs to a poor laborer family, with eleven sisters and five brothers.

Ehsan was the eldest among his brothers. With all life long difficulties, Ehsan managed to go through top positions throughout his early education. He is now pursuing his Masters in Economics from the university of Baluchistan.

He secured **1st position** in Metric

2nd position in FSCE in the whole district

1st position in Bachelor of Arts

83% in Diploma

Current **GPA of 3.95** in his Masters program



By Ehsan Lashari

Economy Tested Positive COVID-19

After this, it is apparent to all, or at least to anyone will to look, what this is going with economy; after the booming destruction of mankind, Economy also tested positive corona virus. Welcome to the regime of COVID-19, regime of completely panic, regime of destruction. A lot has gone wrong, any kind of hurt is impossible to hide, especially after the destruction of sapiens. Economy, too felling a prey to rampage. World could be more destructive of human but it would be more destructive after an aide tested positive in economy.

Now the thing is to think is that would globe quarantine the global economy or it let to impair the economic conditions more as same as it did with mankind.

The habitual and cyclical downturn in the economic sphere of Pakistan has been facing mediocre conditions since its inception. In provided with, The Asian development Bank (ADB), last week, has projected that Pakistan economic growth would slow down to 2.6% during current fiscal year due to ongoing stabilization efforts and slower growth in agriculture and the booming impact of the COVID-19. This graves repercussion especially for Pakistan's where economy was also on the ventilators and suffered from every kind of contagious diseases in the universes. Moreover where GDP growth is predicted to decelerates to 2.6% in FY 2020. This plague would cause more harm than good to Pakistan; it can then be every economic value is on the consumer end. The imbalanced macroeconomics conditions might drive its agglomeration more formative damage and impairment.

Corona revealed how mediocre American economy really is, according to the prediction of American scientists, this novel corona virus could kill 2.2 million people in the USA in adding more to this, US economy is added in a deep recession because millions of Americans have already lost their job and drop in the equity prices to the lower household wealth to an extents that would cause a sizeable slowdown in the USA economy. The temporary grind halt of economic activities due to health restrictions and social distancing revealed the reality of US economy. In the report of WHO; there, in USA, 2.9 hospitals bed for every 1000 people that's fewer than Turkmenistan 7.4 beds per 100, Mongolia 7.0, Argentina 5.0 and Libya has 3.7. Infect the USA ranked 69th out of 182 countries. This lack of hospital beds is framing doctors across the country, to increase the number of deaths in USA. Moreover in America there are human life is cheaper than a dollar so that America focuses on its economy more than its population.

COVID-19 has suffered China deeper into cri-

sis and pushed China to enormity of challenges in pursuit of economy, with figures released by the National Bureau of Statistics (NBS) on Monday showing factory production inside the country dropped at the fastest pace seen in three decades. Moreover industrial output fell 13.5% in January, February compared with 2019. It was first time ever in 1990 when industrial sector was 21.1% downturn. In addition to this year on year, fixed assets investment fell 24.5% private sector investment fell 26.4%. Judging to fact and data shock to China's economic crisis from the novel corona virus epidemic is greater than the global financial crisis. China's jobless rate rose to 6.2% in February compared with 5.2% in December and highest since the official records were published. Furthermore China's unemployment rate is highest in three years at 3.4% and predicted to get worse. This novel virus sunk China's economy deeper into crisis more than global financial crisis.

In order to gauges the depth of this complexity of novel coronavirus. This epidemic sunk the countries into crippling recession and brought the edge of looming shortages in pursuit of coming down upon this pestilence. According to "The Economist" report that more than 85 emerging markets economies have turned to the IMF for help in recent weeks. Additionally finance needs of emerging markets are 2.5 trillion dollars. This is the lamenting scenario for the global economic climate. These whopping shortages create glaring problems which could then be synonymous with political instability, poverty, and unemployment for the emerging world order. This novel corona virus sowed the seeds of spate of economic stability on board as well.

In 2020 the dual nature of the crisis of global epidemic together with an economic collapse make things far more complicated. In the New Year eve 2019 and around the world stock markets are closing for business on high notes. Shares in the US are up by almost 30% on the year, those in Japan by 18%.

To elucidate, it has been the best year ever for stock since 2009.

But all of which to say, we need leaders to come together and say international cooperation matters to deal with, what is both a global medical and economic problems. We need global solidarity to cope with this novel corona virus, we need to abet more and most, with ignorance of other side, borders and restrictions, to ensure aide and sympathy rather than to be only in the specific area and country. So the more we intervene to deal with the medical emergency, the more you put the economy at risk.

The writer is an economic analyst.

He has published multiple articles in Pakistan front stream news papers.

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FUTURE GOALS

1. Continue the scholarships for 4,500 Students in 37 Schools
2. Add in 'School building project' in H.O.P.E. Foundation scope
3. Extend support for Higher Education Scholarships
4. Build a new school in Tharparkar and Hyderabad



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