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- Total number of projects = 42
- Total value of contribution = Rs. 802,150/-
- Average value of project = Rs. 19099/-
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**Total Projects = 27 + 15 = 42**
Sewing Machine Donated to a House Help Residing in Karachi

Shenaz, works as a house help currently in different houses as a source of generating income.

Previously, she used to do stitching to facilitate her family better. But since her machine malfunctioned she couldn't continue with her business. To help her get back to her feet again we got her a new sewing machine.

Now she has reached out to her old customers and is back into business.

Funds Raised and Donated: Rs. 7 000
Junejo town is one of those towns in Karachi, where people have less service oriented shops like barber etc.

This area is basically a residential area of labors and locals have to cover a lot of distance to get such services.

We as our project of socio advocacy helped our maid’s brother Saleem and opened him a barber shop in Junejo Town. We arranged him this shop on rent. The total cost of this project was Rs.20,000. Most of the items such as chairs, mirrors and equipment were recycled. Now, on daily basis, Saleem is serving more than 30 people.
Khalid Hussain, 60, lives at Pahargunj. He has 3 children and the only source of earning of his house is through his elder son who rides a rickshaw whereas his younger son is deaf and dumb. I arranged him a Tea counter with a table and a couple of seats. Along with the tea he is having biscuits and cakes. He is making tea from early morning to evening and the target market of tea is the local shops especially mechanics, carpenters, retailers etc around his house.

Funds Raised and Donated: Rs. 60,000/-
Setting up a Fruit hawker business, Bahadurabad, Karachi

Set up a small business for a needy man through which he will be able to take care of his household expenses and his small children to provide them with food, shelter and education.

The business setup allows him to sell fruits here in our area. Due to lack of street hawkers, he won’t encounter any competition which will result in ample sales helping to generate more profits.

Funds Raised and Donated: Rs.17,000/-
**Setting up a French fries and potato based snacks hawker business, Hyderi, Karachi**

Set up a small business for a needy lady through which she will be able to take care of her small children and provide for them.

The business setup allows her to sell french fries and other potato based items form outside her home and earn a living.

The total cost for this project was Rs.18000.

Funds Raised and Donated: **Rs.20,000/-**
Muhammad Asif is a 19 years old who lives in Garden west, Lasbela with 5 family member. His mother is working as a tailor. He is a college dropout due to insufficient funds. Now he is getting training of electrician works. He already knew some of the electrician works and further he is being trained by a specialized electrician, Imran. The total cost for this project was Rs.10000 which includes Daily Transport of Rs.100 and accessories costing Rs.6600.
Syed Ali lives in Sadder area of Karachi with two of his sisters. At the age of 4, he lost his father and since then his mother has been working as a maid. He was on drugs for the last three years. Further on, he was sent to Rehab for the treatment. Now he is currently doing mechanic works of motorcycles outside Friends Auto Store. He already knew much of mechanic works and further he is trained by a nearby ustaad (Bishu bhai). The total cost incurred is around Rs.3000 which includes daily transport for the entire month of Rs.1440 and hardware from Dehli Colony of Rs.1400 and daily lunch is provided free of cost.

Funds Raised and Donated: Rs. 3000/-
Muhammad Nawaz Khan is from the village of Mansera. He recently shifted to Karachi and was looking to do a business that will yield him great income without any special skill being required.

Students arranged a kulfi stall for him which is serving in 3 different areas; MACHS, Dhoraji and Bahadurabad at different timings of the day and is serving approximately 80-90 people. The total cost for this project was Rs. 30,000 (fridge box-Rs 17,000, cart, cylinder and ingredients Rs 12,000 and day rent Rs 1000)
Opening of a Samosa Stall in Mithi, Tharparkar district, Sindh

Mithi is a small town in District Tharparkar, where there was a lack of evening snacks stall near its most visited and famous tourist spot i.e. Gadhi Bhitt.

Students managed to open a person a samosa stall, which serves around 80 people on normal days and up to 300 people on weather-friendly days. The local responsible for this project is Ishwar. The total cost for this project was Rs. 11,000 (fixed costs of (stall and other equipment-Rs 5750 and variable costs were Rs. 5250)
Distributed sewing machines to two needy women in Korangi Town.

We bought two machineries for Rs. 7000 each and distributed it among two needy women Sumaira and Shahida aged 17 and 23 years respectively. Both of them had experience in ladies tailoring but did not have any work currently. We bought the machines from Gul Plaza, Saddar. The machines contain all the accessories required for stitching like needles, basic color threads, scissors etc. We raised our funds through collecting donations from our acquaintances.

Funds Raised: Rs. 14,000/-
Buying an old Rickshaw and upgrading its condition

We bought a used Rickshaw from Patel para initially, it costed us 24000/- We upgraded its condition by getting new seat covers, tires and other mechanical work and. It costed additional 15,300/- So the total costed mounted to 39,300/-

We used crowed funding to raise the finance which was used to buy the rickshaw. We gave it to Mr. farid who knew driving but couldn’t afford a rickshaw on his own because of lack of funds. He was earlier doing other part time jobs to earn but it wasn’t sufficient for his family. Now he is earning through it and is able to look after his family needs.
We donated rickshaw to Muhammad Iqbal, resident of saddar area. Iqbal was a taxi driver and during the incident of Benazir Bhutto in 2007 he became victim of that incident and few unknown people burnt his taxi. After that Iqbal used to sell fruits on thella but due to low earning and expensive fruits cost his that source of earning did not work. Then he started driving rickshaw on rent but here he again faced the problem of paying rent and after paying rent he used to earn hardly Rs.500 after cutting patrol and rent cost. Then we met him and get to know about his background so we realized that donating rickshaw is one of the best thing which can help him better. Since he was already aware of all the routes of Karachi because of his past experience of driving through Taxi and rickshaw. So we bought a rickshaw from the same person to whom he used to pay rent. Apart from him we also provide him regular customers like school kids and working ladies. Now he is earning good as well as saving too.

Project cost = 85,000/=
Giving Rickshaw to the one in need.

We arranged a rickshaw for the family of Sabra, which will help them in overcoming daily routine expenses and make his family of 5 a little stable and also he will be able to provide better education for his little sisters.

We chose this person as his father passed away, and for his treatment they sold their previously owned rickshaw which was their source of income. Also, because the only income support for them now was Faizan. The rickshaw cost us **Rs. 75,000**. The funds raising were done through **Zakat** and **Donations**.

Funds raised: **Rs. 75,000**.
Mrs. Asma is the sole bread earner of a family of 4 people including her two sons (not above 7 years of age) and her husband who is not mentally stable and lives in the slum area near SIUT. Her husband’s mental condition was disturbed due to some family disturbances. She uses a relatives sewing machine but now is required to return it, so the best was to provide her with a sewing machine of her own.

The machine was bought from a shop in jubilee area which costed Rs. 7,000/-. Additionally, our group has also initiated to increase her customer-base by contacting NGO’s to provide her employment as a sewing teacher, provide her with a opportunity to stitche clothes for NGO’s children and have also distributed pamphlets.

**Funds Raised and used= Rs. 7,000/-**
Mrs. Shahida lives in Lines area, Karachi. She has 3 daughters and a son. Her husband has passed away. Though her in-laws support her but it is not enough to send her children to school that’s why she was looking for work that she could do at home.

I arranged a sewing machine for her which cost Rs.6500. For other materials like needle, thread etc Rs.1000 more was given to her. I arranged this money through my family.
Mr. Idrees came to Karachi from village to earn for his family and to afford education of his children. He started working with his friend in a factory where laces are made. But his earning was not sufficient for him because he used to make limited laces per day. We give him the idea to work on his own separate Machine of making laces to earn more profit than working with his friend.

We arranged 23,000, machine and it’s motor was for 20,000 and other amount was for overhead charges. Now he is able to earn more as he was able to produce more laces per day. He can support his family in a better way than before as he is gaining more profit by working on his own machine and then distributing it to the suppliers.

Funds Raised and Donated: Rs. 23,000/-
Sadaf is a 19 year old who with another family member works as a domestic house helper in a naval officer’s house and in exchange her family gets free accommodation in a servant quarter in PNS Jauhar with free electricity, gas and water.

Sadaf is also learning the art of stitching female clothes. She knows how to sew simple clothes while she is still learning how to sew clothes of modern day need. She did not have a sewing machine. We arranged a sewing machine for her, distributed pamphlets regarding her work and recommended her to increase her skill set step-by-step by learning related skills like embroidery and qureshia. The total cost for this project was Rs.6440 (sewing machine worth Rs.6400 and pamphlets printing Rs. 40)
Mr Moeen Ahmed lost his job and was unemployed for quite a while on the verge of starvation for him and his family. He needed a job which did not require much skills and can generate income.

Students arranged a fries and a limca stall with all of its machinery needed to make them. He was able to make and sell 48 bottles of limca and 25-30 boxes of fries each day. It is a busy area with no other stalls for snacks around.

The total cost for this project was Rs.11600 (rest given for other daily expenses). This included the frier, the banner and other ingredients required.

Funds Raised and Donated: Rs. 13000
Mr. William Khakhar, age 32 used to work as an office boy on contractual basis in a company located in Forum Shopping Mall Karachi. Being unemployed for almost 6 months, he was looking for work, and his wife approached us. We three group members mutually helped him in opening up a Small startup outside his house located in a small Christian colony Behind Glass Tower Clifton, where he sells French fries, Samosas, kabab and other fried items along with soft drinks, juices, chips and other items. Each member got donations from friends which totaled 31k. Fixed Cost: Carpenter, setup and repairs cost 5k. Cooker = 5k from Ranchorline Market. Variable Cost: Chips, Juices, soft drinks, chocolates, toffees and other things =10k from Delhi Colony. Eggs, Milk, potatoes and other perishable items =5k. (Delhi Colony). this totals 25k and from left 6k he purchased 2nd Hand Small refrigerator for 8k( added 2k from his revenue).
PROVIDING THE SETUP OF A HAWKER TO MR. MOHAMMAD SHAREEF IN LYARI

Mr. Mohammad Shareef, living in lyari was suffering from financial crisis because he could not find a job due to the poor, underdeveloped and dangerous area he lives in (the conditions are quite politically unstable). We found Mr. Shareef with the help of an NGO, First Hand Foundation which works for the welfare of the underprivileged. He is the father of 5 children, 3 girls and 2 boys. His daughter, who is also a student of class 9, stitches clothes but her income was not enough to cater to the needs of the whole family. Earlier, Shareef worked at a pan cabin and then worked as a security guard. However, he left his jobs and was unemployed. His sons and other daughters are too young to work. The students arranged a thaila for him. Mr. Shareef sells Pappar and Popcorn and is planning to expand this thaila by selling fries. The students arranged Rs. 30,000 and after talking to Mr. Shareef, we were satisfied that due to this setup he is able to cover his daily expenses. He let us know that he earns around 500 rupees daily.

Funds Raised and Donated: Rs. 30,000/-
The major aim behind this project was to serve the bottom of pyramid (BOP) population of our country. This area was surrounded by few industries which consist of 100s of workers. However they lacked an affordable place for food which could serve them Naan (Bread) with curry.

Our project setup consist of Tandoor and Stove to cook food for the factory workers. We have also placed some chairs so that passing by travelers could also be served food. The project cost was around Rs: 12000 and the major expense was the tandoor which is run on firewood.

Previously he just used to serve Chaye (tea) but now he’s increasing the food items according to the demand of labor which are his target market.

FUNDS COLLECTED AND DONATED: Rs 12000
Razia is a working woman struggling to make ends meet due to the medical condition of her husband. She used to work at a junaind jamshed workshop but due to the deteriorating condition of her husband, she was unable to continue with her work.

Students arranged a sewing machine and all the necessary materials needed to initialize a small-time sewing operation. The initial customers were also arranged by the students. In addition to this, a workstation inside the house of one of the student was arranged for Razia along with a smart phone so that she could remain in better contact with her customers. Apart from the sewing materials and the mobile phone, the capital of this project was donated. The total cost in cash concurred by the students was Rs. 6150.(5000 Rs for the mobile phone and Rs. 1150 for the sewing materials)
To help with income generation by giving a sewing machine

Watching the hardship that her mother and father faced to serve their family of 5, Mahwish wanted to earn for her family in a respectable way.

Her mother is a maid and her father does not have a permanent job. She had a passion for sewing and wanted to design clothes, so we bought a sewing machine along with all the equipment and some fabric for her to practice. The machine cost Rs. 5,500, sewing kit of Rs. 330, fabric Rs. 1800. She started sewing pouches along with clothes. Her mother works at different households so we made pamphlets for her to distribute them and this made it easy to reach people from different classes.

Funds Raised and Donated: Rs. 7650/-
Providing a sewing machine to Ms. Sultana.

Miss Sultana lives in Pehelwan goth (sec 14-b) Her husband, already suffering with some medical issue tries very hard to work as a mason with a below average wage which gives them a barely survival lifestyle.

We arranged a sewing machine costing Rs.5700, for her so that she can support her family. All the expenses were financed by open donations. A Facebook page was created to add innovation and to handle all the activities easily.
Provided a job to Mr. Nazeer as a cook in a factory.

Mr. Nazeer is from Gujranwala who used to work in a dhabba there but the dhabba was permanently closed, so he came to Karachi to support his family.

We arranged a job in a factory as a cook. He is a relative of one of the group members maid. He cooks two meals on a monthly pay of Rs.13000. Apart from this he runs his own French fries stall in his area which was not enough.
Stitching business for under privileged girl in Orangi town, Karachi.

Samina is a friend’s maid’s daughter living in the backyard areas of Orangi town, the only source of earnings for her house was her mother’s work that was eventually ending because of her health, to raise her earnings and to support his younger brother who has polio, Samina decided she would start her tailoring business with our help.

We donated a used stitching machine with a cost of 2000rs for automation, some contacts and clients, all necessary accessories needed for stitching, the latest magazines and trends, and we got her first order of 48 school uniforms from a footpath school providing her the cloth from a friend’s cloth factory. which generated a revenue of 8000rs.

For her future progress we have one of our friend’s mom who is a boutique (NEMA’S CLOSET) owner to train her for the latest cuts and trends and later on appoint her as a regular employee on finishing her training. the total funds used for the startup was 7000rs.

Funds Raised and Donated: RS. 7000

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Donations for a woman’s medical treatment at JINNAH hospital, Karachi.

Mrs. Safina Hafeez is the wife of Mr. Hafeez, the manager at a friend’s restaurant who suffered from nasal blockage while she was expecting her first child, she needed to immediately operate the blood clotting in her nasal area or else she wouldn’t survive.

With 30,000 of our own funds raised and a friend who is a coordinator at THE HOPES FOUNDATION we got her treated through a operation at JINNAH hospital.

HOPES is a non-political welfare organization run by the students of Karachi medical and dental college (KMDC), which aims to alleviate human suffering through raising funds and giving free medical treatments to those in need.

The total funds generated for this social cause were 30,000.
FOOTPATH school is an open air school under the new Bahria bridge in Karachi run on personal earning of the owners, they admit under privileged kids from streets and convince them to attend school by offering a daily wage of RS.50, free lunch and free uniforms and clothes.

We visited the place and asked for their immediate needs meanwhile and concluded that a lot of students were deprived of the school uniforms and felt biased.

We then went on a research in the slum markets of bohri bazar in karachi to find the cheapest uniform tailors and eventually found one, we gave them a order of 84 uniforms of various sizes and paid him with the funds we had raised.

Even after the end of the semester we look forward to continue raising funds for this school and help every child of every poor parent to get a chance of receiving basic education.

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Funds Raised and Donated: RS. 46400
Mr. Raheed Amad lives in a makeshift house. Him and his nephew, who lives with him, were both jobless. His wife works as a maid, but it was impossible to meet expenses as they have 5 kids to feed.

Students arranged supplies for them to make and sell pakoras and samosas. Food is made at home by their daughter. Then sold by him and his nephew in different areas. Total cost for this project was Rs. 11,902 (utensils- Rs 4250, food items- Rs 2252, oil- Rs 1500, stove and cylinder- Rs 3900)
Mr. Mohammad Babar lives in Mujahid colony on rent in one room house. He was unemployed and only his one brother was earning, but it was impossible to meet expenses as they have 10 family members to feed.

Students arranged supplies like potatoes and onions as well repair the donkey cart to sell on it to generate employment. He use to sell along with his brother in different areas. Total cost for this project was Rs. 7000 (weighing machine along with weights- Rs 1000, supplies- RS 4500, repairing of cart- Rs 1500)
Setting up a jewellery business for a widow, Karachi

Naseem is a widow who possesses skills in stitching clothes and bedsheets. She lives in her brother's home and pays the rent. We decided to set up a jewellery business for her. In order to promote the jewellery we had established a Facebook page, so we are helping her as agents. Furthermore we have connected her to 2-3 wholesalers so should could receive constant supply at discounted prices.

Funds Raised and Donated: Rs. 9,000/
Bengali Para, FB area is in Karachi. In that area there was a guy Mr. Ayaaz who had a family of 5 children and a wife. Mr. Ayaaz worked in Soorty cutting thread but he was having difficulties in paying expenses due to high price. He and his wife also wanted to make their children educated by sending them to school.

Students arranged a sewing machine, cloth & threads for Mr. Ayaaz so that he could earn extra money and start his own business. The total cost for this project was Rs. 6800 (Sewing machine-Rs 4500, Comission to the guy who arranged the machine-Rs 500 & Cloth and threads-Rs 1800)

Funds Raised and Donated: Rs. 6800/-
Mr. Wazeer is a refugee from Wazeerisatan and due to having some mental sickness he is unable to continue with a proper job. He told us that he can benefit from a sewing machine as his wife will stitch the clothes for nearby tailors.

It took 5 days for the collection of funds. We were able to collect a total of PKR 8000 out of which the equipment's cost was around 7200 (6200 for sewing machine + 1000 for electric motor) rest were miscellaneous expenses.
Sewing machine for Mrs. Haseena

- Haseena bibi, a resident of UmerGoth Karachi, mother of 7 is the sole bread winner of the family due to her husbands illness.
- She used to stitch clothes to gain some extra income but that didn't benefit her since the manual machine took too much time and stopped working recently.
- We donated her an electric sewing machine and in order to increase her clients, we got pamphlets distributed (attached is the picture) and forwarded text messages to our friends and family.
- The funds donated are only Rs.100 for the pamphlet. The sewing machine belonged to a deceased relative of our group member, Alina and they were looking for a deserving individual to donate it. After we visited Haseena, we were convinced to donate it to her only.

Funds Donated: Rs. 100/-
An uncle named, Anwar, has three daughters and a wife. He used to sell cholay and is the only bread runner of his family. This work was not enough to make their own hands meet.

Girls contacted that man, arranged the required items for fruit punch through the funds and decorated the stall. The total cost for this project was Rs. 10,430/- (excluding stall as it was already provided by Mr. Anwar).

Funds Raised and Donated: Rs. 10,430/-
An aunty named Razia is the only bread runner of her family. She is married and lives with her husband and three daughters. Her eldest daughter died of disease few years back. She is a very skilled lady as she stitches clothes excellently but few months before her stitching machine broke down and repairing needed money which was out of her capacity so we tried to arrange a stitching machine for her which was of better quality. Now she is doing well because she is able to take more orders and complete them in time.

- Funds raised of Rs.6,500/= (included machine, case, motor. Excluded transportation cost)
Setting up a fried kiosk (SUBHAN FRIED STALL) at Khuda ki Basti, Karachi.

Mr Asif, a resident at Khuda ki Basti (a small village in Karachi) he after getting robbed twice at his store and his wife’s paralysis attack became jobless. After which he and his family (including him and his wife and their six children) was barely making ends meet on the small chips kiosk that they were renting.

Our group had arranged (with the help of a NPO whose client Mr. Asif was) a portable fried stall which was able to hold a fryer, gas cylinder, basic frying machines, ingredients and utensils. The total cost for this project was Rs.30,000 (All the things were brought from Godhra and New Karachi)
This Project is to help Abdul Ghaffar, he lives in korangi. He has worked as a sales personnel at clothing store but had to leave and has been unemployed since then. He couldn’t afford to fulfill his daily needs. Students arranged a Stall where he sells Drawstrings, caps, vest and socks at Gulistan Market, Korangi 6, Karachi. The estimate revenue is Rs. 23,600/- in one month. The cost of the of the project is Rs.9,680 (Vests= Rs. 2,710, Drawstrings= Rs. 900, Handkerchiefs = Rs. 1,970, Caps = Rs. 3,100 And Socks= Rs. 1000).
Cobbler Setup At North Karachi.

This Project is to help Muhammad Anwar, he lives in north Nazimabad. He has learned cobbler’s work and wanted to start his own venture but couldn’t arrange funds. Our Group members arranged funds and found a place for stall at Bilal Town, North karachi. The cost of the project is Rs. 5000 (Cobbler’s tool = Rs.2500 and wooden Plank = Rs. 2500)

Funds Raised and Donated: Rs. 5000/-
Mr. Noor Muhammad is a father of 3 and used to work as a helper on a fries thela, despite of knowing all the work regarding fries thela he was earning a minimal wage of 50rs per day.

We mutually decided to pitch in the donations to help him in opening his own thela, we got the total sum of 30,000 as donations from friends and family, each member of our group raised 10k from friends and family, out of which the structure of thela costed us 15k machinery costed us 10k including frying machine and cutting machine (fixed cost) and 3900 (variable cost including ; utensil, potatoes, masla etc.) was spent on other necessary materials for the fries thela, the project included one month necessary ingredients for running the thela.
Providing a sewing machine along with admitting in advanced stitching classes.

Anam is a 29 years old divorced woman, living in Model colony of Karachi. Her father works as watchman in a school and his income is not sufficient to cater his wife and daughter. Her father does not allow her to do a job that requires her to leave the house.

Students (Dua, Sania and Sarah) arranged a sewing machine for Anam along with getting her enrolled in advanced stitching classes. Now she stitches clothes and earns a good amount. Total cost of the project is 14,600 (Sewing machine-8100, Motor-1,500 and stitching and embroidery classes-5,000)

Funds Raised and Donated: Rs. 15,000/-
Mr. Ghulam had a previous job as a household helper. However because of his health issues he could no longer do physical activity that is demanded in being household help. Therefore he was in need of something that would require less physical activity. We set up a thaila for him to help him earn a living. For that matter we collected 8000 rupees. The thaila cost 6000 and the vegetables cost 2000. The thaila was set up in hazara (goat).