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Message of the Week

Management is about **arranging** and **telling**.
Leadership is about **nurturing** and **enhancing**.

- Tom Peers.

News/Events/Highlights/Activities

19th November 2016

Opposition Leader-National Assembly (Pakistan) Mr. Sayed Khusrheed Ahmed Shah Paid Visit of Sartyoon Sang Crafts Enterprise Outlet at SRSO Complex Sukkur

CEO-SRSO Mr. Muhammad Dittal Kalhoro presented Sindhi Cultural Gift of Ajrak during his Visit.



Child Universal Day Celebration

Child Universal day was celebrated by SSS-Community Managed Cluster School Qabalo in district Shikarpur, in which SRSO District and SSS Head Office Officials and from Different Government Departments officers participated and appreciated the SRSO efforts for Children education with quality and excellence.



18th November 2016

CEO-Brooke Visit

CEO-Brooke Mr. Muhammad Farooq Major visited Equine Welfare community at Lodji Hata Shikarpur



NFE Teachers Training at JIMS Jacobabad

Five Days NFE Teachers Training was organized by SRP at JIMS Jacobabad.



DM-Sukkur Attending Meeting of Polio Taskforce

On dated 18th November 2016, a Meeting was called by DC-Sukkur under the agenda of Polio task force in which tasks regarding stakeholders has been discussed.



National Socio-Economic Registry by BISP for LSO Representatives

RSPN arranged an orientation of newly project for LSO Leaders under the head of National Socio-Economic



CEO-SRSO & Ex-BoD Member Meeting on Village Development Plan

On 17 November 2016, SRSO officials of district Sukkur arranged a meeting on "Village Development Plan" at Community Hall of Munshi Najam u din Village. The meeting was chaired by EX Member of SRSO-BoD Mr. Nazar Hussain Mahar and CEO-SRSO Mr. Muhamamd Dittal Kalhoro. Official of Sukkur Institute of Business Administration Mr. Ishfaque Ahmed Lashari (CDC-Director), RRSWO and SRSO Officials and community members were also present at the meeting.

The agenda of this meeting was to discuss in an explicit way on the implementation of Village Development Plan for three surrounded villages of Munshi Najam u din Abro including villages of Sodho Khan Sarwari and Loung Bhatti. Explaining the concept of "Village Development" Mr. Nazar Maher said that the idea is to begin development from villages at the grassroots level. He further instructed and emphasized that every potential area or field where there is the scope of development should be highlighted. All Participants discuss their views and input their ideas. Sukkur- IBA CDC officials said that they will also contribute to community driven development and will work with Youth of rural community members by providing career counseling, Vocational Training and will provide guidance for job.

It was concluded that local people are willing to participate in all development activities and to take responsibility for their own development and SRSO will implement Village development

plan with the involvement of all concern sectors for the effective management and coordination of support for best utilization of resources provided.



On 17 November 2016,

Social Mobilization Teams (SMTs) of Sindh Rural Support Organization formed Eleven (11) Community Organizations by organizing 220 households in Qamber- Shahdadkot, district.

Four events of Community Management and Skill Training (CMST) concluded, which was attended by 91 female members (President / managers) of community organizations.

Six (06) Program Introduction Dialogues were also conducted under the SUCCESS program funded by the European Union.



On 16 November 2016,

Social Mobilization Teams (SMTs) of Sindh Rural Support Organization formed twenty-Five(25) Community Organizations by organizing 493 households and also formed a Village Organization (VO) in Larkana and Qamber- Shahdadkot, districts.

Twelve (12) Program Introduction Dialogues were also conducted under the SUCCESS program funded by the European Union.



Mr. Massimo Canosa the European Union-(Consultant - Result Oriented Monitoring Mission) visited the Sindh rural Support organization (SRSO) from 14 to 16 November 2016.

DAY ONE:(November 14, 2016)

Mr Massimo Canosa arrived at SRSO Complex Sukkur on 14-Nov-2016. A meeting was arranged and Mr. Jamal Mustafa Shoro (Team Leader-SUCCESS) welcomed the guest ,gave a brief presentation about Sindh Rural Support Organization , its ongoing projects and steps taken towards community services. He also highlighted the support and activities undertaken with the support of Government of Sindh under the project Union Council based Poverty Reduction Program.During the comprehensive meeting the key elements of Community Invest Fund(CIF) / Income Generation Grant and Community Physical Infrastructure were discussed. Mr. Jamal Mustafa also presented the overall progress made so far under the SUCCESS Programme.

DAY TWO: (November 15, 2016)

Mr. Massimo along with Mr. Jamal Mustafa Shoro and Mr. Muzaffar Hussain (Manager M&E - SUCCESS) visited village Akil of UC Akil in the district Larkana where they attended the ongoing Community Management and Skill Training (CMST) and observed the training arrangements. A quick feedback was taken from community members by Mr. Massimo. The Additional Commissioner Larkana Mr. Abdul Qadeer Ansari also joined during this visit. Mr. Massimo accompanied with Additional Commissioner Larkana attended a routine meeting of Village Organization(VO) arranged by organized rural women in village Mohammad Islam Malgani of UC Baqapur @ Naich in Larkana, district. He interacted with organized women members and discussed their role, responsibilities and future plans of the Village Organization. At the end of the second day Mr. Massimo and Additional Commissioner Larkana attended a program introduction dialogue, it was organized in village Raza Muhammad Jagirani of UC Ratokot. He observed the entire process of program introduction and social mobilisation. He appreciated the work and team involved in the Success Program. The Chairman of the UC Ratokot and elected councilor of the village were also present in the PI dialogue.

DAY THREE: (November 16, 2016)

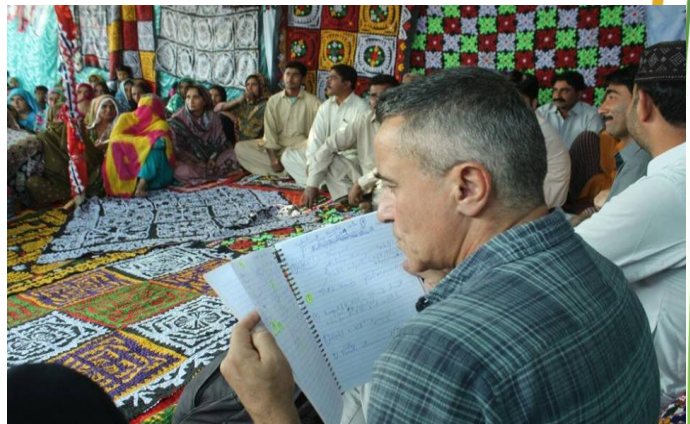
Mr. Massimo accompanied with CEO SRSO Mr. Mohammad Dittal Kalhoro and Mr. Jamal Mustafa Shoro visited village Umeed Ali Junejo of UC Jamali in the district Qamber - Shahdadkot. At this location, organized members of Village Organization have arranged a routine meeting of VO. He discussed with rural women about the existing activities of VO and future plans in light of SUCCESS program interventions.

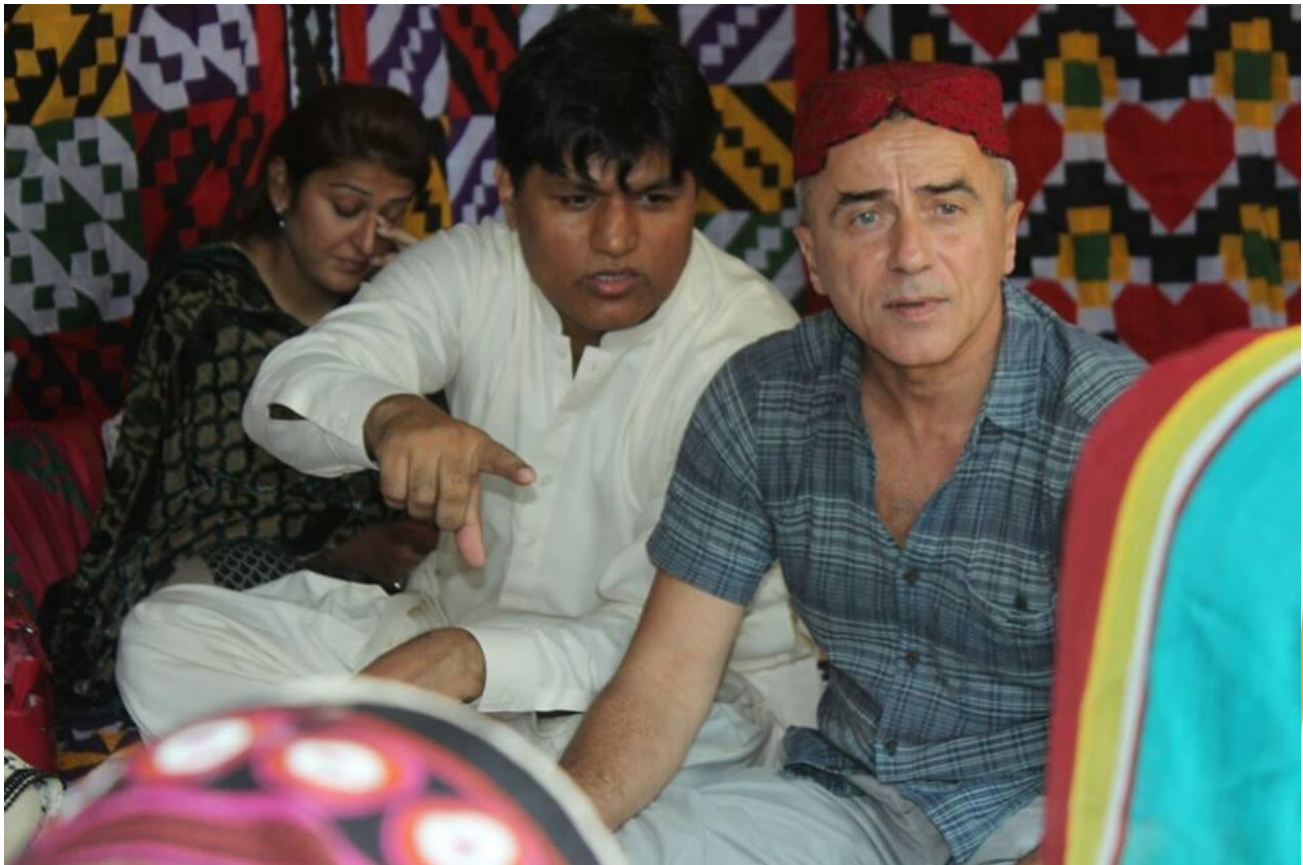
Mr. Massimo said that Women by and large bore the burden of poverty and he has observed the great potential among rural women which will help them to reduce poverty.

Followed by this visit, an important meeting was arranged with the Deputy Commissioner of the district Qamber-Shahdadkot , Mr. Mohammad Shahmir Bhutto. CEO SRSO Mr. Muhammad Dittal, Mr. Jamal Mustafa, District Chairman Mr. Mohammad Qasim Khoso and Mr. Asad Ali Jatoi (district manager - SRSO) were also part of this meeting. In this essential meeting, Mr. Massimo discussed the existing systems at the gross root levels, the role of women members in development. He broadly discussed the functions of joint development committees to be

formed and acceptability, adaptation by local Government institutions. Mr. Massimo underlined the need for effective mechanisms to channel the generated revenues, towards the improvement of infrastructure and the development of other programs that would be equally beneficial to the community.

After that Mr. Massimo, conducted a crucial meeting with staff working under the SUCCESS program, in order to check their comprehension in respect to their duties and the prescribed process for the SUCCESS program. He discussed all components of SUCCESS program (IGG / CIF / MHI /TVST / CPI & Training) individually and collectively with field staff. He also extracted the information on standard processes, procedures and methodologies outlined for the programme to be implemented in the field.







On 17-Nov-2016

Field monitoring visit of MCHIP delegation at Village Raees Bahadur Khan Mirani District Kashmir regarding the routine EPI.



On dated 17 November 2016 Meeting with Dr Hafeez Ahmed Siyal DC Kashmore along with MCHIP team regarding the routine EPI at District Kashmore - Kandhkot

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Visited EPI center Ghospur District Kashmore



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Health System Strengthening Project Day

MCHIP provincial team has had progress review at District SRSO Jacobabad office yesterday. Health, SRSO and MCHIP team extensively discussed and reviewed progress and planned effectively to achieve targets of vaccination, Children and Pregnant women in the district. SRSO team also had discussion on EPI activities with DSM-PPHI



SPORTS Week at Community Managed Cluster School

Social Services Sector arranged an extracurricular activity named as SPORTS week for community-managed schools in all networks.

Some Glimpses are following





BLF HelpAge OPA Meeting

The project team conducted a meeting at LSO Mehran office with OPA representatives regarding Kitchen gardening and Poultry follows ups.



LSO Kainat District Shikarpur office Construction

All local community institutes are working together to upstand and strengthen their LSO and now going for construction of LSO Office where they can conduct and gathered at one place for meeting, workshop and community hall for all villages.



LSO Sartyoon Sindh Shikarpur Meeting

An LSO routine meeting was conducted at VO Sain Dad Machi Union Council Chak, the meeting was chaired by DM-Shikarpur Mr. Abdul Latif Soomro and other SRSO officials along with All community institutes representatives participated.



Visit of Community Managed Cluster School by Unit Incharge Dakhan

MR. Muhammad Khan unit Incharge Taluka Garhi Yaseen (Dakhan) District Shikarpur visited community managed cluster school



CO & VO routine Meeting at District Shikarpur

SRSO Social Mobilisation team conducted different COs and VOs meeting of recovery and routine.



HCP-District Shikarpur

HCP Project team conducted different real-time monitoring meetings and CHWs at the community level of Community Support Groups.



DM-Shikarpur Meeting with UC Tapidar for Polio Refusal

DM Shikarpur conducted a polio refusal meeting UC tapidar on behalf of Mukhtiyarkar to facilitate them in polio campaign.



Manager M&E Paid Official Visit of PSC-Non refusal Villages

Manager M&E Head Office Mr. Naveed Ishaque Memon paid official visit regarding SUCCESS-Programme PSC component in the refusal villages and conducted meeting with different influential personalities of the village and briefly mobilise them about the SRSO Intervention and PSC purpose.

