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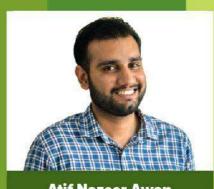
By the grace of Allah (SWT) we have been able to produce this publication for the year 2017-18 which comprises of our achievements, progression and adversities throughout the year. We would like to convey heartfelt gratitude to our generous donors and partners for their thoughtfulness and continuous support over the years.

We would also like to appreciate the efforts and input of our Board of Trustees and Dedicated Team which results as great attainment. Achieving this goal was of course not possible without the keen dedication of our teachers, volunteers, community elders, parents and diligent students.

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MISSION

Provide basic education to the underprivileged segments of the society

Inculcate ethical values and knowledge in order to develop sense of responsibility, ownership, and civic sense

To develop and encourage leadership qualities of Teachers as an asset for the community

VISION

To develop human resource; capable of meeting modern day challenges while drawing inspiration & guidance from Quran & Sunnah

CORE VALUES

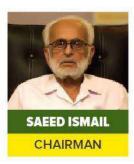
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Mutual respect
Ownership
Commitment



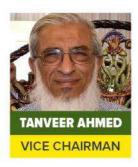
Green Crescent Trust (GCT) is a charity based NGO working in Sindh, Pakistan since 1995 for the Education of underprivileged children. Throughout this journey of 22 years, GCT endeavored to influence the deprived communities to send their children at schools and breathe knowledge in the future of our nation.

It is a pleasant sight to see a cluster of glowing faces carrying their dreams into the classrooms of the Hilal Public School System. No matter what color, race, or religion, we are devoted to education for all. Besides, we also deliver beyond education and believe in providing the basic amenities such as water to the needy people of Tharparkar and sustenance to the Orphan Children enrolled in our schools.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES



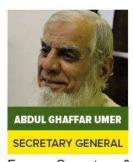
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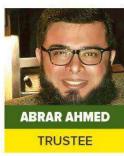
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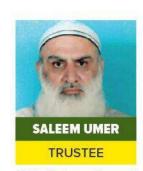
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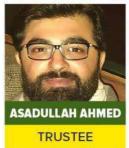
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Executive Director at Siddiq Shafi Group of Companies & Graduate of LUMS.

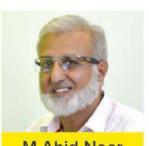
OUR TEAM

MESSAGE FROM COO

GCT strives to be one of the leading sustainable NGO with an intent vision. Pakistan is facing numerous social challenges in areas such as education & water. GCT is working on these challenges & creating positive & encouraging impact on the lives of several deserving ones.

In fact the Future lies in providing education, training, character building & personality development in totality. Since last 23 years, GCT's main focus has been providing basic education to those who need most. GCT has achieved many milestones while providing the quality education to under privilege youth of Sindh, which can only be done through trained & committed teachers & with the help of a well thought value based education system developed by GCT. By working together we will ensure richness of a life, available for the current generation & after.





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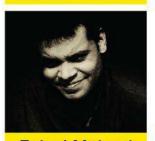
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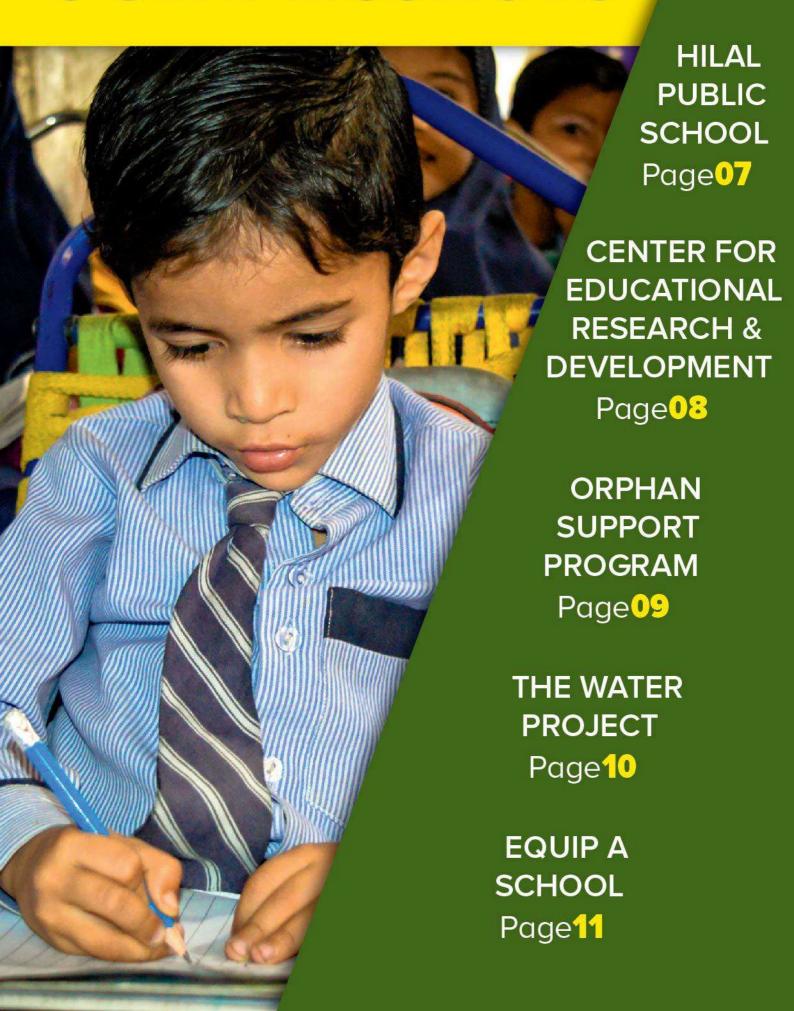


Ali Ahmed
Regional Manager



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OUR PROJECTS





165 Schools **33,000** Children*

*Subject to academic session 2017-18

The dream of educating the deprived yet precious children of Sindh began with initiation of only one Hilal Public School (HPS) and initial enrollment of only 65 students in the area of Gadap city, Karachi.

It was then when GCT visualized accomplishing its mission with continuous struggle and hard work and believed in the power of creating a team which caters to every aspect of this ongoing mission. GCT believes that together we can contribute in eradicating illiteracy and minimizing the number of out-of-school children.

OBJECTIVES

- Imparting Quality Education Through Formal Curriculum Based Teaching
- Nurturing Moral, Social, Ideological, Spiritual And Physical Upbringing Of Students
- Hygiene Awareness Among Students And Their Responsibilities Towards Environment
- Arrangement Of Professional Training And Personal Grooming Of Teachers
- Acquiring Assistance Of Communities For Spreading The Cause Of Education
- Encouraging Participation Of Communities And Specially Parents In School Activities
- Training Parents For Healthier And Moral Upbringing Of Students







1,300 HPS Teachers Trained

THOUSANDS

of Non-HPS Teachers Trained

Teacher education and development is a critical factor in improving teaching and learning process and students learning outcomes. Flaws in their skills, attitudes and behaviors can spoil the entire life of children. Intellectually stimulated, inspiring and informed teachers are the assets of any school in particular and community in general.

CERD's ultimate role is to build the capacity of teachers keeping in view the contemporary teaching and learning practices blended with Devine guidance. Envisioned; teachers and teacher educators as critical thinkers, reflective practitioners, researchers and life-long learners.

CERD enhances teachers' professional status and self-esteem through creating a sense of professionalism, building their professional knowledge base, professional networking competence and a repertoire of skills. Hence, CERD works in two domains:

- Professional development of teachers and teacher educators;
- Curriculum enrichment



Our teachers provide mentoring not only to the schools but the community at large. The network of development and consultancy is spread over from Karachi to Northern areas of Pakistan.

CERD have regular programs and need based outsource programs as well; recently Jolly Phonics and Educator's Development Institute (EDI) conducted workshops for our teachers. We would like to develop linkages and partnership with other people and organizations of the same cause.



Supporting **1,600**Vulnerable Children

GCT believes in the wellbeing of orphans who are most vulnerable group of our society. For this purpose GCT is actively playing its role in fulfilling the daily needs of around 1,600 orphans through Orphan Support Program. GCT ensures fulfillment of basic needs of these orphans including:

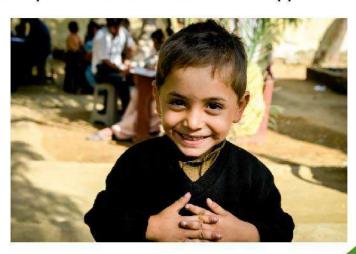
- Educational needs (Books, Stationery, Bags, Uniform, Shoes, etc.)
- Social needs (Ramadhan Ration, Eid ul Fitr, Eid ul Adha, etc.)
- Health & Sustenance needs (Medical Support, Hygiene Kit, etc.)

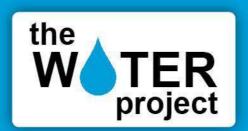
IMPACT

- Character building of orphans
- Enhanced encouragement among guardians
- Community development through education of orphans
- Improved psychosocial wellbeing of orphans
- Improved health & hygiene of orphans

We are truly grateful and thankful to our donors for their firm belief and confidence in our efforts to serve the vulnerable group of society. The tireless efforts of OSP Volunteers is also an example of true dedication and support.







430 Villages

120,000 Beneficiaries

Life in the Thar Desert depends on access to water, not just for the hardworking Tharis, but also for the cattle they raise for their livelihood. Young girls and their mothers often have to travel as many as 3 kilometers every day in scorching heat just to fetch one pot of drinking water for their families.

Access to water can change lives. Availability of Water means health, income and education for the entire village. With The Water Project by GCT, each village we engage gets their own well and a reliable source of water right outside their homes. Our Aim is to provide water to all 2,300 villages of Tharparkar.









Continuous Improvement of Hilal Public Schools' Infrastructure



GENERATOR 3.5 KV



SOLAR PANEL 2 KV



FURNITURE 150-200 Students



WATER CHILLER
150-200 Students



SANITATION 150-200 Students



COMPUTER LAB 35-40 Students



SMART CLASS 35-40 Students



LAPTOPFor School Admin



LIBRARY 150-200 Students

Green Crescent Trust believes in providing quality learning environment to its students. It is our utmost duty to provide fully furnished and richer education experience to these children.

Equip a School focuses on providing the facilities/equipment to each Hilal Public School. Donation(s) for these items can be in the form of cash or in-kind as per the description above

From One School to 165; 65 children to 33,000 today, GCT has progressed a long way. It was an informal but a passionate journey started by friends, who were fresh graduates from renowned institutions, about to join their family business. But the vision was long term. Along the 23 years journey, measures were taken to organize management on professional lines and results are in front of us. Yesterday's sapling is today one of the biggest NGO's working in Sindh in the field of Education. We bow on our heads in the gratefulness to Allah SWT that we see fruits of what we started.



MAKING SCHOOLS A REALITY

None of this could have been possible without your support as a Donor who believed in our work and have been our backbone all this time. We cannot miss to mention our Trustees, Selfless management team and Teachers who backed us up throughout. Response from local communities has been overwhelming and we are always surprised by level of enthusiasm expressed by parents and students to seek education even in the most underdeveloped and remote areas of our beloved province of Sindh.

-Zahid Saeed (CEO)



OUR PURPOSE -

INAUGURATION



WANGI GOTH

The First Purpose Built School of Green Crescent Trust, Hilal Public School Sohrab Khan Goth was inaugurated on 31st May 2016 in the presence of GCT's Management Committee and Respected Donor Mr. Sardar Muhammad Yasin Malik (Chairman, Hilton Pharma).

The Second Purpose Built School of Green Crescent Trust, Hilal Public School Wangi Goth was inaugurated on 21st January 2017 in the presence of GCT's Management Committee and Respected Donors Mr. Sardar Muhammad Yasin Malik and Family of Hasan Akhtar (Late).





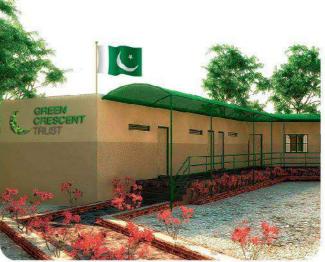




BUILT SCHOOLS

UPCOMING PROJECTS





MEHRAN TOWN -KARACHI

REHRI GOTH -KARACHI





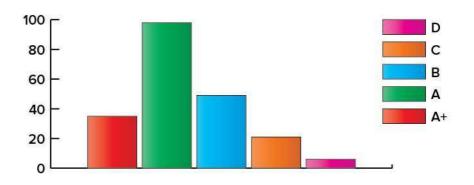
MITHI -THARPARKAR KHOSKI -BADIN

ACHIEVEMENTS



MATRICULATION RESULT'16

Grade	Students		
Α+	35		
Α	98		
В	49		
С	21		
D	6		



SATHA INNOVATION AWARD





Green Crescent Trust received SATHA Innovation Award for innovation of The Water Project in Tharparkar. It was an appreciation for positive & effective contribution to the society.

OUR STUDENTS OUR PRIDE



Huzaifa Mirza Malik, a student of 4th Class at Hilal Public School (Korangi), was the YOUNGEST Participant to reach Final Round of Talent Expo'16 (All Karachi Speech Competition). He received standing ovation when he was on stage. He also participated in All Pakistan Debating Championship at Jinnah Auditorium, City Court on account of Pakistan Day. He received token of appreciation for his splendid performances on both platforms.

RISING STARS

NAZISH JAMEEL

Nazish Jameel is a bright and shining star from HPS Korangi Campus 39 who passed her matriculation in 2014 with an "A" Grade. Her father died when she was very young. Her educational and sustenance needs were being fulfilled by Green Crescent Trust's Orphan Support Program (OSP). Her Teachers and Hilal Public School always supported and motivated her to continue further studies.

It was with their guideline and kind support that she was able to complete her Intermediate in Science. After her Intermediate she is now doing her B.A. and fulfilling her duties as a Teacher at Hilal Public School. Nazish is also a very good writer. Articles and poems written by her are published in magazines. She has also received many appreciation and souvenirs for her creative work.



WASI UR RAHMAN

Wasi Ur Rahman is an alumni of Hilal Public School who completed his matric in year 2015 with an A Grade. When he was 13 years he lost his father and faced many ups and downs in life. Yet he gave priority to his education and never mislaid focus to achieve his goals. Since childhood he had patriotism passion.

He believed that his passion can only be satisfied by joining Pakistan Army. After his matric he worked in a factory to earn for his further education. To fulfill his dream he gave test in Pak Army but failed twice. Yet he didn't lose hope and succeeded in his third attempt. Today he is a part of Pakistan Army and pride of GCT



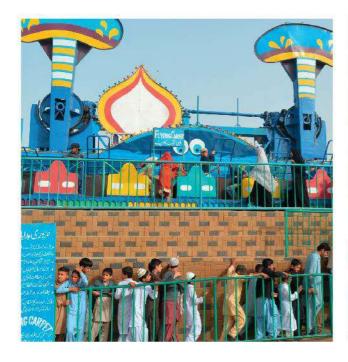
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OSP ANNUAL GALA'16

Orphan Support Program Annual Gala 2016 was held at Aladin Amusement Park on 7th January 2017. This event was an opportunity for orphan children to enjoy the amusing rides and have fun-filled time.

Zahid Saeed (CEO), Abdul Ghaffar Umer (Secretary General), & Faizan Jawed (Management Committee) were also present at the event. Moreover, appreciation Certificates were distributed among the Volunteers for their remarkable support and kind gesture towards the orphans.





HAPPENINGS





GCT VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

Green Crescent Trust believes that money is not the only way to contribute for a noble cause. We value your time and enthusiasm for serving the deprived community.

Under GCT Volunteer Program, Public Relations Team facilitated a group of students from SZABIST University to visit Hilal Public Schools and interact with the students who are gaining education regardless of their limitations and hardships

TESTIMONIAL

With Green Crescent Trust I had one of the most amazing experiences in the field of community service. Our mentors Mr. Qasim and Ms. Firdous were extremely helpful. The fact that these underprivileged children were so eager to get education even with limited resources made me think how we have not really valued the resources we have. Interacting with those children was best part of all. The idea that they all wanted to serve their country in future by becoming police official or going into army was very impressive.



-BUSHRA JUNEJO (STUDENT, SZABIST)

GCT BIDS FAREWELL TO ASIF SIDDIQUI

On 18th November, 2016 GCT bid Farewell to Director Schools Asif Hussain Siddiqui after his dedication and service to GCT for 19 years.





(In Picture 1 from left): Zahid Saeed (CEO) awarding certificate of recognition to Asif Hussain Siddiqui. (In Picture 2 from left): Abdul Ghaffar Umer (Secretary General), Shameem Pasha (Trustee), Saad Zia (Trustee) presenting Award to Asif Siddiqui.

MINARET MODEL SCHOOL





Minaret Model School opened its doors in August 1991 with a vision to unleash children's innate potential and nurture to its fullest. It is a project of Green Crescent Trust that is targeted to cater educational needs of the middle class society.

Minaret Model School plans to expand its campuses in various areas in near future. Its mission is holistic development of children through a comprehensive curriculum that enable them to create positive change in their circle of influence. 7,400 STUDENTS

FROM BEING OUT OF SCHOOL AGAIN Three years ago, Green Crescent Trust signed an agreement with Education Fund for Sindh (EFS) to open 37 schools and enroll 7,400 out of school children. This project was funded by EFS and within a year GCT was successful to open schools in the MOST DEPRIVED LOCALITIES OF SINDH.

Unfortunately EFS had to shut down its operations & sponsorship of all the schools last year. But GCT decided to continue. GCT RESOURCES ARE UNDER EXTREME STRESS TO MAINTAIN THESE SCHOOLS AND THE DROPOUTS CAN ONLY BE SAVED FROM YOUR GENEROUS DONATIONS.

WE NEED YOUR HELP TO SAVE 7,400 FROM BEING OUT OF SCHOOL AGAIN



OUR REACH



HOW TO DONATE?

CHEQUE OR PAY ORDER

Make cross cheque(s) or pay order(s) favoring "Green Crescent Trust' and after making donation(s) please email the following details at email id **gct@gct.org.pk**

- a) Name
- b) Address
- c) Contact Number
- d) Email Id
- e) Type of Donation (Zakaat or General Donation)

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You can deposit your Donation(s) or Zakaat in the following bank accounts of Green Crescent Trust:

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Branch	Lakhani Center Karachi Main Branch	FTC Branch	Shaheed-E- Millat Road Branch	Shaheed-E- Millat Road Branch	Hassan Square Branch
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