### SOS Children's Village Multan

In the Month of June:	2024
Total Strength of Children (Village):	147
Total Strength of Children (Youth Home):	57
Total Strength of Children (Children's Home):	59

#### Summer Internship Program (Reading Buddy):

The SOS Children's Village has launched the "Reading Buddy" volunteer program, tailored for school and college students. Participants commit 2 to 2.5 hours daily, aiming to complete a total of 40 hours. During their service, volunteers engage with children at the SOS Village, fostering enrichment through reading and writing activities. This initiative not only supports educational development during summer vacations but also cultivates meaningful interactions and mentorship opportunities between volunteers and children.



#### Eid-ul-Adha Celebration:

The SOS Children's Village celebrated Eid-ul-Adha with great enthusiasm. Mrs. Mahnaz Fareed Sheikh, Executive Vice President of SOS Children's Villages Pakistan, joined the festivities at the Multan village. Together with her family, she participated in Eid prayers and engaged in activities like singing. The village community gathered for the Qurbani ceremony, offering prayers before the sacrifice of goats and cows over three days. Meat from the Qurbani was distributed among all children's homes, enriching their Eid experience with delicious food, movie nights, juices, snacks, and a concluding BBQ party, ensuring a joyous and memorable celebration for everyone.



#### Visit to DHA Multan Cinema:

During Eid-ul-Adha, the children of SOS Children's Village Multan were invited to a special movie screening at DHA Multan's cinema. Divided into two groups, the children enjoyed the screening accompanied by snacks and entertainment, thanks to the generous initiative by the Project Director. This outing provided the children with a memorable Eid celebration, enhancing their festive spirit and offering a delightful break from their routine.



#### BBQ at SOS Children's Village Multan:

SOS Children's Village Multan organized a delightful BBQ event for the village children, featuring a variety of BBQ dishes that added a flavorful dimension to their Eid celebrations. The evening continued with a fun-filled movie night, complemented by juices and snacks, doubling the festive joy for all attendees. This well-organized event not only tantalized their taste buds but also created a memorable and enjoyable experience, making Eid even more special for everyone involved.



#### *Visit of the University of Education:*

The University of Education conducted a two-day visit to SOS Children's Village Multan, involving 300 students participating in the Assess English Program supported by the American Embassy. Designed for children aged 13-20, the program included tours of SOS facilities such as the Village, Youth Home, and Children's Home Multan. The university students generously donated stationery supplies on the first day and provided lunches for the children on the second day, fostering meaningful interaction and offering valuable resources and support to enhance their educational experiences.



#### Counselling Session with Mrs. Rubina Arshad:

Mrs. Rubina Arshad, an executive committee member, conducted an insightful online counselling session for 9th and 10th-grade students at SOS Children's Village Multan. She provided valuable guidance on setting goals and taking consistent steps towards achieving them, using numerous real-life examples to illustrate her points. The session concluded with an engaging question-and-answer segment, fostering a safe environment where students felt encouraged to express their concerns and seek advice. Her empathetic approach and professional expertise left a lasting impact, supporting the emotional well-being and personal development of the students.



# Youth Counselling Session by Pakistan Rising Star Multan Chapter:

Pakistan Rising Star Multan Chapter conducted an impactful youth counselling session at SOS Children's Village Multan, focusing on character building and conflict management. The session, led by dedicated experts, provided practical strategies and relatable real-life examples, ensuring students could benefit effectively. A dynamic question-and-answer segment allowed students to express their concerns and seek personalized advice. The empathetic and professional approach of the facilitators significantly contributed to the students' emotional well-being and personal growth, adding valuable support to our efforts in holistic youth development.



## **SOS Multan Institute of Technology**

Strength DAE Students (including SOS students):	131
Strength of SOS Students (DAE & Vocational):	14
Strength of PSDF Students:	390
Strength of NAVTTC Students:	40
Strength of TEVTA short course Students:	34
Total Strength:	609

#### **PSDF Final Exams:**

In June 2024, the final exams for the PSDF's short courses in Digital Marketing, Web Designing, Home Appliance Repair, Mobile Phone Repair, and Hybrid Mobile Phone Repair were held. The exams, covering both theoretical and practical aspects, took place on the 27th and 29th of June. These examinations were supervised by a designated PSDF assessor to ensure fairness and accuracy in evaluation.



#### Final Examination of NAVTTC Trades:

The final examination for NAVTTC's Web Designing trade, encompassing both Morning and Evening classes, was conducted on June 6, 2024. The exams were held under the supervision of senior assessors to ensure thorough and fair evaluation.

