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From The Founder's Desk

Dear Friends,

I want to thank all of you on behalf of the Jawahar family for the appreciation and support you have shown to my initiative Jawahar Foundation. Your appreciation has further motivated me to continue striving with even more enthusiasm. I envision a day when both Ajmer and Bhilwara districts will be self-reliant in all aspects and will be comparable to the finest smart cities in our nation.

The Swabhiman Bhoj kitchen in Bhilwara, which was inaugurated on 16th August 2021, has been running quite successfully attracting an increasing number of people each passing week. We are even considering expanding the daily capacity of the kitchen to accommodate the demand. The community kitchen- Swabhiman Bhoj, is providing meals in Re 1 to the labour, the needy, and all kinds of workers, families, and travellers. We will continue to feed and nourish the hungry and the poor through such kitchens.

Continuing with our intended plan of action, we are launching two more kitchens under the Swabhiman Bhoj umbrella in Ajmer and Banswara, soon.

In September, we reopened our technology literacy centres in several areas of Ajmer and have received over 1,500 student enrolments out of which 40% are girls. These centres will provide education and certification to make the youth of Rajasthan more employable.

While the foundation continues to do its bit, I request all of you to come forward and help the deserving in whatever capacity you can. Let's help others who are less fortunate or underprivileged.



Riju Jhunjhunwala





Health & Sanitization

The foundation believes in facilitating access to health for all. Since health and sanitization are indispensable in the COVID times, the foundation aims to help ensure that people of Ajmer and Bhilwara receive all available medical aid to mitigate any panic health situation, while they continuously fight the pandemic via informed individual prevention methods.



Food Security

Food security is the fundamental right of every living being. The Jawahar Foundation strives to provide meals to the hungry and the needy in Re 1. It endeavours to serve quality food and nourishment through various city-wide campaigns and community kitchens.



Education

Education is key to a growing society. In order to further the development of Ajmer and Bhilwara, robust measures to ensure continued education for students are much needed. The foundation hopes to financially support young dreams and encourage pursuing higher education. For this, scholarship schemes will be introduced to promote academics as well as sports.



Employment Generation

The foundation seeks to create an entrepreneurial environment by upskilling the youth through its numerous skill learning centres. The aim is to encourage the rise of young independent youth in Ajmer and Bhilwara.

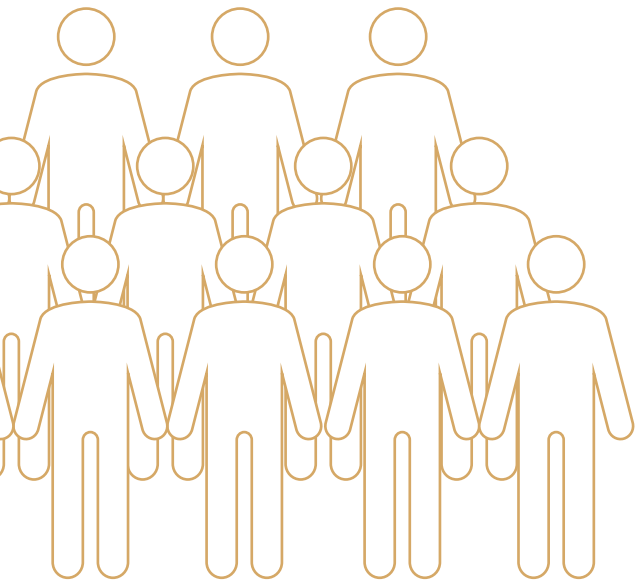


Water Availability

The foundation seeks to mobilize the adaptation and establishment of rainwater harvesting, check dams, and water treatment plants in the region. And will strive to ensure a steady water supply substantially reducing the cities' dependency on water tankers.

Month in Review

Work done during the month of September'21



15,000+

people served in 45 days
through **Swabhiman
Bhoj** at Bhilwara

Swabhiman Bhoj
Becomes A **Midday
Meal** Stop For Children



**Beti Bachao Beti
Padhao**

Campaign At The Visually-
impaired Girls' School

COVID Safety Kits
Distributed In Old
Age Homes



Travel
Sponsored For
Paralympic Athlete

We Support: “Beti Bachao Beti Padhao” Campaign at The Visually-impaired Girls’ School- Ladli Home



Jawahar Foundation’s team showed their support to the *Beti Bachao Beti Padhao* program at the Ladli Home for blind girls in Ajmer. Under the COVID awareness campaign run by the foundation we regularly spread knowledge on prevention and hygiene amongst the general population in Rajasthan. The young girls at the centre were educated and encouraged to follow public safety

measures. The foundation also donated COVID safety kits and food packets to all the students.

The team also distributed food packets to Rajasthan Eligibility Examination for Teachers (REET) examination participants in Ajmer. REET was held on 16th September and 16 lakh candidates across the state appeared.



Ajmer, Rajasthan



COVID Safety Kits Distributed At Old Age Home- Apna Ghar



The elderly people often become the most neglected section of the society. However, they are the most in need of care during the deadly COVID pandemic plaguing the world. With this thought, the foundation members accompanied by members of Distt. Legal Aid Authority reached at Apna Ghar to spend time with the elderly. The program was attended by Additional District Judge, Session Court, Ajmer, Ramlal Jaat and he shared his view of

being in service to humans is equivalent to being in service to God. He also called out to social service organisations to come forward and aid the needy and the differently-abled.

Jawahar Foundation's coordinator Rajendra Goyal and Shiv Kumar Bansal donated Corona Safety Kits which included pulse oximeters, masks, gloves, and sanitizers. This was followed by distribution of fruits amongst the hermitage residents.



Ajmer, Rajasthan

Bhilwara Bhojanalaya Feeds 15k Meals In Just 45 Days



The first in a series, Swabhiman Bhoj's kitchen in Bhilwara is operating above capacity every day to cater to the daily queue of people. As the word is spreading, people are getting their children, friends, coworkers, and the destitute to the location. Building goodwill on food quality and portion

size, the program is serving people from all sections of the society and not just the underprivileged. This is a unique characteristic since traditionally, people from well off backgrounds usually did not feel comfortable eating amongst the poor.



Bhilwara, Rajasthan



Swabhiman Bhoj Becomes A Midday Meal Stop For Children



In the last 6 weeks, the kitchen has received an increasing number of kids aged 4 to 17 years. These kids usually come from extremely challenged backgrounds. Hence, they must work petty jobs to make ends meet. In the children's foundational years, nutrition and hunger must be met to ensure healthy growth. Swabhiman Bhoj has become a reliable source for

this. A kid who polishes shoes after school said, *"I earn 3,000 rupees a month and spent 1,000 rupees on food itself. Now, I don't have to worry!"*

The Swabhiman Bhoj initiative was earmarked with the mission to feed the hungry at an extremely affordable price of Re 1 per meal.




Bhilwara, Rajasthan

Digital Literacy Centres Enroll 1,500 Students



Jawahar Foundation re-opened the seven digital literacy centres in Ajmer after the pandemic. These centres aim to supplement government school children's computer literacy by way of short-term programs focused on practical learnings instead of just theoretical knowledge.

These centres have a 30 hour program that provides basic knowledge of computer hardware and software and trains students in using MS Office and making digital transactions in their daily lives. Currently, over 1,500 students are enrolled in the seven centres across Ajmer in Rajasthan.

 Ajmer, Rajasthan



Travel Sponsored For Paralympic Athlete Ravi Banjara



Ravi Banjara from Ajmer made it to the World Volleyball Paralympic Championship for which the qualifying match was hosted by Iran. To encourage sportsmanship among physically disabled, foundation sponsored sponsoring the travel and lodging expenses amounting to Rs 1.5 lac. The foundation helped Ravi fulfil his dreams.

Jawahar Foundation took this opportunity to encourage students to go beyond academics and push themselves for sports. The cheque of Rs 1.5 lac was presented by Health Minister of Rajasthan Dr Raghu Sharma to Ravi Banjara.



IN THE NEWS

लाडली घर आश्रम में हुआ बेटी बचाओ, बेटी पढ़ाओ कार्यक्रम के तहत जागरूकता अभियान का आयोजन

स्वयंसेवी संस्थाएं खेल प्रतिभाओं को दें बढ़ावा
चिकित्सा मंत्री ने अंतरराष्ट्रीय खिलाड़ी को चैक सौंपा और दी शुभकामनाएं

वृद्धाश्रम में भेंट किये कोरोना सेफ्टी किट, नर सेवा नारायण सेवा है, कहा अतिरिक्त जिला एवं सत्र न्यायाधीश जाट ने

“स्वाभिमान भोजनशाला” दे रही आमजन को राहत

रीट परीक्षार्थियों को फूड पैकेट का वितरण

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