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Greetings!

It seems like 2022 had just begun and we are already halfway into it! Thank you for being our rock and support as always and for enabling us to accomplish so much good in just six months! Read on for news from the ground and the impact your support made in June!



There's still time to make Qurbani and Sadaqah contributions!

There is still time to make Eid-ul-Adha sweeter for countless

deserving individuals. The last time many of these people enjoyed meat was probably at the last Eid. You can also reap the reward of giving charity during these blessed days of Dhul-Hijjah by automating your donations. Qurbani donations will be accepted until Friday July 8th, 5 pm ET.

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Rangpur Clinic starts emergency care and hosts food distribution

OBAT's Rangpur Clinic is located by a main road and receives many victims of road accidents. These people have to usually seek primary care from hospitals that are located in far off areas.

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700 food packages distributed to flood victims

Constant and deadly rain has ravaged the region of Sylhet and Sunamganj in Bangladesh. People are marooned, starving and without shelter. Power and network outages have hampered communication and left people stranded in flood waters.

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Environment Fair Creates Awareness and Interest on World Environment Day

An Environment Fair was organized by OBAT's Ferozeshah School students on June 5th. The day has been designated by the United Nations to create awareness of our actions on our environment. Students presented different projects on noise, water and air pollution, use of dustbins, petroleum and natural gas creation using polythene and plastic.

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OBAT' s advisor visits various programs in Bangladesh

Mr. Aftab Iqbal assumes many roles in OBAT's Family. He is an advisor, a donor, a friend, a mentor and much more. Mr. Iqbal has visited the camps many times. During June, he and his wife, Mrs. Nadra Iqbal, visited the camps again and have been touring different cities and projects of OBAT.

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OBAT' scholarship student among 5% of candidates

to qualify for admission into nursing school

Nahid has been a scholarship student of OBAT since grade 11. Her mother struggled to raise and educate her 3 daughters by selling clothes door to door. Nahid's sister is also a scholarship student of OBAT.

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International Widows' Day draws attention to their plight

Many residents of the camps are elderly widows- women who have lost their partners and support in their twilight years. Widowhood compounds the problems they normally face due to their destitution. Not only do they lose financial support, widows face loneliness and other issues created by societal stigmas and discriminatory laws.



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Visit us & volunteer at OBAT's booth in APPNA convention

OBAT Helpers is looking forward to meeting many old and new friends at the APPNA convention and raise awareness for its programs for vulnerable communities in Bangladesh.



OBAT welcomed new friends at NABC conference

The Cultural Association of Bangladesh in the US celebrated its golden jubilee by organizing the North American Bengali Conference in Las Vegas during July 1st-3rd 2022.

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