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GOVERNMENT OF KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA

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ABOUT US



The Directorate of Youth Affairs is a pivotal department dedicated to the holistic empowerment of youth across Khyber Pakhtunkhwa. With a multifaceted approach, it strives to enhance the economic, social, and political standing of young individuals aged between 16 to 29 years.

Committed to fostering a conducive environment for youth development, the Directorate operates through a network of 35 offices, strategically located in each district of the province. These offices serve as accessible hubs for engaging with youth, addressing their concerns, and implementing targeted initiatives.





OUR VISION

The Directorate of Youth Affairs, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa was established as an independent Directorate in 2017. The Purpose of the Directorate Establishment is to:

- Youth Rights (Health, Decision Making, Political/Civic Participation, Marginalized & Minorities youth etc.)
- Youth activism and volunteerism plays important role in engagement of youth in peace building and conflict transformation processes, inclusion of marginalized & minorities youth in main streamline.
- Personality grooming, Community engagement & development (Sports & Extracurricular activities, Volunteerism, Entrepreneurship, Hassle Free Loan, Internship, On Campus Job & Job Placement).

OUR MISSION

To create an enabling environment in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa by providing them equitable opportunities to realize their full potential in a safe, secure, conducive and congenial environment, working for a devepoed and progressive Pakistan.

Monthly Progress Report for the Month of August 2025

Directorate of Youth Affairs,
Khyber Pakhtunkhwa





MESSAGES

Chief Minister Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

ALI AMIN KHAN GANDAPUR



CM Message for Youth

The youth represent not only the most productive segment of society but also the most innovative, enterprising, and optimistic dimension, both are crucial for shaping our present and future performance in achieving exclusive growth.

The Khyber Pakhtunkhwa is committed to creating an enabling environment and engaging youth in social, economic, and political processes. As a primary state government representative, I will spare no effort to pave the way for equitable and enhanced access to quality education, skill development and training, employment opportunities, technology, entrepreneurship, health, and well-being.

ADMINISTRATIVE HEADS



We are convinced that when the youth is economically hopeful, socially responsive and thoroughly engaged in the affairs of our state society; it would give us the leverage to reap dividends of a growing number of youth amidst us and to contribute to the national development. Our growth is directly linked with the well-being of our youth.

Syed Fakhar Jahan
Minister
Sports & Youth Affairs, KP



I encourage the youth of the province to explore the variety of programs and initiatives offered by the Directorate of Youth Affairs ranging for financial empowerment to effective engagement at community level and to actively participate in shaping the future of our nation. Your voices, ideas, and contributions bears utmost significance in bringing positive change and building a vibrant tomorrow for Pakistan.

Mr. Saadat Hassan
Secretary
Sports & Youth Affairs Department,
KP

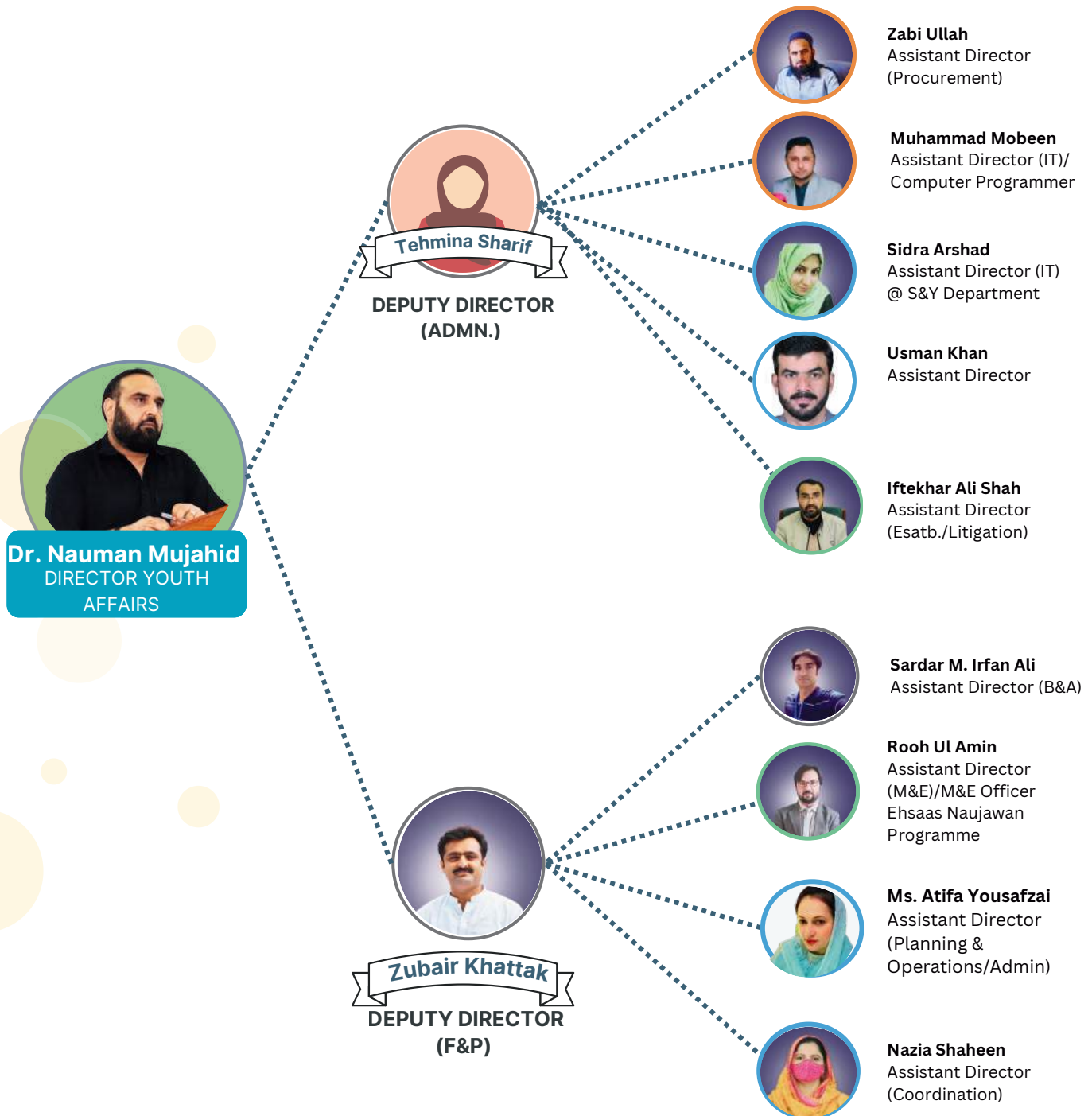


Youth are a source of support and strength for the socioeconomic uplift of both the province and the country at large. The organization aims to encourage young people to believe in themselves, take initiatives, and work as a team. By striving to create a safe, prosperous, and inspiring environment, we hope to achieve these objectives and foster positive change.

Dr. Nauman Mujahid
Director
Youth Affairs Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

OUR TEAM

ORGANOGRAM OF DIRECTORATE OF YOUTH AFFAIRS



Directorate of Youth Affairs,
Khyber Pakhtunkhwa





Ongoing Projects

YOUTH DEVELOPMENT PACKAGE

The Youth Development Package is an endeavor, designed to equip young people with the skills, resources, and opportunities necessary to thrive in today's dynamic landscape. Through various capacity-building programs, vocational training initiatives, and entrepreneurial support schemes, this project seeks to unlock the potential of the youth population, enabling them to contribute meaningfully to society and the economy



ESTABLISHMENT OF JAWAN MARAKIZ

Additionally, the Directorate is actively involved in the establishment of Youth Facilities in settled and Merged Districts (MDs) and in recognition of the unique challenges and opportunities faced by youth in the districts. By providing essential infrastructure, educational resources, entrepreneurship development and incubation boots, IT Labs, Digital Library, Career counseling centers, Microfinancing facility, District youth convention centers and recreational amenities, this initiative aims to create inclusive spaces where young people can connect, learn, and grow.



EHSAAS NAUJAWAN PROGRAMME

The Directorate successfully launched the Ehsaas Noujawan Rozgar Scheme, a transformative initiative aimed at enhancing youth engagement and promoting enterprise development. The scheme, inaugurated by Chief Minister Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Mr. Ali Amin Khan Gandapur, on 7th November 2024, has since gained momentum through collaborative partnerships, innovative training modules and targeted interventions.



Ehsaas Naujawan Programme Highlights

Featuring Key
Updates,
Achievements &
Inspiring Youth Stories

**EHSAAS NAUJAWAN
PROGRAMME PROGRESS**



COMPONENT I: BANK OF KHYBER (1.0–5.0 MILLION PKR)

Release/Utilization of Funds As of 31 August 2025

- Total Allocation for FY 2024-25: **Rs. 500 million**
- Total Allocation for CFY 2025-26: **Rs. 500 million**
- Total Funds Released: **Rs. 600 million**

Progress Overview:

-  Total Applications Received: **13,532**
-  Applications Declined: **10,821**
-  Applications in Process: **2,504**
-  Loans Approved: **241 (Amount: Rs. 608.8 m)**
-  Loans Disbursed: **154 (Amount: Rs. 440 m)**

EHSAAS NAUJAWAN PROGRAMME PROGRESS








COMPONENT II: AKHUWAT ISLAMIC MICROFINANCE (0.1–0.5 MILLION PKR)

Release/Utilization of Funds As of 31 August 2025

- Total Allocation for FY 2024-25: **Rs. 500 million**
- Total Allocation for CFY 2025-26: **Rs. 1000 million**
- Total Funds Released: **Rs. 800 million**

Progress Overview:

-  Total Applications Received: **7,365**
-  Loans Approved: **4,820**
-  Applications Declined: **851**
-  Applications In Process: **1,694**
-  Amount Approved & Disbursed : **Rs. 808.23 million**
-  Amount Recovered: **Rs. 63.10 million**
-  Outstanding Loan Portfolio: **Rs. 707.24 million**

Directorate Sponsored Events

YOUM-E-ISTEHSAAAL OBSERVED WITH SOLIDARITY FOR KASHMIR



On 5th August 2025, Youm-e-Istehsaal was observed with deep solemnity to mark six years since India's unilateral abrogation of Article 370, which revoked the special status of Jammu & Kashmir. The program commenced with one minute of silence in solidarity with Kashmiri martyrs, followed by an impactful lecture by the Director Youth Affairs highlighting the historical background, human rights violations, and the Kashmiris' ongoing struggle against illegal occupation. Later, a solidarity rally was held where participants raised powerful slogans supporting Kashmir's freedom and condemning Indian atrocities. The event reaffirmed unity with Kashmiris and urged global action for justice and self-determination.

MINORITY DAY CELEBRATION



On 11th August 2025, the Directorate of Youth Affairs Khyber Pakhtunkhwa organized a dignified ceremony to celebrate Minority Day, highlighting interfaith harmony and inclusion. The program began with recitation from the Holy Bible and a prayer, followed by national songs and tableaux performed by children from Landi Kotal. Director Youth Affairs, Dr. Nauman Mujahid, emphasized minority rights and shared departmental initiatives. Representatives of Akhuwat Islamic Institute briefed participants on the Ehsaas Naujawan Program and its special quota for minorities. Chief Guest Ex-MPA Wilson Wazir addressed the gathering, while a cake-cutting and closing prayer by Pastor Jamil Matti concluded the ceremony.

YOUTH ECO DRIVE 2025



The Youth Eco Drive 2025, a collaborative effort between the Daastan Club and the Directorate of Youth Affairs, took place from August 8-10, 2025, in the picturesque setting of Khanaspur, Ayubia. This 3-day event brought together 75 enthusiastic young participants from across Pakistan, including Lahore, Islamabad, Faisalabad, and Peshawar. Honored by the presence of DIG Islamabad, Shakir Hussain Dawar, as Chief Guest, the program featured inspiring speakers who interacted with the youth. The event's dynamic agenda included a Culture Night, painting sessions, skill-building workshops, and a plantation drive, fostering a perfect blend of learning, creativity, and environmental action.

3-DAY YOUTH PEACE CONFERENCE IN GALIYAT



The Directorate of Youth Affairs, in collaboration with Grow-Up (a youth-led organization), organized a three-day Youth Peace Conference in Galiyat, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, from August 8–10, 2025. The conference brought together dynamic young leaders for training in leadership, peacebuilding, climate change, and innovative problem-solving. Alongside intensive workshops and panel discussions, participants engaged in cultural exchanges, musical performances, and interactive sessions, fostering unity and creativity. This initiative provided a vibrant platform for capacity-building and collaboration, equipping youth with essential skills to promote peace, address contemporary challenges, and contribute to sustainable community development across Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and beyond.

INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY 2025



The Directorate of Youth Affairs commemorated International Youth Day 2025 with remarkable enthusiasm at Batakundi, Naran, on August 12. The global theme, Local Youth Actions for the SDGs and Beyond, underscored the vital role of young people in transforming international commitments into community-driven realities. The celebration provided a platform to highlight the significance of empowering youth in leadership, decision-making, and local development initiatives. Through engaging discussions and activities, participants reflected on the contributions of young people in advancing peace, sustainability, and innovation.

International Youth Day recognizes the efforts of youth in shaping stronger societies and addressing global challenges. In Pakistan, where over 60% of the population comprises youth, this day carried added importance, emphasizing the power of youth leadership in achieving the Sustainable Development Goals. The event reinforced the message that investing in young people's potential is essential for building a resilient, inclusive, and progressive future.

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION AT IQRA NATIONAL UNIVERSITY



Directorate of Youth Affairs, in collaboration with Iqra National University, organized a graceful Independence Day ceremony in Peshawar. Provincial Minister Syed Fakhar Jehan, Director Dr. Nauman Mujahid, and Vice Chancellor Dr. Malik Taimur Ali attended. A cake-cutting ceremony marked the occasion. The minister stressed youth's role in national progress, while Dr. Nauman highlighted the department's mission of empowering youth, especially in merged districts through historic loan schemes, ensuring a strong and prosperous Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and Pakistan. Distinguished guests praised the initiatives of the Directorate for creating platforms where young people can actively contribute to national growth. The event concluded with a pledge to strengthen unity, resilience, and youth participation in building the future of the country.



78TH INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION AT PESHAWAR SPORTS COMPLEX



The 78th Independence Day of Pakistan was celebrated with great zeal and enthusiasm at Peshawar Sports Complex, organized jointly by the Directorate of Sports, Youth Affairs, and the Department of Tourism & Culture. The colorful ceremony was graced by Provincial Minister for Sports and Youth Affairs Syed Fakhar Jehan, Minister for Public Health Pukhtoon Yar Khan, Director General Sports, and Director Youth Affairs Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, along with a large gathering of citizens. The program featured a wide range of engaging activities, including cultural and recreational performances, reflecting the spirit of patriotism and unity. Families, youth, and community members enthusiastically participated, showcasing their love for the country. The highlight of the evening was a grand fireworks display that lit up the sky, adding to the festive atmosphere. The event concluded as a memorable celebration of national pride, unity, and solidarity, leaving a lasting impression on all participants.

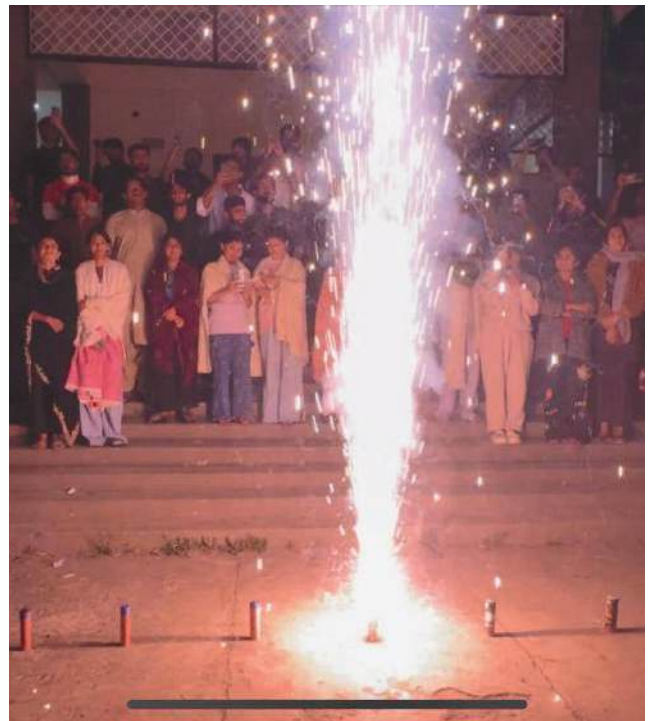
78TH INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION AT PESHAWAR SPORTS COMPLEX



78TH INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATED AT BATAKUNDI YOUTH HOSTEL, NARAN



The 78th Independence Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm at Batakundi Youth Hostel, Naran, where youth and visitors gathered in a vibrant patriotic atmosphere, showcasing unity, national pride, and the spirit of freedom.



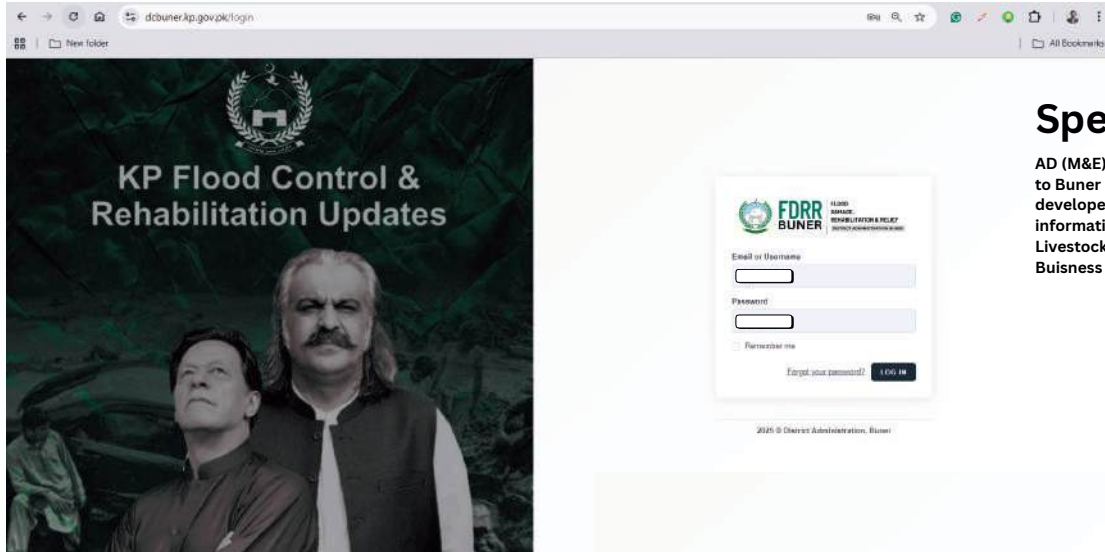
RELIEF EFFORTS FOR FLOOD-AFFECTED AREAS IN KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA

In the wake of recent floods across Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, the Directorate of Youth Affairs, under the guidance of Provincial Minister for Sports and Youth Affairs Syed Fakhar Jehan, has been at the forefront of relief and rehabilitation efforts. Director Youth Affairs Dr. Nauman Mujahid personally visited the worst-hit areas of Swat, Shangla, and Buner, where he supervised distribution of essential relief items including cooked food, clean drinking water, and mosquito nets. Alongside District Youth Officers (DYO) and dedicated youth volunteers, ration packages and water supplies were delivered to hundreds of affected families.

On August 16, over 800 people received cooked food, water, and essential supplies, while the following day an additional 600 beneficiaries were reached in collaboration with Akhuwat Islamic Institute. Volunteer camps were established in Swat, Buner, Battagram, Mansehra, and Shangla. These initiatives reflect the Directorate's commitment to standing with the people in difficult times and empowering youth to lead humanitarian action.



RELIEF EFFORTS FOR FLOOD-AFFECTED AREAS IN KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA



Special Initiative

AD (M&E), Mr. Rooh Ul Amin, was deputed to Buner in the wake of Flood. He developed Web App in 3 days for victims information, such as Death Toll, Injured, Livestock, Agriculture, Infrastructure and Business Damaged.



SECRETARY'S INTRODUCTORY VISIT TO DIRECTORATE OF YOUTH AFFAIRS



On August 26, 2025, the newly posted Secretary, Mr. Saadat Hassan, paid his first official visit to the Directorate of Youth Affairs. He was warmly welcomed by Director Dr. Nauman Mujahid, after which an introductory session was organized in the Conference Room. The Secretary introduced himself and engaged with officers, who shared their professional roles and responsibilities within the Directorate. Dr. Mujahid then delivered a comprehensive presentation, highlighting the Directorate's history, mandate, organizational structure, human resources, and core functions. He also outlined ongoing initiatives aimed at empowering youth across the province. Appreciating the Directorate's efforts and vision, Mr. Saadat Hassan assured his full cooperation and pledged continued support to further strengthen youth-focused policies and programs in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.

Directorate of Youth Affairs,
Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

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District Youth Offices Events



Sponsored

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE HANGU



KASHMIR EXPLOITATION DAY

A dignified ceremony was held at the DC Office Hangu to mark Kashmir Exploitation Day. DYO Razaullah Wazir and his staff participated in the event, which included a flag-hoisting ceremony and a solidarity walk to express unity with Kashmiris and protest Indian actions in occupied Jammu and Kashmir.



NATIONAL MINORITIES DAY

District Youth Office Hangu celebrated National Minorities Day with minority communities. Officials assured equal citizenship and rights, while youth were encouraged to contribute to national progress, with a commitment to address community issues on priority.



INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY

District Youth Office Hangu, in collaboration with KUST Hangu Campus, organized International Youth Day. Youth actively participated in activities reflecting freedom and truth, with officials emphasizing empowerment, engagement, and appreciation for collaborative efforts.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE HANGU



ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION

District Youth Office Hangu organized an essay writing competition at UST Hangu Campus under official directives. Students from UST and Wisdom College participated, while officials emphasized youth empowerment and appreciated the efforts in celebrating International Youth Day.



URDU SPEECH COMPETITION

An Urdu speech competition was organized at UST Hangu Campus under official directives. Students from various institutions participated, while distinguished guests emphasized youth involvement in national development during the Independence and Battle for Truth celebrations.



INDEPENDENCE RALLY

A rally was organized at UST Hangu Campus on Independence and Battle for Truth. Officials and students actively participated, raising patriotic slogans, pledging sacrifices for freedom, and concluding with prayers for the country's peace and prosperity.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE HANGU



ART AND DRAWING COMPETITION

An art and drawing competition was organized at UST Hangu Campus under official directives. Students participated enthusiastically, with officials and youth leaders highlighting empowerment, creativity, and active engagement during the Independence and Battle for Truth celebrations.



DC HANGU CYCLE RACE

The first-ever Deputy Commissioner Hangu Cycle Race was held under district administration on Independence and Battle for Truth celebrations. Cyclists enthusiastically participated in the event, promoting patriotism, healthy activity, and community engagement.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE MOHMAND



EDUCATIONAL VISIT

An educational visit to Governor House was organized for Mohmand youth with district administration support. Governor Faisal Karim Kundi emphasized education, skills and opportunities for youth, urging them to share ideas while assuring support for their welfare and empowerment.



KASHMIR EXPLOITATION DAY

A rally was organized in Mohmand with wide participation from youth, students, elders, and civil society. Participants expressed solidarity with Kashmiris, condemned Indian actions, and urged the international community to ensure justice through UN resolutions.



VISIT TO PESHAWAR MUSEUM

A one-day educational visit was organized to Peshawar Museum where youth received a guided tour of Buddhist artifacts and archaeological treasures, enhancing cultural knowledge and appreciation while fostering awareness of the region's rich heritage.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE MOHMAND



GREENER MOHMAND INITIATIVE

A plantation and seed balling drive was launched in Mohmand with active youth involvement. The campaign aimed to green barren hills, raise environmental awareness, and promote collective action for climate resilience and a sustainable future.



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

A dignified ceremony was organized at Sub Jail Ghalanai, Mohmand, featuring officials, welfare representatives, and inmates. The event highlighted patriotism, sacrifice, and rehabilitation, concluding with cultural activities and recreational games that brought joy and encouragement to prisoners.



14TH AUGUST OBSERVANCE

A grand event was held at Jirga Hall, Ghalanai, attended by district officials and community members. The ceremony featured patriotic speeches, a PTV stage drama, sports prize distribution, and cultural displays, inspiring youth with unity, sacrifice, and national spirit.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE BATTAGRAM



KASHMIR EXPLOITATION DAY

Kashmir Exploitation Day was marked in Battagram with a solidarity walk and special prayers for the freedom of Kashmir, honoring martyrs, and showing unity with oppressed Kashmiris against Indian atrocities.



JASHN-E-AZADI & MAARAKA-E-HAQ

District Youth and Sports Offices Battagram, in collaboration with the District Administration, initiated Jashn-e-Azadi & Maaraka-e-Haq events featuring competitions in academics, arts, and sports, formally inaugurated by Assistant Commissioner Saleem Khan with a plantation drive.



MONSOON PLANTATION DRIVE

Qalb Welfare Foundation and District Youth Office Battagram volunteers planted fruit trees under the Monsoon Plantation Drive. On Independence Day, citizens were urged to plant at least two fruit or shade trees and protect them to counter climate change impacts.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE BATTAGRAM



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS

DYO Battagram hosted quiz and national songs competitions, engaging students in showcasing knowledge and patriotic spirit. The event highlighted youth enthusiasm, cultural pride and active participation in celebrating Pakistan's Independence Day.



SPORTS GALA & YOUTH ACTIVITIES

On August 12, 2025, District Sports Office and Youth Office Battagram, with District Administration, organized volleyball, badminton, speeches and quiz competitions for the 79th Independence Day. ADC(G) Zia ur Rehman Saeed attended as chief guest.



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DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE BATTAGRAM



SPORTS & TRIBUTE EVENT

District Youth Office and District Sports Office organized volleyball and badminton finals alongside a photo exhibition paying tribute to the martyrs of Marka-e-Haq. The event drew enthusiastic student participation, promoting sportsmanship and remembrance in Battagram.



INDEPENDENCE DAY

District Sports & Youth Office Battagram, with District Administration, concluded the 78th Independence Day and Markah-e-Haq celebrations through a Sports and Youth Affairs Gala, featuring a closing ceremony, awards distribution and active participation of dignitaries, students and community members.



INDEPENDENCE DAY AT SUB JAIL

On Pakistan's 78th Independence Day, a special ceremony was held at Sub Jail Battagram, featuring the national anthem and speeches on independence. The event was attended by the Deputy Commissioner, Additional Deputy Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner Battagram.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE BATTAGRAM



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

District Youth Office, OSF Foundation, and Qalb Welfare Foundation jointly organized a vibrant ceremony featuring speeches, national songs and tableaux. Chief Guest Additional Assistant Commissioner Akhtar Rasool awarded shields and certificates to outstanding students.



FLOOD RELIEF DISTRIBUTION

District Youth Office Battagram, under the directions of Deputy Commissioner Ishtiaq Ahmad and Director Youth Affairs Dr. Nauman Mujahid, provided cooked meals and dry ration to flood-affected families of Malkal Gali Shamlai and Neel Band at their doorstep.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE MALAKAND



KASHMIR SOLIDARITY EVENT

District Youth Office Malakand, in collaboration with Government Degree College Batkhela, organized a dignified event on Kashmir Exploitation Day with speeches, songs, quiz, prayers, awards, and a solidarity walk to honor Kashmiri sacrifices and highlight their struggle.



FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

The Independence Day Football Tournament at Zafar Park Batkhela, inaugurated by ADC (Finance & Planning) Sikandar Khan, concluded with thrilling matches and enthusiastic participation, showcasing youth talent, unity, and patriotism under the spirit of Marka-e-Haq celebrations.



KABADDI TOURNAMENT

A vibrant Kabaddi Tournament was held at Chinar Koto, Khar (Tehsil Batkhela) under Marka-e-Haq and Independence Day celebrations. Inaugurated by DC Hamid-ur-Rehman, the event featured thrilling matches, enthusiastic spectators, and youth showcasing unity, patriotism, and sportsmanship.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE MALAKAND



CLIMATE CHANGE WORKSHOP

In collaboration with NGO SPADO, DYO Malakand organized a 4-day Climate Change Training Workshop at FIMS College Dargai. The program promoted environmental awareness, tree plantation and patriotic spirit among youth under Marka-e-Haq and Independence Day celebrations.



MARATHON & CYCLING RACE

In connection with Independence Day, District Youth Office and District Sports Office Malakand organized a marathon from Malakand Top to Malakand Tunnel and a cycling race from Dargai Check Post to Malakand Tunnel, concluding with prize distribution by the Deputy Commissioner.



SPEECH, QUIZ & SONGS CONTEST

District Youth Office Malakand organized speech, quiz and national songs competitions at Government Degree College Batkhela. Students showcased patriotism with enthusiasm, while winners, guests, and organizers were honored with awards and shields.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE MALAKAND



INDEPENDENCE DAY PROGRAM

The main Marka-e-Haq and Independence Day program was held at DC Office Malakand, featuring national songs, speeches, and tableaux. Students received certificates and cash prizes, followed by an Independence Walk with enthusiastic participation from students, teachers, and civil society.



INDEPENDENCE DAY COMPETITIONS

District Youth Office organized speech, quiz and national songs competitions at Government Postgraduate College Dargai. Students showcased patriotism with zeal, while winners, guests, and organizers were honored with awards, shields, and gifts, followed by a cake-cutting ceremony.



NAAT COMPETITION IN SCHOOLS

District Youth Office Malakand, in collaboration with District Education Office Male Malakand, organized a Naat competition at Government High School No. 2. Students participated with devotion and winners were selected to represent Malakand at the provincial level.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE MALAKAND

NA'AT & QIRAT COMPETITION AND SEERAT-UN-NABI ﷺ CONFERENCE

In connection with Rahmatul-lil-Alameen ﷺ Week 2025, district-level Na'at and Qirat competitions were organized at Government Degree College Batkhela under the supervision of the District Administration Malakand, with support from the District Youth Office. Students enthusiastically participated, and winners were awarded prizes and nominated for divisional-level contests. Following the competition, a Seerat-un-Nabi ﷺ Conference was held, where scholars highlighted the life and teachings of Prophet Muhammad ﷺ as a source of guidance and inspiration for society. Deputy Commissioner Malakand, Hamid ur Rehman, distributed certificates and addressed participants, urging youth to follow the Prophet's ﷺ exemplary character.



DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE MANSEHRA

FLOOD RELIEF DISTRIBUTION IN MANSEHRA

On the special directives of Director Youth Affairs Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Dr. Nauman Mujahid and Deputy Commissioner Mansehra Mian Bizad Adil, the District Youth Office Mansehra organized a relief activity in Dheri Haleem to support families affected by recent floods. Essential food packages were distributed among the deserving families to provide immediate assistance during this difficult time. The event was attended by Additional Deputy Commissioner Mansehra Usman Ali, Assistant Commissioner Baffa Ms. Nayyab Abbasi, District Youth Officer Mansehra Usman Saeed, and District Youth Officer Haripur Talal Saleem, who expressed solidarity with the victims and reaffirmed commitment to community welfare.



DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE SWABI



YOUTH AWARENESS SEMINAR

As part of Independence Week celebrations, District Youth Affairs Office Swabi, with partners, organized a seminar on youth socio-political awareness. The event included speeches, Q&A, and awards, with active participation and presence of Youth Minister Sameer Khan Afridi.



SPEECH & TABLEAU CONTEST

As part of Marka-e-Haq and Independence Day celebrations, District Education Office Swabi organized speech and tableau competitions with DYO and Administration. Students showcased talent with enthusiasm, while winners, guests and organizers were honored with prizes and shields.



QUIZ & NATIONAL SONGS CONTEST

In connection with Independence Day celebrations, District Education Office Swabi, with Youth office and Administration, organized quiz and national song competitions. Students showcased patriotism and creativity, while winners, guests and organizers were honored with awards and shields.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE SWABI



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS

On DC Swabi Nasrullah Khan's directions, AAC Nusrat attended Independence Day celebrations at Government Girls High School Baja. The event featured cultural programs, patriotic speeches, and a special cake-cutting ceremony, fostering national unity and enthusiasm among students.



PATRIOTIC PERFORMANCES

On 14 August 2025, District Youth Office Swabi with District Administration, Education Department and TMA, celebrated Independence Day in Tehsil Lahore. Students presented speeches, songs and tableaux, while the Assistant Commissioner highlighted the sacrifices behind independence.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE DIR UPPER



KASHMIR SOLIDARITY WALK

On August 5, District Youth Office Upper Dir and District Administration held a solidarity ceremony and walk, featuring speeches, slogans and prayers, reaffirming unwavering support for Kashmiri people's struggle for freedom and justice.



FLAG AND BADGE DISTRIBUTION

As part of Markka-e-Haq and Independence Week, District Youth Officer Shehzad Tariq distributed national flags and badges among children and citizens, fostering patriotism and enthusiasm under the directives of the provincial government and district administration.



YOUTH PLANTATION CAMPAIGN

District Youth Office Dir Upper, with SBBU Sheringal and Forestry Department, launched a plantation drive during Independence Week. Students and faculty planted 50 fruit trees, promoting environmental conservation and fostering youth responsibility for a greener Pakistan.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE DIR UPPER



INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY

International Youth Day was celebrated at E-Tech Institute Dir Upper with active youth participation. Guests highlighted the day's theme, honored achievers with certificates and shields, and encouraged youth to contribute positively toward community and national development.



BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIP

The Marka-e-Haq Badminton Championship, held during Pakistan Celebration Week, concluded with thrilling matches. District officers praised players' passion and performance, distributing trophies and prizes to encourage youth in sports and promote national spirit.



PATRIOTIC YOUTH COMPETITIONS

A grand event at GDC Dir Upper celebrated Marka-e-Haq and Independence Day Week 2025 through Qirat, Naat, songs and speeches. Students showcased talent, promoted unity and patriotism and received certificates, inspiring love and service for Pakistan.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE DIR UPPER



CULTURAL HERITAGE

As part of Marka-e-Haq and Independence Day Week, cultural stalls at Dir Sports Complex highlighted Dir's traditions, crafts, and products. The event drew strong public interest and honored local talent with certificates, celebrating heritage and patriotism.



SEMINAR ON INDEPENDENCE DAY

District Youth Office Dir Upper with the Department of Sociology organized a seminar where speakers highlighted independence, sacrifices, and unity. Students presented patriotic songs, raised slogans, and pledged to contribute actively to Pakistan's progress.



INDEPENDENCE WEEK COMPETITIONS

As part of Independence Week and Marka-e-Haq, Qirat, Naat, speeches, tableaux, and national songs were held. Students showcased talent, honored sacrifices, and expressed patriotism, with guests lauding their creativity and dedication to Pakistan's progress.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE BAJAUR



RELIEF SUPPORT IN BAJAUR

On the directives of KP Minister for Sports and Youth Affairs and Director Youth Affairs, the District Youth Officer Bajaur distributed food packages among flood victims at DHQ Hospital Khar and schools sheltering affected families.



FREE MEDICAL CAMPS

District Youth Office Bajaur and Aid International, with support from District Administration, organized free medical camps at local colleges. Expert doctors provided checkups, tests, and medicines, followed by a ceremony honoring their humanitarian services.



MOSQUITO NETS DISTRIBUTION

District Youth Officer Farhad Ullah, with Waqas Welfare Foundation, distributed mosquito nets at Qaddafi Camp to support health and hygiene of operation-affected families.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE KURRAM



KASHMIR EXPLOITATION DAY

Youth Office Kurram organized a ceremony and solidarity walk where officials, teachers, and media representatives joined to honor oppressed Kashmiris, observe silence, and demand their right to self-determination.



AWARENESS SEMINAR

As part of Jashn-e-Azadi and Markaz-e-Haq, a seminar on “Women’s Education: Educate a Woman, Empower a Nation” was held at Govt. Girls Degree College Lower Kurram, engaging students and honoring participants with certificates and shields.



ART & PHOTO EXHIBITION

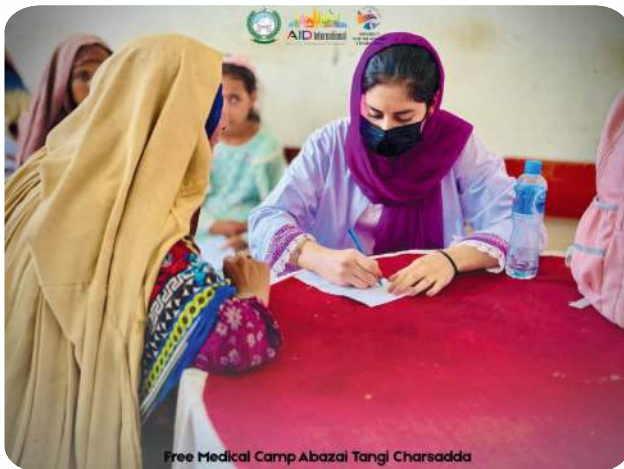
District Youth Office Kurram, organized an Art and Drawing Competition along with a photo exhibition at Govt. Girls Degree College Lower Kurram as part of Jashn-e-Azadi and Marke-e-Haq.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE CHARSADDA



CERTIFICATE DISTRIBUTION

DC Dr. Azmatullah Wazir visited Jawan Markaz Charsadda, distributing e-commerce training certificates. He emphasized youth as the nation's true asset, urging digital skills, leadership, and positive community roles for national development and a drug-free, progressive society.



FREE MEDICAL CAMP

District Youth Office Charsadda, in collaboration with AiD International, organized a one-day free medical camp in Tangi. A team of 34 doctors examined over 3,500 patients, providing free checkups, lab tests and medicines.



GRAPHIC DESIGNING COURSE

A 15-day graphic designing course successfully engaged 70+ students, offering hands-on training in Illustrator and Canva. The initiative boosted creative and technical skills, preparing youth for freelancing, professional opportunities and greater economic self-reliance.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE CHARSADDA



KASHMIR EXPLOITATION DAY

Kashmir Exploitation Day was observed at Social Welfare Hall with officials, students, and dignitaries. The event featured speeches, national songs, and a solidarity walk, highlighting Kashmiri struggle, Indian atrocities, and Pakistan's unwavering support.



QUAID'S VISION AND YOUTH

In connection with Jashn-e-Azadi and Marke-e-Haq, a special program titled "Quaid's Pakistan and Today's Youth" was held, emphasizing patriotism, responsibility, and the vital role of youth in nation-building and Pakistan's future.



INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY

International Youth Day was celebrated with enthusiasm, featuring speeches on youth empowerment, social service, and skill development. Officials and volunteers highlighted youth as the nation's true asset, vital for progress and prosperity.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE CHARSADDA



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

Organized under the supervision of District Administration Charsadda, with the joint efforts of District Youth Office and District Sports Office Charsadda, an Independence Day ceremony was held to honor the spirit of freedom and patriotism.



RELIEF FOR FLOOD VICTIMS

District Youth Office Charsadda volunteers distributed food packages among flood-affected families in Ababkari, Ternab. Volunteers personally visited homes, met affected people, and extended support to ease their hardships during this difficult time.



KHULI KACHERI FOR YOUTH

from multiple departments, where immediate directives were issued for redressal. The session aimed to directly connect youth with government representatives for timely solutions.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE BANNU



PAINTING COMPETITION

Students from various institutions showcased patriotism through creative artworks in an Independence Day Painting Competition at Bannu. DC, AC, and DYO appreciated participants' efforts, with trophies, certificates, and prizes awarded to the top three winners.



HOPE AND REHABILITATION SEMINAR

Hope and Rehabilitation seminar was held at Bannu Central Jail, highlighting prisoner reform, training, and positive social roles. Officials, psychologists, and community representatives emphasized education, skills, and constructive activities for a better future.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE PESHAWAR



INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY

The District Youth Office Peshawar, with Pakistan Youth Parliament, marked International Youth Day through an Oath Taking Ceremony and awareness session, inspiring youth volunteers to embrace leadership, community service and their vital role in shaping the future.



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS

In collaboration with Frontier Women College, a vibrant Independence Day program featured speeches, national songs, cultural performances, awards, flag hoisting, and cake-cutting, showcasing youth patriotism, unity, and unwavering love for Pakistan.



INDEPENDENCE DAY

An Independence Day program was organized at the British Institute, Peshawar, featuring Tilawat, patriotic songs, Naat recitations, and skits. Students highlighted sacrifices for independence and were inspired to uphold unity, patriotism, and cultural pride.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE UPPER CHITRAL



INTER-SCHOOL COMPETITIONS

The District Youth Office Upper Chitral, with the District Administration and Education Department, held engaging inter-school speech, song, quiz, and tableau contests. Students showcased patriotism, winners received trophies, and a prayer concluded the celebration.



INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY

The District Youth Office Upper Chitral organized a youth seminar and “Maraka-e-Haq” competitions at Govt. High School Shunu, featuring speeches, essays, and Naats. The event concluded with awards recognizing talented students’ performances.



INDEPENDENCE WEEK EVENT

The District Youth Office Upper Chitral hosted Independence Week celebrations at Govt. High School Charun, featuring speeches, milli naghmas, and tableaux. The event ended with prize distribution to SSC achievers, motivating youth towards excellence and community development.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE UPPER CHITRAL

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS IN UPPER CHITRAL

The 78th Independence Day and Maraka-e-Haq were celebrated in Upper Chitral with immense enthusiasm and patriotic spirit. The festivities began with a graceful flag-hoisting ceremony at the DC Office, where Deputy Commissioner Haseeb ur Rehman attended as the chief guest. Later, a grand program was organized at Government High School Booni by the District Youth Office in collaboration with the District Administration and Education Department. The event featured inspiring speeches, essays, national songs, quizzes, and multilingual performances by students. It concluded with a lively rally, resonating with “Pakistan Zindabad,” highlighting national unity and collective commitment to the country’s progress.



DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE KARAK



KASHMIR SIEGE DAY

Karak observed Kashmir Siege Day with a silent tribute and a rally led by the Additional Deputy Commissioner. Participants raised Pakistani and Kashmiri flags, expressed solidarity with Kashmiris, and urged global action against Indian atrocities.



AWARENESS WALK FOR KASHMIR

An awareness program was held at Khushal Khan Khattak University Karak on Kashmir Siege Day, featuring thought-provoking speeches on Indian atrocities. The event concluded with a solidarity walk expressing unity with Kashmiri people.



ANTI-CORRUPTION SEMINAR

An awareness seminar at GHSS Karak educated students on corruption's harmful impacts. Activities included speeches, essays, and poster-making, with winners from GHSS Karak and Model High School Chokara recognized for promoting integrity and accountability.

DISTRICT YOUTH OFFICE KARAK



JASHN-E-AZADI WEEK CELEBRATIONS

Karak celebrated Independence Week at Khushal Khan Khattak University with vibrant activities including poetry, Attan dance, and a painting exhibition. Youth and students participated enthusiastically, while professors and officials encouraged patriotism and cultural expression.



INDEPENDENCE DAY CEREMONY

Karak celebrated Independence Day at Circuit House with flag-hoisting, speeches, milli naghmas, quizzes, and student performances. The DC launched a plantation drive, honored martyrs' families, and concluded with cake cutting, prayers, and a Rescue Flag March.



EDUCATION CONFERENCE

A two-day education conference at Khushal Khan Khattak University addressed secondary-level examination issues and higher education challenges. Eminent scholars emphasized moral development, humanities, technology's role, and broader collaboration, concluding with gratitude and shield distribution.

Jawan Marakiz Status

Statement Report on Youth Development Schemes Progress

- The following is a consolidated statement on the financial and physical progress of various youth development schemes:
- Upgradation of Battakundi Youth Hostel (Phase-I) has been completed with 100% financial and physical progress. The total cost of 33.00 has been fully utilized.
- Construction of Peshawar Youth Complex has achieved 64% financial progress (307.231 expended out of 474.499) and 72% physical completion. Work is ongoing with satisfactory progress.
- Construction of Jawan Markaz Mohmand is nearly complete, with 100% financial utilization (111.00 expended) and 98% physical progress. Minor work remains unfinished.
- Construction of Jawan Markaz Swabi shows 32% financial progress (34.76 expended out of 107.350) and 50% physical completion. Physical work is ahead of financial expenditure, indicating potential delays in fund disbursement.
- Construction of Jawan Markaz Mardan has utilized 32% of funds (46.02 out of 146.060) but has achieved 80% physical progress, reflecting efficient execution despite lower spending.
- Construction of Jawan Markaz D.I.Khan has reached 37% financial progress (40.67 expended out of 111.380) and 60% physical completion. Progress is steady but requires closer monitoring.
- Construction of Jawan Markaz Haripur lags behind, with only 29% financial progress (42.47 out of 148.430) and 40% physical completion. Accelerated efforts are needed to meet targets.
- Construction of Jawan Markaz South Waziristan Lower is the slowest, with 22% financial progress (37.62 out of 171.062) and 35% physical completion. Immediate intervention is required to expedite work.

REPORT ON JAWAN MARAKIZ STATUS ACROSS KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA



District Mohmand: Jawan Markaz

The construction of Jawan Markaz Mohmand has achieved 98% physical completion with full utilization of the allocated Rs. 111.00 million budget. The project is currently in its final phase of completion, with only minor finishing works remaining before operationalization.



District Swabi: Steady Progress

In Swabi, approximately 40% of the Jawan Markaz construction has been completed. Column erection is in progress, and building materials are adequately stocked on-site.



Grand Youth Complex Peshawar: 70% Complete

Construction on the Grand Youth Complex in Peshawar is 70% complete. This facility will be a central hub for youth activities in the region.

REPORT ON JAWAN MARAKIZ STATUS ACROSS KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA



District D.I.Khan: 50% Completed

The construction work of Jawan Markaz D.I. Khan is progressing smoothly, with around 50% of the structure completed. The brick walls and support pillars are already in place, and construction materials are available on-site. The project team is actively working to ensure its timely completion.



District Mardan: Steady Progress

In Mardan, significant progress has been made on the Jawan Markaz construction. Foundation and earth filling have been completed, and beam work on the ground floor is underway. The quality of work has been found satisfactory, showcasing efficient progress within a short timeframe.

REPORT ON JAWAN MARAKIZ STATUS ACROSS KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA



Jawan Markaz Development Underway in District Haripur

In District Haripur, work on the Jawan Markaz began at the start of this year with a focus on creating a dynamic space for youth engagement, skill development, and empowerment. Planning and development efforts are underway to ensure the center meets the diverse needs of the youth in the region.



South Waziristan Lower: Work Begins

In South Waziristan Lower, work on the establishment of Jawan Markaz has officially commenced. The center will serve as a hub for youth empowerment, learning, and community engagement.

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Orakzai, Khurram and North Waziristan: Land Acquired

Land for Jawan Marakiz in these districts has been acquired. These centers are expected to deliver much-needed infrastructure to empower the youth in these regions.

Temporary and Permanent Jawan Marakiz: Ongoing Progress

Temporary rented buildings are being used to house Jawan Marakiz in some districts while permanent facilities are under construction. Across Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, significant progress is being made on permanent Jawan Marakiz, providing hope and empowerment to the youth in these regions.

Upper Chitral, Upper Dir, Shangala, Buner, Karak, Bannu, Kohat, Malakand

Land Acquisition Initiate In these districts, land has been identified for the construction of Jawan Marakiz, and the land acquisition process has begun. This marks the first step in creating youth-focused centers in these areas.

The Jawan Marakiz initiative continues to make strides across the province, helping to uplift and empower young individuals. These efforts, led by the Youth Affairs department and under the guidance of Dr. Noman Mujahid, are key to unlocking the potential of the youth in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.



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