



SUMMER NEWSLETTER

2023

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Our Alhadaf team would like to extend a big thank you to all our partners and our donors. It is through your help and support that we are able to do what we do and help the people we help.

A lot has been happening at Alhadaf and we are so excited to share it with you. So thank you, and welcome to the Summer 2023 Alhadaf Institute Newsletter.

IN THIS EDITION, WE WILL HIGHLIGHT:

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- Go Fund Me campaign, Alhadaf Youth Program, and staff meeting with SERV.
- Food distribution with SERV.



Refugee Program

The Beginners English Classes

Our English class for beginners has been going really well. We have been hosting two classes on Monday's as well as a new English Reading and grammar workshop for anyone who wants to join after the first two classes. We have progressed through many subjects from summer activities to learning about feelings and emotions. Our ladies are truly so sweet and beautiful and we enjoy every class that we have with them.



Intermediate English class

Our intermediate English class has been going very well and the ladies love their teacher Sara a lot. The class has done games, worksheets and activities all throughout the semester of learning. We have newly been incorporating some English word searches into our classes to help our beautiful women to learn how to find words in an unconventional

Our English teachers

These are our two English teachers Abi (left) and Sara (right). They both teach the beggine'rs English classes and Sara teaches the intermediate English class.



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Art therapy program

We are continuing to provide our art therapy programs for our children. Encouraging them to draw or paint what they feel so they are able to express their emotions in a healthy and respectful way. In our recent class we made picture frames from painted popsicle sticks. These children were then able to give their parents something beautiful and one of a kind. While also learning about colors and how to express their creativity.



Sewing classes at Alhadaf



We have been continuing our sewing classes here at Alhadaf. We inspire to be able to empower these precious women to provide for their families and hopefully one day get a job. Sewing is a necessary life skill as well as a way to raise money for the women and the projects we partake in.

Visit to Munira's House, special visit to one of our refugees house

A visit to one of the Iraqi refugees family that we serve, the incredible journey of the brave Iraqi family who sacrificed everything for survival. From fleeing persecution by ISIS in Mosul to seeking refuge in Irbil, Ramie, Munira, and their children Rose, Roeel, and Ronaldo share their harrowing story. Despite enduring discrimination and facing unimaginable challenges, their unwavering faith and unity bring them peace amidst the chaos. Now, at Alhadaf, they have found a glimmer of hope and a place where they can finally find rest.



Orphans Program

Alhadaf Team's Heartwarming Visit to Anjara Orphanage

Alhadaf team visited Anjara orphanage, and it was a day filled with joy and love. We played games with the children, and their smiles lit up the room. Sharing a meal brought us all closer, and we cherished every moment with these precious kids.

During our visit, Maran spoke about identity and reminded each child how valuable and unique they are. It was a touching moment that left a lasting impression on all of us.

We feel incredibly blessed to have spent time with these amazing children at Anjara orphanage. Their warmth and spirit touched our hearts deeply.



Foster Families Gathering

We recently held a heartwarming Foster Families Gathering where Maran shared valuable ways to connect with foster kids. The dedication and love shown by moms and dads were truly touching. We also celebrated the birthdays of two foster siblings, making it a day filled with joy and love. Let's continue fostering bonds and spreading love in our community. Stay tuned for more inspiring stories in our newsletter!



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Trainings with Noiva and Altaj at Alhusein orphanage

In a heartwarming partnership with NOIVA and Altaj, we conducted empowering training sessions at Alhusein Orphanage. NOIVA focused on promoting peace and reconciliation among the children and caregivers, while Altaj provided crucial safety training.

Caregivers and staff eagerly engaged in discussions, exploring ways to nurture harmonious interactions among the children, fostering compassionate relationships. The training emphasized the vital role each individual plays in creating a supportive atmosphere for the children to build strong bonds.

Additionally, NOIVA's presentation extended to nurturing peaceful relationships among the caregivers, offering valuable strategies for open communication and empathy. Altaj's safety training focused on ensuring a secure environment where the children feel safe, loved, and cherished.



Meeting with Amal at Alhadaf Office



During a recent task force meeting, we had the honor of meeting with Mrs. Amal Rihani, the esteemed manager of Alhusein Orphanage. To our delight, she shared the exciting news that she is now responsible in the Ministry of Social Development, a testament to her exceptional dedication and leadership.

We are truly inspired by Mrs. Amal Rihani's unwavering commitment to the well-being of the children at Alhusein Orphanage.

Her dedication and compassion have made it a place of love, support, and growth. We have no doubt that under her guidance, the Ministry of Social Development will flourish, and her positive influence will extend even further, touching the lives of many more in need.



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Other Activities

The Ahliyyah School for girls and Bishop's school for boys Conference

Under the Patronage of Her Highness Princess Alia Tabbaa We were delighted and honored to participate in the annual Yalla Shabab Conference "Pay it Forward" organized by The Ahliyyah School for Girls & Bishop's School for Boys This conference aims to encourage the youth to engage in community service and volunteering while highlighting the significant impact helping others can have on society. At Alhadaf, we strongly believe in giving back and contributing to positive change. It was truly inspiring to witness the dedication of the younger generation towards making a difference. Together, let's continue to make a lasting impact!



The Ahliyyah School for girls and Bishop's school for boys visit to Alhadaf

On day 2, we had the opportunity to host a group of students from The Ahliyyah School for Girls & Bishop's School for Boys at Alhadaf Institute. It was a beautiful and meaningful experience as they dedicated their time to volunteering with our precious refugees. Some of the students spent time doing art therapy with our kids and the others helped in the English class. The English class participated in conversational groups with the refugees to work on their speaking and pronunciation We are grateful for their presence and the positive impact they made.



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Go Fund Me campaign

We have started a Go Fund Me for Alhadaf Institute. It is a simple way to donate and help the beautiful community we serve. If you would like the link, please check our social media page for the link. Every gift helps us to do what we do.

Alhadaf Youth Program

The success of our Alhadaf Youth Program fills us with immense joy and gratitude. The trauma-informed training for our dedicated volunteers stands as a cornerstone, ensuring a safe and supportive environment for those who have endured hardships. Through our youth-provided English course, we empower asylum seekers, opening doors to new opportunities and integration into society. Moreover, the expressive art sessions offer a beautiful path for healing and self-expression, allowing women and children to share their stories and emotions creatively. This inspiring event reaffirms the profound impact of community, compassion, and personal growth. Together, we are paving the way for a brighter future at Alhadaf Institute.



Partnership with SERV organization and food distribution

We have partnered with SERV International to provide food distribution to our precious families at Alhadaf. Together, we aim to nourish and support those in need, creating a brighter future for our community. Grateful for this meaningful collaboration!



You can always make a difference



Volunteer

We are always welcoming volunteers.

If you would like to get involved or want more information visit www.alhadaf.org

Help a Family member at Alhadaf Institute

You can sponsor a family with an amount of 15 JOD = 22 USD

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