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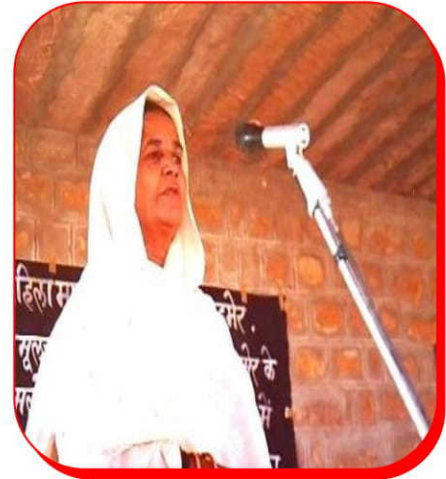
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## *The Origin and Founder...*

In those days need of potable water, health care, education and basic infrastructure laid the foundation of Mahila Mandal Barmer Agor, an esteemed organization in Thar Desert of western Rajasthan. The situational silent victim, Late Ms. Mumtaz Ben, coming from an orthodox Muslim family committed to change her own life and Indira colony too. With a thought to set egalitarian society, convinced her family beyond the barriers and restrictions she started to motivate her fellow residents towards right to have access to basic needs.



In a male dominant society, found difficult to materialize her thoughts. However, sincerity and consorted efforts she organized her fellow residents, that turned into a movement, raising the demand for their basic needs to the district administration. Her selfless and emancipated

approach and attitude of getting things done made proud to Indira Colony residents with having primary school, drinking water, basic health care facilities and proper infrastructure.

After success in the initial struggling period she won the confidence among people, with that confidence she always looked forward to rendered selfless services and problem solving. Meanwhile, society brought to identify Late Ms. Mumtaz Ben as women of philanthropist in nature and concerned for the rural poor.

The success story moved and acclaimed by District Collector of Barmer, Shri Sohan Lal and with his guidance, the movement got its shape and formally registered as an NGO under the Rajasthan State Society Registration Act 1958 on January 1991, in the name of Mahila Mandal Barmer Agor (MMBA). Since then, the organization is constantly striving for the upliftment of deprived, dalits, girl children and women empowerment through basic health care services, education, social and economic intervention.

During the journey of upliftment of women, the National Women Commission has graced Late Ms. Mumtaz Ben with "Women Excellency Award" "in 1997. By then MMBA has also been accorded at district and state level many times.

# From

## The Secretary's Desk

I congratulate to change makers involved in all success of Mahila Mandal Barmer Agor in achieving preset targets and meeting project based parameters. I personally thank to donors and supporters of MMBA in achieving the success.

This year MMBA has achieve a new height of success in Women empowerment and issues, education, Health, Road Safety, skill development, Arts and crafts and Persons with Disabilities, digital literacy, environment protection etc.

We have been able to set new standards of skill development and road safety program. It was great honor to educate people of Jodhpur zone on safe road driving; through this we have targeted Schools children's, drivers of transport system, youths and volunteers.

Through our skill development we have focused of connecting rural work force into the earning market and too scale-up existing undertaken job domains.

At MMBA we believe if the problem is addressed at its root the change will start. We also believe that if the local resources are focused and traditional arts are preserved with an ad-on of new practices to it problem would be compacted and a high output will be achieved.

I pray to god and wish all people live in peace, prosperity and safe at all level of their life. Women are empowered with education, health and wealth.

With best wishes...

Thank you!

Sarana Akhtar  
Secretary  
Mahila Mandal Barmer Agor





**M**ahila **M**andal **B**armer **A**gor is a grass roots organization working in Barmer, Jaisalmer, Jalor, Jodhpur, Nagor, Pali, Sirohi & Ajmer district since 1985 registered under Rajasthan State Societies Act 1958. The main area of operation of MMBA and focused community is Muslim intensively we are working for betterment of community through improvement in Education, Health, Gender Discrimination, Woman Empowerment and Person with Disabilities in Minority community.

### VISION

"To establish a society with equal rights for men and women"

### MISSION

"To bring consciousness, awareness and uplift villagers, person with disabilities and minorities on their fundamental rights through education, peoples support and participation and organization's efforts."

### STRATEGY

"Promoting to all especially for feminine, person with disabilities and to provide them basic rights, to eliminate social evils from root like exploitation, killing infant girl, Early & unmatched marriage through organisation's effort and people's support".

### THE MAIN OBJECTIVES

- To improve the social, political, educational, Economic condition of deprived, Person with disabilities and minorities.
- To fight against the social evil prevalent in the society.
- To generate awareness on basic rights of minorities.
- To work against exploitation of girls and Person with Disabilities in the community.
- To create awareness for protection of Water resources.
- To strengthen the Panchayati Raj System for developmental activities.
- To create income generation activities for Women.
- To support villagers for betterment of education especially for girls and vulnerable.

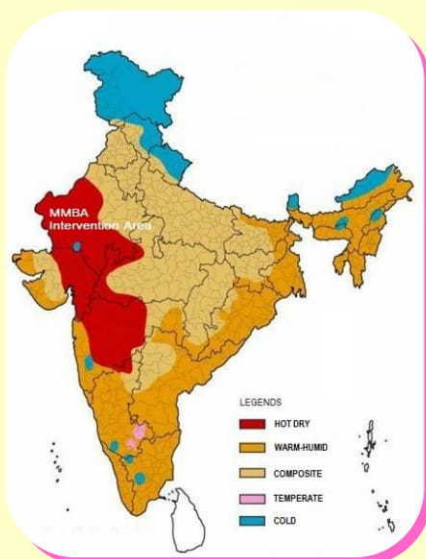
### THEMATIC AREA OF INTERVENTION

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| • Persons with Disabilities | • Livelihoods            | • Health and Hygiene    |
| • Skill development         | • Women Empowerment      | • Water and Sanitation  |
| • Road Safety               | • Education and Literacy | • Disaster Response     |
|                             |                          | • Agriculture and Dairy |

## LEGAL DETAILS

MAHILA MANDAL BARMER AGOR	
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<b>Date of registration</b>	25 January 1990-91
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<b>Legal Status</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Registered Under Rajasthan societies registration act 1958</li> <li>2. Registered Under Foreign Contribution Regulation Act 1976.</li> <li>3. Registered Under Income Tax Regulation Act 12A.</li> <li>4. Registered Under Income Tax Regulation Act 80 G</li> <li>5. Registered Under Income Tax Regulation Act 35 AC and 35 i ) (iii)</li> <li>6. Registered Under Income Tax Regulation Act(23) iv</li> <li>8-Registered Under Social Welfare Department Rajasthan</li> <li>9-Registered under Voluntary Sector Development Centre Rajasthan</li> <li>10. Registered with NITI Ayog/NGO Darpan</li> <li>11. Registered with Disability Act, 1985</li> </ol>

## AREA OF INTERVENTION





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## Persons with Disabilities

MMBA is deeply concerned with the PwDs at all stages of life. We support their cause, education, livelihood, accessibility, self esteem, integrity, social justice, empowerment and dignity in all possible ways. To carry out implementation, we include the following in our organizational course of action.



- Identification of PwDs through survey.
- Rehabilitation of Persons with Disabilities.
- Staff capacity building on PwDs issues and concerns.
- Regular interaction, meeting and counselling of family members of PwDs.
- Motivation of school teachers, health functionaries, PRI members to support PwDs at all stages.
- Inclusion of PwDs to organizing the project activities at field level.
- To assist to have Personal assistive aids and appliances.
- Scholarship to the school going Person with disabilities.
- To support and protect the Rights of Persons with Disabilities.
- Formation of PwDs organization so as to function at root level.
- Skill Development and employment.

FY 2017-18 has focused to impart the skill development training and mobilization of PwDs towards employment compatible to PwDs. We have focused self employment and placement linked employment. In this year, we have mobilised 500 Persons with Disabilities to impart skill in five trades under SIPDA Scheme of Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan), GoI.



### Mobilization under SIPDA Scheme

S. No.	Mobilization Activity	No. of PwDs reached
1.	Door to Door Mobilization	718
2.	Community Meeting organised	231
3.	Parents Counselling	4518
4.	Meeting with Family Members	159
5.	News Paper Advertisement	3 times
7.	Pamphlet Distribution	10000 Pamphlets
8.	Information through MVAM and other Sources	8000 approx
9.	Mobile Calling	25000 Calling



S. No.	Trade	No. of PwD
1.	Domestic IT Helpdesk Attendant	100
2.	Handset Repair Engineer	100
3.	Sewing Machine Operator	100
4.	Hand Embroiderer	100
5.	Handloom Weaver	100



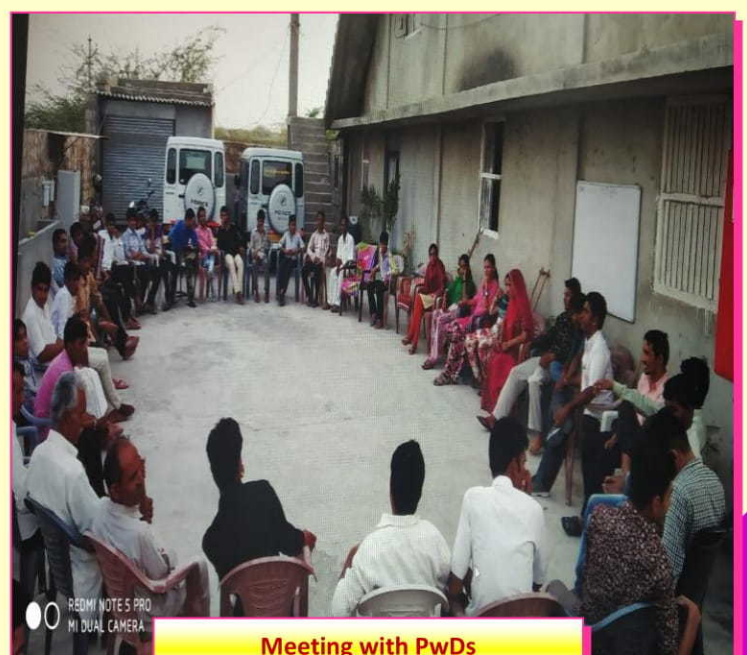
Pamphlet Distribution

### Experience with PwDs:

- Marwar Viklang Adhikar Manch:** MMBA had formed Marwar Viklang Adhikar Manch with the objective to protect rights of PwDs of Barmer, Jaisalmer, Jalore and Jodhpur districts. This Manch aware remotely living disables, link with welfare schemes, increase membership, employment support, connect to education, decrease prevalent discrimination. Amendment at the policy level according to the persons with disabilities. Work through the networking with the media, PRI, CBOs and other organizations.
- Rehabilitation:** The organization has performed the rehabilitative activities such as educational, social, economic rehabilitation and supported to have access to have certificates and rebates in bus/train pass, linking them with the welfare schemes of Central and State governments.
- Annual Sammelan of the PwDs:** Annual Sammelan is organized 3rd December at regional level. Purpose is to provide common platform to share problems and prepare the strategy to combat.
- Integrated Education Programme:** This is run to impart education to visually impaired and low vision children in Barmer and Sheo block of district Barmer. The education is imparted by itinerant teachers in the regular schools. Parents of the children with disabilities are trained about the care taking of their children.
- Disability Resource Centre:** DRC are run in Barmer, Jaisalmer, Jalore and Jodhpur districts for information dissemination and counsel PwDs, parents and Family members.



Counseling of Parents



Meeting with PwDs



We have been engaged in skilling of artisans, rural youths, women, unemployed and school dropouts for couple of years. Our skilling interventions have created a wide impact over the life of rural beneficiaries in terms of livelihood, economy, health, employment and more added values to prevalent art and craft works. Throughout the years we have organised various trainings in different sectors such as appliqué, embroidery, cut work, handicrafts, woollen, Animal Husbandry, Sewing and ITs etc. We have trained people to skill up gradation, fresh skilling and producing new work force through youth mobilization.

We believe that, changing world scenario with regard to industry, the job market and self employment, there is now an overpowering need for skilled workers. Population growth, development in technology and demand of quality product and services pave the need of intensive skill development. Since, resources are definite, once that are consumed, there would be need of alternative source of income with



growth of population. India is relatively young as a nation with around 28 million youth population being added every year. More than 50 per cent of its population is below the age of 25 and more than 65 per cent are aged below 35 and to Encash this opportunity India need to create employment, as the government is focused to

skilling unemployed to employ through various skill development programs.

In this financial year, MMBA has partnered various government organizations and departments through we are engaged in skilling programs. We have been able to train and link thousands of rural men and women with formal and informal employment. The Skill Programs are as follows:

### **Design Development**

**Training Program:** With the support of the Rural Non Form Development Agency (RUDA), Jaipur we trained 40 women artisans in appliqué and embroidery. The 15 days training program was directed towards transformation of rural artisan towards new changing scenario. The Demand driven Design development skill were imparted among the rural women.







## Comprehensive Handicrafts Cluster Development Scheme:

MMBA organised skill development program with the coordination of Export Promotion Council for Handicrafts (EPCH). Under this forty days training program we have trained 160 artisans. The 240 hours of training included product development passed through various stages of design development

through painting, Design tracing, printing, cutting, pasting, sewing, dying, washing, ironing, tagging, pricing, packaging, marketing and selling. Apart from the above this training program dealt with soft skill and health concerns of trainee artisans.

**Ambedkar Hastshilp Vikas Yojana (AHVY):** 1000 artisans trained under AHVY of Ministry of textile through office of DC (H) (Development Commissioner Handicrafts). This Embroidery patch work craft program had three phases i.e. Mobilization, Training and formation of 25 SHGs. We have been able to train 300 artisans through 15 training centres 20 artisans each. The formation of SHGs is done with the bank linkages.



## Upgrading the Skills and Training in Traditional

**Arts/Crafts for Development (USTTAD):** under this project of Ministry of Minority Affairs MMBA has trained 300 artisans of minorities. The scheme is for upliftment of minorities. This training was in traditional embroidery work, through trainees have been able to learn the process of design development, making different type of embroidery products, marketing and setting up the business.



## Design and Technical Development Workshop:

with the support of National Schedule Castes Finance and Development Corporation (NSFDC), we have organised a 25 days of workshop of 300 artisans of Scheduled Caste (SC) to impart design development skill which meet the modern demand driven market and artisans and aligned to secure their livelihoods in a long run.



## Integrated Design Development Project:

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S.No.	Activity/Scheme	Agency Name	No. of Participants
1	Design Development Training Program	RUDA	40
2	Comprehensive Handicrafts Cluster Development Scheme	EPCH	160
3	Ambedkar Hastshilp Vikas Yojana	DC(H)	1000
4	USTTAD	Ministry of Minority Affairs	300
5	Design and Technical Development Project	NSFDC	500
6	SHGs formed	MMBA	374
7.	No. of Women Participated in Trade Fairs	MMBA	478
8.	No. of Individual women involved in production, marketing and selling	MMBA	5780





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## Road Safety

Mahila Mandal Barmer Agor is implementing the Road Safety awareness program in Jodhpur zone comprising of six districts Jodhpur, Barmer, Pali, Jalore, Sirohi and Jaisalmer. With the support of Public Works Department, Government of Rajasthan MMBA has conducted Road Safety Education and Awareness Programs under RRSMP (Rajasthan Road Sector Modernization Project) 1852 Gram Panchayat of the Jodhpur Zone.



### Scope of program comprises of the following:

- Develop and disseminate information on the risks associated to road traffic, good practices in road safety among rural and semi-urban population.
- Promote safe road user behaviour, improve knowledge and change road safety habits/attitudes of road users.
- Develop rural representatives as mentors and communicators to spread awareness about various aspects of road safety among rural population.
- Make communities aware that road safety issues are a major community concern
- Actively engage community in identifying their road safety problems and solutions
- Develop capacity and establish linkages with road safety institutions enabling them to assist the communities to plan, manage and sustain their own road safety initiatives;



- Educate people about proper use of available road safety engineering facilities
- Make drivers aware about road safety
- Increasing a sense of ownership of road users, particularly on pavement protection (damage from agriculture equipment etc.) and drainage issues



## Campaign Implementation Plan

- **Gram Panchayat:** One day Awareness program at each Panchayat and Block HQ level covering 100% through exhibition on Road safety including, film show/theater/talks/ audio visuals etc.
- **Panchayat Samiti:** Conducting training to small group of 5-10 volunteers at each Panchayat and Block level covering 100% Zone.
- **Schools:** Half day Training of 40-50 Bus/ Truck drivers at 5 locations in each of the districts of the Jodhpur Zone.
- **Bus & Truck drivers:** Training sessions in One hundred Schools with about 75-100 participants in each school in Rural/ Sub urban areas including distribution of road safety education/ awareness material like print material / CD / films etc.



S.No.	Activity	No. of Participant /activity
1	Districts Covered	6
2	Gram Panchayat Covered	1879
3	School Training Program Conducted	100
4	Truck/Bus Training Program Conducted	90
5	Volunteers Trained	19888
6	Street Play	1407
7	Advance Publicity Rallies	1681

**Nukkad Natak:** Organised at village circle in funny script, two persons were debating on road rules and need of rules, in first phase person was against all the rules and after debate in fully style that person was convinced with first person, use of helmet and seat belt, about licence, about over speeding, over loading, about



not crossing/jumping red light etc. people are enjoyed the full show. Some where we organised nukkar natak in house, their also we demonstration of CIP and first aid trauma management, with very easy and comedy way for the general public.



**IEC Material distribution:** We distributed pamphlets to public and training booklet, certificate, ID card and pamphlets to volunteers.

**Certificate for the volunteers:** We distributed Certificate to volunteers, who participated in proper manner and performance basis; this certificate had the following information name, district, age, address, and issue date.

**Road Safety Campaign:** Because of increasing vehicles of all kinds, roads in India are increasingly becoming accident-prone, necessitating interventions to promote road safety. For the last 15 years MMBA is promoting road safety in the form of annual road safety campaign.

The campaign for the year 2017-18 involved the following activities in Barmer, Jaisalmer, Jalore, Jodhpur, Sirohi, Pali, Bhilwara and Ajmer districts:

**Choupal Meetings:** These were organized at main crossings and major places in urban and rural areas. The people were told to keep left on roads all the times; they should keep roadside lights in mind and use helmet for security of driver and pillion riders both. One should never drive under the influence of alcohol.

**Youth and Child Rallies:** These were organized to impart road safety information through rallies of children and youth of major schools of all the districts. A total of 540 rallies were organized, 90 in urban areas and 450 in rural areas. Nearly 8,100 youth and 2,700 male and female students participated in the rallies. Three kinds of messages were given through the banners and posters used in the rallies:





- Seek safety, aim safety, and follow safety,
- ensure safety, teach safety and yield safety
- Drunken driving means invitation to death
- Wear helmet while driving



**Street Plays:** The cultural team of the organization staged 550 street plays, of which 90 were staged in urban areas and 450 in rural areas, benefitting 52,250 people. Awareness was created among the people through music, songs and plays.

**Puppet Shows:** Along with street play, the communication team also staged puppet show. In this show messages about road safety were given. During the show, women, men and children participated in large numbers.

**Slogan Writing:** Under this slogans like helmet pahan kar gadi chalo, sanrakshit yatra kaa laabh uthato (drive vehicle with helmet and enjoy safe journey), sharab pikaar gadi chalana maut ko swayam bulana (drunken driving is invitation to death), gadi har samay dhire chalana (always drive slow), etc., were written at major and public places in 707 urban and rural areas of the target districts. Posters carrying messages of road safety were passed at pasted at 707 urban and rural areas of the target districts.





Livelihood generation is one of the main activities of MMBA. At present we are working with more than 5780 craft artisans and their families directly and indirectly by providing sustainable work. We do provide services to

The producers were identified on the basis on social and economic considerations with basic knowledge or interest in craft production. MMBA imparts training and capacity building to enhance their skills to be able to run their economic initiatives successfully. It is also insured that they are getting dignified incomes on a sustainable basis. Supporting as much as possible those who are need based, yet not skilled enough to contribute to their family incomes having direct impact on their families.



MMBA also encourages and supports to learn the craft-skills by working with producer groups. Such investments reach out to producers especially women who are not encouraged to become empowered due to religious conservatism and social customs.

Livelihood support Through	
SHG Formation	374
Training Support	2000
Capacity Building	4300
Supporting to trade Fairs	238
Financial Linkages	427
Distribution of Sewing Machine	188



### Self Help Groups:

MMBA has formed 374 SHGs to institutionalize their collectives. By this a bold step the artisan community in Barmer can collectively hope to reap benefits of various government programmes and market their products better. For, 374 self-help groups (SHG) for artisans engaged in the production of handicrafts. Each SHGs have 10 to 20 members, who can avail of various schemes floated by the Government. Members of each SHG are eligible for loans from financial institutions to expand their business and reach out to more customers through local bazaar, Trade fairs and other means of marketing.

While SHGs include exclusively of Minorities, Schedules Castes and other have mixed communities. These SHGs are engaged in producing handicrafts of embroidery, Applique, Cut-patch work and woollen ad wooden works.



**Embroidery:** More than 4000 artisans are preparing embroidery products with the help of needle and threads. This women artisan has an ability to make embroidery products using all types of fabrics.

Embroidery artisans are expert in designing that includes Mirror work, pearls work, beads, quills and sequins. They are also trained to do different types of embroidery like Aari embroidery, Banjara embroidery, Dabka etc. Here are the following products being made with the help of embroidery.

- Buttons
- Bags
- Wallets
- Shoulder bag
- Cushion cover
- Bed Sheets
- Wall Hangings
- Scarf
- Table cloth
- Kurta
- Dupatta
- Mobile Covers
- Carry bags
- Decorative items etc.



**Appliqué:** Barmer is famous for appliqué work. 5780 artisans engaged in the handicrafts work prepare the different type of products and decorative items. Majority of the artisans are engages in tradition appliqué work, MMBA has been imparting new and modern appliqué designs an product development skills to compete to the demand side so as to secure the livelihoods of the rural artisans.

**Cut-Patch Work:** Products of the cut work are high in demand in domestic and international market. Women artisan are engaged in Buttons, Bags, Wallets, Shoulder bag, Cushion cover, Bed Sheets, Wall Hangings, Scarf, Table cloth, Kurta, Dupatta, Mobile Covers, Carry bags, Decorative items etc.

### **MMBAs efforts to Livelihoods**

- **Financial Management Support:** MMBA provides valuable financial support to artisans and their community whenever the need arises though government liaison, Linkages with fair trades and planning the travels. We ensures fair wages through monitoring measures to prevent unethical monopolized practices of middlemen and ensures fair wages to artisans for their arduous work.
- **Resource Development and Technical assistance:** MMBA is well aware & has assessed the serious problem of lack of availability of correct raw materials and resource accessories, which causes the artisans to suffer and ultimately their entire standing risks obliteration. MMBA tries to solve such



problems by coordinating with other artisan groups, different information sources & other relevant resource providers to ensure accessibility of the required resources for the needy artisan groups and enable them to perform effectively. We also provide technical support & updates to the artisans regarding design & construction details, fine manufacturing tips, stitching, dyeing & color schemes, latest trends, scheme selection, alteration, recycling, functionality improvement etc. so as to help them produce exceptional products.

- **Marketing Support through Trade Fairs:**

We offer a sustainable and assured market to the Artisans for their products, a market that not only value their art and talent but also gives them a new identity in domestic market. We strive to strengthen the artisans' community by assisting them in gaining access to trade fairs being organised in several places such as Udaipur, Banglore, Delhi Hat, Kolkatta Pushkar, Pragati Maidan, Masuri and other places including small trade fairs, which are larger and higher in volume and offer more potential & revenue to provide sales and income to large numbers of artisans and micro enterprise producers of handicrafts.



- **Sustainable Developmental Support:**

Conservation of traditional and extinct art forms and artisans: SETU plays an important role in conserving the traditional art forms and their creator artisans. We organize several training and workshop sessions for artisans also to substantiate the above cause. The craftsmen are encouraged to develop products for the local and tourism target markets also. We aim to provide a common platform to the entire artisan community (known & unknown both) through community bases organization like SHGs and Artisans groups.



- **Sustainable Relationship:** We nurture a respectful relationship with all our partner artisans. They are considered as equivalent partners in our growth. Mutual trust and transparency are maintained for a long-term relationship. We look forward to networking and providing better opportunities to our partner artisans.





The realities of rural life of women in Thar Desert of Rajasthan, India is difficult to comprehend. While a small minority of people in major cities has benefited from the information revolution of the past decade, the lives of most people in rural Rajasthan mainly in Barmer District have hardly improved. A majority of villages do not have sustainable economies.

Development of women involves many things - economic opportunity, social equality, and personal rights. Women deprived of these human rights, often as a matter of tradition. In rural areas of Barmer district, women generally not perceived to have any meaningful income generation capacity, and hence, they relegated mainly to household duties and cheap labour. We for the years are focused to assist and support to have access to quality education, health, economy, leadership, decision making, and hold on the properties and to overcome from prevalent social evils. We do make efforts for women empowerment through.



**Leadership development:** This year we have organised 7 capacity building workshops on leadership development. We also support women through the SHG formation and formalising this community based organization with community leaders. We screen the prospective women leaders during our project implementation, who work for the overall development of the women.

**Nai Roshani:** We have conducted programs at gram panchayat level to make Panchayat more participative for women leaders. We have been able to strengthen women leaders. Through this program we have been able to strengthen women in respect to the Gram Panchayat level election.

**Women Rights Advocacy:** To fight against the social evil, dowry, land rights and social injustice we have organised rallies and advocacy workshops in 8 villages of the Gadra and Ramsar area.





## Women centric development

**Intervention:** to strengthen the women at all level we have targeted all the activities having the greater participation of women. We have partnered various government organizations to foster the women economic, skill, livelihood development support. Today more than 5780 women artisan with the support of their family members are self sustained.

Our women empowerment program aims to assist deprived women to improve their self-confidence by helping them improve their literacy and other life skills. Living in a male-dominated society, some women in India are illiterate and lack the opportunities to develop this (and other) fundamental skills.

We work for:

- Improve the prospects of girls and young women in Barmer through teaching and support initiatives.
- Share skills and knowledge with young women through training sessions and classes.
- Enhance women's knowledge and skills in the livelihood generation.
- Expose locals to general knowledge, food, and cultures beyond their own.
- Increase knowledge of culture, and customs through constant engagement with locals.
- Women Empowerment Schemes
- We inform about the Beti Bachao Beti Padhao Scheme, Women Helpline Scheme, Support to Training and Employment Programme for Women (STEP), provide counselling and monitoring, Provide guidance for nutritional and wholesome diet.





The education development in remote locations of districts of Thar Desert has lack of education and literacy among youth and children. School going age children's are engaged in early mother care of siblings, domestic and agriculture work, which keep them out of school.

The organization is committed to promote the cause of ensuring children's accessibility to education through formal and informal education and literacy programs aligned with the developmental and skilling programs.

### **Nav Chetna School:**

To bring dropout children in to mainstream MMBA is running Non Formal education Centers termed as Nav Chetna School. Previously, MMBA was running seven schools and now children are enrolled in government school.

In current year, we identified five slum areas in Barmer, where we run school. Nehru Nagar (under the bridge) & Ratanada area, we did meetings with community and parents and started NAV CHETNA School from July 2015 and continue to work. The total no of students enrolled in the NAV CHETNA School is 159 till date.



### **Literacy program of rural women and girls:**

MMBA believe that certain steps is must to achieve the development goals and these include education to all, literacy of illiterate and access to school dropouts which can contribute to sustainable access to knowledge bank, health aspect, economic decision making and to compete with the modern society. Hence we try to



educate village women and adolescent girls have been away from the school learning. We have incorporated certain aspect of literacy with all of our training programs, development activities and projects. By this year we have been able to literate more than 2030 women and girls.

## **Aims and Objectives**

- Contribute to the improvement of women and girls literacy rates by establishing centres specifically for women;
- Promote the wellbeing of women and their children through literacy and skills training by exploring themes that address their concerns;
- Organize women's groups to encourage women to attend literacy centres more regularly and to understand the importance of participation in lifelong education centres;
- Promote the learning of simple techniques and income-generating skills (sewing, knitting, marketing, embroidery, appliqué, patch work, cut work, animal husbandry, agriculture and culinary arts) to allow women to carry out income-generating activities; and
- We do focus on writing names, understanding simple calculations, solving day to day problems, putting signatures and maintaining growths.





### Ensuring Child Health

MMBA facilitated to the rural midwives, ANM, AWW because they play main role in total immunization (Supplementation) of eligible children at village level. Mostly Eligible children were benefited for first time by this immunization activity in this area. Immunization awareness for providing primary health care services through people's participation, Cooperation from the concerned health centers, by conducting social meetings at village level. MMBA efforts have made to increase accessibility for Immunization facilities for the villagers. Care taken to ensure that main beneficiary will be a child between 9-18 months old for measles vaccination and 6-60 month for vitamin A supplementation. Cleanliness of eyes, especially the newborn with the clean towel made clear to the Tabs.

### Malaria Prevention Programme

MMBA Directly took initiative to sprinkle the DDT helping the Malaria prevention department. The aim was to not only search the persons suffering from Malaria but also prevent the disease, so team sprinkled the DDT in the villages of Barmer, Sindhari block and Jaisalmer.

- Malaria cases reduced in project area.
- People are aware to take precaution to prevent Malaria disease.
- People are taking treatment from qualified doctors and not using their traditional methods of going to Bhopas and homemade remedies.

### Female Infanticides & Force Marriage

MMBA have special attention on female infanticides issues in various Programme activities organized in working area. During meetings volunteer and staff aware people and community on serious issue. Sensitization of Village development committee, self help group member, TBAs and volunteers done during the year. Other Health and Hygiene Initiative include:

- Literacy and development (development issues are discussed by groups);
- Reproductive health (pregnancy, pre-natal check-ups, family planning, nutrition of newborn babies and expectant and breast-feeding mothers, and weaning);
- Health and disease: oral hygiene, malnutrition, communicable diseases (measles, cholera, meningitis and tuberculosis), common diseases (malaria, diarrhoea, colds and respiratory infections, and goitre), chronic diseases (diabetes, high blood pressure and sickle-cell anaemia), tetanus and STI/HIV/AIDS





Water scarcity and drought affect people in arid, semi-arid and dry sub-humid areas, threatening livelihoods and food security. In these areas, the only available water may be surface runoff during rainy seasons or groundwater. Being part of the Thar Desert, Barmer witness frequent droughts and has relative effect over the life of people. This always accompanied by unemployment, School drop outs, reduced animal husbandry and migration.

At the other end, due to soil and shells of desert do not soak the water, resulting in flood, in the recent years Barmer has witnessed two floods. Furthermore, water has high value of fluoride resulting in health problems and agriculture production issues. To counter the situation MMBA has made continues efforts over the years. This include



- **Education and awareness on safe drinking water.**
- **Develop, support and construct water recharging units.**
- **Water harvesting tools and techniques.**
- **Advocacy and Right Based approaches to have access to water.**
- **Water resource management tools and techniques.**
- **Drought, flood and fluoride mitigation measures.**

In the Financial year 2017-18 MMBA has taken proactive measures to meet the drought, which will directly benefit 20608 People in Barmer, Baitu, Sheo and Ramsar block of Barmer District. By the year end we have been able to follow-up the tanka constructed through our past efforts in the year 2015. During this activity we have found 39 Tanka and small well which need intensive maintained work so as to ensure the safe drinking water in continuity. In next financial year MMBA will have plan to complete the maintained work with the help of community and plan to seek financial assistance to carry out the same.





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## Disaster Response

Based on previous Research on Disaster Management MMBA always takes regular proactive initiative. On the basis of the following finding of previous studies MMBA has taken new initiatives at village level.

- Recurring drought is the major disaster in the area and has badly affected the people.
- On an average out of every 10 years, seven years are drought years in the area.
- Major sources of livelihood are shattered by drought.
- Lack of pasture land and water availability affects the livestock and human leading to migration from the area.
- Meddling with environment and biodiversity by humans is worsening drought.
- Improper hygiene and un purified water usage during the drought cause the various.

This year we have done cleaning of three water storage small size ponds. We have also removed its silting to increase the water storage capacity. We have done these activities with the help of the people led development approach.





Organization has conducted agriculture research work in different blocks of Barmer district to study various situations. There is different agriculture land and slightly different pattern of cropping. Water resources and option of livelihood are also different. The findings of the study are as follow:

- Local resources are pervasive in the area
- Implying the better local technique can increase the production.
- Abundance of medicinal plants which can improve earning sources
- Need of scientific/technical equipments for qualitative agriculture
- Systematic selling and marketing is required in the area
- There is lack of awareness regarding better seeds, fertilizers and new techniques
- According to the analysis agriculture and animal husbandry occupations could be improved through better management and usage of latest technologies which could generate the other sources of income and halt the migration.

### **Encouragement of women farmers:**

Women farmer are huge amount in western part of Rajasthan, but usually they know only traditional pattern of farming or agriculture and cultivation, also they are only doing supporting role in farming and cultivation. They are mainly dependent on decisions of male partners. While migration of the male partner, agriculture work is affected or delayed and to counter organization think of capacity building of women farmer to improve the production input and output. We do it through



- Block level workshops: this year we have conducted two workshops with to prepare prospective farmers.
- Introduction to new technologies of farming, cultivation, seeding and cropping.
- We aware on drip and sprinkler irrigation system, less water cropping, quality of crop also etc.

In this development process, aware on subsidy, insurance and compensation of crops, we trained 113 women farmers this year.

### **Animal Husbandry:**

The main occupation in border districts of Barmer and Jaisalmer is agriculture and animal husbandry, but due to frequent droughts, the people have to face difficulties in their lives. Most of the people in these districts are dependent on sheep rearing for their livelihood.







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- Strengthen advocacy wing, particularly in areas of democratic reforms, Education ,disable's' rights, women rights, child rights and mass communication
- Entrepreneurship development (local resources and skill based) for disabled and women
- Institutionalizing initiatives to sustain interventions
- Develop capacities to deal with existing system and face the problems
- Ensured women participation in planning, implementation and management of various development programmes
- Special programmes for women health care
- Development of drinking water sources
- Promote traditional water management techniques
- Mass awareness for health care and available health care facilities
- Providing safe and affordable health care services
- Increase asses of people in all government schemes, provisions and programmes





### सहायता सामग्री का वितरण

आस्कर ब्यूज, बाड़मेर, 22 अक्टूबर। जिला स्वयंसेवी महिला मंडल आंगोर द्वारा एकत्रित की गई सामग्री का वितरण...

पं. नेहर्स की जयंती पर ग्रामीण क्षेत्रों में रैली निकाली, बच्चों को अधिकार बताए 'बच्चों का भविष्य संवारने के लिए सजग रहें'

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बाड़मेर। महिला समूह दिवस पर्यावरण विकास मनाती।

### कठपुतली शो व नुक्कड़ नाटक आयोजित

आस्कर ब्यूज, जैसलमेर, 20 जुलाई। बालिका शिक्षा, साफ-सफाई, बच्चों एवं गर्भवती/छात्री महिलाओं के पोषाहार आदि पर केन्द्रित है।

### महिला समूहों ने विश्व पर्यावरण दिवस मनाया

बाड़मेर। स्वयंसेवी संस्था महिला मंडल विश्व पर्यावरण सप्ताह के दूसरे दिन रावत में महिलाओं की पर्यावरण जागरूकता गोष्ठी हुई।

### आमूखीकरण कार्यशाला का आयोजन

बाड़मेर @ पत्रिका, महिला मण्डल बाड़मेर आंगोर की ओर से आम जनता को करने के लिए...

### स्वास्थ्य समूहों को प्रशिक्षण दिया

आस्कर ब्यूज, जैसलमेर, 10 दिसंबर। देवीकोट में गांव के 145 संभागियों तथा रासला में छह गांव के स्वास्थ्य समूहों को एएनएम श्रीमती रमिता के सहयोग से प्रशिक्षण दिया गया।

### महिला संगठनों ने मनाया विश्व नशामुक्ति दिवस

नवज्योति/बाड़मेर। स्वयंसेवी संस्था महिला मंडल बाड़मेर आंगोर द्वारा रावतसर गांव में विश्व नशामुक्ति दिवस मनाया गया। इसमें 90 से अधिक की संख्या में महिलाओं ने भाग लिया।



शिक्षण

संस्था समन्वयक आदिल भाई ने जानकारी देते हुए बताया कि...

समिति की बैठक में आदिल भाई को कौशल प्रशिक्षण के लिए बाड़मेर जिले के कलेक्टर मधुसूदन ने ब्रांड एंबेसडर के रूप में आदिल भाई को नियुक्त किया...







## FORM NO. 10B

[See rule 17B]

Audit report under section 12A(b) of the Income-tax Act, 1961, in the case of charitable or religious trusts or institutions

We have examined the balance sheet of **MAHILA MANDAL BARMER AGORE** [name of the trust or institution] PAN **AABTM1493J** as at **31/03/2018** and the Profit and loss account for the year ended on that date which are in agreement with the books of account maintained by the said Trust or institution. We have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of the audit. In our opinion, proper books of account have been kept by the head office and the branches of the above named trust visited by us so far as appears from our examination of the books, and proper Returns adequate for the purposes of audit have been received from branches not visited by us, subject to the comments given below:

In our opinion and to the best of our information, and according to information given to us, the said accounts give a true and fair view-

- (i) in the case of the balance sheet, of the state of affairs of the above named trust as at **31/03/2018**
- (ii) the case of the profit and loss account, of the profit or loss of its accounting year ending on **31/03/2018**

The prescribed particulars are annexed hereto.



for S J K J P AND ASSOCIATES  
Chartered Accountants

**KANISH SINGHAL**  
(PARTNER)  
M. No. : 417814  
FRN : 0014450C

AYODHYA, AGARWALOW KA MOHALLA,  
BARMER-344001 RAJASTHAN

Date : 12/08/2018  
Place : BARMER

**MAHILA MANDAL BARMER AGOR**  
:: Receipt & Payments For The Year 2017-18 ::

Receipt	Amount	Payment	Amount
<b>To Opening Balance</b>		<b>By Fixed Assets</b>	
HDFC Bank	594012.95	Motor Cycle	71400.00
Axis Bank	3787.42	<b>By Programme Exp</b>	
IDBI Bank	6391.00	DCH Prog.Exp	15000.00
Sbi (Pratap Ji Ki Prot)	2793.92	NSFDC Gadara Prog.Exp	2256631.00
ICICI Bank	436.00	NSFDC Khayani Prog.Exp	898890.00
Sbi Collectore	136.00	NSFDC Khudani Prog.Exp	476410.00
Cash in hand	49771.87	NSFDC Mapuri Prog.Exp	879590.00
<b>To Loan Received From</b>		Road Safty Prog.Exp	5465759.80
Nikita Praveen Bothra	300000.00	Ruda Prog.Exp	233420.00
Praveen Kumar	350000.00	Sipda Prog.Exp	3721138.16
<b>To Grant Received For Prog.</b>		Ustad Mom Prog.Exp	15838286.60
PWD Rajasthan Road Safty Prog.	9737670.00	<b>By Loan Liability</b>	
PWD Travel Prog.	32736.80	Nikita Praveen Bothra	300000.00
NSFDC Prog.	2666208.00	Praveen Kumar	350000.00
DCH Delhi For DCH Prog.	686820.00	<b>By Current Liabilities</b>	
Rural Non From Development Ag.	115500.00	Staff Salary	480945.00
Sipda Prog.	5233.60	Sundry Creditores	1559830.00
Sipda Project	6138026.00	TDS 17-18	20160.00
Received From Ustad (MOM) Prog.	19780000.00	<b>By Current Assets</b>	
Ustad Mom Prog.	73000.00	Bank Gauranty NSFDC	291594.40
<b>To Various Received</b>		Sundry Debtors	6750228.00
Devi Mariene Food	475000.00	<b>By Indirect Exp</b>	
EPCS Programme	38400.00	Bank Charges	15749.65
Kadar Export PVLtd	1700000.00	EPCH Gagriya Prog.Exp	16550.00
NEFT Return	744447.35	GST Charges	118.00
A Attarwala Co.Pvt.Ltd	6300000.00	Jamiya Social Research	60180000.00
Always Infracuter Pvt.LTD	2500000.00	<b>By Sundry Creditores</b>	
Freedom Prog.	40000000.00	Adil Khan	2000000.00
Paper Pack Agency	32500000.00	Madaniat	10000.00
Zaika Resturant	500000.00	Sarana Akhtar	2298720.00
Chand Fruty	4000000.00	<b>By Closing Balance</b>	
Universal Cold Storage	325000.00	Bank Account	28767539.90
<b>To Donation Received</b>		Cash in hand	18527.40
Donation From Other	461610.00		
<b>To Current Liabilities</b>			
Sundry Creditores	220749.00		
<b>To Current Assets</b>			
Sundry Debtors	2491973.00		
<b>To Sundry Creditores</b>			
Adil Khan	42000.00		
To Bank Interest	75783.00		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>132916487.91</b>		<b>132916487.91</b>

For Chairperson  
Mahila Mandal Barmer Agor  
Place: Barmer  
Date:12/08/2018

For Secretary



For S J K J P & ASSOCIATES  
Chartered Accountant

**(Kanish Singh)**  
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## MAHILA MANDAL BARMER AGOR

### :: Income & Expenditure For The Year 2017-18 ::

Expenditure	Amount	Income	Amount
<b>To Indirect Exp</b>		<b>By Various Received</b>	
Bank Charges	15749.65	Devi Mariene Food	475000.00
EPCH Gagriya Prog.Exp	36396.00	EPCS Programme	42000.00
GST Charges	118.00	Kadar Export Pvt.Ltd	1700000.00
Jamiya Social Research	75055000.00	NEFT Return	744447.35
		A Attarwala Co.Pvt.Ltd	6300000.00
<b>To Programme Exp</b>		Always Infracuter Pvt.LTD	2500000.00
DCH Prog.Exp	15000.00	Freedom Prog.	4000000.00
NSFDC Gadara Prog.Exp	2788295.00	Paper Pack Agency	32500000.00
NSFDC Khanyani Prog.Exp	1187362.00	Zaika Resturant	500000.00
NSFDC Khudani Prog.Exp	476410.00	Chand Fruty	4000000.00
NSFDC Mapuri Prog.Exp	1524590.00	Universal Cold Storage	325000.00
Road Safty Prog.Exp	13232005.00		
Ruda Prog.Exp	233420.00	<b>By Grant Received For Prog.</b>	
Sipda Prog.Exp	3823904.56	PWD Rajasthan Road Sefty Prog.	10557022.00
Usstad Mom Prog.Exp	27403439.40	NSFDC Prog.	2718580.00
		DCH Delhi For DCH Prog.	685820.00
<b>To Surplus During the Year</b>	<b>3827100.74</b>	Rural Non From Development Ag.	115500.00
		Sipda Project	6138028.00
		Received From Usttad (MOM) Prog.	19780000.00
		<b>By Donation Received</b>	
		Donation From Other	461610.00
		<b>By Bank Interest</b>	<b>75783.00</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>129618790.35</b>		<b>129618790.35</b>

For Chairperson  
Mahila Mandal Barmer Agor

For Secretary

Place: Barmer  
Date:12/08/2018



For S J K J P & ASSOCIATIES  
Chartered Accountant

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## MAHILA MANDAL BARMER AGOR

### :: BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31ST MARCH 2018 ::

Liabilities	Amount	Assets	Amount
<b>Capital Fund</b>	8889417.54	<b>Fixed Assets</b>	
Add: Surplus & Reserav Fund	6221620.12	Last Year Balance	5386425.81
		Motorcycle	71400.00
	15111037.66		5457825.81
<b>Current Liabilities</b>		<b>Currents Assets</b>	
Provision	526225.00	Sundry Debtors	1344350.15
TDS 2017-18	21840.00	Bank Gauranty NSFDC	291594.40
	548065.00	TDS 2016-17	254361.00
		TDS 2017-18	875324.00
Sundry Creditores	21350420.00		<b>2765629.55</b>
		<b>Closing Balance</b>	
		Bank	28767539.90
		Cash in hand	18527.40
			28786067.30
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>37009522.66</b>		<b>37009522.66</b>

For Chairperson  
Mahila Mandal Barmer Agor

For Secretary

Place: Barmer  
Date:12/08/2018

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