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Monthly Report of April

This monthly report contains an overview of the activities conducted by Project Pothchola in April. Project Pothchola, a Give Bangladesh initiative, organizes sessions at Joy Shokol Shishur Shelter Home in Uttara, focusing on the well-being and mental health of children of sex workers. In April, during the month of Eid Celebrations, Pothchola organized an event and a session aimed at spreading Eid happiness among Underprivileged children.

The Pre-Eid celebration was particularly memorable as it marked the first time the children had the opportunity to celebrate with renowned actor, Siam Ahmed. The movie star surprised the children with his presence, transforming their ordinary afternoon into a dreamlike experience. He spent the entire afternoon engaged with the children, discussing their aspirations, dancing to their favorite songs, sharing an iftar together, and participating in Namaj. The children played Shap ludo games with the help of Siam and solved puzzles created out of his movie posters. The children gifted a portrait of Siam Ahmed, where all the children left marks of their names. At the end of the Event, with laughter all around the room, Siam presented all the children with new clothes as a token of love so that they could have a very happy Eid. This heartwarming event was a significant step towards mainstreaming the children and, for the children, broadening their horizons to a world of possibilities beyond their immediate circumstances.

We organized a post-Eid celebration session as part of our routine operations, focusing on fun and engaging activities. Volunteers led a game session with 60 children divided into two age groups: Wings (8–11 years old) and Planes and Pilots (12–15 years old). To manage the large group, volunteers divided them into separate rooms. For the Wings group, volunteers organized four games: Ful Toka (tapping on the forehead), aim game, three-legged race, and toothpick tower. These games aimed to promote teamwork, unity, and discipline while emphasizing values like resilience and tolerance. With the Planes and Pilots group, volunteers conducted three games: bingo, dumb charades, and human tic-tac-toe. These activities also focused on enhancing comprehension, unity, and group discipline. Throughout the session, the emphasis was on fostering personal and group development, as well as instilling values of resilience and tolerance, regardless of victory or defeat. At the session's end, all children received gifts and snacks to further enrich their experience.



We extend our deepest gratitude for your continued support and cooperation, which have made our work with these innocent souls more manageable. Your generosity has significantly contributed to our mission of mainstreaming children from sex worker backgrounds through Project Pothchola, enabling us to provide flexible and impactful interventions.

Thank you.