

4 CHILDREN COMMUNITY INITIATIVE



Synergizing energies, Liberating futures.

Welcome To The First Edition Of **4CCI News**



I pray that the Almighty showers his infinite blessings on this ambitious undertaking, as I truly believe that 4CCI is a unique opportunity to return the debt that we owe to this motherland.

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Walid Mushtag Patron In Chief 4cci



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In the ever changing world of today, with wavering global economies, the biggest challenge for the governments of developing nations remain, the provision of essential healthcare, quality education, better employment opportunities, improved social justice and sound development policies. The situation in Pakistan is not much different from other countries, where the strained economy has created an ever increasing wealth divide, a divide that allows only a few privileged to access better opportunities, whereas the majority is left to face the harshness of life with insufficient skills and resources.

Our problems are so acute that our government cannot tackle these alone.

Research is evident of the fact that in today's milieu, it is these synergistic relationships that will help the government to respond to the burgeoning social development issues. No sector alone has either the capacity or the capability to respond to the social challenges in a comprehensive manner. Recognizing the benefits of synergies, countries all over the world opt for these multi-stakeholder dependencies to make tangible and significant contributions to the society.4CCI is another program that will adopt these synergistic approach to tackle the social problems of the country.

For my self, 4CCI is a self effacing endeavor which will strive to improve the lives of the marginalized people specially women and children. Our canvass of dynamic reforms is broad and includes; school up gradation programs, Program-Vocational Training for Women Empowerment, Disaster Management, Advocating Gender Equality, Youth Mobilization Programs, Computer Literacy - Providing Computer Access & promoting E-learning.



ABOUT US

4 Children community Initiative is a non government, non for profit autonomous registered organization under section 42 of the companies Ordinance 1984, under the regulatory supervision of the Securities & Exchange Commission of Pakistan.

4CCI is the brain child of the dynamic Walid Mushtaq focused on ameliorating the lives of children, youth and women in urban, semi urban and rural communities across Pakistan. This initiative stems from his infectious enthusiasm for community building and social uplift.

OUR FOCUS AREAS:

- School Up gradation Program.
- Vocational Training for Women Empowerment.
- Disaster Management & Preparedness.
- Train the Teacher Program.
- Advocating Gender Equality.Computer Literacy Providing Computer
- Access & promoting E- learning.
- Youth Mobilization Programs.
- Nutrition , Hygiene, Ethics Education. Gender Equality.

Our Achievements:

4CCI PATRON IN CHIEF WON 4 CEO GLOBAL EXCELLENCE AWARDS

4cci patron in chief has won the Global CEO Excellence Award in 4 categories according to a recent press release. He was the most prolific recipient with awards in three categories which speak volumes of his leadership and academic acumen. He was the proud recipient of "Award in Innovation in Education", "Visionary Education Leader Award", "Director of the year Award" & "Appreciation Award from Sindh Government".



4CCI CELEBRATES UNIVERSAL CHILDREN DAY

4 children community initiative in collaboration with Government of Pakistan, Directorate General of Special Education, social welfare, child welfare and development capital administration and development Division, PLAN and Government of Pakistan organized Universal Children's Day. Rootsians were highly enthralled in symbolizing the significance of children towards our nation, magnetizing children's rights and eradication of Child abuse & child labor.



OUR PAST PROJECTS

- ▼ Flood Relief Project
- ▼ 4CCI Sister School Initiative
- ✓ 4CCI Computer Literacy Program
- ▼ 4CCI Vocational Training Program for Underprivileged Community



GLOBAL SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP

The Global School Partnership (GSP) Program under British Council is aimed to connect schools all across the world to UK schools, in order to extend the understanding of the disparity between education and global education. The program starts with a partnership developed among schools and then instigation of an array of projects developed by the students of both school. These projects cover all aspects of life, from basic education practices, to global issues in our societies. Roots School System has been an active participant of this program with a healthy link established to our partner school in Cambridge UK, by the name St. Ivo School. Alongside this 10 Roots Schools are twinned with 10 UK schools in Cambridgeshire forming a cluster partnership. Under this program it is an honor that our International program Manager Humaira Hameed visited UK School and spent five working days there to communicate and interact with students and teachers. The main objective behind the visit is to maintain a sustainable and strong long term partnership between the two schools. It gives the incentive and motivation to make the partnership thrive, continue to develop and to embed collaborative activities into curriculum.







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4CCI BRIDGING DISTANCES & HARNESSING DIVERSITY:

Mr. Walid Mushtaq Patron in chief 4CCI recently visited the UK. This was an opportunity to identify and explore new prospects for academia. He had received a special invitation from the Tony Blair's Foundation to attend the Faith Shorts Awards 2011, where youth between the ages of 14 and 18, showcased their films in three categories: Family, Action and Musical. He also visited and met with representatives of several UK universities including the London School of Economics, University of London, Williams Law CE School, University of Sussex, Thomas Deacon Academy, and St Ivo School. With the visits he was able to observe and identify areas of cooperation between the respective educational institutions. He was invited by the Mayor, Councilor Paula Thacker MBE, of the city of Peterborough, a lively city consisting of a large population of immigrants from commonwealth countries like India and Pakistan, and a prime example of how people from different cultures can co-exist and prosper. He commented on his visit "In recent years there has been an increased demand in developing countries for improved educational access, and students in Pakistan are seeking better opportunities to receive world class education in world class institutions. As societies open up to embrace globalization, a gaping distance is observed between the educational institutions of developed and the developing countries".



MEHFIL-E-MILAD AND TURKISH PHOTOGRAPH EXHIBITION ORGANIZED BY 4CCI

4CCI, 4 Children Community Initiative, a social sector initiative of Roots School System founded by young educationist Chaudhry Walid Mushtag in collaboration with Rumi Forum, a Turkish origin intercultural dialogue platform organized "Mehfil-e-Milad and Turkish Photo Exhibition named "The Sacred Trusts" at Roots School System. Dr. Firdous Ashiq Awan, Federal Minister for information and broadcasting, graced the occasion as a chief Guest. Turkish Photo Exhibition "The Sacred Trusts" gave a pictorial glimpse of the relics and revered belongings of various prophets & companions of Prophet Muhammad (P.B.U.H), all of which are kept and exhibited at the Topkapi Palace Museum, Istanbul, Turkey. Towards the end, Madam Firdous Ashiq Awan appreciated the efforts of Patron in Chief Walid Mushtaq for his commitment towards eradicating the cause of gender inequality & to create a technology rich environment for students and teachers equally across the board.



4CCI PAK-CHINA INITIATIVE:

Cultural fusion is the essence of humanity. Therein lies a most fundamental principle of peace: respect for diversity! Therefore respecting cultural diversity celebrated "Pak - China Friendship -

Occasion was graced with venerated Guests: Mr. Mushahid Hussain Syed, Chairman Pakistan China Institute & secretary general PML-Q, H.E Yang Linhai, Cultural Counsler and Mr. Cai Ming, Cultral Attache. Celebrations proceeded with an enthusiastic Speech delivered by Mr. Mushahid Hussain to young audience by complimenting the untiring efforts done by Patron in Chief Walid Mushtaq. The performers gave mind blowing performances with their exquisite, vibrantly colorful dresses embellished with jewelry to provide an enchanting spectrum of cultures of Pakistan & China. H.E Yang Linhai deeply appreciated the hard work put in by students in presenting Chinese Culture and articulated that together hand in hand with China, the two nations can achieve greatness. Our future is together as partners.



CONCENTRATES ON THE POSITIVES



"HARNESSING GLOBAL DIVERSITY"

Keeping to its phenomenal tradition. 4 children community initiative organized a performance through arts event themed; "Harnessing Global Diversity"- an exhilarating and spellbinding performance through arts & display of mesmerizing diverse cultures across the globe. The occasion was elevated with the distinguished presence of who's who of the city including Mr. Faisal Sakhi Butt, Chairman PM task force on Islamabad. This event was held to mark the friendship year celebrations between Pakistan & China. The event was one of its kinds to accelerate talent of students in a most fashionable fun-filled and competitive environment. The event turned out to be a fascinating and encapsulating marathon of non stop entertainment. "Mr. Faisal Sakhi Butt" profoundly appreciated the untiring efforts of students in presenting such a display of remarkably enthralling performances that made the event a huge success.







4CCI CELEBRATES TEACHERS DAY IN DAR-UL-FALAH:

4CCI celebrated Teachers day at orphanage where some of the children along with their mothers housed at Daar-ul-Falah took part in the venture. The main purpose of celebrating this event with the children was to highlight the importance of "Gender Equality" in the society.

4CCI with its active teacher engagement program plays a pivotal role in developing teachers.

The event commenced with the team reaching Dar-ul-falah, after some preliminaries time was then spent in engaging students in multiple activities, in an attempt to inculcate the importance of gender equality amongst the mothers present.

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