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PROMISE WELFARE SOCIETY

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Our Vision:

To be a leading charity that provides humanitarian services including supporting less fortunate families, university education, and children in fulfillment of our commitment towards them.

Our Mission:

Promise Welfare Society's, (PWS) concern is to plan and provide humanitarian services in the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan and abroad. We ensure our success through a range of services, with efficiency and outstanding performance to less fortunate families, their children, and Society in general; both locally, and to our neighboring countries that are exposed to disasters and humanitarian crises, within an atmosphere of care and attention.



Our Values:

It is essential for our values to be woven in all that we do to achieve our vision in the following manner:

- Honesty and Integrity.
- Providing humanitarian services in a fair and equal manner to target groups.
- Encouraging and rewarding innovation.
- Recognizing individual and collective contributions of PWS achievements.
- Seeking excellence in everything we do.

Our Goals:

- Doing business for the sake of goodness and charity.
- Working in the field of providing support and assistance to the impoverished and disadvantaged families and providing charitable subsidies.
- Promoting amity, harmony, and cooperation among the members.
- Contributing and coordinating officially and publically by means of charitable efforts in order to care for and help the poor, less fortunate, orphans, and victims of disasters.
- Spreading the spirit of love, cooperation, social solidarity, and family bonding between members of the community.
- The establishment of charitable funds and encouraging individuals, institutions, public and private sectors to provide cash or in kind donations as much as possible for the sake of charity work, while coordinating with the relevant authorities.



- Supporting qualified, less fortunate people wishing to work in small group and individual production projects by providing them with easy pay loans in order to find job opportunities for the unemployed.
- Organizing lectures and seminars to promote love and coexistence between members of the community.
- Improving the environment by planting trees and taking care of them, as well as raising awareness on the importance of protecting trees, green spaces, and public gardens, by considering them the true lung of cities.
- Establishing educational and craft courses and training programs in various fields.
- Helping needy students to complete their university studies by securing scholarships and easy pay loans.
- Carrying out investment projects to increase the revenues of PWS and its affiliates, individually or in collaboration with others.
- Carrying out production projects to increase the revenues of PWS and the less fortunate families.
- Exchanging experiences, social, cultural, and artistic programs with similar local and international associations, within the scope of the PWS goals.



PWS in a few lines:

PWS was established on the 23rd of October 1989, under the chairmanship of Her Royal Highness Princess Alia Al Tabba, and a group of Jordanian women volunteers, sharing a common goal and sincere desire to support goodwill in Jordan. PWS was able to turn its hopes and ambitions into reality through the services it offers by making significant impact in the lives of individuals and families it supervises; believing that education is a right for all and is the mirror of a nation's civilization and a building block in constructing culture.

PWS is well aware that if poverty, disease, and ignorance meet, they form a threatening triad on the community. From this point, and keen on fulfilling its Promise, PWS has accomplished the following:

1) Scholarships (A core function of PWS):

These scholarships are granted through the PWSs Scholarship Fund aiming to cover the full educational expenses of a number of outstanding female and male students coming from less fortunate families, who need financial support to be the hope of helping their families and lifting them out of the misery of poverty in the future.

A special committee studies the case of each applicant, and selects the qualified ones for a scholarship. The number of beneficiaries who have successfully completed their university studies up until this year (**2016**) is **650** students who studied in different Jordanian Universities. Each scholarship recipient costs PWS approximately JD **1800** annually through fund raising and donations.

250 graduating students achieved academic excellence in all scientific subjects, and one of them achieved a patent.

The number of students studying in universities today are **140** students.

The number of students who received a scholarship for this year **2015/2016** are **28** students.

Personal Scholarship Success Stories

Abdullatif

I did not have the funds to continue studying after high school and this saddened me. My parents, bless their souls, tried to support me emotionally, I needed to find financial support. Therefore, I decided to approach Promise Welfare Society. I never wanted anyone there or elsewhere to look upon me with pity, but they were like guardian angels who welcomed me warmly and helped me continue my studies without the feeling that I was receiving a charity. If organizations like this still persist, then our world is still well. I promised myself to repay Promise Welfare Society, and contribute to my society.

Hazem Al-Nammari

I am blessed to be a 32-year-old married man with one child. I am also an administrative consultant at the United Nations. The above blessings would not have seen the light of day, without the efforts of Promise Welfare Society which paid for me to continue my studies and reach this point in my life today. I continuously try to get involved with charities to give the same opportunity granted to me, and allow other students to continue their studies and realize their aspirations. I follow the example of Promise Welfare Society because I am a living example that education gives a better quality of life.

Akram Awwad

While I come from a loving family, I have two siblings with mental disability, and my parents suffer from high blood pressure and diabetes. With a difficult home and financial background, I still tried to excel at school in order to study electrical engineering. My hard work paid off when the door of opportunity opened for me through Promise Welfare Society. They took my 97.7 grade in the Tawjihi examinations as an indication of my abilities, and supported me financially so I could attain my bachelors. I am blessed to have crossed paths with this Charity.

Ferdaous Bahjat

One evening in Ramadan, I was praying to God for an opportunity to study, and someone had heard my prayer, Promise Welfare Society, they gave me the chance to study Medicine, and enabled me to give my mother a good life. This society promises students who have difficulties in continuing their studies to receive that push that is the first step in their road to success.

Eman Al-Battiri

Living up to its name, Promise Welfare Society, gives us real support thereby, promising a better future armed with education. I was studying accounting and sustaining high grades at university. When I finished the second year, I submitted my papers to the Promise Welfare Society in hope to get a scholarship and continue my studies. I was fortunate enough to be supported by this organization.

2) College Student Facilitated Loan Program:

PWS started implementing this program towards the beginning of the academic year **2010/2011** in cooperation with the Union Bank, along with the support of USAID. Each student receives an easy pay loan and is granted eight years to pay it back after graduation, with a grace period of one year. Students' loans are offered with **2%** interest less in comparison with loans from elsewhere.

The number of students benefiting from this program until this date (**2016**) is **36** students. After their graduation, the charity will provide support to the same number for another cycle and so on. The number is expected to increase in the event that more support is received for this program.

3) In-Kind Donations:

PWS campaigns during the Holy Month of Ramadan; PWS provides in-kind donations in cooperation with Caritas Jordan and Jordan Hashemite Charity Organization (JHCO) during the Holy Month of Ramadan, and at the onset of the winter season on yearly basis. Support provided includes vouchers with the value of **JD 25 & JD 50** where families can exchange them with food and goods from the Military Service Consumer Cooperation. Another form of support entails providing blankets, clothes, and canned food for families in the various regions of the Kingdom. These yearly campaigns cost PWS near **JD 80 000**.

Less fortunate Family Fund: This fund is for those living under the poverty line with no additional material benefits from other bodies. The number of families who received cash and in-kind monthly donations are about **50** families in Amman and its suburbs. The assistance is estimated at **JD 22 000** per year.

Medical Aid: PWS offers special medical services to different humanitarian cases including children, youth, and families. Medical assistance received from PWS has a significant impact in the continuation and improvement of the quality of people's lives. Operations are cornea implants, artificial limbs, and heart operations. The number of beneficiaries to date is **260** patients.

Emergency Assistance: every year, PWS dedicates a certain amount of funds to tackle emergencies that are difficult to predict. The charity also provides national aid and relief to neighboring countries as has been the case with (Iraq, Bosnia, Expatriates from the Gulf, Southern Lebanon, and **2004** and

2006 Palestinian Uprising) victims. Moreover, in cooperation with the Jordan Hashemite Charity Organization (JHCO), a piggy bank was established to support the children of the Lebanese and Palestine Peoples under threat. In 2009, aid was provided to support the people of Gaza in cooperation with the Welfare Association.

4) Gnayah Kindergarten:

PWS oversees a kindergarten located in Gnayah village near Al-Zarqa that holds the name of Promise. The kindergarten hosts 26 students every year in KG1 and KG2. Their education is supervised by one teacher and one assistant. The number could be larger, but the lack of space and limited resources were the reason for not expanding. This year witnessed the introduction of repairs and providing the kindergarten with new tools supported by the United Nations.

5) The Charity's Student Team:

The team includes students from 12 private schools; The National Orthodox School Shmeisani, The Montessori School, The Ahliyyah School for Girls, The Bishop's School, The Baptist School, The Bayan School, The Rosary College at Marj AlHamam, The Jubilee School, the National Orthodox School Ashrafiyyieh, Philadelphia Schools, International Mashrek School, and Jordan International School; as well as 3 public schools; Al-Zubaydeyyeh School, Arwa Bint Abed Al-Mutaleb School, and Laila Al-Ghofariya School.

The team is trained through workshops and conferences on volunteering, capacity building programs, as well as involving team members in voluntary work and community service projects. This in turn is in attempt to promote a culture of volunteerism and service among them, increasing their motivation, instilling the concepts of loyalty and mutual support, developing a better sense of understanding of the other, and guiding their potential to do good and serve their country.

The 10th and 11th conferences were held in 2014 and 2015 with the participation of 105 male and female students, including individuals from Lebanon and Palestine. Since the establishment of PWS, the student team has completed a number of successful projects. With the received support from UTI / DBL organizations, the student team renovated a number of public schools including Mu'tah School, Um Orouq School, Arwa Bint Abdel Mutaleb School, the Zubaideyyeh School and currently (2016) Laila Ghofareyyeh School to perform the necessary maintenance through collective team work from both students and specialists.

PWS's Resources:

Since its establishment, and until this day, PWS has received a great deal of support from good people who believe in its mission, vision, and goals. It was due to this continued support that the organization is accomplishing its goals and ambitions. PWS carries out and participates in a number of bazars, and charity concerts. Among the number of important concerts that the charity organized was for Fairuz, Nour Mhanna, Zade Dirani, Ayman Tayseer, Kareemeh Sayqali from North Africa.

PWS's new building is equipped with a multi-purpose hall used by PWS and for hire, and a small kitchen, both of which would provide additional income to Promise allowing it to expand its productive scope in providing assistance to the largest number of needy and outstanding students and conduct other charitable work.

Promise Welfare Society's most valuable resource is its flagship project entitled "Made in Jordan". This festival was held at the United Arab Emirates in 2014 and aimed at showcasing Jordanian crafts, home accessories, and local products, in order to support the Jordanian economy, and extend aid for Jordanian associations and institutions who implement productive projects for the advancement of the Jordanian families in desperate need of support and assistance. The Project also aimed to achieve adequate income in favor of the Student Scholarships Fund to broaden the base of educating outstanding students, which is considered to be the main objective of Promise Welfare Society.

Furthermore PWS looks into expanding its work in the above areas to include more students' education, and more support to less fortunate families and for the purpose of cooperation and networking with other similar associations in order to improve and increase the service to all of the regions of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan.



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