

Humanity *matters*



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Humanity First Responds to help Rohingya Refugees

Rohingya Refugees in Bangladesh are in urgent need of assistance. Many people, injured, sick, exhausted and in desperate need of food, clean water and medical aid arrive in makeshift camps in Bangladesh.

Over 600,000 Rohingya refugees have fled to Bangladesh with numbers increasing every day. Currently Humanity First is providing relief to help the Rohingya people.

CLEAN WATER

- 26 Water tube wells (serving 2600 people)
- 25 Portable latrines (serving 3750 people)
- Kutupalong

HEALTH

- Type 1 Emergency Medical Team (EMT)
- Treating 300+ patients per day
- 2 doctors, 3 paramedics

FOOD SECURITY

- Feeding 1000 people per day
- Shalampur Camp



15th Annual Humanity First Golf Tournament

On Sunday, September 10, Humanity First held its 15th Annual Golf Tournament to raise funds for its Food Bank located in Vaughan, Ontario. Serving the needy families of Greater Toronto Area.



Over 45 golfers from various corporations and business participated in the tournament raising much needed funds for Humanity First Foodbank. Presentation about HF Food Bank was made and gifts were presented the prized to winners.



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From the Chairman

Humanity First is regularly engaged in assisting and sponsoring refugees to come to Canada. This activity is throughout the year, but sadly general public only gets involved when there is lots of media coverage.

I often ask this question to myself, where is "humanity" after the media visibility diminishes. With less news - humanity also lessens? We need sponsors to assist the refugees - we can't wait for another media hype. Perhaps there is some stigma attached with refugees - that will be a burden or perhaps they may belong to terrorists groups.

These are all myths. Here are some comparisons for those of us who love numbers. On average 31 people are killed every year by lightning. 69 people are killed by lawnmowers. 264 people are killed annually by hitting a bus. 737 are killed by falling out of bed. 12843 are killed by gun violence and 37000 are killed by traffic accidents. You have a 0.00003% chance of dying in a foreign born terrorist attack.

Let's not be afraid of refugees. Let's step forward and offer to help atleast one family settle in Canada.

When God Almighty blesses us with more money, before we raise our standard of living, we should raise our standard of "giving"! May God bless you! Ameen!



Food Security Program:

Fresh Meat Feeds over 114,000 needy in Africa

Humanity First under its Food Security Program every year Humanity First is able to distribute meat from animal sacrifice (Qurbani) to thousands that would not have been able to afford to eat meat. This year Humanity First Canada with the help of supporters was able to provide fresh meat to 114,700 people.

- Countries Participated = 6
- Animals Sacrificed Goats = 461
- Animal Sacrificed Cows = 98
- Villages/Cities = 121
- Beneficiaries = 114,700

Thank you to our donors that supported this campaign.



Disaster Relief Training Course

Disaster Response Training Course took place from September 22-23.

This challenging course combines classroom instruction with practical training and field exercises to provide a unique experience. This year students were required to sleep in tents to get a real feel of responding in a disaster scenario. Faculty and professionals from UK, USA and Canada conducted this course with attendance of over 40 students.



Hurricane Harvey

Hurricane Harvey made landfall Friday August 26 near Corpus Christi, Texas as a Category 4 hurricane, bringing 130 mph sustained winds and driving rains.

- **Search & Rescue** – rescuing survivors stranded in flooded homes and neighborhoods
- **Emergency Relief Supplies** – providing emergency relief supplies including health and hygiene products, clothing, shoes, blankets, pillows and other necessities
- **Hot & Dry Meals** – serving meals at various shelters and community centers to the displaced
- **Recovery Cleanup** – helping homeowners with the gutting and cleaning of their homes which have been impacted by flooding





Hurricane Maria Puerto Rico Relief

Hurricane Maria caused catastrophic damage and a major humanitarian crisis in Puerto Rico. The category 5 storm hit the US territory of Puerto Rico on September 20th, 2017. There are 3.5 million in Puerto Rico which is equivalent to the State of Connecticut in size.

Humanity First Disaster Relief Team was on ground in Puerto Rico on October 2nd, 2017. Medical and non-medical support was provided. Our team serves over 150,000 meals and thousands of gallons of water, health and hygiene products and other essential supplies to several hundred families.



Mexico Earthquake

Humanity First disaster response team of 16 including 3 physicians are providing relief in La Nopalera in Morelos state and Mexico City. Relief efforts include distribution of food and water; helping with relocation of residents whose houses are damaged; and emergency relief supplies. Our team is also helping a local organization to establish a shelter to care for more than 200 people.



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Humanity First

Mission

Our mission is to serve disaster struck and socially and economically disadvantaged individuals and families in the poorer communities of the world.

Values

Our values are impartial, efficient, collaborative, empowerment, and to help whomever and wherever without discrimination of race, religion, colour or culture.