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## PREFACE

It is a matter of great pleasure to introduce you to the Volume 10(1) of “Uni-Communication”, Annual news bulletin of Sub-Campus Burewala. This news bulletin would be a primary source to provide a comprehensive overview of campus wide activities and events. The curricular and extracurricular activities have been articulated in simple and interesting manner for readers. It also includes information regarding the policy development in the institution, research progress and important announcements. The work of compiling authentic and informative news round the year was not possible without the help of many individuals. We would like to thank faculty members who worked closely with the students, organized successful events i.e trainings, seminars and workshops for the development of institutions. We hope you will enjoy reading of this news bulletin. Any suggestions to improve the next edition are most welcome.

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## KITCHEN GARDENING PROJECT; PROMOTION OF HOME GARDENING IN URBAN AND RURAL AREAS OF PUNJAB

Dated 16th -18th January, 2024 at UAF Sub Campus Burewala; The fruits and vegetables available in Pakistan are not only extremely expensive but also not free from the effects of toxic chemicals and beyond the reach of people. Keeping in view the food and economic crisis in the country and considering the needs of home gardening at house hold level, Three-years Project entitled "Kitchen Gardening" have been initiated to promote home gardening in rural areas in 2022. According to the Honorable Vice Chancellor Professor Dr. Iqrar Ahmad Khan that promoting home gardening on a limited scale in Pakistan is the urgent need of the country and time. Availability of cheap and healthy vegetables and fruits in Pakistan is a dream and its meaning lies in home gardening. Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Principal/Focal Person Project UAF Sub Campus Burewala states that in view of the food and economic crisis in the country, it is very important to launch the home gardening promotion project on a large scale and Dr. Muhammad Dildar Khan Gogi, Project Incharge Burewala Zone, further added that awareness of home gardening in urban and rural communities will help in dealing with food and economic crisis. The aim of this project is to provide awareness to the common masses about all the stages, requirements and methods of growing vegetables and fruits free from toxic chemicals, healthy and cheap at home. According to the vision of Professor Dr. Iqrar Ahmad Khan (Sitara e Imtiaz), women training workshops, community meetings, and seminars on home gardening have also been organized in various colleges, girls high schools, society clubs (especially women's clubs), girls guide associations with the co-operation of Dr. Muhammad Jalal Arif Sahab. Dr. Osama Bin Abdul Hafeez (Deputy Project Incharge), Dr. Rizwan Ashraf and Dr. Shoukat Zaman Khan (Project Team Members) and Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem (Project Focal Person) participated with full dedication and made the participants aware of all the stages, requirements and methods of growing vegetables and fruits that are free from toxic chemicals, healthy and affordable. Within these training workshops, community meetings, and seminars; packets of vegetable seeds, fruit and flowering plants, and edible mushroom packets have also been distributed among participating families, registered home gardeners, and interested participants.





## VISIT TO UAF, SUB CAMPUS BUREWALA BY PROFESSOR DR. IQBAL AZAM KHAN AND DR. MUHAMMAD SHAHID IBN-E-ZAMEER

Dated 29th January 2024, Monday; according to special instructions of Respected Professor Dr. Iqbal Ahmad Khan (Sitara e Imtiaz) Vice Chancellor University of Agriculture Faisalabad, Prof. Dr. Iqbal Azam Khan, Principal Officer Farms and Dr. Muhammad Shahid Ibn e Zameer, Director of Farms, University of Agriculture Faisalabad visited UAF Sub Campus Burewala. Principal Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Dr. Ghulam Mustafa, Farm Manager and Naveed ur Rehman, Assistant Registrar welcomed the guests. Principal Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem provided a detailed information about the various activities related to agriculture in the campus, including the various experiments done on the crops by the students, the infrastructure of the campus, the wheat and other crops planted in the campus. The Principal Officer and Director of Farms also visited the agricultural land of the campus and the wheat crop planted on the farm and expressed satisfaction with the various activities carried out with reference to agriculture in the Burewala campus. They gave their suggestions for further improvement. They suggested that according to the vision of the Honorable Vice-Chancellor, UAF, the process of preparing the best seed in the campus and delivering it to the farmers should be started. He further said that the university will provide infrastructure in this regard. In the end, the Worthy Principal expressed his heartfelt gratitude to honorable guests and also assured to follow the suggestions given by them.



## KASHMIR SOLIDARITY DAY, 2024

A ceremony was organized with reference to February 5, 2024 International Kashmir Solidarity Day at University of Agriculture Faisalabad Sub Campus Burewala. In which, all staff and students participated. Dr. Shaban Sahib officially started the ceremony with the recitation of the Holy Quran. Muhammad Ramadan received the honor of Naat Rasool Maqbool (peace be upon him). Zaheer Abbas (a student from Food Science department) and Ramish Bashir (from Computer Science department) delivered speeches on Kashmir Solidarity Day. Dr. Sajid Mehmood Nadeem, Principal UAF Burewala, addressed the event with reference to Kashmir Solidarity Day, stated that Kashmiris are becoming victims of physical and emotional abuse while being oppressed day by day. Kashmiris are striving for their due rights but they need our support, so we are raising our voices together for marginalized Kashmiri community. The purpose of today's event is to raise our voice for the freedom of Kashmir. At the end of the ceremony, one minute's silence was observed and after that a walk was organized in the form of a rally in which the slogans of Kashmiri's independence raised and a road show was also conducted in order to show solidarity with our Kashmiri community.





**PROFESSOR DR. IQRAR AHMAD KHAN (SITARA-E-IMTIAZ)  
THE VICE CHANCELLOR OF UNIVERSITY OF AGRICULTURE FAISALABAD  
VISITED UAF SUB-CAMPUS BUREWALA**

Dated 26-02-2024 Monday: Professor Dr. Iqrar Ahmad Khan (Sitara e Imtiaz), Vice-Chancellor of University of Agriculture, Faisalabad, visited Sub-campus, Burewala for 2 days. Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Principal UAF, Burewala and his team warmly welcomed the Honorable Vice Chancellor along with Dr. Azam Iqbal, Principal Officer and Director Farms Dr. Shahid Ibn e Zameer. The Principal briefed the Vice Chancellor about the current situation of the campus and various activities related to agriculture on the farm performed in campus. He further informed the Vice-Chancellor that at present the entire area of the campus is under cultivation, on which the Vice-Chancellor expressed his happiness and appreciated by stating that due to exceptional teamwork under the supervision of Dr. Sajid Mahmood, the barren and sand dune area is being cultivated which showcases the enthusiasm and passion of Principal and his team to take Burewala campus to it's peak of excellence in academia and in the field of Agriculture as well. He emphasized that the available canal water should be used on a scientific basis in order to minimize the dependence on ground water and prevent the land from becoming barren due to the presence of salts in the ground water. Apart from this, he also visited the stalls set up by the faculty regarding the achievements of the campus and appreciated the efforts made for the improvement of the campus. He started the plantation campaign by planting saplings in the campus. While talking to the faculty staff, he said that no doubt you have played your part in turning the sand dunes into a green lush campus but you should look at the problems of the farmers and help them to solve them. He gave his suggestions for further improvement. The Principal thanked the honorable Vice-Chancellor and the accompanying Principal Officer farms and Director of Farms Burewala for their arrival and also assured to implement the suggestions given by them.





## SPRING FESTIVAL 2024

The Inauguration Ceremony of the Spring Festival at the Sub Campus Burewala was held on March 05, 2024 organized by Society of Agriculture and Allied Sciences (SAAS). The ceremony was vibrant and colorful event that marked the official beginning of the festive season. The ceremony was held on a sunny day in March, and the entire university campus was buzzing with excitement and energy. The ceremony commenced with a grand procession, where the Principal, accompanied by the faculty members and department heads, walked towards the main stage. The highlight of the ceremony was the ribbon-cutting ceremony, where the Principal officially inaugurated the Spring Festival by cutting a brightly colored ribbon. This was followed by the beating of a traditional Drum, which added to the festive atmosphere. Each department walked in, proudly representing their respective disciplines, and presented a unique performance that reflected their department's theme and identity.

Various stalls (gujre, henna, mini games, perfume and ajrak) were set up during the spring festival 2024 at the University of Agriculture, Faisalabad Sub Campus, Burewala.





## 1ST INTER- DISTRICT VEHARI DEBATE COMPETITION & PUNJABI NATARA WAS ORGANIZED BY THE DEBATING CLUB, UAF SUB CAMPUS BUREWALA

The district level debate competition was a prestigious event where students from various colleges and institutions gather to engage in intellectual debates and discussions. The event was an excellent opportunity for students to develop their critical thinking, and argumentation skills, and to engage with like-minded individuals from diverse backgrounds. On March 5, 2024, The Debating Club, UAF Sub Campus Burewala took a very wonderful and important step in the history of Vehari district by decorating an admirable hall. Dr. Rizwan Ashraf, In-charge The Debating Club and Co-in-charge Madam Sidra Habib, organized their first inter-district level debate competition and Punjabi Natara under the supervision of Dr. Rana Muhammad Saleem, The Associate Senior Tutor, UAF Sub Campus Burewala. The special guest of the competition was Prof. Dr. Akram, Principal, Government College, Burewala, Advocate Hafiz Mohsin Latif, Head of Romi Consultants and judges of event was Dr. Sadia Nazir, Incharge, English Department, Dr. Fakhar-ud-Din Razi Department of Horticulture UAF Sub campus Burewala. Students from various educational institutions notably COMSATS University Vehari, University of Education, Barani Institute of Sciences and Agriculture University, Government College Burewala and Punjab College Burewala participated in this event. After a tough competition of more than 25 speakers, the team trophy went to COMSATS University Vehari. The most important thing is that the Debating Club not only entertained the distinguished guests but also encouraged all the participants by awarding all with certificates.



## RANGOLI, SKETCHING AND CULINARY ART COMPETITION ORGANIZED BY THE ART AND CULTURE CLUB

Rangoli and Culinary Art Competition Organized by The Art and Culture Club on March 05, 2024. It was as a vibrant and culturally enriching event that celebrates traditional art, fosters creativity, teamwork, and aesthetic sensibility among students. The competition provided a platform for students to express their artistic talents and connect with their cultural heritage through the beautiful and intricate designs of Rangoli, sketching and culinary art. Various departments participated in this competition enthusiastically. Certificates and souvenirs distributed among the position holders.





## FOOD FESTIVAL-2024 “STEP TOWARDS HEALTHY EATING”

Department of Food Science and Technology, University of Agriculture Faisalabad, Sub Campus Burewala organized the event titled as Food Festival-2024 “Step Towards Healthy Eating”. Within this event different food industries of Burewala i.e, Nutritive Cheddar Cheese Burewala, Ambrosia Foods Burewala, Tapal Tea, Mon o Salva, ZHA Foods and Exporters, Pak Paradise Masala contributed as well as participated in the event. The purpose of this event was to build education-industry linkages and promote food entrepreneurship among students. In the event, various food products were introduced and distributed among faculty and students by guest food industries. Apart from this, the students of Food Science Department show cased many nutritious and healthy food products for the stall competition. Cash prizes were sponsored by Yaqoob Jeweller and souvenirs were distributed to the winning teams by Tapal Tea. On this occasion Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem , Principal UAF Sub Campus Burewala stated while addressing the event overall, it is a very healthy and productive activity and it should be organized every year and in more broader way. He highly appreciated the organizing committee members including Dr. Sadaf Shakoor, Dr. Yasmeen Bano, Dr. Muhammad Tuseef Asghar, Dr. Mazhar Iqbal and other team members, Dr. Iftikhar Ahmed, Ms. Komal Nida Khan, Ms. Saba Nasir, Ms. Sidra Habib for putting tireless efforts to make this event successful.





### PET SHOW-2024

After more than a month of planning and preparations at University of Agriculture Faisalabad Sub Campus Burewala, the Pet Show was organized on March 06, 2024 during Spring Festival where Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Principal UAF Burewala visited the Pet Show along with Chief Guest Dr. Muhammad Akram. Dr. Muhammad Awais Rasool and his team welcomed the guests. The event included “pet care” competitions for dogs, cats and birds where each participant showcased their unique talent. But Pet Show was not just a competition but a celebration of the bond between pets and their owners as well as a testimony of love and care for pets. The Pet Show season 2 in Burewala ended up with this message that passion, when coupled with hard work and perseverance, can truly bring about change as pets' learned behavior showcased the aim to promote responsible pet ownership while celebrating the human-animal bond, and provided a fun and educational experience for pet lovers. At last, the honorable judges Dr. Muhammad Yahya Khan, Dr. Mudassar Nazar and Dr. Randhawa declared a rabbit as “the pet of the day”.

### QURAN RECITATION AND NAAT COMPETITION

A beautiful Quran Recitation Competition titled as “Husn E Qirat” and “Naat Competition” has been organized in the ongoing Sports and Literary Festival 2024 at University of Agriculture Faisalabad Sub Campus Burewala by Dr. Sohail Akhtar, In charge of the club and Hafiz Muhammad Haroon, Co-In-Charge of the Club under the supervision of Dr. Rana Muhammad Saleem, The Associate Senior Tutor and Dr. Rizwan Ashraf, The Associate Senior Tutor with the co-operation of Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem Principal UAF Sub Campus Burewala. Hafiz Mohammad Haroon, Dr. Sohail Akhtar, Hafiz Mohsin Latif and Qari Umar Farooq performed their duties as judges. More than thirty students participated in this event. Noman Sattar (first position), Muhammad Riyaz Hussain (second position), Muhammad Abdul Rahman (third position) won first three positions in the recitation competition. Muhammad Riaz Hussain (3rd position) from males while among female students, Wajiha Farooq (1st position), Arooj Fatima (2nd position), Samia Zowar (3rd position) got positions in Naat Competition. At the end of the competitions, Dr. Rana Muhammad Saleem, Qari Umar Farooq and Hafiz Mohsin Latif appreciated the efforts of the students and guided them for further improvement as well as distributed the certificates among participants.





## SEMINAR "LIFE-THREATENING DISEASES OF LIVESTOCK SELMORE PHARMA

Dr. Muhammad Saeed, National Cell Manager of Selmore Pharmaceuticals along with his team Dr. Raheel Khan and Dr. Ahmed Abbas Bhatti visited UAF Sub Campus Burewala on March 07, 2024 during Spring Festival. Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Principal UAF Burewala, Dr. Mudassar Nazar, and Syed Ali Raza, Estate Officer welcomed them. Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem Principal UAF Sub Campus Burewala provided a brief introduction of seminar. Dr. Saeed and Dr. Raheel told about many life-threatening diseases of livestock. All Speakers paid attention to all the questions of the attendees. In this, the local doctors got aware regarding animal diseases. Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Principal UAF Sub Campus Burewala extended his heartfelt gratitude to Dr. Mudassar Nazar for arranging such a valuable seminar and all the guests.



## CELEBRATING DISTINCTIVE HONOR BY UAF, BUREWALA CAMPUS

On 06 March, 2024; Malaika Zaheer and Nimra Aslam, the talented students of UAF Sub-Campus Burewala won gold medals and Rabia Rasheed won silver medals in the 27th convocation meeting of University of Agriculture Faisalabad. Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem congratulated all the students for their excellent performance.



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| 2019-2021 سیشن | راجہ رشید ڈگری: ایم ایس سی (کیمسٹری)                  | سلور میڈل |



## CONDUCTION OF TWO DAYS GENERAL TRAINING FOR CLINICAL DIETITIANS UNDER PAK-KOREA NUTRITION CENTRE

Two-days training of Clinical Dietitians/Nutrition Supervisors of District Vehari as per the instructions of Honorable Vice-Chancellor Prof Dr. Iqrar Ahmad Khan was arranged on March 08,09, 2024 at Sub Campus Burewala. This training was being conducted under Pak-Korea Nutrition Center (PKNC) and Dean Faculty of Food, Nutrition and Home Sciences to improve child and community nutrition. The training aims to build the capacity of nutrition stakeholders and reach out to the wider community to address nutrition issues including malnutrition, micronutrient deficiencies and overeating/obesity. Additionally, the training addressed the social taboos, and dietary habits, feeding practices to improve the nutritional status of children and the community. Dr. Sadaf Shakoor, Assistant Professor (Nutritional Science) and Dr. Yasmeen Bano, Lecturer (Food Science and Technology) were the master trainers in the above mentioned training and gave the excellent presentations and activities during training session. Principal Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem addressed the participants and talked about the PKNC project and vision. He appreciated the efforts of Prof Dr. Masood Sadiq Butt, Dean Faculty of Food, Nutrition and Home Sciences, UAF and Dr. Allah Rakha, Associate Professor, NIFSAT, UAF for providing the technical support including training materials and human resources. Dr. Muhammad Tuseef Asghar, Dr. Rana Muhammad Saleem, Dr. Mazhar Iqbal, Hafiz Muhammad Haroon, Ms. Komal Nida Khan, Ms. Saba Nasir, Naveed ur Rehman and Syed Ali Raza put their tireless efforts to execute this training





## FORESTATION DRIVE 2024 AT CAMPUS

Dated 16th March 2024: A plantation Drive was organized by Mobilink Bank at University of Agriculture Faisalabad Sub Campus Burewala. Abdul Saboor, Mobilink Bank Manager accompanied by Muhammad Abid, BSM, Mam Kalsoom Sattar, RO, Mubasher Hassan RO and Muhammad Adil RO visited the Burewala Campus. Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Principal UAF Sub Campus Burewala and Dr. Osama bin Abdul Hafeez, In-charge Plantation welcomed the guests. Abdul Saboor, Bank Manager stated that Mobilink Bank is planting trees to avoid the ravages of climate change. Generations will get benefits due to this step towards plantation. He further assured to give paid internship to students in Mobilink Bank. The principal and the bank manager Mobilink planted saplings and the students of Burewala Campus along with the team of Mobilink Bank planted different types of trees. In the end, Respected Principal thanked all the team of Mobilink Bank, Burewala for visiting UAF, Sub Campus Burewala.



### Link up to Ehtisham Seed Corporation Chichawatni Road Burewala for Kitchen Gardening Drive

Dated 17 March 2024: According to the instructions of Professor Dr. Iqar Ahmad Khan, Vice Chancellor, University of Agriculture Faisalabad and under the supervision of Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Principal UAF Sub Campus Burewala for the promotion of kitchen gardening, Dr. Osama Bin. Abdul Hafeez visited Ehtisham Seed Corporation (Fajar Seed) Chichawatni Road, Burewala. He presented his suggestions to Mian Habib Raza, Fajar Seed, CEO regarding kitchen gardening program and raised awareness about growing more vegetables in urban area and providing seeds to the citizens and taking care of it. Mian Habib Raza formally assured to link up to "Kitchen Gardening Drive" with UAF Sub Campus Burewala.



**A FOREST DAY TITLED AS "PLANT TREES FOR PAKISTAN" AT UAF BUREWALA**

Dated 21st March 2024: From Punjab Government's Vision "Plant Trees for Pakistan", Dr. Ahsan ul Haq, Dr. Osama Bin Abdul Hafeez, and students planted various types of different plant's best saplings. On this occasion, Dr. Ahsan ul Haq Assistant Professor Forestry said that tree planting is very important to avoid the disastrous effects of climate change, air pollution and smog, so you should contribute as much as you can to tree planting. And also ensure their care so that the plant can become a fruit tree and benefit our future generations. Dr. Sohail Akhtar, Madam Komal Nida Khan, Mr. Masood, Dr. Shabbir Ahmad, Mr. Naveed ur Rahman, Assistant Registrar also planted saplings on during the plantation. Finally, an awareness plantation walk was also organized in which students and staff participated.

**INITIATIVE OF SERICULTURE AT CAMPUS'**

Dated 5th April 2024: In University of Agriculture Faisalabad Sub Campus Burewala, with the mutual support of Dr. Muhammad Rizwan Ashraf, Assistant Professor and Mr. Shaukat Zaman Lecturer, the entomology lab is successfully working with silkworm rearing industry. Dr. Muhammad Rizwan Ashraf and Mr. Shaukat Zaman talking about the silkworm industry said that we are rearing silkworms in the best way and at the same time we are giving short courses to our students and interested people. They are also giving trainings, This will boost the silk industry. Honorable Principal Dr. Sajid Mehmood Nadeem appreciated the efforts of Dr. Muhammad Rizwan Ashraf and Mr. Shaukat Zaman for silk worms examinations. Further discussing this, he said that Dr. Muhammad Rizwan Ashraf and Dr. Shabbir Ahmed have played their major role in signing the MOU between WWF and UAF Sub Campus Burewala, for better growth of two guava gardens and mulberry gardens for rearing of silk worm. I also appreciate the efforts of Dr. Ghulam Mustafa Farm Manager and Dr. Osama bin Abdul Hafeez for providing care to available trees and gardens.





## COTTON GROWING CAMPAIGN 2024

According to the vision of the Punjab government “Plant cotton to strengthen the national economy”, Principal Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem and his team including Dr. Muhammad Rizwan Ashraf, Assistant Professor Entomology, Dr. Sohail Akhtar, Assistant Professor Plant Pathology, Dr. Muhammad Yahya Khan, Assistant Professor Soil Science, Dr. Shabbir Ahmed, Syed Ali Raza, Estate Officer and students visited different areas for Cotton Campaign on April 22,23. Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, talked to farmers that, to get better yield of cotton crop we need good seeds, modern farming techniques, timely control of water scarcity and pests, therefore University of Agriculture Faisalabad and Sub-Campus Burewala staff meet farmers during cotton sowing season to provide awareness about problems and different diseases at different times. By taking advantage of our staff, you can get good production, which will make the farmer stronger and our country will also develop. The Principal and his team also visited the planted cotton crop and educated the farmers about the pests attacking it. Principal Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem along with faculty staff and students visited the area of Landlord Mian Hakim of Kachi Pakki area for “Plant Cotton “Campaign 2024 on April 25,2024 where Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem inaugurated 50 acres of land for cotton cultivation.



## CELEBRATING “WADIYAN MELA” AT CAMPUS

Dated 26th April 2024: Principal Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem started harvesting wheat on the farm at University of Agriculture Faisalabad Sub Campus Burewala. On this occasion, Dr. Sadaf Shakoor, Miss Komal Nida Khan, Miss Saba Nasir, Miss Sidra Habib, Dr. Yasmeen Bano, Dr. Ghulam Mustafa, Farm Manager organized a traditional festival titled as “Wadiyan Mela” in which all the faculty members and students participated enthusiastically. The main purpose of this Mela was to highlight the importance of wheat. On the occasion, the students displayed the Punjabi culture by Dressing up in traditional Punjabi Dresses. Various food stalls of traditional Punjabi food items i.e Karhi Pakora, Daal Chawal were being set up by students including stalls of Lassi and Sardai. The festival highlights the importance of wheat in Punjabi culture and showcases the traditional practices of wheat harvesting.





## VISIT OF LOCAL AREAS FOR KITCHEN GARDENING PROJECT

Dated 5th May 2024: According to the vision of “Kitchen Gardening “of Honorable Professor Dr. Iqrar Ahmad Khan (Sitara e Imtiaz), Vice Chancellor, Dr. Osama Bin Abdul Hafeez (Project In-Charge) in connection with the ongoing project with the financial support of Endowment Fund Secretariat for the promotion of Vision Kitchen Gardening by University of Agriculture Faisalabad, visited different areas of Burewala. He inspected the vegetable crops which was already planted with reference to the Kitchen Gardening Program and gave his suggestions to combat the disease. He also distributed packets of vegetable seeds, fruits and flowering plants and edible mushrooms to the citizens.



## A DISTINCTIVE ACHIEVEMENT OF OUR CAMPUS

Dated 8th May 2024: The fifth South Punjab Speech Competition was held at Muhammad Nawaz Shareef Agriculture University, Multan, in which more than 70 speakers from the Universities of Punjab participated. By the Grace of Allah, UAF Sub Campus student named Iqra Nazar brought prestige to the institution at the level of South Punjab by getting the second position in Declamation Competition. Principal Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem congratulated and encouraged the winner. The Principal appreciated the hard work of Dr. Rana Muhammad Saleem Associate Senior Tutor and Dr. Muhammad Rizwan Ashraf, In-charge of Debating Club, Madam Sidra Habib Co-incharge and her team for their appreciable efforts for students whose accomplishments are a testament to institution's excellence.





## HOSTING ONE-DAY TRAINING REGARDING DENGUE AWARENESS

Dated 10th May 2024: A one-day training workshop was organized at University of Agriculture, Faisalabad, Sub-Campus Burewala regarding identification of dengue mosquito, dengue test and dengue mosquito prevention. In which Deputy District Health Officer Tehsil Burewala CDC Supervisor has been participated. Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Principal UAF Burewala, attended the dengue training program as a Chief Guest and Dr. Muhammad Rizwan Ashraf and Mr. Shaukat Zaman performed their services as master trainers. Addressing the participants, Dr. Muhammad Rizwan Ashraf stated that the purpose of this dengue training program is to inform the field staff about dengue so that you can inform people about dengue and give awareness about cleaning houses and roofs. This spotted-skinned dengue mosquito is present in Pakistan from September to December after the monsoon rains. According to experts, this mosquito thrives in a temperature of 10 to 40 degrees Celsius and dies in lower or higher temperature. Dengue is caused by the bite of a female mosquito. The female that mates with the male needs protein to lay eggs and they suck human blood to get this protein, which spreads the dengue infection. They further discussed how to prevent dengue. Mr. Shaukat Zaman addressed the participants and said that to prevent dengue mosquito, we need to inform people to keep their offices and homes clean. Do not throw litter openly. Do not allow water to accumulate around the buildings and on the roofs. Put nets on the doors and windows and try to wear clothes with full sleeves in the evening. Addressing the participants, Principal Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem said that the Department of Health Burewala send samples to our entomology lab regularly. After doing the test, the results are given and we are available all the time for the convenience of the health department and the public. Finally, Principal Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem distributed pamphlets among the students about dengue mosquito awareness.





## MONITORING TEAM, ENDOWMENT FUND SECRETARIAT, UAF VISITED UAF SUB CAMPUS BUREWALA

Dated 14th May 2024: Monitoring team from Endowment Fund Secretariat, University of Agriculture Faisalabad visited, UAF Sub Campus Burewala. Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Principal UAF Sub Campus Burewala and Dr. Osama Bin Abdul Hafez welcomed the honorable guests Prof. Dr. Ijaz Ahmed Bhatti Sahib, Dean Faculty of Sciences, Executive Director Endowment Fund Secretariat, Prof. Dr. Ashfaq Ahmad Maan Sahib (Rtd), Former Dean Faculty of Social Sciences and Hafiz Shoaib Ali Raza Sahib, Account Officer Endowment Fund Secretariat. The Principal informed about the ongoing projects in Burewala Campus with the support of Endowment Fund Secretariat. Professor Dr. Ijaz Ahmed Bhatti and his team inspected the vegetables planted especially with reference to “kitchen gardening” and the promotion of kitchen gardening in Burewala city. Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Principal UAF Sub Campus Burewala talking to the monitoring team and said that according to the vision of Honorable Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Iqbal Ahmad Khan (Sitara e Imtiaz), the project “Kitchen Gardening” is being executed successfully in Burewala campus and city. Dr. Osama Abdul Hafeez regularly inspects the planted vegetables and also gives training to the citizens regarding vegetable diseases and good care. All team hard work was appreciated. Further, he held a meeting with all the faculty members and asked that all the faculty members should submit their projects to Endowment Fund Secretariat and avail this as best platform. The Principal Sahib expressed his heartfelt gratitude to all the honorable guests for their Visit.





**EXECUTION OF SEMINAR ON WORLD ENVIRONMENTAL DAY**

Dated 5th June 2024: A seminar was organized in reference to World Environment Day at University of Agriculture Faisalabad Sub Campus Burewala where faculty, staff and students participated. Respected Professor Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem Principal UAF Sub Campus Burewala joined the seminar as chief guest. Dr. Sadaf Shakoor, Dr. Mazhar Iqbal and Dr. Awais Rasool addressing the participants regarding the World Environment Day and highlighted the purpose of this year's World Environment Day including restoration, desertification and Drought prevention. It was being discussed that Humanity depends on the earth. Yet the world faces pollution, climate toxicity and biodiversity destruction that are turning healthy lands into deserts. Depleting forests and grasslands and reducing ecosystems, agriculture and soil fertility. This is destroying our crops, depleting water sources, weakening economies and endangering human populations. Honorable Professor Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, while addressing the participants, said that how smog and air pollution affect human health and how different types of diseases arise from it. He further said that measures against air pollution need to be taken not only during smog but throughout the year so that air pollution and noise pollution can be brought to minimum level. The government and related institutions should take immediate and effective measures to address air pollution and smog to protect the lives of citizens. At the end of the seminar, a rally was also organized in which slogans including “do little for green earth”, “Plant trees, save the future”, “make the earth green and clean” “Our earth is our future, sustain nature, sustain life” were being raised in order to raise awareness among people to reduce air pollution and plant trees to keep our environment healthy and refreshing!

**CARRIED OUT ONE-DAY SEMINAR ON WORLD FOOD SAFETY DAY**

The Department of Food Science and Technology UAF Sub Campus Burewala carried out World Food Safety Day Seminar on June 7, 2024, in collaboration with Punjab Food Authority, Vehari with great enthusiasm under the supervision of Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Principal UAF Burewala, Dr. Sadaf Shakoor, Assistant Professor Food Science and Technology and Miss Maha Deputy Director Operation, PFA and her team. The theme of the day was “Food Safety: prepare for the unexpected,” highlighting the importance of being prepared for food safety incidents. Miss Farina Master Trainer gave brief lecture about Food Safety measures. Mr Ahmad put light on working of PFA regarding Food Safety. The event aimed to raise awareness about the risks of contaminated food and the importance of food safety among students, faculty, and staff. The Seminar included informative sessions, food safety demonstrations, and interactive activities to engage the university community. The participants of event taking away valuable knowledge and tips on how to ensure food safety in their daily lives. Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Principal UAF Sub Campus Burewala appreciated the efforts of Dr. Sadaf Shakoor and her team for arranging of this informative session.



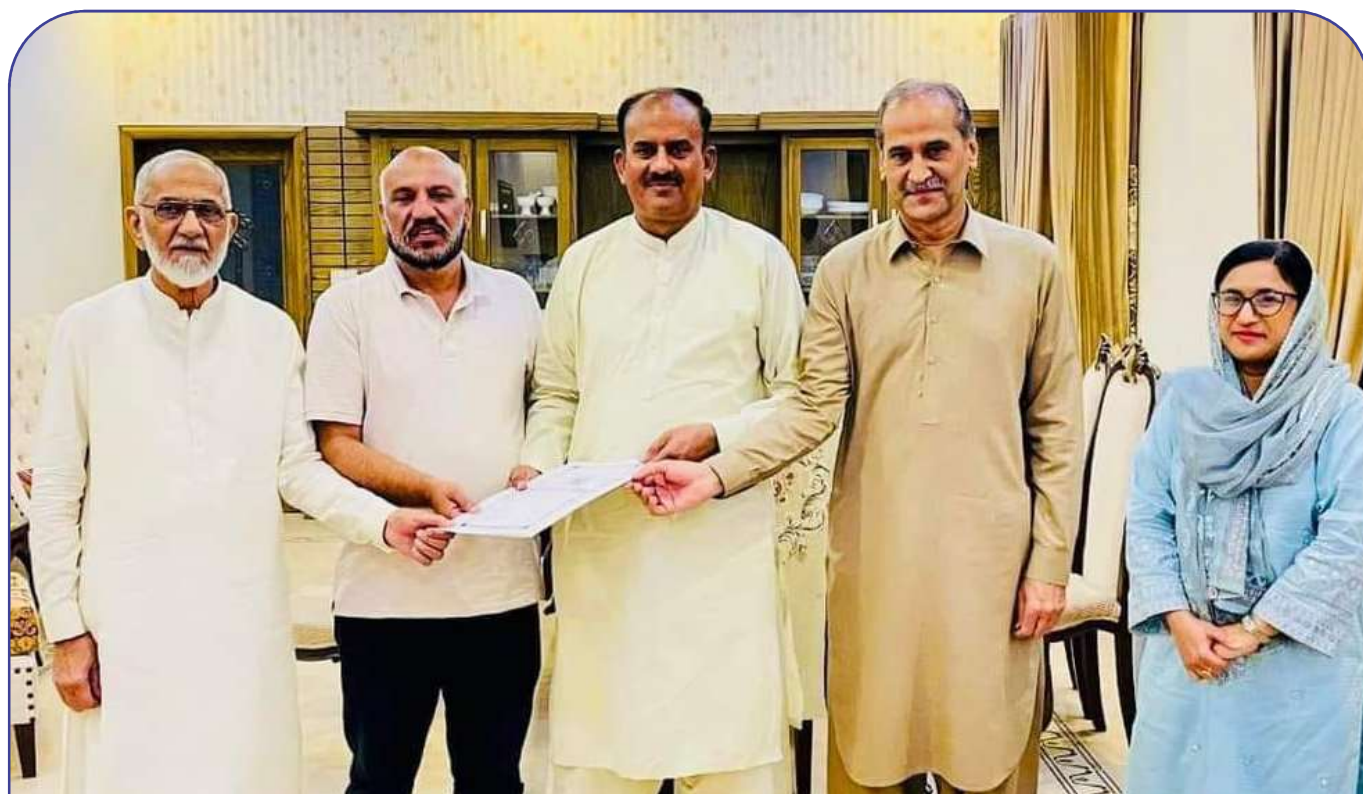
## RESEARCH ACHIEVEMENTS OF UAF SUB-CAMPUS BUREWALA

- 1) Dr. Sadaf Shakoor , Assistant Professor (Food and Nutrition) win the research project Nutritional Status, Dietary Modifications, and Promotion of Healthy Eating Habits to cope with Micronutrients Deficiencies among University going Young Girls of District Vehari South Punjab Region, worth amount: 1.58 Million funded by Pak-Korea Nutrition Centre.
- 2) Dr. Muhammad Tuseef Asghar, Lecturer clinched a significant seed funding pf PKR 1.8 Million (1.0 Million from Pakistan Engineering Council and an additional PKR 0.8 million from local investor for "TruECaP".



## MOU between UAF Sub-Campus Burewala and THQ Burewala

MOU between UAF Sub-Campus Burewala & THQ Burewala was signed on 15.05.2024 (officially) for initiation of B.Sc. (Hons) Human Nutrition & Dietetics at UAF Sub-Campus Burewala.





## Conduction of Two-Days Training for Primary School Teachers regarding Improvement of Nutrition for Child and Community

Dated 18 April 2024: A two-days training for primary school teachers was held on April 16th -17th at UAF Burewala under the supervision of Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Principal UAF Burewala in accordance with the instructions of Honorable Dr. Iqar Ahmad Khan Sahib (Sitara e Imtiaz), Vice Chancellor UAF to improve the nutrition of school going children and the community. This training was organized in collaboration with Pak-Korea Nutrition Center (PKNC) and Dean Faculty of Food, Nutrition and Home Sciences, in which teachers from schools of Tehsil Burewala participated dedicatedly. The training aimed to build the capacity of nutrition stakeholders and reach out to the wider community to address nutrition issues including malnutrition, micronutrient deficiencies and overeating/obesity. Additionally, training on how to address social taboos, dietary habits, and feeding practices to improve the nutritional status of children and communities. Dr. Sadaf Shakoor, Assistant Professor (Food Nutrition) and Dr. Yasmeen Bano Lecturer (Food Science and Technology) gave excellent training sessions in order to provide awareness. Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem, Principal UAF Burewala addressed the participants and talked about PKNC project and vision. Dr. Muhammad Tuseef Asghar, Dr. Rana Muhammad Saleem, Dr. Mazhar Iqbal, Hafiz Muhammad Haroon, Ms. Komal Nida Khan, Ms. Saba Nasir, Mr. Naveed ur Rehman and Syed Ali Raza put their tireless efforts to execute this training successfully.



### Congratulations to Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem

Congratulations to Dr. Sajid Mahmood Nadeem Principal, UAF Sub Campus on being selected as Professor! Hard work and dedication have truly paid off. Wishing you all the best in this new and exciting chapter of your career.



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