

# **EVENT REPORT**

Vets Care Club, UVAS celebrated World Rabies Day 2019 under the Civic Engagement Program in collaboration with other animal welfare societies, VCS and Savers. First, Vets Care Club arranged an awareness Session on Rabies at a charity school goes by the name of ASN School (by SKZ), Sabzazar, Lahore on 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2019 (Thursday). The underprivileged kids are at higher risk of Dog Bites due to their environmental conditions and lifestyles. Our cabinet was keen in helping such kids to understand the risk of Dog Bites and Rabies. Awareness Brochures were distributed with attractive diagrams to make children understand the threat and cure of rabies and children colored on it. Team distributed pencil colors, cake, biscuits and juices among them. The day ended with a group photo.

On 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2019 (Friday) the celebrations started with Awareness Walk from VC Office, UVAS lead by the worthy Vice Chancellor of UVAS, Prof. Dr. Talat Naseer Pasha, Patron VCC and VCS of UVAS, Prof. Dr. Aneela Zameer Durrani, Senior Tutor UVAS, Prof. Dr. Kamran Ashraf, In charge Pet Center UVAS, Prof. Dr. Asim Khalid, Dr.

Javaid Iqbal from Brooke Hospital for Animals, Dr. Arif and Dr. Rizwan from Saadat International, Dr. Ayesha Arif from Ghazi Brothers along with rest of professors, staff and students of UVAS. During Awareness Walk, Photo booth and pledge signing were inaugurated by Prof. Dr. Talat Naseer Pasha, Prof. Dr. Aneela Zameer Durrani, Prof. Dr. Kamran Ashraf and rest of honorable guests by cutting the ribbon and signing the pledge i.e., "I pledge to support an end to deaths from rabies by 2030 for the good of humans and animals". Pledge was also signed by cabinet members and students of UVAS. Continuing the walk, the Free Vaccination Desk of Rabies for Animals was inaugurated. First vaccination was injected by Dr. Uzma Farid Durrani to a dog. Vaccines were sponsored by Ghazi Brothers and Saadat International. Poster Competition with the theme Vaccinate to Eliminate was also arranged and the posters of participants were displayed on pharma corridor. The walk ended with a Group photo in front of main building, UVAS.

In Nestle Hall, Awareness Seminar was started with the name of Allah Almighty. Welcome note was given by worthy Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Talat Naseer Pasha followed by two lectures, first given by Dr. Hassan Mushtaq, Chairman Epidemiology Department, UVAS on the topic of *Rabies in Animals*. Second lecture was delivered by Dr. Ayesha Arif from Ghazi Brothers on the topic, *Facts and Figures of Rabies*. Documentary Clip on *Rabies free Lahore* was played as a tribute and to highlight the efforts on eradication of rabies from Lahore by





2030. Another documentary clip was aired depicting the Role and Activities of Vets Care Club on rabies awareness since 2011. Vote of thanks was given by Prof. Dr. Asim Khalid, In charge of Pet Center, UVAS.

Seminar came to an end with distribution of certificates among position holders of Poster Competition and shields among guest speakers and sponsored bodies by Dr. Syed Saleem, CMS, UVAS and a group photo.

Some Images to this activity are attached with report



Awareness Session In ASN School

Our Cabinet Members engage with children of slums





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Cabinet Members with Children of Charity School

**Awareness Walk** 







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# <u>Pledge Sign</u>



Prof Dr. Talat Naseer Pasha

Prof Dr. Kamran Ashraf







Pledge Signed By Cabinet Members

## Vaccination Desk



Dr. Uzma Farid Durrani vaccinating a dog







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**Our Cabinet Member at Vaccination Desk** 



Welcome note by Prof. Dr. Talat Naseer Pasha





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Dr. Hassan Mushtaq

Dr. Ayesha Arif

**Shield Distribution** 



Prof. Dr. Syed Saleem Presenting shield to Dr. Hassan Mushtaq





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Dr. Ayesha Arif

Dr. Arif Mehmood



Certificate distribution to position holders in poster competition





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### Group Photo



Prof. Dr. Asim Kahlid, Prof. Dr. Syed Saleem, Dr. Hassan Mushtaq, our Guests and Organizers



