



Stichting Nederlandse Marokkaanse Vriendschap Yearly Report 2017

SNMV is for the fourth year in row active in making voluntary work the base of its activities.

We have worked in close collaboration with many friends, associations, foundations to try to stimulate voluntary work in Eindhoven and Helmond, and rural areas in Morocco.

We try to cover with our projects and activities the following sustainable development goals 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 17.

All in all, we are growing in terms of projects that are in state of executions or even in state of planning, strategy and roadmap. We still focus on helping human being that are at inconvenient or difficult situation, with special focus on education of basic schools at rural areas. We keep trying to stimulate children in Morocco by providing support of basic needs, gifts and education materials.



We believe that we have been successful in achieving our goals in 2017, we were able to bring a smile to many humans, even sometimes with a symbolic support, or with a concrete project.

This is a list of projects that we have executed in 2017

1. Support for orphans
2. Support for poor families and elderly people without fixed income
3. Support for education at rural areas
4. Support for handicapped
5. Support for special cases of persons in illness situation
6. Support with Ramadan Zakaat Elfitr for poors and needies
7. Support of poor families to survive the cold winter
8. Mobile Laboratory at the High Tech Campus Eindhoven

We kept ourselves busy with many activities and projects during the whole year. We have executed the following projects and achieved the best results within affordable budget that we are collecting through donations.

1. Support for orphans

Support orphans is one our main projects for every year. Also in 2017, we have provided monthly support for orphans. Our strategy in this project is to continuously look for goodwill persons that could support financially orphans by giving a regular monthly donation that will be used to support basic needs of orphans.

We do still have orphans in waiting list that we could not yet provide support.

In this project, SNMV executes this by means of:

- Give a monthly financial support to the orphan
- Guarantee the right housing
- Follow, control and give recommendation to the family for possible life improvements.

Figure 1 gives an example of list of orphans that we have supported in 2017, or they are in waiting list. The orphans live still with the mother, so we take care of maintenance cost for food, health and education.



Figure 1: Example of list of orphans that SNMV supported in 2017 or are currently in waiting list, pictures have been manipulated for privacy reasons

2. Support for poor families and elderly people without fixed income

SNMV started in 2017 to provide financial support to poor families and elderly people in inconvenient situation.

We do this by means of:

- Giving a monthly financial support to poor families/elderly
- Guarantee a suitable housing
- Provide a wheel chair to elders
- Provide food and basic needs to poor families.

We take care of bringing this in close collaboration with many associations that are active on many local regions.

In this project, we try to facilitate a life of poor families and elders by supporting them with financial means, and give them additional support depending on their needs, case by case.

Figure 2 and 3 show an example for food packet distribution.



Figure 2: Distribution of food for poor families and elderly people



Figure 3: Example of food packet distributed to a poor family

3. Support for education at rural areas

In the frame of supporting education at rural areas, we have supported children of three primary schools in the region Ksar El Kebir, Morocco, Larache Province.

This year was exception in terms of the number of children that have received our support. About 950 children have of five schools have received a packet of clothes and shoes and also basic needs for education.



Figure 4: Example of a classroom that have been supported with clothes and school tools



Figure 5: Example 2 of school nearby Ksar El Kebir



Figure 6: Example 3 of school nearby Ksar El Kebir



Figure 7: Example 4 of school near by Ksar El Kebir

Other example are given in the next page.

These are few picture of the total of 950 children that have received clothes.



The director of the school has created a logo for this successful activity that illustrate the friendship that we have built between the Netherlands and Morocco.



4. Support for handicapped

We provided wheelchairs to handicapped in many regions in Morocco, and distributed them in close collaboration with many associations that are active in helping handicapped.

We covered also the transport of the wheelchairs from the Netherlands to Morocco, and also provided assistance in making use of it as it should be, this depends on the case of the handicapped.

Figure 8 and 9 give an example of wheelchairs that have been distributed for a school that has a special classroom for handicapped.



Figure 8: Distribution of wheelchair to handicapped

5. Support for special cases of persons in illness situation

In 2017, we received many requests to support special cases of persons with illness. We tried to cover as much as we can, depending on our budget and donation.

As in 2016, we have selected the most important cases that we could support by means of providing the financial needs to facilitate access to health.

This has been done by providing financial means for support to persons that in illness state, and also to poor families to get the basis needs for medication and health.

6. Support with Ramadan Zakaat Elfitr

During the month of Ramadan, we collected donation for “zakat el fitr”, either from associations or from persons.

The money that we collect for this goal has a condition to be distributed before end of Ramadan.

For this specific project, the donation that we collected for “Zakat El Fitr” is distributed before end of Ramadan to the poor and needy families in Morocco.

7. Support of poor families to survive the cold winter

In the frame of supporting poors and needies at rural areas, we have supported families that are living the atlas mountains with winter clothes and shoes. In the winter season of 2017, we have supported more than 2600 persons living in the atlas mountains.

This project has been conducted with two associations from Ksar El Kebir that have worked to organize and distribute our winter clothes.



Figure 10: Example of set of winter clothes that were distributed in the atlas mountains



Figure 21: Distribution of clothes in the atlas mountains

8. Mobile Laboratory at the High Tech Campus Eindhoven

We started a project called "Samen voor de slimste regio" we would like to build a simple and smart set of a technical mobile laboratory.

Our goal is to bridge the gap between technology and children of Eindhoven and region. We want to make of Eindhoven and the region the smartest region of the Netherlands by preparing the children of today to take part of technology of the future.

The idea is to play a bridge between technology and basic/weekend schools, and moreover to stimulate the role of the parents to encourage their children to take the technology path.



We presented our project at the event organized by Samen voor Eindhoven at the high tech campus Eindhoven.

Also, we presented our project at the voluntary day event organized by Expats the 25 of November at Holliday Inn.



SNMV bij the strip high tech campus eerste mondiale match event!



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SNMV Organization

The management board of SNMV is a voluntary work.

Management Board in the Netherlands:

Mohamed Azimane, Director

Mostafa Mhaouch, Secretary

EL Mostapha Lasfar, Treasurer

Management Board in Morocco:

Imad Azimane

Fourqan Abakha

Khalid El Harrak

The management board in the Netherlands meets weekly basis, and discusses the state of the running projects and take decision depending on the circumstances, and define the action point accordingly, and communicate the planning of all projects to all board members.

Financial

Project/Activity	Cost (Euros)
Support for Education at rural areas	3850
Support for orphans	2220
Support for poor families and elderly people without fixed income	2470
Support for handicapped	292
Support for special cases of persons in illness situation	870
Support with Ramadan Zakaat Elfitr	1765
Re-build and reconstruction of house of orphans	840
Voluntary work costs	3543
Fixed costs (rent of office and storage, software licenses, bank service costs, goods, etc)	3605
	19.455

Donation received during 2017 is 23.905 Euro, we spent 19.455 Euro for the project mentioned above.