



Yearly Report 2018

Of

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1. Introduction

As of previous years, SNMV continued to grow during 2018, with variety of voluntary projects as the base of its activities. During this year, we achieved to work in close collaboration with many associations, foundations and voluntary workers to stimulate voluntary work in the Netherlands, mainly in Eindhoven and Helmond, and in rural areas in Morocco.

We tried to cover with our programs and projects the following sustainable development goals 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 17, as depicted in below picture.



We believe that we have achieved outstanding results as we continue to grow not only in number of projects but also in the quality of execution due to the wide experience that we have built for the last 5 years.

Additionally to the many projects that are in phase of execution, many others are in phase of planning, which have been included in our new strategy and roadmap for the next five years.

SNMV main focus continue to be on supporting human beings that are at inconvenient or difficult situation, with special focus on education and basic needs of students at basic schools. We support basic schools at rural areas, and we keep trying to stimulate needier of children in Morocco by providing support of basic needs, gifts and education materials.

We have been successful in achieving our goals in 2018, we were able to bring a smile to many humans, especially among children and students, even sometimes with a symbolic support, or with a concrete project.

This is a list of projects that we have realized in 2018:

1. Support of orphans
2. Support of poor families and elderly people without fixed income
3. Support of education at rural areas in Morocco
4. Support of handicapped
5. Support of special cases for 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. Educational trainings in Eindhoven and Helmond
9. Build a school and mosque in Morocco

We believe that we can strengthen goodwill projects by supporting human being in the mentioned projects, while continuing to find a cyclic support that will bring return of these goodwill investment in the future.



All activities and projects that we have realized are due to the donations that we have collected from the goodwillers and sponsors.

As follows, we will elaborate on the following projects:

1. Support of orphans

Support of orphans is one of our main projects for every year. In 2018, we have provided monthly support for orphans in many cities in Morocco.

Currently, we are supporting orphans in Meknes, Larache, Ksar El Kebir, Sale, Tetouan.

Our strategy in this project is to continuously look for goodwillers that could support financially orphans. This can be achieved by having a goodwiller that can support on a regular basis with a monthly donation which can be used to support basic needs of an orphan or a group of orphans.

SNMV can support orphans by means of:

- Give a monthly financial support to the orphan
- Guarantee the right housing
- Follow and give recommendations to the family for life style improvements.

We would like to make use of this report to inform all goodwillers and sponsors that we do still have orphans in waiting list that we could not support in 2018 due to limitation of the budget.

The orphans live with the mother, so we take care of living cost for food, health and education.

Figure 1 gives an example of list of orphans that we have supported in 2018, or are in waiting list.



Figure 1: Example of list of orphans that SNMV supported in 2018 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 provided in 2018 financial support to poor families and elderly with no income or very low income.

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 distributing foods or clothes in close collaboration with many associations that are active at local regions.

In this project, we try to facilitate the 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: Example of food packet distributed to a poor family

Figure 2: Example of distribution of food for poor families and elderly people



Figure 3: Example of distribution of food for poor families and elderly people

Goodwillers can give monthly donations to support families and elderly people without fixed income. We have received many requests in 2018, which we could not serve due to budget limitations, and we still receive many requests for urgent cases. We will appreciate a lot if you can support SNMV with monthly donations to serve this type of situations.

3. Support for education at rural areas

In the frame of supporting education at rural areas in Morocco, we have supported children of two groups of basic schools in two regions.

- The first region is a primary school in the region Sghour Rhamna (near by Kalaat Sraghna),
- The second region at the Atlas mountains, province of Ifrane (region Azrou) Morocco.

We worked in close collaboration with the director of rural schools Ouled Lahcen of Sghour Rhamna to get the permit from the local authorities for the realization of this project.

Figure 4 shows a picture of the meeting between SNMV, school director and teachers for the preparation of the project support for education at Ouled Lahcen school in Sghour Rhamna.



Figure 4: Meeting preparation for the educational project at Sghour Rhamna.

In 2018, we have been able to support about 350 students from school Ouled Lahcen.

Below we show some pictures of this project.



Figure 5: Picture illustrate the children at basic school at Oueld Lahcen



Figure 6: Basic school children at Oueld Lahcen



Figure 7: Preparation of the distribution of clothes to children at Sghour Rhamna



Figure 8: Preparation of the distribution of clothes to children at Sghour Rhamna



Figure 9: Distribution of the clothes to 350 children one by one



Figure 10: Distribution of clothes



Figure 11: Selection of winter clothes depending on sizes and colors for children



Figure 12: Distribution of clothes in presence of local authorities and director the school



Figure 13: Long list of children one by one row for clothes distribution

Additionally, we have also supported a second school at Ain Ellouh, middle Atlas. More than 100 students from school Moughermaaz Regio Sidi Addi, near by Ain Ellouh, Middle Atlas.

Example of pictures are given below.



Figure 14: Final picture at the Atlas Mountain of school Boughermaz, children illustrates full enthusiasm and happiness



Figure 15: Bringing a smile to children of the atlas mountains



Figure 16: With the director of school Boughermaz, Atlas mountains, and example of children receiving donations.



Figure 17: Example of smile and happiness

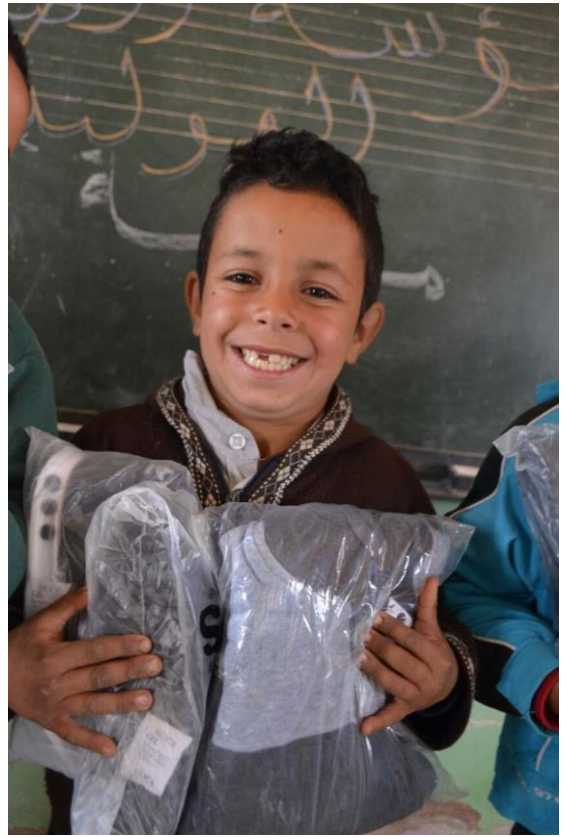


Figure 18: Figure 19: Example of smile and happiness



Figure 20: Example of smile and happiness



Figure 21: Example of smile and happiness



4. Support for handicapped

We provided wheelchairs to handicapped to an association in the atlas mountains Sidi Adi, province Ifrane, and distributed them in close collaboration with many associations that are active in helping handicapped.

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

Figure 21 give an example of wheelchairs donation to an association in the atlas mountains. This association received five chairs that have will be distributed for handicapped in the region.

We have also supported special cases in many cities in different region in Morocco, in Tangier, Ksar El Kebir, Meknes, Sidi Kacem.



Figure 20: Distribution of wheelchair to handicapped

5. Support for special cases of persons in illness situation

In 2018, 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 2017, we have selected the most important cases that we could support by means of providing financial needs to facilitate access to health.

We have focused on womens with cancer, we have tried to support them financially and cover their basis needs.

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 in many cities. We have distributed Zakat El Fitr in Oujda, Meknes, Azrou, Larache, Sale and Ksar El Kebir.

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 2018, we have supported persons living in the atlas mountains and in the province of Larache.



Figure 21: Example of set of clothes distributed in the atlas mountains



*Figure 22: Example of the effort reaching mountains during the winter,
example atlas mountains*

8. Mobile Laboratory at the High Tech Campus Eindhoven

We introduced in 2018 a new educational program that consists on building a mobile laboratory. The program started with a project called "Together for Smart Region". The idea consist of building a simple and smart set of a technical mobile laboratory that will facilitate easy access for children to technology.

Our main goal is to bridge the gap between technology and children of Eindhoven, Helmond 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.

We are playing a bridge between technology and basic/weekend schools, additional we have started to stimulate the role of the parents to encourage their children to consider the technical path for the future of their kids.



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, Eindhoven. Additionally, we presented our Mobile Laboratory program to NXP Semiconductors and have been granted a sponsorship of our activities with 30 Laptops and 30 Microbit chips. Figure 24 shows the donation that is received by SNMV from NXP Semiconductors.



Figure 23: SNMV receiving laptops and micro-bit chip from NXP semiconductors

9. Build a school and mosque in Morocco

In 2018, we have put a plan for building a school and a mosque in the region of Aklim and Oujda. We started the process of building permit and all necessary preparation for realizing this project.

10. Management of SNMV

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.

11. Financial overview of our projects and activities

Project/Activity	Cost (Euros)
Support for Education at rural areas	7154
Support for orphans	5400
Support for poor families and elderly people without fixed income	750
Support for handicapped	1200
Support for special cases of persons in illness situation	1100
Support with Ramadan Zakaat Elfitr	2990
Re-build and reconstruction of house of orphans	840
Voluntary work costs	3000
Fixed costs (rent of office and storage, software licenses, bank service costs, goods, etc)	3289
Total cost	25723 Euro

Donation received during 2018 is **28000** Euro, we spent **25723** Euro for the project mentioned above.

12. Contact & info

For more information our activities, or if you would like to be sponsor of our projects, or if you would like to be involved in our voluntary work, you can reach us at:

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