Improving study conditions for students of Cheheltan Middle school

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Background on School

Main building of school has a couple classrooms funded by HOPE Worldwide. The classrooms have broken windows and some tables and chairs which are in very bad condition. The older students (14-17 years old) study in the classrooms. The younger students (7-13 years old) would hold their classes outside around the building on the dirt floor covered by a cheap rag-rug. The blackboards are overused and in bad condition. Most children have backpacks and school material. Classes are held in 2 shifts (morning and night). Girls study in the mornings along with some boys. Only boys study in the afternoon. There are 2 tents outside also ripped and in bad condition, which were donated by UNICEF several years ago.

I found this school through word of mouth of another ISAF colleague who heard about it through a Ministry of Rural Rehabilitation and Development official. Originally they requested new tents to hold the classes.
Classes held outside
Classes held in tents
Construction Achievements

We went from:

1) a budget of 3000 USD to 10,450 USD plus 400 USD in private donations.

2) trying to build roofs and columns with no walls to building 4 brick classrooms with windows, electricity and concrete floor

3) providing rugs for the classroom floors to also repairing old tables and chairs for the students
Areas for construction

4 classrooms constructed here

4 classrooms now here
Children with Banners
Banners provided in box to school headmaster
View of the 4 classrooms built. Contractor is seen drilling the plaque on the wall.
Inside view of 1 classroom

Note: rug, teacher’s chair and table, whiteboard, electricity, and glass on door.
Entrance to one classroom
Children using the classroom
Graded land for girls playground
Volleyball equipment delivered
Chairs/Tables for students being repaired
School supplies delivered
Cookies to celebrate