

Minutes of the Core Team Meeting of (VSHFA) Vishwa Sindhi Hindu Federation of Associations held at Skyhilton Inn, Lucknow at 09.30 am on 13th June 2024.

- The meeting was called to order by President Dr. Gurmukh Jagwani at 09.30 am sharp
- The following were present at the meeting
 1. Dr. Gurmukh Jagwani
 2. Shri Manohar Mamtani
 3. Shri Rajaram Bhagwani
 4. Shri Pavan Kumar Sindhi
 5. Shri Ishwar Jhamnani
 6. Dr. Ravi Prakash Tekchandani
 7. Shri Hiralal Lokchandani
 8. Shri Mahesh Kumar Malkani.
 9. Shri Satendra Bhavnani
 10. Dr. Pitamber Peter Dhalwani
 11. Dr. Raju V. Manwani

The leave for absence granted to

1. Shri Kishore Kumar Parwani
 2. Shri J.C. Prakash (Prakash Jagdish Chugh)
 3. Shri Bhagchand Sukhwani (Kalu Bhai)
- President Dr. Gurmukh Jagwani welcome everyone present and explained the purpose of the meeting.
 - Minutes of the last meeting held on Zoom on 20th May 2024 were read by Dr. Raju V. Manwani. And unanimously passed by the core team present.

- The following points were discussed regarding the National Agenda and responsibility given as below.

National Agenda	Responsibility given to.
1. Unity among all associations of the world	Shri Satendra Bhavnani.
2. Sindhi Academies in all states	Shri Rajaram Bhagwani Dr. Ravi Prakash Tekchandani.
3. Sindhi University (Kalina)	Dr. Ravi Prakash Tekchandani
4. Sindhi Channel	Shri Rajaram Bhagwani Dr. Raju V. Manwani (to be coordinated with Smt. Asha Chand)
5. 1-2 Sindhi Holidays	Decided to celebrate on the name of Dahir Sen, Hinglaj Mata, Sai Jhulelal without holidays
6. Sindhi Jhanki at Delhi on 26th January every year	Dr. Gurmukh Jagwani Dr. Ravi Prakash Tekchandani
7. Promoting Civil services for Sindhi youth.	Shri Rajaram Bhagwani Dr. Ravi Prakash Tekchandani, Shri Satendra Bhavnani
8. Promoting Politics for Sindhi Youth	Dr. Gurmukh Jagwani Dr. Raju V. Manwani
9. AGM of the VSHFA	Once in a year
10. Monthly Zoom meetings of the VSHFA Core team	For reports and actions taken
11. The Rights of Sindhi's Outside Country	Dr. Gurmukh Jagwani Shri Manohar Mamtani Shri Rajaram Bhagwani.
12. Promotion of Jhulelal temple and Hinglaj Mata temple	Shri Ishwar Jhamnani

13. Members of VSHFA	2 or 3 from each Association/Panchayat/Trust (Decision by Core team)
14. Sindhi Board / Ayoge	Shri Manhoar Mamtani Shri Pawan Kumar Sindhi.
15. Sindhu Bhawan in states and at Delhi	Dr. Pitambar Peter Dhalwani Shri Pawan Sindhi Shri Manohar Mamtani
16. Yearly Jhulelal Festival	Shri Hiralal Lokchandani Dr. Raju V. Manwani
17. The total Sindhi population in India and outside India	Shri Pawan Sindhi Shri Satendra Bhavnani.
18. Promotion of Sindhi language, subject in center universities.	Shri Hiralal Lokchandani Shri Satendra Bhawnani.
19. National Council for the promotion of Sindhi culture.	Shri Kishore Kumar Parwani Shri Ishwar Jhamnani Dr. Ravi Prakash Tekchandani.
20. Vishwa Sindhi Pravasi Sammelan to be organized.	Dr. Gurmukh Jagwani Dr. Raju V. Manwani
21. Tourism and Sindhi Samaj/Film policy/Film Institution.	Dr. Ravi Prakash Tekchandani, Dr. Pitamber Peter Dhalwani Dr. Raju V. Manwani (with the help of Shri Vicky Rajani)
22. Sindhi state / Status	Shri Mahesh Kumar Malkani.

- **The Following Advisors/State coordinators/Co-coordinators are recommended by Core Team.**

- **In any other matters, the following things were discussed**

- **All Core team members highly appreciated Shri Satendra Bhawnani for the great arrangements. Dr. Gurmukh Jagwani had asked Shri Satendra Bhawnani to collect the contribution from each core team member who attended the meeting but Shri Satendra Bhawnani refused for that.**

- **Some other members like Shri Vijay Pahuja from Bhopal, Shri Bhagchand Sukhwani (Kalu Bhaiya) from Rajkot, and Shri Harish Rajani from Udaipur have also said that they will also help to arrange meetings of VSHFA.**

- **Dr. Raju Manwani and Shri Hiralal Lokhanchani have contributed their share of the VSHFA amounting Rs. 51000/- (Rupees Fifty one thousand only) and Rs. 50,000/- (Rupees Fifty thousand only) respectively. Balance amount to be collected from other core team members.**

- **Dr. Ravi Prakash Tekchandani has advised to select a team of advocates from the Sindhi Community to assist and guide properly.**

- **Dr. Ravi Prakash Tekchandani took responsibility for coordinating with Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, Minister of Education of India regarding Sindhi University (Kalina)**

- **For Promoting Politics for Sindhi Youth, seminars, and workshops should be organized with Keshav Srusti, Mumbai by Rambhau Mhalgi Prabodhini. We should coordinate with Shri Bhagchand Sabhnani, MLA, Bhopal.**

- **Regarding Sindhi Board / Ayoge – It is decided to include “BHASHAYE ALP SANKHYAK KALYAN BOARD” at state and central levels.**
- **The Jhulelal Festival is to be promoted as the Chetichand Festival. Sindhis are people from the business line. We can display posters, banners, etc., and be given a discount at the shopper’s convenience. This festival can be celebrated like the Dubai Festival.**
- **The headcount of the total Sindhi population in India and outside India needs to be found. It was also decided that classification of the Sindhi community is also needed.**
- **We need to create a VSHFA website, app, Facebook, and Instagram account with the help of Shri Deepak Keswani ji.**
- **We must request the concerned government to promote the Sindhi language, subjects in center universities**
- **It is decided that in Vishwa Sindhi Pravasi Sammelan can be organized during Vishwa Sindhi Seva Sangam’s 7th International conventions at Silvasa.**
- **Dr. Raju Manwani had requested all the members to keep the VSHFA Core team group on top so that messages cannot be missed and to respond immediately**
- **It is also decided that members should start inviting Associations/trusts/panchayats etc, as soon as the VSHFA deed is registered.**
- **It was decided that in the next meeting, action reports taken will be reported.**

- **Meetings with the PMO and CMO are to be fixed as soon as possible with the core team of VSHFA to discuss the National Agenda.**
- **Letterhead to be made as soon as possible for the correspondence.**
- **Dr. Raju Manwani has invited the core team members to the 30th LIONS GOLD AWARDS to be held on 13th December 2024 at the Mukesh Patel Auditorium, Juhu, Mumbai and the 7th International Convention of the VISHWA SINDHI SEVA SANAM, to be held on 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th January 2025 at The Khanvel Resort, Silvasa.**
- **In the Concluding remark, President Dr. Gurmukh Jagwani highly appreciated everyone. Contribution in way of guidance and valuable suggestions with Discipline and time management.**
- **Vote of thanks given by Joint Secretary Shri Hiralal Lokchandani**
- **Meeting adjourned by President Dr. Gurmukh Jagwani at 2.00 pm**