



Abdulgader Ali Hilal when they jointly opened the new Sewing Centre.

The school which currently serves over 1500 pupils is only one of 27 in the area and is obviously still in need of additional work. White ants or termites had eaten away most of the old roof which has been completely replaced and water damaged walls now shine with a new coat of whitewash. To see just how much had been done with so little money was truly inspirational. Sultana's passion for her charity work is matched only by her modesty in refusing to acknowledge her role as the driving force behind the Charity, but her boundless enthusiasm rubs off on those around her. FoH coordinator Salah al-Qu'aiti who manages the donations locally, undoubtedly works extremely hard to maximize the value for money. He'd even persuaded the local contractor to donate some of the building materials for free.



Flight scheduling prevented the Riyadh delegation from joining Sultana and two other FoH members Joanna Ellis and Marjorie Fleming on their visit to another project, in Wadi Sir, where they delivered gifts for the Assarab school, refurbished by a gift from the late Colonel, Boxall, onetime Save The Children representative in San'aa.



More information on the FoH may be found at the website www.hadhramaut.co.uk New "Friends" can sign up by sending a cheque for £20 to the registered address given.

Pictured above: the proud contractor

Top and Right Column: Shows the before and after state of the classrooms.

Right: A plaque commemorates the FoH assistance.

