

Khana Bachao

Our motto is “Save Food, Serve Food”

Project Khana Bachao is an initiative that works towards the welfare of the less fortunate by providing them unused, extra meals from restaurants that often go to waste.

Khana Bachao started in March 2020 by distributing food twice a week to approximately 250 people each time.

It aims to tackle the twin problem of hunger and food wastage. A large economic gap exists in India, leaving majority of the country hungry.

The main idea behind this project was to gather leftover food from restaurants and cafes and give it to people in need. We distributed to people outside AIIMS, Safdarjung Hospital, and temples. The most important step is logistics and to maintain the quality of the food.

After we gained traction, we began collecting left over food from birthday parties and other social events.

When the cluster of people is much more than the food acquired, we try to arrange for additional food ourselves.

We had initially collaborated with 3 restaurants and bakeries, and now have successfully increased that number to 15. We have connected with almost 60 houses for leftover party food.

We conducted awareness campaigns to demonstrate how to not waste food and uses of leftover food.

As the founder, I am determined to be involved.

Today, Khana Bachao has four additional volunteers.

To ensure this project is sustainable, we are setting up a network between the food vendors and slums for easy supply of food to those in need.

Additional details can be found at: <http://projectkhanabachao.in>



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Dear Madam/Sir

I have known Rishabh Jain from the time he approached me to collect left over food from our restaurant Tenali Hospitality to distribute to the underprivileged. What struck me most about Rishabh was his eagerness to start his project "Khaana Bachao".

He started creating awareness about food wastage and how it could be served. He had a plan laid with the pick-up and distribution logistics which impressed me. The maturity and clarity Rishabh exhibited was definitely beyond his age and I was very impressed with his conduct .

Rishabh is not only determined and filled with conviction but also easily engages with great communication skills.

I am glad to see the youth of our country taking such initiatives and they lead by example.

I wish him all the best and will be looking forward to his achievements.

Yours truly,

For Tenali Hospitality,

For TENALI HOSPITALITY

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