

BAFA BIANNUAL MEMBERS' MEETING

Sunday, Dec 26, 2021

Building Stronger Community Starts From The Root



BAFA Current Board Members

Modasser Hussain, Humayun Kabir, Abdullah Khan, Zbed Manir, Sonjoy Shikder, Tania Manir, Humayun Kabir (junior), Sohel Ahmed, Abul Basar, Mizanur Rahman Prodhan, and Rahim Badshah

Board of Directors:

Chairman: Modasser Hussain

Vice Chairman: Abdullah Khan

President: Tania Manir

Vice President: Humayun Kabir (junior)

General Secretary: Sohel Ahmed

Secretary (Finance): Abul Basar

Secretary (Culture): Mizanur Rahman Prodhan

Director (s): Rahim Badshah

Advisors

Sonjoy Sikder (**Coordinator**)

Humayun Kabir (senior)

Zbed Manir



BAFA Team of 2020 & 2021



From Left: Rahim Badshah, Zabeed Manir, Abul Basar, Mizanur Prodhan, Sohel Ahmed, Tania Manir, Abdullah Khan, Modasser Hussain, Humayun Kabir (Jr), & Sonjoy Sikder

Note: Humayun Kabir (Sr) was absent. Photograph Date: Dec 26, 2021

PC: Ratan Huda, Former General Secretary, BAFA

2020 – 2021 Accomplishments



2020 Accomplishments

❖ BAFA became a nationally recognized organization by GuildStar, Techsoup, Amazon Smile, and Google

- On April 25th, 2020 received the “Silver Seal of Transparency Award” by GuideStar
- On April 5th, 2020 BAFA was registered as a nonprofit organization by TechSoup
- On April 2020, BAFA was officially approved by AmazonSmile
- In 2019 Google recognized BAFA as a nonprofit organization
- Registered BAFA with Governor’s office for updated email alerts

❖ COVID-19 Fund – Local and Bangladesh

- On May 4, 2020, donated 170,000 Taka (\$2000) to Bidyanondo in Bangladesh for COVID Relief initiative
- On May 14, 2020, donated 190,000 Taka (\$2200) SHOHO-JODDHA in Bangladesh for COVID Relief initiative

On May 1st to May 30th, 2020, distributed \$1800 among nine local families as part of the COVID 19 Relief



2020 Accomplishments

- ❖ 2019 Tax filing – On time
- ❖ Ramiz Turan - Signed agreement for BAFA members to get free home inspection
- ❖ FB Giving Tuesday Fund Raising - Initiated by Zabed Manir – Total raised \$1501



2021 Accomplishments

- ❖ Burial Services – Late Rafiqul Islam - BAFA raised a total of \$11,678
- ❖ The SUNY Prepare Innovation and Internship Seed Grant Program Recognized BAFA – 70 community members participated
 - Communicating Health Messages within culturally and communicating health messages within culturally and linguistically diverse (CALD) communities.
- ❖ Latham Roofing - Signed an agreement for BAFA members for 10% discount
- ❖ Ramiz Turan - Signed agreement for BAFA members to get free home inspection
- ❖ Slogan – “Building Stronger Community Starts From The Root”
- ❖ BAFA yearly fund raising through FB Giving Tuesday – As of today \$1200
- ❖ 2020 Tax Filing – On Time



The accomplishments on information sharing platforms for the Years 2020 and 2021:

One of our missions is to “Act as an information-sharing platform for the community”. During the pandemic time, BAFA stood by our community members and shared valuable information about COVID 19. Also, provide up-to-date information on COVID 19 in Bangla and English.

BAFA updated community members about awareness of Covid-19, availability of the vaccines through email and facebook.

- Information Regarding Economic Package & Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA)
- Provided necessary information about COVID vaccinations
- Global COVID Tracker Dashboard and up-to-date information
- New York State COVID 19 Dashboard
- Education page about COVID 19 in Bangla
- Daily Albany Med's COVID-19 Update until May 28, 2020



2020 – 2021 Financial Reports



Membership Drive

- ❖ Term 2022 – 2023
- ❖ Event Admission Discounts
- ❖ Voting Rights
- ❖ Other Promotions
- ❖ Current members renewed by December 31, 2021 will be able to participate in the election as permitted by the Bylaws.
- ❖ Membership claimed by January 8, 2022 can vote in the BAFA general election
- ❖ Membership open all year round
- ❖ <https://www.nybafa.org/membership>



General Election Term 2022- 2023

- ✓ General Election Date Announcement of 2022-2023
- ✓ Election Commissioners - Mr. Sadique Ahmed, Mr. Zubair Rahman, and Mr. Shafiqur Rahman
- ✓ Apply to bafaelection2022@gmail.com for the Advisory or Board of Directors



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Donations from AmazonSmile

Cumulative

\$29.57

Received to date

Most Recent

\$6.44

Received in Nov 2021

The next donation will be sent in Feb 2022

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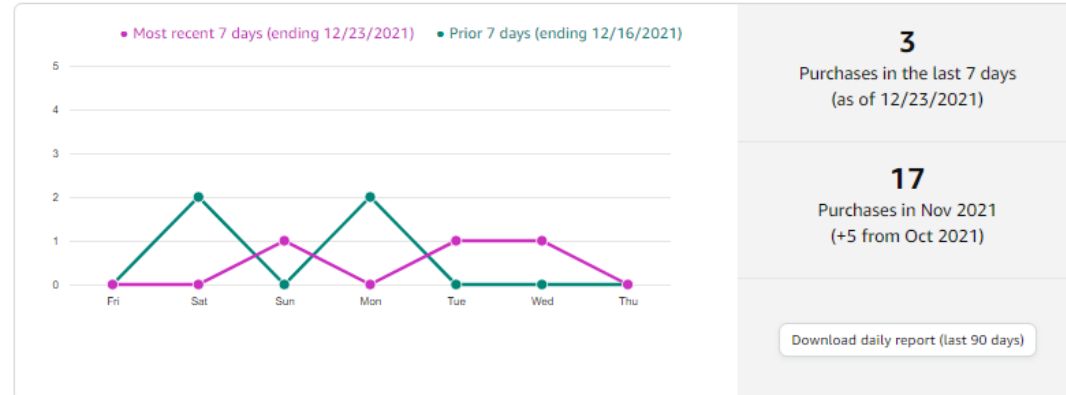
Total Customers Supporting Your Charity

12

As of 12/23/2021

That ever made an eligible* AmazonSmile purchase
(Eligible purchases include products marked "Eligible for AmazonSmile donation" on their product detail pages.)

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Scan. Pay. Go.

BAFA's unique QR

Future Events

Post it on BAFA Website

Bangladeshi American Foundation of Albany

Developer Help

Home Activity Pay & Get Paid Marketing For Growth Financing App Center

PayPal balance ⋮

\$962.85 USD

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Money in

\$115.64

Total received

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Money out

\$0.00

Total sent or spent

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Notifications

Update your charity's profile

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Recent activity

PayPal Activity

Payments received	Payments sent	Activity (including balance & fees)
10:33 AM	Payment from Gazi Huda Completed	\$30.00 USD
Dec 20, 2021	Payment from Sk Rasel Completed	\$30.00 USD
Dec 19, 2021	Payment from Monoj Paul Completed	\$30.00 USD

BAFA Albany
4 Tweets



BAFA Albany
@AlbanyBafa

Promoting Bangladeshi culture; creating a congenial environment for proper upbringing of our children; fostering philanthropy; and practicing democracy.

Joined December 2020
4 Following 1 Follower

BAFA Albany @AlbanyBafa · 11h
When you shop @AmazonSmile, Amazon will make a donation to Banaladeshi American Foundation of Albany Inc - Known As BAFA.

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O Aamar Desher Mati by Zakia Nilufar 7 views · 1 year ago

Welcome speech by BAFA Chairman Modasser Hossain... 4 views · 1 year ago

BAFA Slogan

- ✓ Developed a committee
 - ✓ 5 persons
 - ✓ 2 from BAFA board, 2 from BAFA members, and 1 community member
 - ✓ Emailed to the entire community
 - ✓ Received 50 slogans
 - ✓ \$250 check to the winners
 - ✓ Two winners - \$125/Each
 - ✓ Mr. Zubair Rahman sponsored \$250
- ❖ BAFA's Slogan **"Building Stronger Community Starts From The Root."**



BAFA WEBSITE TRAFFIC OVERVIEW – 2020-2021

www.nybafa.org

Traffic Overview

Dec 1, 2019 - Today

compared to previous period (Nov 6, 2017 - Nov 30, 2019)

Site sessions

3,012 ↑ 136%

Unique visitors

1,753 ↑ 161%

Avg. session duration

7m 59s ↓ 31%

Top traffic sources by sessions

Direct ↑ 58% | 1,205

facebook.com ↑ 291% | 1,000

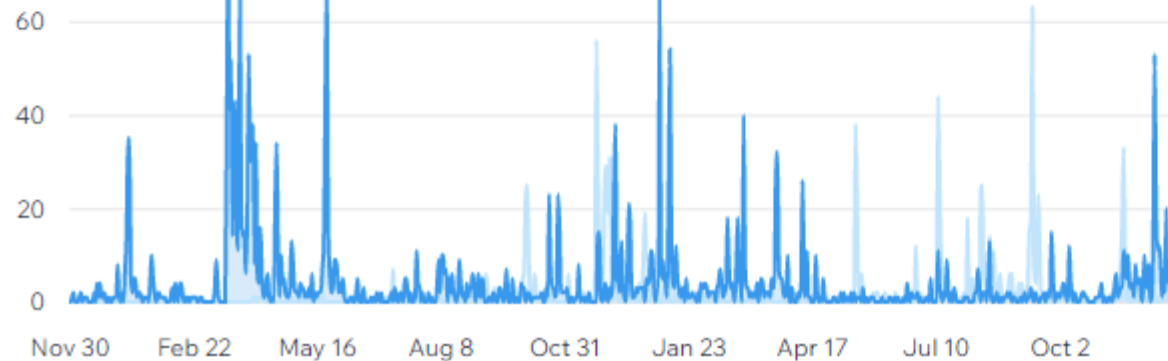
google.com ↑ 270% | 444

116

Facebook 105

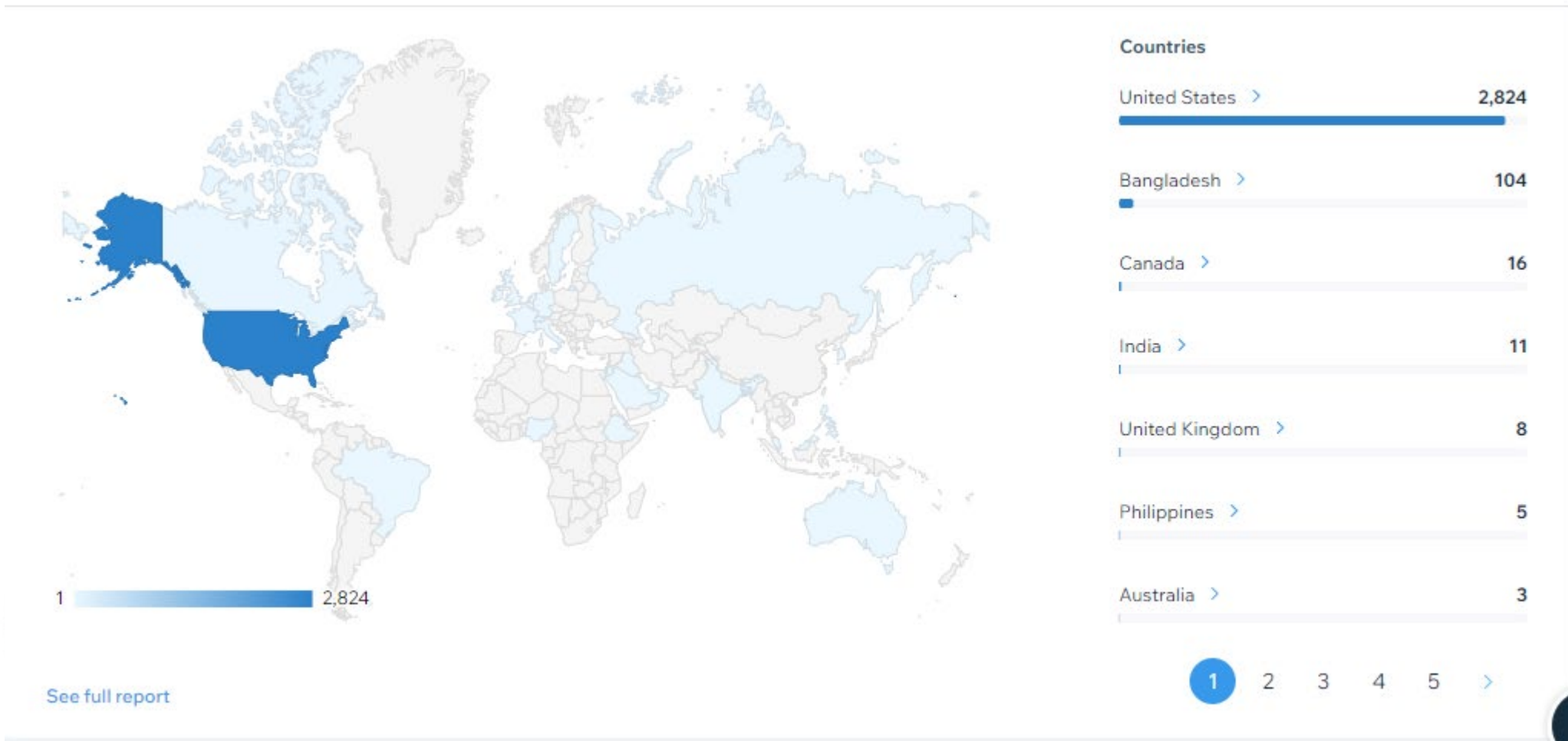
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Sessions over Time



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Visitors from 28 countries - USA, Bangladesh, India, UK, Philippines, Australia, Russia, Ireland, Brazil, Germany, Malaysia, Switzerland, Nigeria, Sweden, Italy, Netherland, Oman, Qatar, France, Ethiopia, Saudi Arabia, Iraq, Singapore, Jordan, Armenia, South Korea, UAE, Israel, Unknown



2022-2023 Goals

- ❖ Election
- ❖ New Committee
- ❖ BAFA Membership ID Card
- ❖ BAFA Mobile (iPhone/Android) App
- ❖ Tax Filing – 2022 & 2023
- ❖ Humanitarian Activities
- ❖ BAFA Picnic and Bijoy Dibosh Event
- ❖ BAFA Yearly Fund Raising through FB Giving Tuesday, November 2022



Inventory Items



- ❖ BOSE Speaker (1)
- ❖ Whole Sound System (1)
- ❖ Projector (1)
- ❖ Projector Screen & Stand (1)
- ❖ Thump 1 monitor, 1 speaker
- ❖ Speaker Stand (4 pcs)
- ❖ Decoration wall Support (4 pcs)
- ❖ Flood light (2 pcs)
- ❖ Sound System Cable box
- ❖ Pushing Cart (1)
- ❖ Hot water Kettle (1)
- ❖ Hand -Held Mike (1)
- ❖ Electric Pencil Sharpener (1)
- ❖ Decoration Board (10 pcs)
- ❖ Big Black Tote Box (1)
- ❖ Ping Pong Table (2)
- ❖ Ping Pong Bats and Balls (10+/-)
- ❖ Microphone Stand (3)
- ❖ Microphone (6+/-)
- ❖ Misc. Indoor Games Set
- ❖ Food Stand – 15 pcs
- ❖ Outside Stove (2 pcs)
- ❖ Big Size Pan (1)
- ❖ Large Wooden Spoon (1)
- ❖ TV 40"



The background features a gradient from light purple to pink, overlaid with several large, semi-transparent circles in various shades of purple and pink, creating a layered, abstract effect.

Thank You

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Stay Healthy#



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