

'Keep donations coming'

Donations of aid and money are still needed to help the survivors of the South Asian earthquake says Bradford-based charity the Human Relief Foundation (HRF).

Azeema Bhatti, who works for the charity, explained there was still a need for blankets, tents and medical equipment and she urged Bradford residents to keep giving.

"We need the community to keep giving because there are lots of things that they do need," she said.

The charity has been able to set up a tent village in the district of Muzaffarabad for 4,000 survivors and it is estimated that around £150,000 is needed to keep this village going for the next six months. And they are hoping to be able to set up more but this will not

HOW TO MAKE A DONATION

You can make a donation to the appeal through any branch of the HSBC bank which should be paid into:

T&A South Asian Earthquake Appeal, Account No: 33924556 branch sort code 40-13-15

You can also send cheques or postal orders *c/o* Anne Dransfield, Editor's Secretary, Telegraph & Argus, Hall Ings, Bradford, BD1 1JR. Cheques should be made payable to: **T&A South Asian Earthquake Appeal.**

be possible unless the funding is there to support it.

Miss Bhatti said that HRF is also continuing to purchase winterised tents at a cost of £80 each.

"They do still need our support and we do need to start looking at making long-term plans," she said.

A sponsored walk will be held at Lister Park on Sunday to raise money for HRF's earthquake appeal. Organiser Asma Tariq, from Rhodesway and Allerton Community Association, is hoping that as many people as possible will take part. You can register from 11.30am and the walk will start at 12pm.

● Anyone who would like to donate blankets, tents or medical equipment to HRF should take them to the charity on Claremont, in Great Horton. Anyone that would like to donate money to the Human Relief Foundation earthquake appeal should telephone 08700 117 112/113.

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