



HF team presenting the BBS Modules



Tour of the village houses

## Build Back Safer Workshop for IAP- Karachi Chapter

On 24th June, Heritage Foundation (HF) hosted a workshop for its sustainable program 'Build Back Safer with Vernacular Methodologies' for Institute of Architects Pakistan (IAP) Karachi Chapter. The visit of over 25 well-known architects and architectural students (from IVSAA, Dawood and NED Universities) was organized by Ar. Farida Ghaffar and was led by Ar. Shahab Ghani, President, IAP. Presentations regarding zero carbon footprint structures using mud, lime and bamboo, that are Disaster Risk Resistance (DRR)-compliant were made by HF's Ar. Yasmeen Lari, CEO, Naheem Shah, Field Coordinator and Ar. Mariyam Nizam, Heritage Coordinator. During the field visit conducted by HF's student volunteers, the visitors were able to view safe haven bamboo roofs (KaravanRoof) and other HF methodologies for building sustainable communities. Mehmood Nawaz Shah, land owner of Mohak Sharif, expressed his appreciation to Ar. Yasmeen Lari for introducing DRR compliant strategies and providing on-going assistance for village of 350 households to attain self reliance. HF has developed Mohak Sharif as a green training centre for NGOs, artisans and villagers.



Community Centre construction in bamboos



Chaura- Village Literacy Centre