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## 3<sup>rd</sup> Travel Exhibition

Marine Protected Areas Network/Bio-Connect : Linking Protected Areas

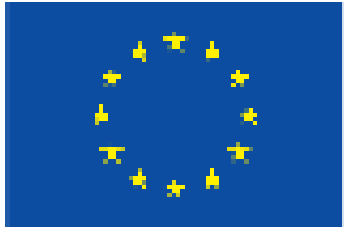
المعرض الثالث  
شبكة المحميات البحرية  
(MPAs)  
ربط المناطق المحمية  
(Bio-Connect)

Wednesday April 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025  
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# Blue/Green 2030x30 Vision



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**SPNL**  
homat al hima  
حماة الحمير

- Established in 1983.
- Non-sectorial, non-political environmental NGO in Lebanon.
- First IUCN member in Lebanon.
- Co-founder and former president LEF
- Birdlife partner in Lebanon.
- Collaboration between APU and CABS.





## SPNL Programs:

- Hima For Peace
- Homat Al Hima
- SNOW Program
- Hima Farm
- Souk AL Hima
- Droub AL Hima





# Hima For Peace

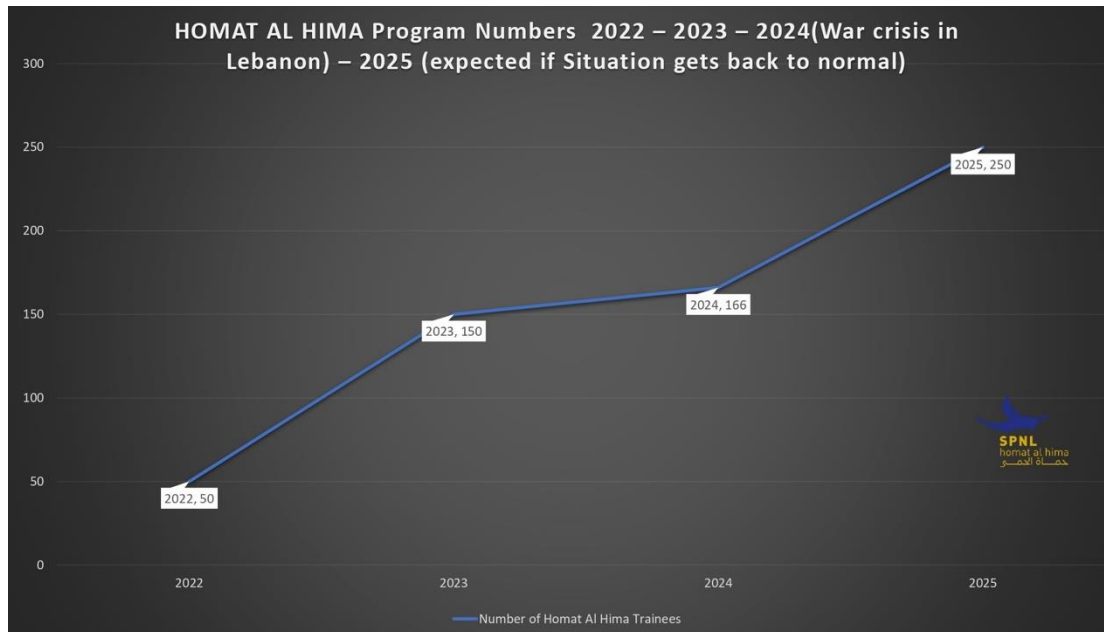


From **2** Hima for Peace villages to **8** thriving communities united by a Hima Charter—expanding harmony, sustainability, and tradition.



# Homat Al Hima

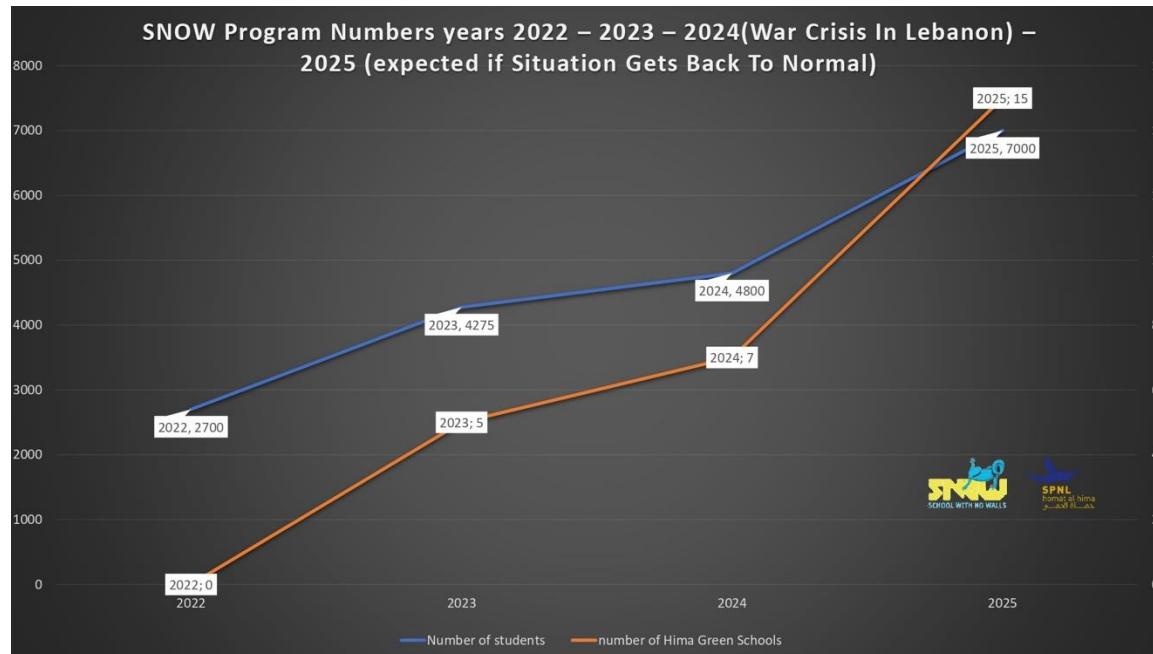
"♦ 250 Homat Al Hima empowered by our experts! ♦ Impact in numbers, change in action! 💪🌍"





# SNOW

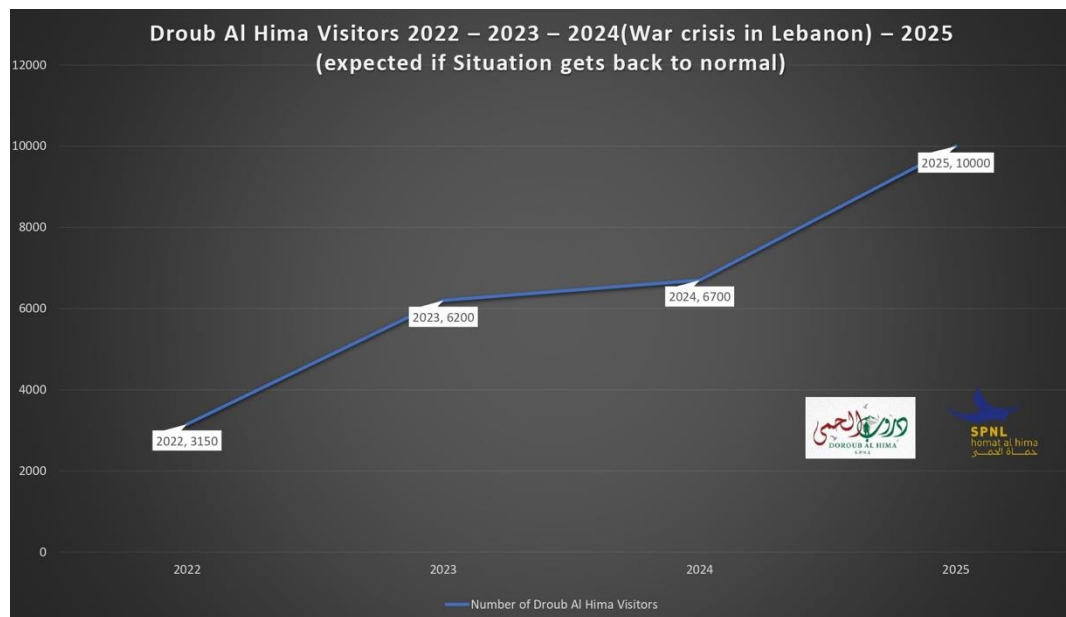
" 🏫 School With No Walls: 4,500+ students empowered! 🌱 Now making it sustainable with Training of Trainers & Hima Green School! 💡 ✨ "





# Droub Al Hima

"👣 Droub Al Hima: **6,500+** visitors exploring our trails! 🌍 Creating new opportunities for guides & linking **83** km of trails across Mount Lebanon's unique Himas! 🌿 ✨"





# Souk Al Hima

"🛍️ Empowering local artisans! **30+** men & women crafting with nature 🌿💪 Through training & marketing, we're building a Nature Shop—next stop: the airport! ✈️🌟"





# Hima Farm

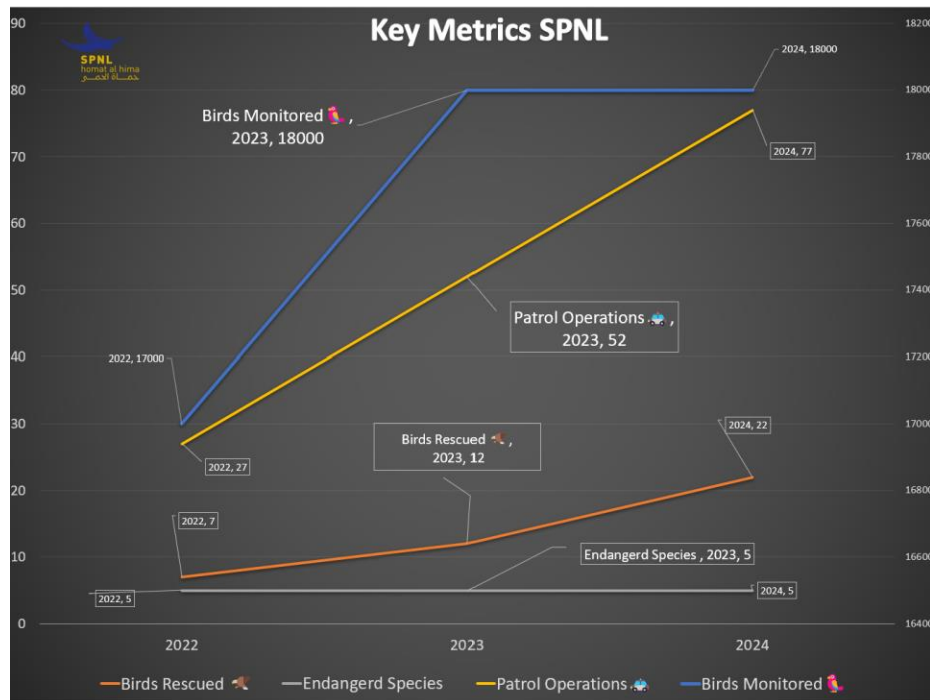
" 🚜 Hima Farm: Supporting farmers, growing futures! 🌱 Working with **9** farmers closely, mapping needs of **250**, & launching a nursery to distribute **5,000** plants yearly! 🌿 ✨ "





# Anti-Poaching Unit

"🦅 Anti-Poaching Unit in action! 🚚 **77** patrols, **22** birds rescued (**5** endangered), & **18,000** birds monitored yearly to protect wildlife! 🌍 ✨"



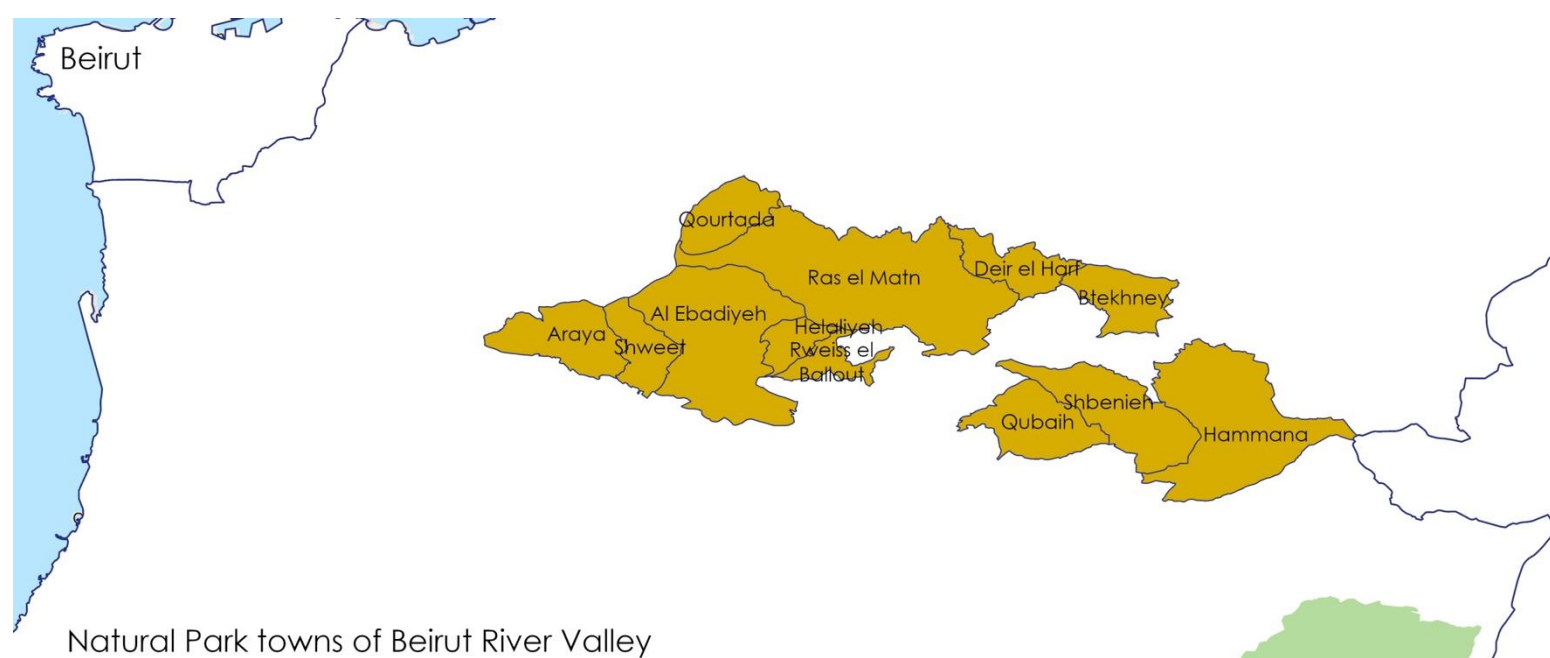
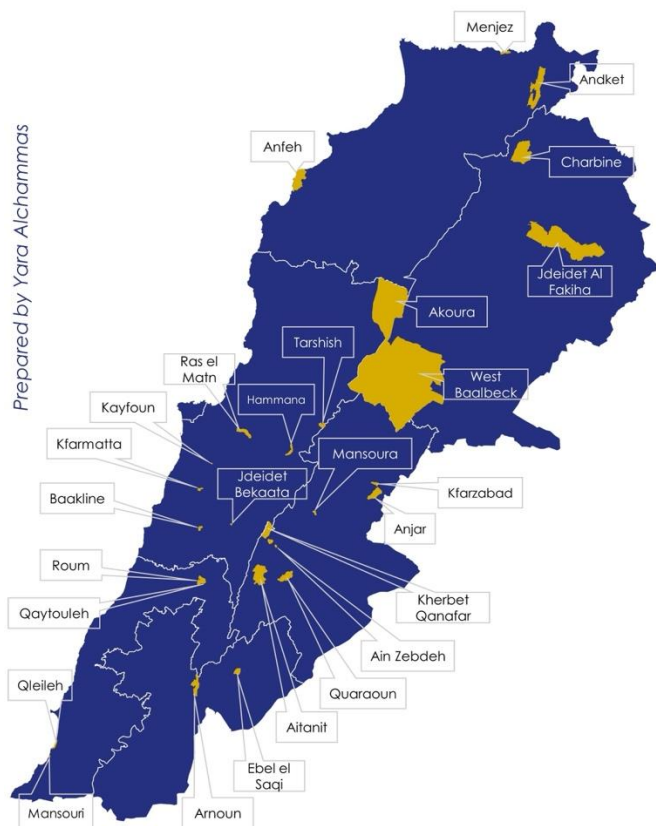


# NATURAL PARK Upper Beirut River Valley





Prepared by Yara Alchammas



Natural Park towns of Beirut River Valley

# Approximate 70 square kilometers area of Green Area





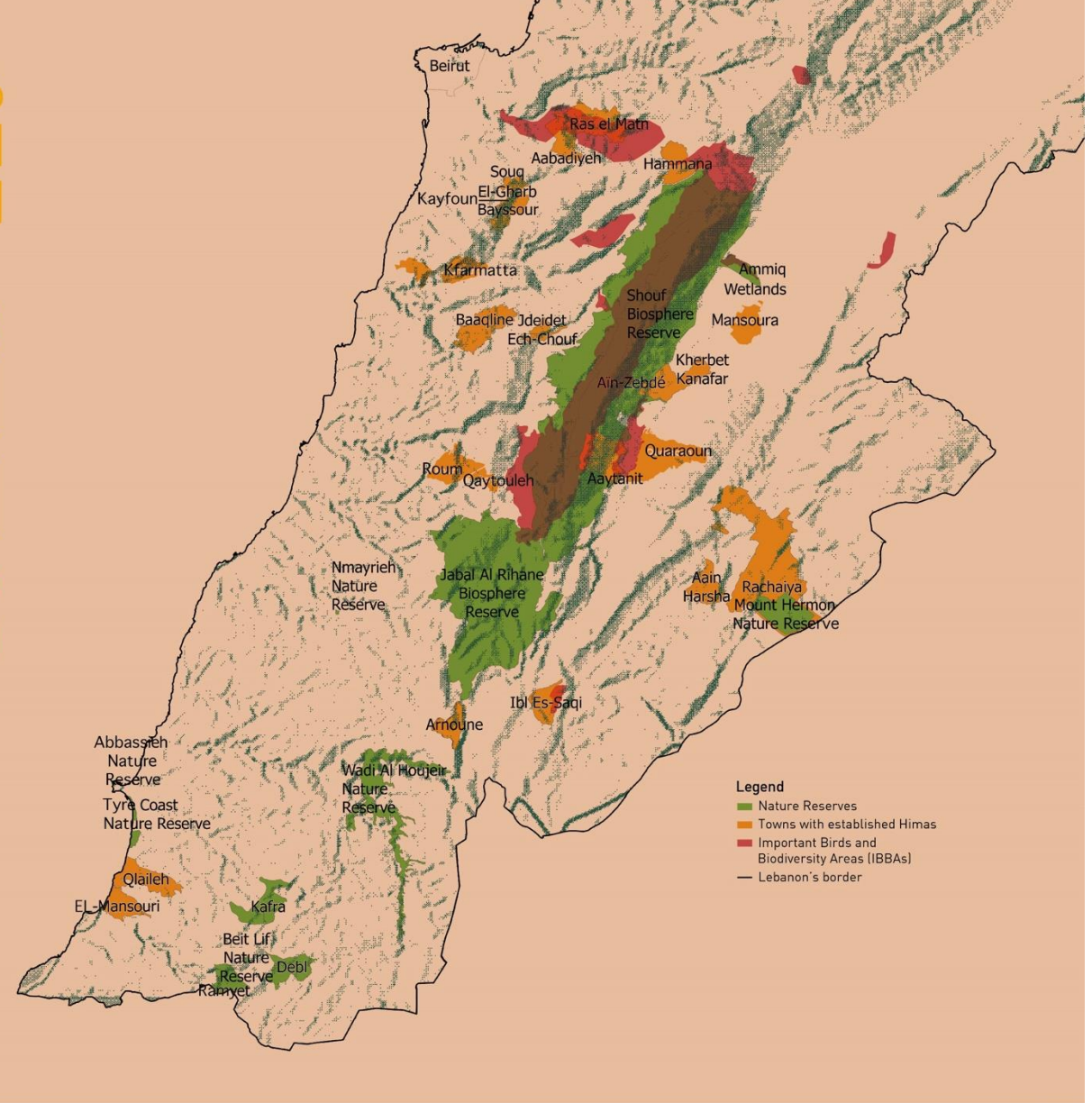


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التواصل لصالح  
الطبيعة والناس

# رؤية 2030 x 30% التنوع البيولوجي BIODIVERSITY VISION Ensuring Connectivity for the Benefit of Nature and People



"Hima's Across Lebanon: Connecting People, Protecting Nature – A 30x30 Vision for a Sustainable Future"



# "Power in Numbers: The Impact That Speaks Volumes"



  
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SPNL THE WORLD LEADER IN HIMA REVIVAL

Society for the Protection of Nature in Lebanon (SPNL) is an organization established under a no. K.A. 01 in 1984. SPNL is the national partner for Wildlife International in Lebanon. SPNL aims to conserve biodiversity and manage natural resources. SPNL is a leader in reviving the Hima, a decentralized approach for managing natural resources in Lebanon.





## "Empowering Mount Lebanon: Hima's Impact in Numbers

- **2,000+** Beneficiaries, Direct & Indirect
- **500+** Inhabitants Uplifted
- **50+** Jobs Created
- **50+** Women Empowered"

# Society For The Protection Of Nature In Lebanon

Our work for peace, nature and  
people.

Thank You.

