

LIVE BLOG: Scores Killed in Gaza as Resistance Launches ‘Moses’ Staff’ Operations – Day 700

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Israel continues to commit horrific massacres in Gaza. (Photo: via QNN)

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Meanwhile, the Qassam Brigades released footage of fighters targeting Israeli tanks and armored vehicles in Jabaliya as part of the newly launched “Moses’ Staff” operations, a response to Israel’s Gideon 2 campaign.

Since October 7, 2023, Israel has killed 64,231 and injured 161,583 others, the majority of whom are women and children, according to the Palestinian Ministry of Health in Gaza.

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US Official: Trump Serious about Ending Gaza War

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli Channel 12 quoted a US official as saying that President Donald Trump is serious about ending the war if all “hostages” in Gaza are released, adding that the US administration is working toward that goal.

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New York Times: Trump Administration Warns Lebanese Leaders

NEW YORK TIMES: The New York Times reported that the Trump administration warned Lebanese leaders that time is running out to disarm Hezbollah.

Fri, Sep 5, 12:36 AM (Palestine Time)

Osama Hamdan: Time Is Pressuring Israel Too

AL-JAZEERA: Senior Hamas official Osama Hamdan told Al Jazeera that Trump's remarks about ending the war by releasing all captives did not amount to an actual offer but were merely an idea.

Fri, Sep 5, 12:36 AM (Palestine Time)

Al-Quds Brigades Take Part in 'Moses' Staff', Qassam Warns Israel with QR Code

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: The Al-Quds Brigades, the military wing of the Islamic Jihad movement, announced on Thursday that it had bombed what it described as the "Zionist enemy's command and control headquarters" in the Zaytoun neighborhood, in the central Gaza Strip, using mortar shells.

In addition to military operations, the Qassam Brigades intensified its psychological warfare against Israel.

Thu, Sep 4, 11:43 PM (Palestine Time)

How the UN Can Act Decisively to End Genocide in Gaza: Turning ICJ Rulings into Action

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: As world leaders gather again in New York for another UN General Assembly beginning on September 9th, how will they respond to Israel's ever-escalating genocide and continued occupation and expansion of settlements in the West Bank and Jerusalem?

Read [the latest article by Medea Benjamin and Nicolas J.S. Davies](#)

Thu, Sep 4, 11:37 PM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Police Arrest Protesters against Gaza War

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli media reported that police arrested demonstrators protesting against the Gaza war in the city of Haifa.

Thu, Sep 4, 11:37 PM (Palestine Time)

Channel 12: Israeli "National Guard" Used for Protest Crackdowns

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli Channel 12 reported that the "National Guard," created by National Security Minister Itamar Ben Gvir, has been deployed to reinforce police at protests, contrary to its stated purpose.

Thu, Sep 4, 11:37 PM (Palestine Time)

Wall Street Journal: Israeli Officials Concerned About Occupying Gaza

WALL STREET JOURNAL: The Wall Street Journal reported that Israeli ministers and security officials are privately urging Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu to reach a ceasefire deal.

Thu, Sep 4, 11:37 PM (Palestine Time)

75 Killed in Gaza Since Dawn

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Hospital sources in Gaza reported that 75 Palestinians have been killed by Israeli fire since dawn today, including 44 in Gaza City.

Thu, Sep 4, 11:37 PM (Palestine Time)

Spain Imposes Sanctions on West Bank Settlers

SPANISH FM: Spanish Foreign Minister José Manuel Albares announced that Madrid has imposed sanctions on violent settlers in the West Bank.

Thu, Sep 4, 9:38 PM (Palestine Time)

Channel 14: Ground Operation to Begin Next Week

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli Channel 14 confirmed that the military operation in Gaza will begin next week with airstrikes, followed by a ground invasion.

Thu, Sep 4, 9:37 PM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Forces Advance East of Gaza and Deploy Booby-Trapped Vehicles

AL-JAZEERA: An Al Jazeera correspondent reported that Israeli military vehicles are firing heavily at houses on Al-Jalaa Street in central Gaza City. The correspondent added that Israeli forces are advancing east of Gaza City and placing booby-trapped vehicles inside residential neighborhoods in preparation for detonating them.

Thu, Sep 4, 9:37 PM (Palestine Time)

Rubio: Recognition of Palestine Will Cause Major Problems

AL-JAZEERA: US Secretary of State Marco Rubio said Washington told countries seeking to recognize the Palestinian state that such a step would create major problems.

Thu, Sep 4, 8:31 PM (Palestine Time)

Israel Holds Thousands of Gaza Civilians under ‘Unlawful Combatants’ Law – Report

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: Civilians make up the overwhelming majority of Palestinians from Gaza held without charge or trial in Israeli prisons, with only one in four detainees identified as fighters, according to classified data cited in a joint media investigation.

Thu, Sep 4, 8:21 PM (Palestine Time)

German Foreign Minister Warns Israel Against Occupying Gaza City

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli Channel 12 reported that Germany’s Foreign Minister urged his Israeli counterpart not to occupy Gaza City, warning of severe humanitarian consequences.

Thu, Sep 4, 8:21 PM (Palestine Time)

United Nations: Humanitarian Operations in Gaza Still Delayed or Obstructed

UN SPOKESMAN: The spokesman for the UN Secretary-General said that humanitarian operations inside Gaza continue to be delayed or obstructed.

Thu, Sep 4, 8:21 PM (Palestine Time)

Sa'ar Urges France to Reconsider Recognition of Palestinian State

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli Channel 12 reported that Foreign Minister Gideon Sa'ar urged his French counterpart to reconsider the initiative to recognize a Palestinian state.

Thu, Sep 4, 8:21 PM (Palestine Time)

62 Killed by Israeli Army Fire since Dawn

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Hospital sources in Gaza reported that 62 Palestinians have been killed by Israeli army fire since dawn today, including 35 in Gaza City.

Thu, Sep 4, 6:14 PM (Palestine Time)

UN Warns of 'Deeper Catastrophe' as Israel Intensifies Gaza City Operation

PALESTINE CHRONICLE:

The UN has warned that further intensification of Israel's offensive on Gaza City, amid the ongoing famine, will push the Palestinian population "into an even deeper catastrophe."

Thu, Sep 4, 6:14 PM (Palestine Time)

Israel Claims Downing of Two Drones Launched from Yemen

ISRAELI ARMY: The Israeli army claimed on Thursday that it had downed two drones launched from Yemen.

Thu, Sep 4, 11:43 PM (Palestine Time)

'The Voice of Hind Rajab' Receives Standing Ovation at Venice Film Festival

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: Tunisian director Kaouther Ben Hania's latest film, The Voice of Hind Rajab, premiered at the 82nd Venice International Film Festival on Wednesday to a standing ovation.

The screening received a rapturous response from the audience, including a standing ovation lasting more than 22 minutes, the Anadolu news agency reported, as well as chants of "free Palestine."

Thu, Sep 4, 6:14 PM (Palestine Time)

Gaza Health Director: No Action since Famine Declared

GAZA HEALTH MINISTRY: The Director-General of the Ministry of Health in Gaza told Al Jazeera that since famine was declared in the Strip, no party has taken any action.

Thu, Sep 4, 6:14 PM (Palestine Time)

Eight Killed in Israeli Airstrikes on Tuffah Neighborhood

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: The Baptist Hospital in Gaza reported that the death toll has risen to eight in Israeli airstrikes targeting homes in the Tuffah neighborhood, east of Gaza City.

Thu, Sep 4, 6:14 PM (Palestine Time)

Poll: 64.5% of Israelis Support Army Withdrawal from Gaza

ISRAELI MEDIA: A poll by the Israeli Democracy Institute showed that 64.5% of Israelis support a deal that includes the withdrawal of the army from Gaza, while 53% believe Israel's leadership is not doing enough to secure the release of captives.

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Seven Killed while Waiting for Aid in Rafah

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: The Nasser Medical Complex reported that seven Palestinians were killed and others wounded by Israeli fire while waiting for aid near a distribution center north of Rafah.

Thu, Sep 4, 6:14 PM (Palestine Time)

45 Killed by Israeli Army Fire since Dawn

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Hospital sources in Gaza reported that 45 Palestinians have been killed by Israeli army fire since dawn today, including 28 in Gaza City.

Israeli occupation forces carried out new massacres on Thursday in several neighborhoods of Gaza City and other areas of the Strip. They also opened fire again on starving crowds, killing and injuring more Palestinians.

Thu, Sep 4, 3:37 PM (Palestine Time)

A Legend of Resistance: Who Was the 'Guevara of Gaza'? – PROFILE

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: Unknown to many outside of Gaza and the Israelis who hunted him, the model of Muhammad al-Aswad served as a major inspiration for generations of resistance fighters.

Read the profile by Robert Inlakesh.

Thu, Sep 4, 3:09 PM (Palestine Time)

'Vietnam Scenario': Israeli General Brik Says Netanyahu's Gaza Plan a "Death Trap"

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: Israeli reserve Major General Yitzhak Brik wrote that Netanyahu's push to reoccupy Gaza City is a "death trap," accusing Israel's leadership of weakening the army and deceiving the public about the war.

Thu, Sep 4, 2:38 PM (Palestine Time)

Injuries in Israeli Strike on Two Homes in Tuffah Neighborhood

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: A source at the Baptist Hospital reported injuries, including among children, in an Israeli strike on two homes in the Tuffah neighborhood, northeast of Gaza City.

Thu, Sep 4, 2:37 PM (Palestine Time)

Gaza Death Toll Rises

GAZA MINISTRY OF HEALTH: The Ministry of Health in Gaza said hospitals received 84 bodies and 338 wounded in the past 24 hours. The total death toll from Israel's assault on the Gaza Strip since October 7, 2023, has risen to 64,231, with 161,583 wounded.

Thu, Sep 4, 2:37 PM (Palestine Time)

Aid Seekers Killed in Northern and Southern Gaza

PALESTINIAN MEDIA:

A source in Gaza's Emergency Services said a number of Palestinians waiting for aid were killed or injured by Israeli army fire in the north of the Strip.

Nasser Medical Complex said five Palestinians were killed and others injured by Israeli fire near an aid distribution center north of Rafah.

Thu, Sep 4, 2:37 PM (Palestine Time)

Gaza Deaths from Malnutrition Rise to 370

GAZA MINISTRY OF HEALTH: The Ministry of Health in Gaza reported three deaths from starvation and malnutrition in the past 24 hours. The total number of Palestinians who have died due to malnutrition has risen to 370, including 131 children.

Thu, Sep 4, 2:37 PM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Army Orders Evacuation in Eastern Tulkarm

AL-JAZEERA: Israeli forces issued a new evacuation order for residents of the eastern area of Tulkarm in the northern West Bank.

Thu, Sep 4, 2:37 PM (Palestine Time)

UN Official: Action is Too Late as Famine Spreads

UN SPECIAL RAPPORTEUR ON POVERTY AND HUMAN RIGHTS:

The UN rapporteur told Al Jazeera that around 2,000 Palestinians have been killed near aid distribution centers in Gaza.

He said action is already overdue and famine will worsen in Khan Younis and Deir al-Balah. He added that Israel is using the Gaza Strip as a tool to force Palestinians to move to other areas.

Thu, Sep 4, 2:37 PM (Palestine Time)

Student Protest in Israel Demands Return of Captives

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli media reported that dozens of students organized a protest march in central Israel, demanding an immediate and comprehensive deal to return the captives.

Thu, Sep 4, 11:11 AM (Palestine Time)

Third Missile from Yemen in 24 Hours Targets Ben Gurion Airport in Tel Aviv

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: Spokesman Yahya Saree said Israeli and US defenses failed to intercept the “Zulfiqar” missile, forcing the suspension of airport operations.

Thu, Sep 4, 11:11 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Forces Demolish Residential Buildings in Zaytoun Neighborhood

AL-JAZEERA: Israeli forces demolished residential buildings in the Zaytoun neighborhood, southeast of Gaza City.

Thu, Sep 4, 11:11 AM (Palestine Time)

Families of Israeli Captives in Gaza Call for Immediate Action

ISRAELI MEDIA: Families of Israeli captives in the Gaza Strip urged Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, the US administration, and mediators to immediately call negotiators to convene.

Thu, Sep 4, 11:11 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Forces Detain 16 Palestinians in West Bank

AL-JAZEERA: Sources told Al Jazeera that Israeli forces arrested at least 16 Palestinians from various areas across the occupied West Bank overnight, including one woman.

Thu, Sep 4, 10:42 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Massacres in Deir al-Balah and Al-Maghazi as Genocide Toll Rises

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: An Israeli airstrike on tents sheltering civilians in western Gaza City killed and injured several, including children.

Thu, Sep 4, 10:23 AM (Palestine Time)

Death Toll Rises from Israeli Fire Since Dawn

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Hospital sources in Gaza reported that 28 Palestinians have been killed by Israeli army fire since dawn today, including 16 in Gaza City. Among today's dead are four Palestinians who were waiting for aid in the central and southern parts of the Strip.

Thu, Sep 4, 10:23 AM (Palestine Time)

Ansarallah Announces Strike on Ben Gurion Airport

ANSARALLAH MILITARY SPOKESMAN: Yahya Saree, the military spokesman for Ansarallah, announced that the group carried out a special operation targeting Lod Airport (Ben Gurion) in occupied Jaffa with a ballistic missile.

Thu, Sep 4, 10:23 AM (Palestine Time)

Eisenkot Accuses Netanyahu of Blocking Deal

ISRAELI ARMY RADIO: Former Israeli Chief of Staff Gadi Eisenkot said that current Chief of Staff Eyal Zamir has announced that the conditions for the return of captives are met, but Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu is obstructing progress.

Thu, Sep 4, 10:23 AM (Palestine Time)

UNRWA Renews Call to Lift Gaza Siege

UNRWA: The UN agency said that families in Gaza have been left without life's necessities and that no aid has been allowed in for six months. It stressed the urgent need to bring in shelter materials, including tents.

Thu, Sep 4, 6:16 AM (Palestine Time)

Dozens Killed as Israel Intensifies Airstrikes in Gaza

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Israeli airstrikes on homes and displaced persons' tents have killed dozens of people in Gaza, with the military also reporting a ballistic missile launch from Yemen.

Strikes and Massacres in Gaza

According to Al-Aqsa TV, dozens of Palestinians, mostly children, have been killed or wounded in a series of consecutive Israeli airstrikes on homes and tents for displaced people in the neighborhoods of Al-Sabra, Sheikh Radwan, Al-Nasr, and Tal Al-Hawa in Gaza City. The network described the situation as "another night of hell."

The Palestinian Information Center reported that Israeli forces detonated an explosive robot among homes in the Sheikh Radwan neighborhood and are firing on residences in the vicinity of Al-Jalaa in northwestern Gaza City.

Yemen Missile Launch

The Israeli military has confirmed it detected the launch of a ballistic missile from Yemen targeting Israel and stated that it is working to intercept it.

Thu, Sep 4, 2:42 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Airstrikes Kill 9, Including Children, in Gaza City

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Israeli airstrikes on homes and displaced persons' tents in Gaza City have killed nine Palestinians, including four children, while Israeli forces continue demolishing residential buildings in Khan Yunis.

Gaza hospital sources have confirmed that nine Palestinians, including four children, were killed and others were injured in a series of Israeli airstrikes on homes and tents for displaced people in Gaza City.

Meanwhile, Al-Aqsa TV reported that the Israeli army is conducting "massive home-demolition operations" in the Al-Sater area north of Khan Yunis in the southern Gaza Strip.

Thu, Sep 4, 2:36 AM (Palestine Time)

Hamas Official: We Agreed to the Mediators' Proposal, But Netanyahu Wants Endless War

STATEMENT: A senior Hamas official stated that the group accepted the mediators' proposal for a comprehensive deal but accused Israeli Prime Minister Netanyahu of stonewalling, claiming he seeks a war without end.

Izzat al-Risheq, a senior leader in Hamas, addressed US President Donald Trump, stating that Hamas had agreed on August 18th to a mediators' proposal originally based on a plan by US envoy Stephen Witkoff.

Al-Risheq said that Hamas is prepared for a comprehensive deal that would see the release of all Israeli prisoners in exchange for an agreed-upon number of Palestinians in Israeli jails. Such a deal would also include a ceasefire and the full withdrawal of Israeli forces from Gaza.

He noted that Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu has not yet responded to the proposal. Al-Risheq accused Netanyahu of being the "real obstacle" to both prisoner exchange deals and a ceasefire, asserting that the Israeli leader's ultimate goal is a war with no end.

Thu, Sep 4, 1:00 AM (Palestine Time)

Killed and Injured in Israeli Strikes on Gaza City

GAZA EMERGENCY SERVICES: Emergency services in Gaza reported that an Israeli airstrike on a house in the Al-Sabra neighborhood of southern Gaza City killed two people and left others missing.

Another strike on tents sheltering displaced people in the Al-Nasr neighborhood west of Gaza City killed one person and injured others.

Thu, Sep 4, 1:00 AM (Palestine Time)

Democratic Senators Criticize Gaza Humanitarian Foundation

US MEDIA: Democratic senators said:

We demand clarifications from the State Department regarding its \$30 million grant to the Gaza Humanitarian Foundation.

1,760 civilians were killed in Gaza after the State Department decided to fund the foundation.

The best way to end Gaza's suffering is a ceasefire and funding neutral humanitarian organizations. Coordination between the Gaza Humanitarian Foundation and the Israeli army violates neutrality standards in war zones.

We call for ending the State Department's funding contract with the Gaza Humanitarian Foundation.

Thu, Sep 4, 1:00 AM (Palestine Time)

US Jewish Organization: Smotrich Driving Israel to Disaster

US MEDIA: The US Jewish organization J Street said:

Israeli Finance Minister Bezalel Smotrich is continuing to drive Israel into disaster.

His plans to annex the occupied West Bank threaten Israeli democracy and undermine chances for peace.

The annexation project aims to prevent Palestinians from exercising their right to self-determination.

The annexation plan weakens US-Israel relations and deepens Israel's isolation.

Thu, Sep 4, 1:00 AM (Palestine Time)

‘Moses’ Staff’: Footage Shows Qassam Fighters Targeting Israeli Tanks in Jabaliya

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: The Qassam Brigades released footage of fighters targeting Israeli tanks and armored vehicles in Jabaliya as part of the newly launched “Moses’ Staff” operations, a response to Israel's Gideon 2 campaign.

Thu, Sep 4, 1:00 AM (Palestine Time)

1,100 Killed in Gaza City in Three Weeks of Israeli Assault

GAZA GOVERNMENT MEDIA OFFICE: The Gaza Government Media Office reported that Israel has detonated nearly 100 booby-trapped robots in Gaza City neighborhoods as part of its ongoing assault for three weeks. The death toll in Gaza City alone has reached 1,100 during this period.

Thu, Sep 4, 1:00 AM (Palestine Time)

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Thu, Sep 4, 12:04 AM (Palestine Time)

US Jewish Organization: Smotrich Driving Israel Toward the Abyss

J STREET:

The US-based Jewish organization J Street said Israeli Finance Minister Bezalel Smotrich is pushing Israel “toward the abyss.”

It warned that Smotrich's West Bank annexation plans threaten Israeli democracy, undermine peace prospects, aim to deny Palestinians self-determination, weaken US-Israel relations, and deepen Israel's isolation.

Thu, Sep 4, 12:04 AM (Palestine Time)

Ansarallah: We Targeted Sensitive Site West of Jerusalem

ANSARALLAH MILITARY SPOKESMAN: The military spokesperson for Yemen's Ansar Allah said the group targeted a "sensitive site" west of Jerusalem with missiles, achieving its objectives.

Thu, Sep 4, 12:04 AM (Palestine Time)

Hamas: Awaiting Israeli Response to Mediators' Proposal

HAMAS STATEMENT: Hamas said it is still waiting for the Israeli response to the mediators' proposal, which the movement and other Palestinian factions have accepted.