

LIVE BLOG: Netanyahu Assassination Plot Alleged While Gaza Famine Claims Dozens of Lives – Day 656

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Israel has continued to use starvation of civilians as a weapon of war against Palestinians in Gaza.(Photo: Ahmed al-Arini, via QNN)

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According to the Gaza medical relief director, the Strip has entered a danger phase of famine, expecting mass death among women and children.

Meanwhile, Yemen's Ansarallah targeted the Ben Gurion airport in Tel Aviv with a hypersonic missile, disrupting air traffic.

Since October 7, 2023, Israel has killed 59,106 and injured 142,511 others, the majority of whom are women and children, according to the Palestinian Ministry of Health in Gaza.

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WHO: 90% of Gaza's Population Struggling to Access Water

WHO: World Health Organization chief Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus said that 90% of Gaza's population is facing difficulty in accessing clean water. He affirmed the WHO's commitment to remain in Gaza and called for the protection of UN and humanitarian staff.

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Israeli Forces Block Ambulance Access in Bethlehem

PALESTINIAN RED CRESCENT: The Palestinian Red Crescent reported that Israeli forces blocked ambulances from reaching injured Palestinians in the town of Al-Khader, south of Bethlehem, after shooting at them.

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Brazil to Join Genocide Case Against Israel at the ICJ

BRAZILIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY: Brazil announced it is in the final stages of formally joining the genocide case filed against Israel at the International Court of Justice, stating that the international community must not remain silent in the face of ongoing atrocities in Gaza.

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White House: US Envoy to Meet Mideast Officials in Europe for Ceasefire Talks

WHITE HOUSE: US envoy Steve Witkoff will meet Middle Eastern officials in Europe to discuss a proposed ceasefire in Gaza and the release of hostages. The White House reiterated its urgency in reaching an agreement as soon as possible.

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Hamas Rejects Knesset Vote as Illegitimate

HAMAS STATEMENT: Hamas declared the Israeli Knesset's vote to impose sovereignty over the West Bank illegal and illegitimate, insisting it will not change the identity of Palestinian land.

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56 Palestinians Killed in Israeli Strikes Today

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Hospitals in Gaza reported that 56 Palestinians have been killed in Israeli airstrikes on multiple areas of the besieged territory since early morning.

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Israeli Army Chief: We Are Fighting Unprecedented Wars

ISRAELI MILITARY: Israeli Chief of Staff said the army is engaged in simultaneous, unprecedented operations in Gaza, Iran, Lebanon, Syria, and Jenin. He described the current moment as a strategic crossroads and reaffirmed ground forces as key to victory.

Wed, Jul 23, 9:45 PM (Palestine Time)

Knesset Votes for Non-Binding Motion to Annex Occupied West Bank

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: The Israeli parliament (Knesset) voted on Wednesday for a non-binding motion for the agenda in favor of annexing the occupied West Bank.

The motion was backed by 71 members of the 120-seat assembly against 13 votes.

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The Disintegration of Syria's Government and Israel's Insidious Plot

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: An Israeli agenda has been hatched inside of Syria and the new administration in Damascus is taking every step to accelerate it. What happened inside the Sweida Province over the last week has demonstrated that the new rulers of Syria simply have no power over the country and rely completely on outside help.

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Four Palestinians Killed While Waiting for Aid in Central Gaza

AL-AWDA HOSPITAL: Al-Awda Hospital reported that four Palestinians were killed by Israeli gunfire near the Netzarim axis in central Gaza while waiting for humanitarian aid.

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41 Killed in Gaza Today, Including 10 Aid Seekers

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Medical sources in Gaza said that 41 Palestinians have been killed by Israeli forces since dawn, including 10 people who were waiting to receive humanitarian assistance.

Wed, Jul 23, 3:36 PM (Palestine Time)

Al-Qassam Destroys Israeli Armored Vehicle in Khan Yunis

AL-QASSAM BRIGADES: Al-Qassam Brigades announced that its fighters detonated an explosive device targeting and destroying an Israeli armored personnel carrier north of Khan Yunis on July 12, killing and wounding its crew.

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84 Children Dead from Malnutrition in Gaza

SHIFA MEDICAL COMPLEX: The director of Gaza's Shifa Medical Complex told Al Jazeera that 84 children have died from malnutrition. Hospitals across the Strip are now overwhelmed with cases of severe undernourishment.

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Abbas Pushes for Palestinian National Council Elections by End of 2025

AL JAZEERA: Palestinian Authority President Mahmoud Abbas announced plans to hold elections for the Palestinian National Council before the end of 2025—sidestepping a broader Palestinian consensus calling for organizational reforms and a unified leadership framework. His initiative reportedly excludes resistance factions and requires adherence to “international legitimacy.”

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Al-Qassam Hits Israeli Merkava Tank in Gaza City

AL-QASSAM BRIGADES: Al-Qassam Brigades reported targeting an Israeli Merkava tank with a Yassin-105 shell in the eastern part of Al-Zaytoun neighborhood, Gaza City.

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France Calls on Israel to Lift Gaza Aid Restrictions

FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTRY: France demanded that Israel immediately lift all restrictions on humanitarian aid entering Gaza, hold to the International Court of Justice's provisional measures, and stop firing on civilians seeking aid. Paris attributed the crisis to the ongoing Israeli blockade.

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Video: Al-Qassam Targets Israeli Forces in Jabaliya

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Footage has been obtained showing Al-Qassam Brigades fighters targeting Israeli army soldiers and their vehicles in Jabaliya, northern Gaza Strip.

The visuals depict Israeli vehicles being blown up at point-blank range within Jabaliya town. The footage also documented occupation forces withdrawing their vehicles after being targeted by Al-Qassam operatives.

Wed, Jul 23, 2:21 PM (Palestine Time)

10 More Deaths Due to Starvation and Malnutrition in Gaza, Total Reaches 111

STATEMENT: The Gaza Ministry of Health has announced that 10 deaths due to starvation and malnutrition were recorded in the Gaza Strip within the last 24 hours. This tragic increase brings the total number of fatalities from these causes to 111.

Wed, Jul 23, 2:20 PM (Palestine Time)

Hamas: Palestinian Authority President's Announcement on PNC Reshuffle Violates National Agreements

STATEMENT: Hamas has expressed “grave concern” over the Palestinian Authority President’s announcement regarding his intention to re-form the Palestinian National Council (PNC).

Hamas stated that the president’s announcement was made unilaterally and without national consensus.

Hamas emphasized that this announcement violates national agreements signed between various Palestinian factions.

The movement described the Palestinian Authority President’s decision as a “dangerous تجاوز” (serious transgression/overstep) of the collective national will and a “blatant disregard” for the agreements reached in Cairo, Algiers, Moscow, and Beijing.

Wed, Jul 23, 2:19 PM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Police: Woman Arrested for Allegedly Plotting to Target Netanyahu

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli police, in cooperation with the Shin Bet (Israel Security Agency), announced the arrest of a woman who allegedly communicated with others to target Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu.

According to the Israeli Broadcasting Authority, the woman is a resident of central Israel and had planned to target Netanyahu with an explosive device.

The Shin Bet is currently investigating the woman, and she will be charged with conspiracy to commit a terrorist act.

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New Israeli Massacre in Tel al-Hawa as Bombardment Intensifies in Central Strip

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: Israeli occupation forces carried out a new massacre in Gaza City early Wednesday, while intensifying aerial and artillery strikes on Deir al-Balah in central Gaza as part of an ongoing ground invasion that began two days ago.

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Four Killed While Seeking Aid Near Netzarim Corridor

AL-AWDA HOSPITAL: Four Palestinians were shot and killed by Israeli forces while attempting to access humanitarian aid near the Netzarim corridor in central Gaza.

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Death Toll Of Journalists In Gaza Rises To 231

GAZA GOVERNMENT MEDIA OFFICE: The total number of journalists killed in Gaza has risen to 231 following the martyrdom of Tamer Al-Za'anin and Wala' Al-Jaabari. The media office condemned in the strongest terms Israel's systematic targeting and killing of Palestinian journalists.

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US Security Guards Fired On Palestinians At Gaza Aid Centers

ISRAELI MEDIA: According to Channel 12, a former American soldier now working as a security guard at aid centers in Gaza said that guards fired on Palestinians and treated them inhumanely. "I've never seen such use of force in my entire military service," he said, adding he quit the job due to the guards' behavior and called for accountability.

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Israeli Army Ends Operations In Deir Al-Balah

ISRAELI ARMY RADIO: The Israeli army announced it ended its operations in Deir al-Balah in central Gaza and withdrew this morning. A senior officer said it is not unlikely that operations in the area will resume.

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Hamas Calls For Global Mobilization To Break Gaza Siege

HAMAS STATEMENT: Hamas called for mass popular mobilization across world capitals from Friday to Sunday to break the siege and end the famine in Gaza. The movement urged protests and sit-ins outside Israeli and US embassies, calling the current moment a decisive test of global conscience in the face of genocide and starvation.

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Palestinian Journalist And Five Children Killed In Gaza City Airstrike

AL-SHIFA HOSPITAL: Journalist Wala' Al-Jaabari and five of her children were killed in an Israeli airstrike targeting Tel Al-Hawa neighborhood in Gaza City.

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Israeli Gunboats Fire Heavily Off Khan Yunis Coast

PALESTINIAN SOURCES: Israeli naval forces opened intense fire off the shores of Khan Younis in southern Gaza, targeting fishing areas.

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Gaza Hospitals Overflowing With Starving Patients

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Hospitals across Gaza are overwhelmed with emaciated civilians suffering from exhaustion and hunger, as cases of fainting and physical collapse rise sharply.

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Israeli Forces Raid Rafidia Hospital Emergency Department

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Occupation troops stormed the emergency wing of Rafidia Hospital in Nablus, northern West Bank, early Wednesday morning.

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Israeli Forces Besiege Rafidia Hospital In Nablus

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Israeli military vehicles closed off access to the emergency department of Rafidia Hospital in the northern West Bank city of Nablus during an early morning raid.

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Casualties in Strike on Tel Al-Hawa Apartment

AL-AQSA TV: Several people were killed and wounded in an Israeli airstrike early Wednesday on an apartment near Al-Falah Mosque in Tel Al-Hawa, southwest Gaza City.

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Drones Bomb Homes In Al-Bureij Camp

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Israeli drones bombed houses early Wednesday in Al-Bureij refugee camp in central Gaza Strip. Simultaneously, Israeli tanks opened heavy fire east of the camp.

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Israeli Airstrikes on Deir Al-Balah And Surrounding Areas

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Multiple Israeli airstrikes on Deir Al-Balah and its surroundings in central Gaza overnight, alongside the firing of illumination flares and continued incursions to the south and east of the city.

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Katz: We Are Closer Than Ever To Achieving War Objectives

ISRAELI DEFENSE MINISTER: Israeli Defense Minister Israel Katz said that Israel is facing two open fronts in Gaza and Yemen and must decisively win both, adding: "We are at the closest point to achieving the goals of the war."