

JUST REPORT MONDAY JUNE 30, 2025

Note: this evening we had an observer who would not reveal his/her identity, and whom I therefore removed. Password and security details for JUST have been changed and will be sent to subscribers. In future, we will keep the waiting room active during the session.



The murder of Hind Rajab and her family, Wimbledon protest June 30, 2025

WITNESS

We read Dr. Ezzideen's powerful words calling for digital silence as a solidarity action (see [Annex 1](#)). The numbers killed this week are unbelievable. The slaughter is intensifying. Over 300 people killed 20-27th June; 600 killed seeking aid since May, Israel has admitted the killings. Weekend 28-29th June: [More than 100 slaughtered](#) – schools tents bombed, children burned alive. 80 people killed today 30th June. The Gaza Humanitarian Foundation is based in Europe, and is being given \$30m by Trump. Israel [are doctoring the food with addictive opiates](#) (several sources).

LEARN

- We discussed today's High Court ruling [that the supply of weapons to Israel is legal](#). An appeal seems likely.
- Palestine Action and terrorism ruling – info [here](#). And [here](#). The banning order can be read [here](#). Juliet Stephenson's [interview](#) in the Guardian clarifies how dangerous this is for free speech. Briefing [here](#) The two other organisations on the list are foreign neo Nazis in with foreign neo-Nazi organisations (the Moldovan 'Maniacs Murder Cult' and the Russian 'Imperialist Movement'). Simply not comparable. However, a High Court judge is hearing an application for interim relief on Friday. If unsuccessful, the group will be illegal. Quaker Palestine Action is taking legal advice to protect its name. Another action group has set itself up as "Yvette Cooper". Let's see what happens then! Watch George Monbiot's very good speech [here](#). Spartacus moment. They can't imprison us all..... can they? Very good legal guidance here at [Netpol](#). The one thing

we can do after a ban is to “disagree with the proscription and talk about the official process to challenge it. However, you still need to consider whether your expression is “reckless as to whether the expression will encourage others to support the organisation”, and it will still be a crime to generally “post positive messages about Palestine Action or to share their logos and imagery”.

ACT

- [Silence for Gaza](#) Digital switch off for half an hour a day, 21.00-21.30 local time. No internet, no mobile, no social media no comments. Set your alarm (I managed to forget it this evening!!!). **THIS IS A REALLY IMPORTANT ACTION, SEE ANNEX 2 FOR WHY. One week only.**
- Palestine Action. Still time to sign letters ([here](#) and [here](#)) and [petitions](#) and to [donate to legal fees](#).
- **URGENT** Write to MPs asking them to facilitate the immediate evacuation of baby Hani Ziyara (details [here](#)) and permit more children to come to the UK for treatment – only TWO have been allowed read [here](#)..
- **Sign petition to demand EU heads of state pressurise Israel to allow baby formula into Gaza.. babies are dying for the want of it [here](#)**
- A nice simple action – [donate the cost of a cup of tea](#)...money raised goes to families in Hebron and Masafer Yatta to help them buy water
- 30th June – 13th July Fast for Gaza outside Parliament 9am – 7pm. For details, contact danielgwyn@gmail.com . Two more people urgently needed for 2nd July, 1 more person for 7th and 9th July.

SHARE

- Kneecap at Glastonbury were inspiring in the minute or so [available online](#) – we feel helpless, but Palestinians are watching and gaining courage from seeing the thousands of supporters.
- Large presence today at Woolwich Crown Court for the Filton 18, in addition to supporters of Palestine, 300 members of [Defend our Juries](#) turned up in coaches for an impressive silent vigil.
- Edinburgh – report from Pat about UNRWA representative visiting the Scottish Parliament last week: looking at ways to circumvent bans on the organisation.
- 15 members of Quaker Palestine Action emailed the Quaker magazine The Friend to comment on a letter asking why Gaza should be the focus of attention rather than all the other tragedies in the world (see Annex 3)
- Halima brought the case of baby Hani to our attention.
- Singing for Palestine – build resilience through song... Pat will share some of the songs they sing every week outside St Giles Cathedral
- [Sabeel](#) hold a prayer meeting every Thursday evening.... registration link

Wins – small and large

- World Council of Churches [calls for sanctions](#)
- BMA [reject the use of Palantir](#) software, used by the Israeli military, in the NHS. For info on Palantir, see [here](#)
- BMA vote to protect the right of the right of healthcare professionals and medical students to criticise states, governments, or institutions for actions that contravene international law.; See [here](#) and Annex 4.
- German President Frank-Walter Steinmeier [warns Netanyahu](#) against visiting
- Germany, saying Berlin should avoid testing international law given the standing warrant issued against him by the International Criminal Court.

Up and coming

2nd July [protest Pal Action](#) outside Parliament 6pm

2 July [Gaza Medics documentary on Channel 4 10pm](#)

5th July [Don't buy apartheid day of action](#)

Apologies just friends.... For some reason I can't access the saved chat, where I know there was info I should have included. Will do better...

Annex 1: Dr Ezzideen's words

'I walked 30 minutes through ruins and dust...

for a fragment of a signal...enough to whisper,

"We are still alive".

Gaza is silent now... a silence of smothering...

They severed the last cable, no messages leave [none] enter...

Grief [is] forbidden.

Corpses...buildings...homes...erased by the same hand that erase[s] our voices.

This is a siege of memory...a war [to stop us] saying

"We are [still] here".

No food...no water...no exit...

The Internet was our final breath...

the last evidence of our humanity...

Now it is gone. And in the dark, they massacre [us].

I stood beneath a broken sky... to send this ...message.

A last resistance.

We [are] not silent, we [have been] silenced.

Annex 2: About the Silence for Gaza action ONE WEEK

THIS IS A [coordinated digital campaign](#) of the "Silence for Gaza" movement was launched. It is a growing wave.

Because something can be done: a daily digital break for 30 minutes every evening, from 21:00 (9:00PM) to 21:30 (9:30 PM) local time in each country. During this break:

No social media.

No messages.

No comments.

Phones and computers are turned off.

This collective action will send a strong digital signal to the algorithms, and show our solidarity with Gaza.

(It's not easy—but let's do something. That's what matters.)

The idea:

Every day, at the same time, millions of users around the world go completely silent on social media for 30 minutes. No posts. No likes. No comments. No opening apps.

Complete digital silence. Turn off your phone.

It is an act of resistance—a global digital protest. The anger of so many citizens in the face of immense injustice. Because something can be done: simple and effective.

Remember 21:00 (9PM) digital silence.

(Set an alarm on your phone: 21:00 (9PM) reminder.)

Technical Explanation:

1. Algorithmic Impact

Social media platforms depend on constant user activity.

We are the ones who keep the system running.

A sudden, synchronized drop in activity—even for a short time—can:

(a) disrupt visibility algorithms.

(b) affect real-time traffic statistics.

(c) send a technical signal to servers about abnormal user behavior.

This act highlights a citizen resistance to injustice, which until now was fueled by our passivity.

2. Symbolic Impact

In a hyperconnected world, digital silence is a powerful statement.

It creates a stark contrast between the noise of social media and the forced silence in Gaza.

It's a moment of collective reflection.

3. Social Impact

If the action is widespread, leaders will see that citizens reject the crime in Gaza—

And only then will they move. We aim to create a progressive wave that spreads worldwide.

Annex 3: Letter to The Friend

Richard Romm (20th June) contends that there is a disproportionate focus on Palestine within BYM, listing 20 other war-torn countries needing attention. However, few of these conflicts have lasted as long as the century of injustice suffered by Palestinians, for which British imperial policy is directly responsible.

Quakers have a particular relationship with Palestine – the Friends School in Ramallah was founded in 1869, and for 23 years we have managed the EAPPI programme, directly witnessing the increasing oppression. Action for Palestine is part of our reparations work. YM 22/27 and 33 ask us to challenge colonialism.

This is not about partiality, “choosing sides” – it is a choice for peace and justice for Palestinians and Israelis. On the march on 21st June, the chanters called for justice not only in Palestine but in many of the countries on our Friend’s extensive list. The global South recognises “We are all Palestinians” because they have faced similar horrors, and know what lies in store once Palestine is exterminated.

The discernment at BYM came about through a long process of testing this concern. Any Friend is free to take up as a concern the case of human rights in other contexts. Our Friend calls for witness. In Gaza now they say this: We are all dead now. We have no hope. All we can do is live in faith. We no longer ask “how are you?”. We ask instead “What are you doing?”.

What are you doing, Friends?

Annex 4: Resolutions re rights of healthcare workers BMA

Motion by THE AGENDA COMMITTEE (TO BE PROPOSED BY MEDICAL STUDENTS CONFERENCE): That this meeting affirms the right of healthcare professionals and medical students to criticise states, governments, or institutions for actions that contravene international law. This meeting:-

i) acknowledges that medical students advocating for Palestine have been the subject of disciplinary action by their medical schools and calls on the BMA to lobby medical schools to not penalise and censor Palestinian advocacy;

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	<p>ii) is concerned about the rise of antisemitism on campus and calls on the BMA to develop robust safeguards in order to systematically differentiate rightful advocacy for Palestine while protecting Jewish people;</p> <p>iii) calls on the BMA to support medical students and healthcare workers undergoing disciplinaries for raising awareness of humanitarian crises both pastorally and by protecting their rights; iv) demands that any punitive measures taken against healthcare workers and medical students for such expressions be immediately revoked;</p> <p>v) calls on the BMA to issue clear guidance to protect the freedom of expression and advocacy of its members in line with international human rights standards.</p>
42a.	<p>Motion by MEDICAL STUDENTS CONFERENCE: That this meeting acknowledges that medical students advocating for Palestine have been the subject of disciplinary action by their medical schools, and is also concerned about the rise of antisemitism on campus and the need to protect Jewish students. We call on the MSC to:-</p> <p>i) lobby the BMA to develop robust safeguards in order to systematically differentiate rightful advocacy for Palestine while protecting Jewish people;</p> <p>ii) lobby medical schools on behalf of medical students to not penalise and censor Palestinian advocacy;</p> <p>iii) support medical students undergoing disciplinaries for raising awareness of humanitarian crises both pastorally and by protecting their rights.</p>