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### *"Besieged People of Yarmouk Appeal Opposition Forces to Open Yelda-Yarmouk Checkpoint"*



- Residents of Sbeineh Camp Demand the Syrian Army to Open the way Back to their Homes
- Growing Phenomenon of Migration of Alaedein Camp Residents in Homs
- 20 Migrants Drowned off the Libyan Coast, Including Two Children
- Palestine Charity Committee Continues to Provide Free Medication to the Displaced People of Yarmouk in Yalda
- Free Shaving Day at Alkifah Shelter in Ain al-Hilweh refugee Camp
- Czech Authorities Releases a Refugee from Neirab

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### **Recent Updates**

*Civil activities and the rest of Yarmouk Residents, south of the Syrian capital Damascus, carried out a sit-in in front of Youth Support Center at Almad ares Street under the title (Yalda - Babbila - House Sahem...Can Charity be Met but by Charity).*



### **Yarmouk Residents sit-in**

*The set-in came in response to the repeated violations against people of Yarmouk, and a rejection of the continued closure of the only road between the camp and the surrounding areas by the Syrian armed opposition forces in Yalda area, where the road between the camp and Yalda had been closed several times by armed groups.*

*On July 15, 2015, the Syrian opposition armed groups in the town of Yalda, prevented the entry of food into the Yarmouk refugee camp, and the decision came according to these groups after the death of three fighters of Sham Alrasoul brigade by a member of ISIS, who escaped to Yarmouk.*



*On July 29, 2015, Yalda checkpoint of the Syrian armed opposition groups closed the road between the Yarmouk camp and Yalda area, after disagreements between ISIS and Nusra in the Yarmouk camp and armed opposition groups in Yalda.*

*A statement was issued by the Shura Council of (Yalda - Babbila - Beit Sahem) towns confirmed the closure of all roads between all these towns on the one hand and between the Yarmouk camp and Alhajar Al Aswad on the other hand, but one humanitarian way.*

*The statement pointed out that this road will be subject to a large security inspection and checks for men and women, and prevents the entry of military factions' members whatever their affiliation only after being searched.*

*Shura Council explained that these procedures were the result of what have been suffered by the people of the three towns recently; such as assassination and targeting with bombs and mines by extremists and insurgents, as described by the statement.*

*The most recent targeting was the assassination of imams in Yalda, while the statement also stressed that any member belonging to Al-Nusra Front or ISIS discover in these towns will be killed immediately.*

*In this context, a delegation of notables of the Yarmouk camp and head of the civil Council, Fawzi Hamid, visited Yalda area in order to solve the problem of road closure.*

*On September 6, a number of Syrian armed opposition groups, located in Yalda town adjacent to Yarmouk, issued a statement in which it*



*announced the closure of (Yalda- Yarmouk)road so as to punish ISIS for storming Alqadam neighborhood, according to the statement.*

*The opposition forces reopened Yalda checkpoint after a visit to Yalda area by a delegation from the institutions and bodies operating office in the camp, where the delegation met with elders of the town, and it was agreed on the need to separate the civil status of any ongoing military conflict in the region.*

*It is worth mentioning that the only port of food and aid entry to the besieged people of the camp is Yalda area, but the armed opposition groups accuse ISIS and Nusra in the Yarmouk camp and Alhajar Alaswad of assassination of many of its members and a number of activists in Yalda.*

*Turning to Damascus suburb, where residents of Sbeineh camp demanded the Syrian army and groups loyal to it to open the way to their camp, after 660 days of preventing them from returning to it.*



***Sbeineh camp***



*Residents of the camp were forced to leave because of the violent clashes that broke out between the regular army and armed opposition groups, which ended with the regular army full control over the camp.*

*According to eyewitness estimates that more than 80% of the camp's buildings were almost full destructed, specifically the area extended from Maaz bin Jabal mosque till the camp's bakery, known as Kurds, which forms the western entrance of the camp.*

*Residents have been displaced to neighboring towns and camps, to bring them into a new suffering that did not stop at leaving their homes, but it included all of their lives, which turned into a tragedy because of the economic conditions, the spread of unemployment, and poor financial resources.*

*In a different context, the youth migration phenomenon of Al Aedein camp was increasing recently, as they migrated to Turkish territory for fear of arrest and raids carried out by Syrian security between now and then to the homes of the camp.*



*Al Aedein camp*



*During the first three months of 2015, a large number of youth were arrested, prompting them to flee from the camp and move to other areas or to resort to Turkey and then to Europe.*

*The camp is controlled by the regular army under an intense and unprecedented security tightening, so that its residents now feel that they are in a big prison, where the Syrian security built an iron fence separates the neighborhoods of Alaedein camp in Homs and the surrounding neighborhoods, without any corridors of service between the two sides.*

*The fence created difficulties in communication between the people of the camp and their relatives, where they became forced to go to the south through Tadmor crossing to return to Damascus Road, where it compounded the cost of transportations, especially for students and employees, as well as the residents who have follow-ups at the UNRWA dispensary and Bisan hospital.*

*The iron fence adversely affects the shopkeepers in the eastern neighborhoods, who could lose all of their customers from the west.*

*According to our correspondent, the reason for building such fence is related to security on order to ensure the protection of the eastern districts loyal to the regime.*

## **Libya**

*Italian coast guard announced that 20 migrants drowned in the Mediterranean Sea including two children due to the sinking of their*



*boat. The coast guard confirmed that the boat which was carrying about 130 migrants sank about 30 miles from the Libyan coast due to air leakage from it while travelling from Libya to Italy looking for illegal immigration to European countries which led to the sinking of the 20 migrants.*

*Italian police said that the Italian coast guard teams rescued 110 people who were on the boat and transferred them to the Italian island of Lampedusa. According to the International Organization for Justice, more than 2,300 people were drowned in the Mediterranean Sea in the previous month while trying to reach Europe illegally.*

*It is noteworthy that Libya is one of the crossing stations of the Syrians, Palestinians and other refugees in which thousands of the Palestinian immigrants went through it towards Europe.*

### ***Civil Work Committees***

*The Medical center at Palestine Charity Commission provided free medicine to the displaced Yarmouk residents at Yelda town and provided treatment for the patients, injured people, and needed medicine.*

*The social Studies Department at the Palestine Charity presented sponsorships for the orphans and financial aid for the old people and the wounded from the residents of Yarmouk camp whether the displaced to adjacent areas or inside the camp.*

*It is referred that Palestine Charity continues to provide its services to the Yarmouk residents though the closure of its offices inside the besieged*



*camp. In Lebanon, the Palestinians of Syria Labors League in Lebanon carried out free hair cut day for the displaced Palestinians of Syria in the Al Kefah School shelter center at Ein Al Helwa camp south of Lebanon in order to alleviate their suffering and to help them.*



*In a related context, one of the hair cut team insured to the AGPS correspondent that the team will continue to visit the camp once in a while to cut the hair of children for free. It is mentioned that the Number of the Palestinian families inside Ein Al Helwa camp at Sedon south of Lebanon is 1400 families including 40 families at Al Kefah Shelter center.*







### ***Czech***

*The Czech authorities released yesterday the refugee Mohammed Ghadban from Al Nairab camp for Palestinian refugees in Aleppo after being arrested for two months and a half in charges of entering the territories illegally.*

*On 6th of September the authorities released the refugee Ammar Azzam from Al Nairab camp after being arrested for more than a month and half. It is worthy to mention that dozens of Palestinian Syrian Refugees were being arrested in Hungary and Czech while they were trying to reach Austria and Germany escaping the ongoing war in Syria.*



### ***Numbers and Statistics till 7/9/2015***

- *15,500 Palestinian Syrian refugees in Jordan, 45,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees in Lebanon, and 6,000 refugees in Egypt, according to the UNRWA's statistics till July 2015.*
- *At least 36,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees have reached Europe during the last 4 years.*



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- *The Yarmouk Camp: - Siege, imposed by the Regular Army and PFGC, continued for 798 days respectively. In addition, power cuts continued for more than 868 days, water was cut for 358 days respectively. The number of victims due to the siege has reached to 180 victims.*
- *Al Sbeina Camp: - Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for 660 days respectively.*
- *Handarat Camp: - Residents have left the camp for 861 days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.*
- *Dara'a Camp: - It is now almost 505 days without water and 70% of its buildings were demolished.*
- *Jarmana, AL Saieda ZAinab, Al Raml, Al Aedein Camps in Homs and Hamma: - A relatively quiet situation in light of the economic crises.*
- *Khan Al Sheih Camp: - Roads linking the camp to the city center are still closed except for Zakia- Khan Al Shieh road.*