

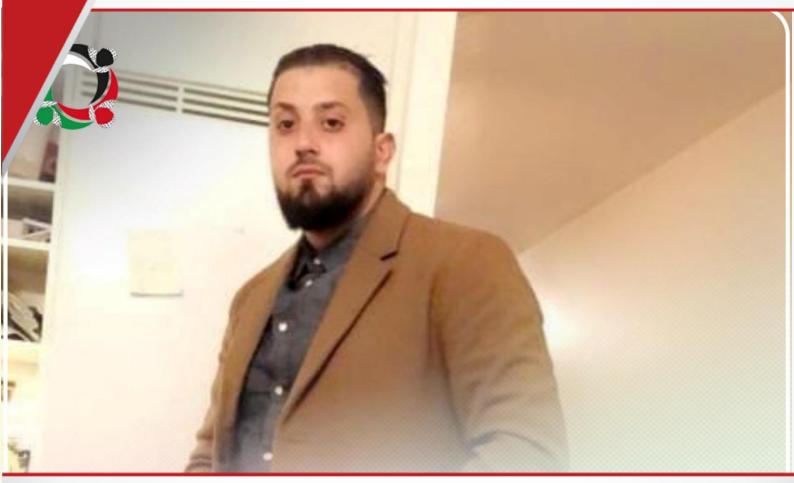
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## الخاص بأوضاع اللاجئين الفلسطينيين في سورية

Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



"Family Appeals for Information over Condition of Missing Palestinian Refugee in Poland"

- Family Survives Fire in Hindarat Camp for Palestinian Refugees
- GAPAR Calls for Increasing Flour to Khan Eshieh Camp
- Palestinian Refugee Child Appointed Children's Mayor in Netherlands



## **Latest Developments**

Palestinian Refugee Mahmoud Amayri has gone missing in Poland for nearly one month. His family continues to appeal to the concerned embassies and human rights organizations to work on disclosing his condition and whereabouts.

Mahmoud's father, Khaled, said his son, born in 1998 and raised in Syria's Yarmouk Camp for Palestinian refugees, disappeared in December 2021. He last contacted him while he was in Poland.

Hundreds of people from places like Syria, Iraq, Afghanistan and Africa have been trying to illegally cross the border between Poland and Belarus. Authorities have beefed up security in the region, amid accusations of inhumanely treatment of migrants.

Last month, Poland declared a state of emergency in the region and said it plans to build a wall on the border.

The Polish parliament also passed legislation that human rights advocates say aims to legalise pushbacks of migrants across its borders in breach of the country's commitments under international law.

In another development, the family of Kamel Najami survived a fire that rocked their house in Hindarat Camp for Palestinian refugees, in Aleppo.



The fires broke out on Tuesday after a kerosene stove went off at the house. A relative sustained injuries as he attempted to extinguish the fires. Firefighters rushed to the scene. Heavy material damage was reported.

Meanwhile, the General Authority for Palestinian Arab Refugees (GAPAR) has called on the Syrian Ministry of Internal Trade and Consumer Protection to allot an additional quantity of 1.5 tons of flour to AlJalil Bakery in Khan Eshieh Camp, in Rif Dimashq.

GAPAR said the flour quantities allotted for the bakery are insufficient. Hundreds of families continue to line up for bread every day.

In 2020, AlJalil Bakery used to receive nearly 1,700 kg of flour, producing 1,350 bread backs. Following calls launched by the residents to increase the quantity, an additional 1,300 kg was added.

Over recent years, residents of Khan Eshieh camp have spoken up against the poor-quality bread sold in the area, saying it is unfit for human consumption and holding the government's quality control staff responsible for the crisis.

Living conditions in Khan Eshieh have sharply deteriorated due to the lack of financial resources and high unemployment rates wrought by the raging warfare. A transportation crisis has added bad to worse.



After more than eleven years of conflict, Palestine refugees continue to be one of the most vulnerable groups in Syria with immense humanitarian needs.

Survival for the majority of Palestinian families in war-stricken Syria has largely hinged on relief assistance. The vast majority of families have been living below the poverty line.

In the meantime, a Dutch municipality appointed 11-year-old Palestinian-Syrian girl "Lulia Muhammad Hamid" as a mayor representing children in the municipality.

The children's mayor Samuel Heuil and the mayor of the municipality Raine Melissan said Lulia Hamid will be performing several tasks in favor of her community.

Lulia's family fled war-torn Syria since the outbreak of the conflict in 2011.

Hundreds of displaced Palestinian refugees in/from Syria have achieved success stories, despite the traumatic upshots wrought by the daily scenes of bloodshed and destruction across the embattled Syrian territories.

This includes scores of refugee students who have obtained the highest scores at their academic institutions; hundreds of refugee sportsmen/sportswomen who snatched the first places in regional and international competitions; dozens of artists who received renowned literary awards for their products and performances;



and several housewives who turned trauma into a space of creativity.