



# Monthly Newsletter

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Jafra for Relief and Youth Development



The Jafra Foundation was honored to welcome his Excellency the Ambassador of Germany, M. Andreas Kindl, as well as Dr. Philipp Ackermann, the German Foreign Office's Director-General for the Middle East in the Foreign Ministry, and their delegation from the German Embassy.

The delegation visited Jafra facilities in Burj el Barajneh Palestinian Camp, both the Food Production workshop and the Community Center, as well as the Jafra Waste Management project and the Urban Rooftop project that is funded by WHH and BMZ.

**For further details, see:**

<https://www.facebook.com/Jafra.Foundation/posts/4428208890578636>



This month Jafra Foundation in Syria and Lebanon has memorialized the Balfour declaration by activities that raise the children's awareness about the "Promise of those who don't own, to those who don't deserve".

Between drawing, storytelling, and cinema activities Jafra has emphasized the right of the Palestinians in the land of their grandfathers, asserted their identity, and refused the declaration after 104 years, in the words of the children of the 4th generation after the Nakbeh of 1948.

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Arabic, English, French, Science, Physics, Chemistry, Math, and Philosophy are only a part of what Jafra teachers are covering!

Acting as a Non-Formal Education actor, Jafra is accompanying the “Back to School” season. Jafra centers all over Syria started their school year in all of the scholar subjects for all grades students, with a special focus on 9th and 12th grades.

Jafra aims at providing the students who are out of school, to have the chance to continue their educational attainment with the help of Jafra’s professional teachers

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The busy bees of the waste management teams at Jafra centers achieved many success stories in Burj el Barajneh, Beddawi, Mankubeen, and Shatila in Lebanon, in addition to cleaning and maintenance work in South Damascus, and Jaramana in Syria this month; one of the highlights was cleaning Hettin Shelter, an abandoned shelter since the 80s in Ein al Hilweh camp.

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Seasonal food is on the basics list at the food production workshops at Jafra centers in the different locations this month. At Ein el Hilweh, Jam was the main product the participants learned how to prepare and preserve for the long winter nights. Moving to Burj el Barajneh, the women learned how to make delicious recipes out of the seasonal fresh vegetables but the highlight of the workshop was preparing the most famous “Makdous”. Meanwhile, the Beddawi food production workshop prepared pumpkin’s marmalade. In Shatila, grapes were on the menu, the participants managed to learn how to keep them for the coming season, same as for the Mankubeen participants but with apples instead. Although the products were varied, the most important thing is that all of the participants are fully aware of the recipes and the preserving techniques now and they can proceed in producing independently.



Jafra center in Qudsaya announced a new series of varied workshops such as computer, psychosocial support and basic literacy. In addition to active workshop like Dabkeh, drawing, waste management, scouting and more. The workshops are targeting the youth between 18 and 40 from Qudsaya and the surrounding area.

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