

# Monthly Newsletter Octorber 2023

Jafra for Relief and Youth Development

# Al Aqsa Flood



The operation Al-Aqsa Flood on October 7th was a painful blow to the Zionist entity, which was completely surprised by the resistance attack on its military bases and settlements that have been besieging our people in Gaza for more than 16 years. From the first moments, the occupation responded by bombing the civilian population in Gaza and vowing to take revenge on them through a genocidal war. Jafra believes that the struggle against all forms of injustice, racial discrimination, imperial domination, depriving people of their rights, and collective punishment and plunder of peoples is an individual and collective human responsibility. Accordingly, Jafra rallies behind this principle and struggle to achieve a new global society governed by the values of justice, equality, freedom, democracy and progress.

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# **Back to School**



October saw the launching of the 2023-2024 school year in all Jafra schools in Syria. Once again, approximately 2000 children and youth would be unable to join education without the presence of the Jafra educational centers around the country. During the school year, teachers and educational staff will show dedication to their pupils and students and guide them towards their learning path.

#### Winter Clubs Opening



Along with the launching of the school year, Jafra offers several extra educational and recreational activities to its members. Children, youth and caregivers are offered to participate projects, conferences, shows all along the winter season. This year, the events in Palestine and Gaza are once again a reminder and a call to the newer generation that the struggle of the Palestinians is far to be over. Jafra's participants wished for more activities and awareness about the ongoing events and show support to their compatriots dying under the undiscriminating attacks by the occupation forces.

# Media Workshops



In light of the events in Gaza and Palestine, Jafra wanted to shed the attention of the youth on the usage and impact of the medias and social medias. Along with learning how to analyze the news accordingly to their place of diffusion, Jafra aimed to reach media activists who can help in organizing, editing and diffusing the events happening within the attacked zones.

## **CSO's Trainings**



Jafra Lebanon has an ongoing project to empower local CSOs through sub-comities. Per region, the sub-comities are offered a batch of trainings about finance and budgeting, in order to extend their skills on proposal writing, delivered during a previous batch of sessions. Jafra is committed to empower the local organizations in all the regions.



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