



27 November 2020

## United Nations International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People

Kia ora

To mark this important day there are events in several centres around the motu. I hope we haven't missed any...

### In Auckland and online:



Palestinian Community and Palestine Solidarity  
of New Zealand Network Aotearoa

السلام عليكم ورحمة الله وبركاته  
نتشرف بدعوتكم للمشاركة في إحياء اليوم الدولي للتضامن مع الشعب الفلسطيني  
السابعة مساءً ٢٩/١١ التاريخ يوم الأحد الموافق

### An invitation to join us on United Nations International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People

**MC – Moana Maniapoto – Entertainer and TV Host**

Speakers include:

Dr Abdallah Gouda – Palestine Community of New Zealand  
John Minto – Palestine Solidarity Network Aotearoa  
Reihana Robinson – Poet  
Golriz Ghahraman – Foreign Affairs spokesperson for the Green Party  
Gia Ngatai-Smith and Rahman Bashir – For the People  
Janfrie Wakim – Palestine Human Rights Campaign  
Roger Fowler – Spokesperson Kia Ora Gaza  
Mike Treen – National Director Unite Union  
Suraya Esau – Human right activist with experience from apartheid South Africa  
Tayyaba Khan – Human Rights Activist (Women in leadership 2019)  
Diego Lewin – Jewish human rights activist  
Margalit Toledano – J Link international Jewish network  
Nicholas Rowe – UNESCO Co-chair in Dance and Social Inclusion  
Paula Jones and Shirley Allan – Film makers linking Maori/Palestinian cultures

In Auckland:

**Sunday, 29 November, 7pm**  
**Western Springs Garden Community Hall, 956 Great North Road,**  
**Auckland – ALL WELCOME**

Watch here - <https://www.psna.nz/un-day-of-solidarity>

## In Napier:

Saturday 28 November, 11am to 12noon

Information Picket/Rally at intersection of Tennyson Street and Marine Parade Napier.  
Facebook event [here](#)

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## In Wellington:

**INTERNATIONAL DAY OF  
SOLIDARITY  
WITH THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE**

SPEAKERS, FOOD, MUSIC, CRAFTS & CONVERSATION  
THISTLE HALL, SUNDAY 29TH OF NOVEMBER  
2:00PM TO 4:00PM - ENTRANCE FREE  
PLEASE RSVP ON [EVENTBRITE.CO.NZ](http://EVENTBRITE.CO.NZ)

WELLINGTON  
PALESTINE NZ

## In Christchurch:

**Rally for United Nations International Day for Solidarity with the Palestinian people**  
**Saturday 5 December, 12 noon, Bridge of Remembrance, Cashel Street**

The rally will feature an “apartheid wall” across the roadway to symbolise the apartheid laws which Israel applies to Palestinian Israelis. Everyone welcome.

(Note the date change for this event because of a Christmas event clash at the same venue)

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## Are you able to donate a cup of coffee a month to the campaign?

We will need some serious money to make our campaign as effective as possible. For example, we will need somewhere in the vicinity of \$25,000 to bring speakers to New Zealand over the next year and organise large public meetings to help spread the message.

You can help. Are you able to donate a cup of coffee a month to the campaign? In other words, **can you afford to make an automatic payment of \$5 per month to support the Palestinian struggle?** (If you can afford more that would be great!)

Our account details are:

**Account name: Palestine Solidarity Network**

**Account number: 38-9015-0849542-00**

Or Pay Pal account: [admin@palestinesolidaritynz.net](mailto:admin@palestinesolidaritynz.net)

We are happy to provide a receipt upon request (*however, we are not a registered charity so this is not tax-deductible*)

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## More ways you can get involved

- Forward this Newsletter – If you know people who may be interested in this movement, please forward this Newsletter to them.
  - Join in local activities in your area monthly Rallies - In Auckland at 2.00 pm on the first Saturday of every month. Please consider doing the same in your community. Contact [Secretary@PSNA.nz](mailto:Secretary@PSNA.nz) if you would like to know where and how to get Flags and Banners
  - Help set up a Students for Justice in Palestine groups on your campus
  - Tell Your MP your opinions on Divestment and Sanctions of Israel.
  - Write Letters to Newspapers – Call Talkback Radio
  - Keep in touch with the campaign on social media
    - ❖ Palestine Solidarity Network Aotearoa (PSNA) website: [www.PSNA.nz](http://www.PSNA.nz)
    - ❖ PSNA Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/groups/671376706283605/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/671376706283605/)
    - ❖ PSNA email: [Secretary@PSNA.nz](mailto:Secretary@PSNA.nz)
  - The Palestine Human Rights Campaign produces the *In Occupied Palestine* newsletter. It is a regular daily newsletter on the daily situation in Palestine, compiled by Leslie Bravery and emailed to subscribers. If you would also like to become a subscriber, please contact Leslie at “sumud1 @ outlook. com” (remove the spaces to use as an email address) for further information.
  - Keep Updated on our Facebook pages and websites (listed below)
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## PSNA Groups

### National Committee

Website	<a href="http://www.PSNA.nz">www.PSNA.nz</a>	
Chair – John Minto	<a href="mailto:Chair@PSNA.nz">Chair@PSNA.nz</a>	
Secretary – Neil Scott	<a href="mailto:Secretary@PSNA.nz">Secretary@PSNA.nz</a>	

### Regional Groups

Bay of Islands	<a href="#">PSNA Bay of Islands</a>	email
Whangarei	<a href="#">PSNA Whangarei</a>	Facebook
Auckland	<a href="#">PSNA Auckland – Tamaki Makaurau</a>	Website
Hamilton	<a href="#">Palestine Human Rights Campaign Waikato</a>	Facebook
Tauranga	<a href="#">Tauranga Moana 4 Palestine</a>	Facebook
Napier/Hastings	<a href="#">Aotearoa Standing with Palestine</a>	Facebook
Palmerston North	<a href="#">PSNA Palmerston North</a>	email
New Plymouth	<a href="#">PSNA New Plymouth</a>	email
Wellington	<a href="#">PSNA Wellington</a>	email
Nelson	<a href="#">Te Tau Ihu (Nelson) Palestine</a>	Facebook
Christchurch	<a href="#">PSNA Christchurch</a>	Facebook
Dunedin	<a href="#">Dunedin for Justice in Palestine</a>	Facebook
Invercargill	<a href="#">PSNA Invercargill</a>	email

### Other groups supporting Palestinian Rights

- [Boycott Divestment and Sanctions NZ](#)
- [Kia Ora Gaza](#)
- [Letters for Palestine](#)
- [Auckland Peace Action](#)
- [Global Peace and Justice Auckland](#)
- [Preserved Identity \(Palestinian products\)](#)
- [Auckland Uni– Students for Justice in Palestine](#)
- [Massey Uni- Students for Justice in Palestine](#)
- [Wellington Palestine](#)