

## مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



## PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

## DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 19<sup>th</sup> June 2013 – 08:00, 20<sup>th</sup> June 2013

## SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	2	—	2	1 child was injured during confrontations in Jerusalem and another child was injured after being ran over by a Settler vehicle in Hebron
Physical Assault	1	—	1	Israeli forces assaulted a resident in Jerusalem.
Detention	12	—	12	3 in Jerusalem, 2 in Jenin, 2 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Nablus, 1 in Bethlehem and 3 in Hebron.
Temporary Detention	6	—	6	At checkpoints and residential areas.
Raids	20	1	21	1 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 3 in Tubas, 2 in Qalqiliya, 4 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit, 2 in Jericho, 1 in Bethlehem, 3 in Hebron and 1 Khan Yunis.
Closure of Checkpoints	5	—	5	Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 4 others.
Flying Checkpoints	12	—	12	2 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 1 in Tubas, 1 in Nablus, 2 in Salfit, 2 in Jericho and 1 in Bethlehem.
Attack	2	2	4	1 during raid, 2 during confrontations and 1 from Naval Vessel.
Provocation of Palestinian Security Forces	2	—	2	Israeli forces seized a Palestinian Police vehicle in Salfit and positioned near Palestinian Police headquarters in Hebron.
Destruction of Property	1	—	1	Israeli forces destroyed a storage room under construction to be used to house solar electric generators in Nablus.
Land Leveling	1	—	1	Israeli forces levelled a plot of land in Khan Yunis.
Wall Construction	16	—	16	4 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarm, 5 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit, 2 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron
Closure (per District)	8	—	8	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	80	—	80	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 7 in Nablus, 27 in Bethlehem and 25 in Hebron.

Closure of Crossings	—	4	4	Rafah ( <i>Al 'Awdah</i> ) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits.
Obstruction of Places of Worship	1	—	1	Israeli settlers stormed Al-Aqsa Mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem.
Settler Violence	4	—	4	Israeli settlers assaulted Security guard at Al-Aqsa Mosque compound leaving him injured as he attempted to prevent settler assault on the mosque, set fire to agricultural land in Sarah village in Nablus, provoked residents in Jericho and an Israeli settler ran over a child with his vehicle in Hebron
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>180</b>	

## WEST BANK

<b>JERUSALEM</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army intensified its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city and prevented worshipers under the age of 50 from conducting prayers at Al-Aqsa mosque compound.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the ‘demarcation area’ along the Wall in the area surrounding occupied East Jerusalem and restricts access to local residents as well as to civilians holding special permits.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to impose a blockade and deny civilian access to a hill between Biddu and Beit Ikksa villages.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt mounds the entrance to Jaba’ village.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Ikksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoints:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Israeli authorities continue to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a “border crossing point” and designate a special crossing lane for holders of Jerusalem IDs and another for those possessing permits to access Jerusalem city and at 06:00, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint impeded the free flow of traffic.</li> <li>(ii) On September 19<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint near Shu’fat camp and impeded the free flow of traffic in order to construct the wall.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> At 11:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Ram, clashed with its residents and injured a child: Rafat Jabarin leaving him hospitalised with contusions.</li> <li>• <b><u>Detention:</u></b> At dawn on June 19<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces detained 3 residents: Eyad Shalabi, Amir Al-Qadamani and Riyad Qadamani after storming their homes in Al-Suwana neighbourhood in Jerusalem.</li> <li>• <b><u>Physical Assault:</u></b> At 20:00, Israeli forces assaulted Mike Saqer, a resident of Beit Jalla in Jerusalem leaving him hospitalised with contusions.</li> <li>• <b><u>Obstruction of Places of Worship:</u></b> At 17:45, an Israeli settler stormed Al-Aqsa</li> </ul>
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	<p>mosque compound, assaulted a mosque guard, Mowafaq Hamami as he attempted to prevent the settler assault, took pictures of several female worshippers.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Settler Violence: At 17:45, an Israeli Settler assaulted Muwafaq GHamami, a Palestinian Gaured in Al Aqua Mosque, after entering the mosque near Bab El Magarbeh main Gate.</b></li> <li>• <b>Wall Gates:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to deny civilian access through the Wall gate on Al-Shayyah road in the area between Al-Sawahira Al-Sharqiya and Al-Slewahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Wall Construction:</b> Wall construction resumed in the areas north and south of Qalandiya village; south of Al-Za'ayyem village; and in Wadi Al-Eizariya west of the illegal settlement Ma 'ale Adumim.</li> </ul>
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Roads:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Flying Checkpoint:</b> At 11:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Taybeh junction until 13:20.</li> <li>• <b>Raid:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 09:25, Israeli forces raided Ramallah and set up a checkpoint.</li> <li>(ii) At 18:15, Israeli forces raided Bir Ziet.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Wall Construction:</b> Wall construction resumed in the area west of 'Abud town in the area surrounding the illegal settlement 'Ofarim and north of Al-Lubban Al-Gharbi and Rantis villages.</li> </ul>
JENIN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Road:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan.</li> <li>(ii) Since the evening of November 25<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed the western entrance of Ya'bad.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Flying Checkpoint:</b> At 10:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Ya'bad and detained 2 residents for allegedly carrying a hunting rifle.</li> <li>• <b>Raid:</b> At 12:15, Israeli forces raided Deir Abu Da'if village until 12:45.</li> <li>• <b>Detention:</b> Israeli forces detained Bassam Qubha and Khalil Amarna in Ya'bad.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Gates:</b> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which undercuts the access to education and health services for civilians living behind the Wall.</li> </ul>
TUBAS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Checkpoints:</b> The Israeli army increased its restrictions on Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint and prevented residents from entering the area.</li> <li>• <b>Flying Checkpoint:</b> At 16:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Ein Al-Hilweh junction located in the Jordan Valley.</li> <li>• <b>Raid:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 23:15, Israeli force raided Aqba after descending from military helicopters then withdrew at 00:30.</li> <li>(ii) At 00:20, Israeli forces raided Qashda village until 00:30.</li> <li>(iii) At 01:50, Israeli forces raided Tamoun until 20:00.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Roads:</b></li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road.</li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoint:</u></b> Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at “Eniv: checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic, temporarily detained several residents and released them after questioning.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which undercuts the access to education and health services for civilians living behind the Wall.</li> </ul>
QALQILIYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of Azzun town.</li> <li>(ii) In addition to closing the gate installed since the outbreak the second Intifada, the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to Kafr Qaddum village.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 19:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Nabi Eliyas village.</li> <li>(ii) At 00:30, Israeli forces raided Qalqiliya until 02:20.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Detention:</u></b> At 01:30 on June 19<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces detained 2 residents: Yazan Abu Hamad and Shaher Abu Assab as they raided Qalqiliya.</li> <li>• <b><u>Attack:</u></b> At 20:20, Israeli forces positioned at the north entrance of Azzun fired rubber coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at ‘Azzun ‘Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, using a metal detector.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the entrance to the village of Wadi Al-Rasha and to deny civilian access. The Israeli army allows residents to access the village through Gate #109. Having removed the gate at the entrance to the village of Ras Atiya; the Israeli army only allows students to cross to their schools outside the village through the Habla gate.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Wall construction resumed in Kafr Laqif village north of Karnei Shomron settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Immanuel settlement; and east of Kafr Thulth town near Ma ’ale Shomron settlement.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
NABLUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the roads of Til-Burin and Beit Furik-Salem; the settler bypass road connecting the village of Deir al Hatab to the settlement of Alon Moreh; the road connecting the town of ‘Aqraba to the village of Osrin; and the detour road between the town of Qabalan and the village of Osrin.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the northern entrance to Qabalan town; the southern entrances to the town of Jamma’in and the villages of Duma and Qaryut.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoint:</u></b> At 16:40, Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Huwwara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 10:35, Israeli forces raided Awarta village, set up a checkpoint at its</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<p>entrance, temporarily detained several children and released them at 11:40.</p> <p>(ii) At 23:50, Israeli forces raided Beita.</p> <p>(iii) At 01:55, Israeli forces raided Nablus and Balata camp, stormed 3 homes and detained a resident in Balata camp then withdrew at 05:45.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Detention:</u></b> Israeli forces detained Haytham Al-Terawi in Balata camp in Nablus.</li> <li>• <b><u>Destruction of Property:</u></b> At 09:30, Israeli forces demolished a storage room under construction used to house solar energy panels owned by Aqraba village council in Aqraba.</li> <li>• <b><u>Settler Violence:</u></b> At 19:45, Israeli settlers set fire to agricultural land in Sarah village before Palestinian Civil defence forces extinguished the flames.</li> </ul>
SALFIT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland.</li> <li>(ii) On 15.04.2012, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to Salfit city to civilian which was closed since the year 2000 and prevented access from 08:00 until 09:20.</li> <li>(iii) Since 11:00 on July 30<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to Abu Nasar and Qatan Al-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with cement blocks.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoints:</u></b> Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Za'tara Al-checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 08:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Deir Ballout until 09:10.</li> <li>(ii) At 08:45, Israeli force set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Bruqin village.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> At 12:25, Israeli forces raided Bruqin, seized a Palestinian Police vehicle as they passed the main road connecting Salfit and Bruqin then allowed it to pass through.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement.</li> </ul>
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoints:</u></b> Israeli forces closed Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 18:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Ein Al-Dik village until 19:10.</li> <li>(ii) At 20:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 00:05, Israeli forces raided Jericho until 01:40.</li> <li>(ii) At 05:40, Israeli forces raided western Jericho until 07:25.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Settler Violence:</u></b> At 18:50, Israeli settler stormed road 90 in Al-Oja village and provoked several residents then withdrew at 19:10.</li> </ul>
BETHLEHEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close roads to An Nu'man village, with the exception of the road leading to the Wall gate in the south-eastern area of the village.</li> <li>(ii) Since 15 September 2007, the Israel army has prevented civilians from accessing or staying on 22 dunumes of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmed road; a road between Um Tuba and Al-Jass ; a road between Um Tuba and Khilat Nu'man: a road between Um Tuba and the wall; a road between Al-Khas village and the wall; the 2 by pass roads located south of Al-Walaja; a road between Talita Qumi and Nazlat Al-Sider in Beit Jala; the eastern road of Al-Khader; the road between Al-Khader and Beit Jala ; the road between Al-Khader and road #60 which lead to the eastern neighbourhoods of Bethlehem; a road leading to Wadi Rahal, and a road east of Beit Fajjar town with dirt mounds.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the road leading to "Newe Daniyyel" settlement and agricultural land in Al-Khader; a road between Um Tuba and Wadi Al-Hums: Wadi Fukin, Al-Jaba, the Green Line; a road between Za'tara and a detour road, and a road between Taqou and Khirbet Al-Deir with cement blocks.</li> <li>(iii) Since August 2<sup>nd</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.</li> <li>(iv) Since May 8<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Carmisan area in Beit Jalla and Al-Walaja with a steel gate and barbed wires.</li> <li>(v) Since June 3<sup>rd</sup> 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin and road 60 with dirt mounds.</li> <li>(vi) Since 11:30 on June 8<sup>th</sup> 2013, the Israeli army closed a road leading to 50 acres of agricultural land in Wadi Salem area in Al-Khadr with dirt mounds.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> At 24:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Taqou until 01:00.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> At 03:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Khadr and detained a resident after storming and searching a home then withdrew at 05:10.</li> <li>• <b><u>Detention:</u></b> Israeli forces detained Hussein Abed Raboo in Al-Khadr.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Wall construction resumed in North West of Beit Jala town.</li> <li>(ii) On May 1<sup>st</sup> 2103, an Israeli court ordered the halt of wall construction near Betar village.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
HEBRON	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close Al-Shuhada' Street, Al-Sahleh and Khuzq Al-Far areas, as well as the old gold market in Hebron's Old City. In addition to closing the entrance to Al-Qeisi neighbourhood, the Israeli army continues to close the entrances to the area of Al-Hisba (the fruits and vegetables market) with an electronic gate; Al-Laban Market also remains closed.</li> <li>(ii) Since 05 January 2009, the Israeli army has closed the area located along the Green Line south of the town of Yatta. Having seized land for Wall construction, the Israeli army evicted the Palestinian residents and denied them access to the area. .</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Al-Thahiriya and Al-Samoa' towns, Al-'Arrub refugee camp, and Al-Tuwani and Al-Karmil villages.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along the old Al-Shalala Street leading to Hebron's Old City.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to close all roads leading to Road # 60 as well as detour roads along the settler bypass road leading to Yatta town.</li> <li>(iv) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds a detour road leading to e to Al-Simiya village, the southern entrance of Al-Samou' and the entrance of Beit Annun with cement blocks.</li> <li>(v) Since July 25th 2012, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Safa and Al-Dirat</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<p>and also closed the entrance of south Yatta with cement blocks.</p> <p>(vi) Since December 27<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya village which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 22:05, Israeli forces raided Ithna and positioned near a Palestinian Police station.</li> <li>(ii) At 03:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Urub camp and detained a resident as they searched his home.</li> <li>(iii) At dawn on June 20<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces raided Beit Ummar, stormed 2 homes, detained 2 residents and summoned Jihad Khalil to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Detention:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Israeli forces detained Mohammad Al-Teti in Al-Urub camp.</li> <li>(ii) Israeli forces detained Oday Awad and Muntasir Ikhilil in Beit Ummar</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Settler Violence:</u></b> On June 19<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli settler's vehicle ran over and injured the child Amar Jabr (4 years old) in the old city of Hebron leaving him hospitalised with contusions.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.</li> </ul>
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<p><b>ALL DISTRICTS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• At 21:00 on November 21<sup>st</sup> 2012, the unilateral ceasefire declared by Israel came into effect. At a later time on the same day, armed Palestinian groups announced an agreement to cease fire.</li> <li>• On November 14<sup>th</sup> 2011 Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark and on November 24<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces imposed floating marks of 6 miles and on March 21<sup>st</sup> 2013 re imposed fishing restrictions of 3 miles.</li> <li>• Israeli forces broke the cease fire agreement by opening fire towards Khan Yunis.</li> <li>• Israeli Naval vessels broke the cease fire agreement by opening fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of North Gaza.</li> </ul>
<p><b>NORTHERN GAZA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Crossing Point:</u></b> Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination</li> <li>• <b><u>Attack:</u></b> On the evening of June 19<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli Naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores Beit Lahiya.</li> </ul>
<p><b>GAZA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> <li>(ii) Al-Shija'iyah (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

<p><b>KHAN YUNIS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> On the evening of June, 20<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces escorting several military bulldozers stormed 300 m into Al- Qarara and opened fire as they levelled a plot of agricultural land.</li> </ul>
<p><b>RAFAH</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Crossing Points :</u></b></li> <li>• Yasser ‘Arafat International Airport remains closed.</li> <li>• Rafah (<i>Al ‘Awdah</i>) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits.</li> <li>• Sufa Crossing is closed.</li> <li>• Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination and allowed 20 truckloads of humanitarian goods.</li> </ul>

**Detainees Update**

- Israeli Military Court sentenced Ismail Faraj, a resident of Bethlehem to 23 years in prison and imposed a fine of 3000 NIS approximately \$830.