



IDEAS AND INSPIRATION

BRITAIN PALESTINE FRIENDSHIP AND TWINNING NETWORK

Organising events and keeping things fresh takes effort and time- this document is designed to offer ideas for your friendship or twinning group. Most of them have come from things other groups have done- so if you're interested in finding out more about a particular one let us know and we can link you up.

EVENTS IN THE UK

- Talks with different speakers
- Film screenings
- Photo or art exhibitions
- Concerts featuring Palestinian musicians / music
- Anything to do with Palestinian food- brunches, lunches, suppers- it's all delicious!
- Poetry or book readings
- Events that combine the two e.g. 'Football and Falafel', 'bike ride and baklava' etc.
- Solidarity actions that link to issues Palestinians face e.g. sponsored walk / or runs that highlight restrictions on freedom of movement in Palestine

MAKING USE OF EXTERNAL HOOKS

- International Women's Day
 - 8th March
- Palestinian Prisoners Day
 - 14th April
- Universal Children's Day
 - 20th November
- Human Rights Day
 - 10th December
- Religious festivals
 - Christmas, Eid, Easter etc.
- Respond to current events

EVENTS IN PALESTINE

- Delegations: take councillors, MPs, religious leaders, journalists
- Trips: visit your friends, take people with you

EVENTS WITH PALESTINE

- Use Zoom for group meet ups and check ins with your friends
- Speakers can join events in the UK using video conferencing, whatsapp or Zoom
- Host visitors from Palestine in your community if they are able to visit; organise events and jump onto others so your friends can meet and speak with as many people as possible whilst they are here.