

PÄÄSTETÄÄNKÖ SUMUD FLOTILLA PERILLE?

Nro

94

10.9.2025

Arvoisa vastaanottaja!

Ihmiset ympäri maailmaa ovat saaneet tarpeekseen Gazan tuhoamisesta ja kansanmurhasta. Tässä viestissä on runsaasti linkkejä mielenosoituksista, joissa vaaditaan tulitaukoa ja pommituksien lopettamista.

Tämä kasvava mielenilmaisun määrä osoittaa, että ihmiset ovat saaneet tarpeekseen tappamisesta ja myös tuotannon kasvusta aseteollisuudessa. Nyt riittää!

Nyt on päättäjien aika toimia.

The Swedish women's movement of the 1920s:

"Giving up has not been considered."

10.9.2025

Naiset Rauhan Puolesta

Ulla Klötzer: ullaklotzer@yahoo.com

050 – 569 0967

Lea Launokari: lea.launokari@nettilinja.fi

050 – 5522330

1)

YouTube – September 9, 2025 - Drone STRIKES Gaza Aid Boat in Tunisia – Who Did This?

A Global Sumud Flotilla "Family Boat," carrying Greta Thunberg and other activists, was struck by a suspected drone in Tunisian waters, sustaining fire damage. All six passengers and crew are safe. This international initiative aims to deliver vital humanitarian aid to Gaza and challenge Israel's blockade. An investigation is underway.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kWzN6zdxquQ>

2)

YouTube/DRM News – September 8, 2025 - BREAKING: Swiss Doctors Launch Hunger Strike, Demand Israel Sanctions, Palestine Recognition | AC1G

Dozens of Swiss doctors launched a hunger strike outside parliament in Bern, demanding tougher action on the Gaza war. Wearing blood-stained white tunics, they accused Switzerland of hiding behind neutrality and failing to act against Israel. Protesters call for sanctions and recognition of Palestine, as medics highlight the deadly toll on Gaza's health workers. For more details, watch our story and subscribe to our channel, DRM News.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kEpqkDf0G5c>

3)

YouTube/APT – September 8, 2025 - 70,000–110,000 Join Pro-Palestinian March in Brussels, Police Report

Tens of thousands of pro-Palestinian protesters took to the streets of Brussels on Sunday, demanding stronger action from Belgian and European Union leaders against Israel and in support of Palestinians in Gaza. The march, attended by an estimated 70,000 to 110,000 people, spanned 3 kilometres from Brussel-Noord station to the heart of Brussels' EU district. Organised by groups including 11.11.11, protesters dressed in red waved Palestinian flags, chanted slogans, and marched to the rhythm of traditional Arab music. The demonstration comes amid mounting international pressure on Israel, following thousands of Palestinian deaths in Gaza and Belgium's recent announcement to recognise a Palestinian state at the U.N. General Assembly.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9xaB5PK4yDU>

4)

YouTube/Cross World News - September 8, 2025 - BREAKING: Paris Erupts: Thousands Protest Israel, Demand Gaza Ceasefire Now

In Paris, thousands flood the streets chanting "Gaza, Gaza, Paris is with you," demanding sanctions on Israel and an immediate ceasefire. Flags of Palestine, unions, and political groups filled the boulevards, with MP Gabrielle Cathala voicing support for Gaza. Linking their march to the flotilla challenging Israel's blockade, protesters framed the rally as both solidarity and resistance, declaring that silence in Europe only fuels violence in Gaza.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8SLR2Jric9U>

5)

YouTube/Mirror – September 8, 2025 - 890 people arrested as police CLASH with Palestine Action protestors

Tensions have started to flare at a central London demonstration in support of banned group Palestine Action as police arrested protesters to chants of “shame on you”. Officers forced their way through crowds carrying arrested protesters and had screaming arguments with demonstrators in Parliament Square – where organisers estimated 1,500 people gathered for the rally.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wzAh-ERVBqY>

6)

YouTube – September 8, 2025 – What the media didn't show from 6th September protest

On Saturday 6th September, over 1,000 people defied the law in Parliament Square by holding banners declaring: 'I oppose genocide I support Palestine Action'. This protest, following last month's smaller action, demanded an end to Britain's complicity in Israel's assault on Palestinians.

The video features an interview with Angie Zelter of Defend Our Juries, testimonies from activists, and footage of the arrests of Mike Higgins, Jonathan Rosenhead and Naomi Wimborne-Idrissi. While mainstream coverage painted the action as violent, this footage shows a mass, peaceful act of defiance. Protesters denounced the misuse of anti-terror laws to silence dissent, insisting that true justice lies in upholding international law.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Wegg-MEy7uU>

7)

euro.news – September 7, 2025 - Tens of thousands of protesters draw the Red Line for Gaza in Brussels

... Tens of thousands of demonstrators wearing red gathered in Brussels on Sunday to protest against the Israeli government and to draw a symbolic red line against its war in Gaza. Protesters are also calling on EU member states to take a tougher stance and impose firm sanctions against Israel.

Local police estimated around 70,000 demonstrators took part in the second edition of Brussels' 'Red Line for Gaza' march, but protest organisers estimate 110,000 people attended the march across the Belgian capital, which was 3.5 kilometres long.. ...

8)

YouTube – September 7, 2025 - Resident at the Zócalo: "Free Palestine!" | Refugee family and ambassador speak out

During Residente's concert at Mexico City's Zócalo, a Palestinian refugee family and the Palestinian ambassador to Mexico delivered a powerful message: "Free Palestine, free Palestine!" Thousands of attendees joined the call for an end to the genocide in Gaza and solidarity with the Palestinian people.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5iKJ1u6wdRU>

9)

YouTube/alanews - September 7, 2025 - Sumud Flotilla, corteo a Roma: "Se la toccheranno bloccheremo le città"

(English below)

Cronaca (Roma). Ancora una manifestazione a Roma in sostegno della Global Sumud Flotilla. Circa 10mila attivisti hanno attraversato le strade della capitale per denunciare il genocidio in corso a Gaza e per invitare il governo italiano a rompere ogni rapporto con lo stato di Israele. "Se toccheranno la Flotilla bloccheremo le città" questo lo slogan scandito durante il corteo partito da Piazza Vittorio in direzione Piazzale Ostiense. Il sindacato USB ha annunciato uno sciopero generale e una mobilitazione per il popolo palestinese.

English:

Sumud Flotilla protests in Rome: "If they touch it, we'll block the cities." News (Rome). Another demonstration in Rome in support of the Global Sumud Flotilla. Approximately 10,000 activists marched through the streets of the capital to denounce the ongoing genocide in Gaza and to call on the Italian government to sever all ties with the state of Israel. "If they touch the Flotilla, we will blockade the cities" was the slogan chanted during the march, which began in Piazza Vittorio and headed towards Piazzale Ostiense. The USB union announced a general strike and a mobilization for the Palestinian people.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=38Xu50R2SZo>

10)

UNCTAD – September 2025 - Global Trade Update (September 2025): Trade policy uncertainty looms over global markets

Trade policy uncertainty has become a major source of global instability. Sudden shifts in tariffs, subsidies or restrictions fuel volatility.

Policy changes in one country can send shockwaves across the globe, disrupting suppliers, manufacturers and markets. The United States' recent policy shifts illustrate this. As the world's largest importer, even modest changes reshape supply chains and alter global trade flows...

China's recent trade patterns show the value of diversification. In the second quarter of 2025, its exports to the world rose even as shipments to the US fell, showing how multiple markets can cushion the impact of unpredictable policies.

<https://unctad.org/publication/global-trade-update-september-2025-trade-policy-uncertainty-looms-over-global-markets>

11)

FREEDOM NEWS – September 3, 2025 - Germany: Heavy repression at Rhinemetall anti-militarist demonstration

Hundreds arrested in a mass kettle of march closing action camp against the arms industry

Police in Cologne, Germany used heavy handed tactics on Saturday (30 August) against a peaceful mass march concluding an anti-militarist camp in the city. The 3,000-strong parade had set out from the "[Rheinmetall Entwaffen](#)" [antimilitarist camp](#) to meet the yearly rally of the Cologne Peace Forum. One participant [described the event](#) as "a historic moment when the few hundred, mostly older participants of this rally watched hundreds, mostly younger people from the camp, who had travelled from both near and far".

Yet the march was not allowed to continue uninterrupted, as marchers were set upon by around 1,600 police in full riot gear, backed by water cannons and armed with pepper spray. ...

<https://freedomnews.org.uk/2025/09/03/germany-heavy-repression-at-rhinemetall-anti-militarist-demonstration/>

12)

the Guardian – September 3, 2025 - A House of Dynamite review – Kathryn Bigelow's nuclear endgame thriller is a terrifying, white-knuckle comeback

Idris Elba, Rebecca Ferguson and Tracy Letts star in this immaculately constructed nightmare procedural that ticks down the minutes from an atomic bomb's launch to its detonation

Kathryn Bigelow has reopened the subject that we all tacitly agree not to discuss or imagine, in the movies or anywhere else: the subject of an actual nuclear strike. It's the subject which tests narrative forms and thinkability levels. ...

Bigelow, with screenwriter Noah Oppenheim, broaches one of the most frightening thoughts of all: that a nuclear war could or rather will start with no one knowing who started it or who ended it. ...

<https://www.theguardian.com/film/2025/sep/02/a-house-of-dynamite-review-kathryn-bigelow-nuclear-endgame-idris-elba-rebecca-ferguson>

13)

MIDDLE EAST MONITOR – September 3, 2025 - Colombian president sends message of solidarity to Gaza-bound Global Sumud Flotilla

Colombian President Gustavo Petro has sent a powerful message of solidarity to the [Global Sumud Flotilla](#), which is sailing towards the Gaza Strip.

He described the participants as *"a living testimony of humanity that still rises in the face of barbarism."*

In his message, published on Tuesday, Petro said: *"What you are undertaking is not just a maritime journey; it is an ethical cry, a demonstration that solidarity can traverse the seas when borders are closed."*

He added: *"if Palestine dies, all of humanity dies with it,"* stressing that *"silence in the face of genocide is another form of complicity."* ...

<https://www.middleeastmonitor.com/20250903-colombian-president-sends-message-of-solidarity-to-gaza-bound-global-sumud-flotilla/>

14)

YouTube – September 2, 2025 – EARTH-SHATTERING Speech on Gâza by Slovenian President SHOCKS the West!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NrRF9IFQqgo>

15)

DIE ZEIT – 2. September 2025 - EU-Rüstungsausgaben steigen auf Rekordwert von 343 Milliarden Euro

Im zweiten Jahr in Folge erreichen die Militärausgaben in der EU einen neuen Höchststand. "Und wir werden hier nicht aufhören", sagt die Außenbeauftragte Kaja Kallas.

Die Verteidigungsausgaben der 27 EU-Länder sind im vergangenen Jahr erneut auf einen Rekordwert gestiegen. Wie aus dem Jahresbericht der Europäischen Verteidigungsagentur (EDA) hervorgeht, lagen sie 2024 bei insgesamt 343 Milliarden Euro. Das waren 19 Prozent mehr als im Vorjahr.

<https://www.zeit.de/politik/ausland/2025-09/eu-verteidigungsausgaben-erreichen-rekordwert-343-milliarden-euro>

16)

EURACTIV- September 2, 2025 - Putin to Slovakia's Fico: Russia is open to Ukraine's EU membership

The Russian leader has, however, drawn a red line on Ukraine's NATO membership, a position he has repeatedly underlined

We have never objected to" Ukraine's EU bid, Putin said, [according](#) to Russian news agency Interfax. "As for NATO, however, that is a different matter." Putin is in Beijing, where President Xi Jinping will host 26 world leaders on Wednesday to mark the 80th anniversary of the end of World War II.

<https://www.euractiv.com/section/politics/news/putin-to-slovakias-fico-russia-is-open-to-ukraines-eu-membership/>

17)

YouTube/Time of India - September 1, 2025 - EU Chief Ursula Von Der Heckled, Her Convoy Blocked In Bulgaria; 'NAZI' Chants Greet Europe Leader

European Commission President Ursula von der Leyen faced dramatic protests in Bulgaria during her visit to a weapons facility. Protesters believed to be Bulgarian nationalists attempted to block an official convoy while shouting "Nazi!" The incident occurred during her push for increased EU defence spending and deterrence against Russia.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4RGN5WBwUhE>

18)

Handelsblatt – 31. August 2025 - Einsatz in Gaza – der blinde Fleck deutscher Rüstungspolitik

Deutsche U-Boote und Korvetten sichern Israels Marine. Doch der Einsatz in Gaza zeigt: Berlin hat kaum Kontrolle über seine Rüstungsexporte. Politik und Wirtschaft sind in Erklärungsnot.

Düsseldorf. Vierzehn Mal hintereinander feuert die israelische Armee aus dem Meer auf das Gebäude am Küstengebiet des Gazastreifens. Die Einschläge reißen Teile der Fassade heraus, Trümmerstücke fliegen umher.

Die Aufnahmen stammen von einem Kriegsschiff aus deutscher Produktion – einer Saar-6-Korvette, gebaut in Kiel von [Thyssen-Krupp](#) Marine Systems (TKMS). ...

<https://www.handelsblatt.com/unternehmen/industrie/ruestungsexporte-einsatz-in-gaza-der-blinde-fleck-deutscher-ruestungspolitik/100147868.html>

19)

YouTube – August 31, 2025 - 10,000 Protest Gaza Policy in Frankfurt | Pro-Palestinian Rally in Germany | Dawn News English

Over ten thousand people gathered on Saturday (August 30) in the German city of Frankfurt in solidarity with the population of Gaza, according to local police. The initiative "United for Gaza" had issued a call for the protest across all of Germany. Protesters chanted "From the river to the sea, Israel will be free" among other slogans. In Berlin, the police has banned the chant at pro Palestine- protests considering it to neglect the existence of the state Israel.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v6ppUPsVx1w>

20)

Defence Industry Europe – August 30, 2025 - Finnish Army outlines decade-long reform plan to modernise land defence and enhance readiness

The Finnish Army has announced a major reform programme to be implemented between 2025 and 2035, aimed at modernising the country's entire land defence. The plan is based on a realistic threat assessment, technological development, and cooperation with allies and the defence industry.

According to the Army, the reforms will be guided by lessons from modern warfare, national and NATO directives, readiness requirements, defence cooperation, innovation, technological progress, and available resources. ...

<https://defence-industry.eu/finnish-army-outlines-decade-long-reform-plan-to-modernise-land-defence-and-enhance-readiness/>

21)

blue News – August 30, 2025 - USA sells Patriot air defense system to Denmark

Denmark and other NATO members want to support Ukraine in the war against the aggressor Russia with state-of-the-art weapons systems. As Germany's northern neighbor does not have any Patriot systems of its own, Denmark has to buy the weapons from the USA. The Netherlands is also buying Patriots from the Americans to strengthen Ukraine's air defense.

In recent months, Kiev has repeatedly asked its Western allies for Patriot air defense systems in order to better protect Ukrainian cities from Russian air strikes. As the USA itself does not want to spend any money on new weapons deliveries to Ukraine, the NATO partners are now buying American weapons and passing them on to the Ukrainians. ...

<https://www.bluewin.ch/en/news/international/usa-sells-patriot-air-defense-system-to-denmark-2847901.html>

22)

FRANCE24 – AUGUST 28, 2025 - 'Turning point': German weapons firm opens Europe's largest munitions plant

German arms maker Rheinmetall opened Europe's largest munitions plant in northern Germany on Wednesday, a move NATO chief Mark Rutte hailed as key to bolstering Western defenses. The facility, spanning 30,000 square metres, aims to produce 350,000 artillery shells annually by 2027.

"This is absolutely crucial for our own security and also to keep supporting [Ukraine](#) in its fight today and to deter any aggression in the future," Rutte said at an opening ceremony.

"We are being challenged" by [China](#) and [Russia](#), he said, but added that Europe and the United States together are on course to "turn the tide on defence production". ...

<https://www.france24.com/en/europe/20250827-defence-giant-rheinmetall-europe>

23)

cyclinguptodate – August 27,2025 - VIDEO | Protestors block Israel - Premier Tech during Vuelta a Espana team time-trial

Today's team time-trial at the [Vuelta a Espana](#) sees all teams go against each other head-to-head in the 24-kilometer course, on the day the race enters Spain. But it wasn't smooth sailing for everyone, as the [Israel - Premier Tech](#) riders were fully blocked on the road by protestors in the middle of their effort.

This doesn't come as a surprise, as protests have been ongoing throughout multiple races in the international calendar, as a result of Israel's actions in the Gaza Strip and West Bank. Israel - Premier Tech is owned by Sylvan Adams who is equally supportive of the country's actions in the state of Palestine, which further increases the hostility towards the team - but unfortunately, towards the riders. At the Giro d'Italia protestors blocked two riders from the breakaway in the finale into Napoli and directly affected the outcome of the race - whilst miraculously being stopped from crashing the riders. ...

<https://cyclinguptodate.com/cycling/video-protestors-block-israel-premier-tech-during-vuelta-a-espana-team-time-trial>

24)

UNITED NATIONS HUMAN RIGHTS SPECIAL PROCEDURES – August 22, 2025 - Effects of international sanctions on age-specific mortality: a cross-national panel data analysis

... Findings: Our findings showed a significant causal association between sanctions and increased mortality. We found the strongest effects for unilateral, economic, and US sanctions, whereas we found no statistical evidence of an effect for UN sanctions. Mortality effects ranged from 8.4 log points (95% CI 3.9–13.0) for children younger than 5 years to 2.4 log points (0.9–4.0) for individuals aged 60–80 years. We estimated that unilateral sanctions were associated with an annual toll of 564 258 deaths (95% CI 367 838–760 677), similar to the global mortality burden associated with armed conflict. ...

<https://sanctionsplatform.ohchr.org/record/24900?v=pdf&ln=ar>