

Press Release

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Fiftieth Ceasefire Vigil held in Salisbury



Salisbury's candlelit silent ceasefire vigil

For the 50th time since hostilities broke out in the Middle East, a large group of people gathered outside the library to call for a permanent ceasefire. This silent vigil has been organised by a wide range of peace groups in Salisbury, including the Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament (CND), Amnesty International, Sarum Concern for Israel Palestine, Christian Aid and Quakers.

The vigil has also been joined by many passers-by and anyone who feels the same is very welcome to join us. The vigil takes place on Saturdays between 5:00 and 5:30pm.

A spokesperson said “We are incredulous that this humanitarian disaster in the Middle East could still be going on in full view of the rest of the world. We call on all world leaders to insist on a permanent ceasefire. The UK government should stop being complicit in this genocide and immediately halt arms sales to Israel”

Note to Editors

A video inspired by this vigil is available here: https://www.cndsalisbury.org.uk/news_items/5866-fiftieth-salisbury-ceasefire-vigil

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