UK and Ireland Speaker Tour: 6-20 October 2008

Hedy Epstein

Holocaust survivor and human rights activist





Settler graffitti in Hebron, Occupied Palestinian Territories

Hedy Epstein activist with the Free Gaza Movement

Matan Vilnai, Israeli Deputy Defence Minister, threatened the people of Gaza with a 'holocaust' (29 February 2008).

Nobel peace laureate Archbishop Desmond Tutu called Israel's blockade of the Gaza Strip an "abomination".

"And because I know what it's like, I feel I have a duty and a responsibility to fight the injustices that happen to other people. I can't do everything, and there are problems all over the world, but I decided that the Israeli government's treatment of the Palestinian people is an issue I am going to protest against, and I will try to do whatever I can." Hedy Epstein

'Never Again -End Israel's War Crimes'



Holocaust survivor Hedy Epstein from the USA will be in the UK on Monday October 6 to Monday October 20 inclusive for a speaking tour on the theme of Israeli oppression of the Palestinians and the need for active solidarity.

Mon 6 October EDINBURGH

7.30pm St Georges West, Shandwick Place

Edinburgh Scottish Palestine Solidarity Campaign & Scottish Jews for a Just Peace

Tues 7 October GLASGOW

7.30pm University of Glasgow, Boyd Orr Building, University Avenue

Glasgow Scottish Palestine Solidarity Campaign & Scottish Jews for a Just Peace

Wed 8 October EDINBURGH

1.30pm Edinburgh University, Lecture Theatre 1, Appleton Tower

Edinburgh University Palestine Solidarity Society & Scottish PSC

5.30pm Committee Rooms, Scottish Parliament

Scottish Parliament Cross Party Group on Palestine

Thurs 9 October BELFAST

7.30pm Theatre An Culturlann, Falls Road

Ireland Palestine Solidarity Campaign

Fri 10 October DUBLIN

6.30pm Connolly Room, Liberty Hall, Eden Quay

Ireland Palestine Solidarity Campaign & Trade Union Friends of Palestine

Sat 11 October LANCASTER

8.00pm Lancaster Cathedral

Lancaster Palestine Solidarity Campaign

Sun 12 October SHEFFIELD

6.30pm The Library Theatre, Surrey Street

Sheffield Palestine Solidarity Campaign & Yorkshire Palestine Cultural Exchange

Tues 14 October SHREWSBURY

7.30pm Darwin Community Centre, Fellmongers' Hall, Frankwell

"Shrewsbury Palestine Talks", West Midlands Friends of Sabeel UK, West Midlands PSC

Thurs 16 October BRISTOL

Details to be confirmed

Fri 17 October EXETER

7.30pm The Methodist Mint Church, Fore Street

Exeter Palestine Solidarity Campaign & Friends of Palestine at Exeter University

Sat 18 October DORCHESTER

7.00pm Dorchester Baptist Centre, Top o' Town

Dorset Palestinian Israeli Peace Group

Sun 19 October LIVERPOOL

7.30pm Liverpool Quaker Meeting House, 22 School Lane

Liverpool Palestine Solidarity Campaign, Merseyside Jews For Peace & Justice and

Women to Women for Peace

Mon 20 October LONDON

7.30pm Lambeth Town Hall

Palestine Solidarity Campaign (UK), Lambeth and Wandsworth PSC

There may be an admission charge for some of the above meetings – full details on the Scottish PSC website: www.scottishpsc.org.uk

