

# Courageous Syrian Youth Will Expel Zionists from Syria



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## Iran lauds Yemen's 'honorable resistance' as Sana'a vows to maintain pressure on Israel

TEHRAN – Footage from Sana'a, the Yemeni capital, shows civilians fleeing a large explosion caused by airstrikes in the city center Saturday night.

Though the scenes are likely shocking to outside observers, they represent a grim normality for Yemenis, who have endured a Saudi-led coalition war since 2015 and regular U.S. and UK airstrikes since last year.

Saturday's attacks were carried out by Washington which claimed to have targeted a missile storage facility and a "command-and-control" site in the middle of the capital. The only reported casualty so far is a fighter jet downed over the Red Sea, which the Pentagon attributed to "friendly fire".

"These attacks will have no impact on our stance," a male citizen in his 20s told local Yemeni media the next morning. "We will continue to support our brothers and sisters in Palestine. I have no right to complain about last night's attacks when civilians are being butchered in Gaza every day. This is not how a Muslim should act." ▶ Page 2



## China's economy braves the

## wind and the waves and sails steadily into the future

By Chinese Ambassador to Iran Cong Peiwu

TEHRAN- The Central Economic Work Conference was held in Beijing recently. In the critical year of achieving the objectives and tasks laid down in the 14th Five-Year Plan (2021-2025), after the successful convening of the Third Plenary Session of the 20th CPC Central Committee, how this important conference will plan for China's economy has attracted worldwide attention.

I would like to share a few ideas with Iranian friends from all walks of life in this regard:

The Conference analyzed the current economic situation. In the face of a complicated and challenging environment of increasing external pressure and growing internal difficulties, the Chinese government has united and led the Chinese people of all ethnic groups to respond calmly and implement comprehensive measures. ▶ Page 4

## Iran's exports to D-8 countries increase by 24%

TEHRAN – The value of Iranian exports to the Developing-8 (D-8), a group of eight developing Islamic nations, increased by over 24 percent in the first eight months of the current Iranian calendar year (March 20-November 21) compared to the same period last year, according to the Islamic Republic of Iran Customs Administration (IRICA).

During this period, Iran exported approximately 13.6 million tons of goods worth \$6.317 billion to seven of the D-8 member countries. In terms of weight, exports grew by around 26 percent, IRIB reported.

Turkey was the primary destination for Iranian exports, importing around 9.4 million tons of goods valued at over \$4.4 billion. Pakistan and Indonesia followed as the second and third-largest importers, respectively.

The D-8 group, established in 1997 by former Turkish Prime Minister Necmettin Erbakan, consists of Iran, Turkey, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Indonesia, Malaysia, Egypt, and Nigeria. The organization's primary goals include fostering economic and trade cooperation, facilitating scientific collaboration, and promoting technology exchange among its members. ▶ Page 4

## US draft resolution intended to confront Hezbollah as CBS scrutinizes Pager Massacre

By Sondoss Al Asaad

BEIRUT – The CBS's 60 Minutes planned to broadcast an episode on Sunday on Israel's Pagers and Walki-Talkie Massacre against Hezbollah on September 17-18, 2024. In her episode, Leslie Stahl conducts interviews with agents of the Mossad who planned for the operation over a period of about two years.

This crime obviously is an aggression against the Lebanese state as Israel has violated all the rules prohibited in security wars. The four Geneva Conventions, which form the basis of international humanitarian law, consider combatants as civilians as long as they are not directly involved in the fighting. They also prohibit any attack that causes excessive harm to civilians that Israel deliberately breached, which is classified as a full-fledged war crime.

Since international law stipulates the prosecution of those responsible for violations of international humanitarian law, those who made the decision and carried out this indiscriminate killing must be held accountable before the International Criminal Court.

## US wages new attacks on Yemen

By Wesam Bahrani

TEHRAN – The United States carried out fresh attacks in the Yemeni capital just hours after an Ansarullah hypersonic missile attack injured Israelis in Tel Aviv.

Reports indicate a large explosion targeted the capital, Sanaa, accompanied by intensive warplane activity in the skies.

The U.S. attacks came hours after Yemen struck Tel Aviv, Israel's commercial hub, with a supersonic missile that left 16 people wounded. It was the second attack by Yemen in a matter of few days.

A statement from U.S. Central Command (CENTCOM) claimed the targets hit by American forces included a missile storage site and a "command-and-control facility."

CENTCOM also claimed to have intercepted several Yemeni drones and an anti-ship cruise missile over the Red Sea.

The Sanaa government has accused the United States of two hostile airstrikes, which targeted the Attan district in an "act of aggression" against civilians.

## Plight of Palestinians: Israeli genocide shows no sign of abating

By Shahrokh Saei

TEHRAN- Israel continues to slaughter Palestinians in the Gaza Strip amid the international community's deafening silence over the regime's atrocities in the besieged territory.

Israeli jet fighters pounded a school in Gaza City on Sunday morning killing at least eight Palestinians, including children.

Displaced families had sought refuge in the Musa Bin Nusayr School.

The Israeli military claimed that Hamas used the school as a command center to carry out attacks against the regime's forces. It, however, failed to provide any evidence to back up the claim.

In the northern town of Beit Lahiya, the director of Kamal Adwan Hospital said the Israeli army ordered staff to evacuate the medical site and move patients to another facility.

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## Iran celebrates 3rd anniversary of Yalda Night's UNESCO designation

TEHRAN- A ceremony commemorating the third anniversary of Yalda Night's listing on UNESCO's Intangible Cultural Heritage list was attended by Iranian Minister of Cultural Heritage, Tourism, and Handicrafts, Seyyed Reza Salehi-Amiri, along with a number of cultural heritage officials and foreign ambassadors in Tehran on Saturday.

During the ceremony, Salehi-Amiri congratulated attendees on Yalda Night and the birthday of Hazrat Fatemeh Zahra (SA), Mehr reported.

"Tonight, we have gathered to celebrate one of our primary cultural elements, Yalda Night. We honor both Yalda Night and the birth anniversary of Hazrat Fatemeh Zahra (SA) this evening." ▶ Page 6



## Iran marks National Women's Day with calls for unity, empowerment

TEHRAN – On National Women's Day, Iranian officials highlighted the critical role of women in shaping the country's progress and called for unwavering protection of human rights.

President Masoud Pezeshkian, along with other key figures, reaffirmed their commitment to gender equality, justice, and the empowerment of women, both in domestic policy and international diplomacy.

Speaking on Sunday, Iranian President Masoud Pezeshkian stated that violations of human rights, no matter who commits them or their position, must be addressed through dialogue, legal action, or other appropriate measures. ▶ Page 3