

GROUPS

If you would broadly describe yourself as autonomous of any political party and working in a non-hierarchical way, it would be good if you could include your groups details, so we can include them in the directory. Any contact details will be enclosed in the directory, which is a public document, unless you specifically ask otherwise.

Name of your group:

Contact address:

Contact phone number (if applicable):

Any Fax/E-mail/Web site addresses:

What sort of things are you campaigning around/ fighting against/ demanding?

What area do you cover (eg local area, village, county, etc). This is mainly so individuals reading the directory can contact groups etc in their area.

Do you have any leaflets/ newsletters/ magazines/ etc people can get from you? If so what address should they write to and what sort of money (if any) do you want for them?

If there are any other groups/ campaigns/ in your area which would also broadly fall into the category of autonomous and non-hierarchical could you give us their name and contact address so we can contact them.

INDIVIDUALS

We would ask that you only fill this part in if (1) you are not part of an existing group, and (2) there are no relevant groups in this directory in your area. The idea of it is to (hopefully) put individuals who want to get active in their local area in contact with each other. Obviously this can only happen if we get two or more replies from any particular area. This means we will have to give others your contact details and you their's - and you sort out meeting up etc. We cannot vouch for anybody, so please only agree to give the details you are happy having passed on - but remember you get their details as well.

If you do not want details passed on to other individuals, we will add you to the Anarchist Distribution Service mailing list, which is confidential. You will then receive regular mailings about what is going on around the country.

Name:

Contact Address:

Contact phone number/ E-mail etc:

If others in your area contact us, would you be into meeting them?

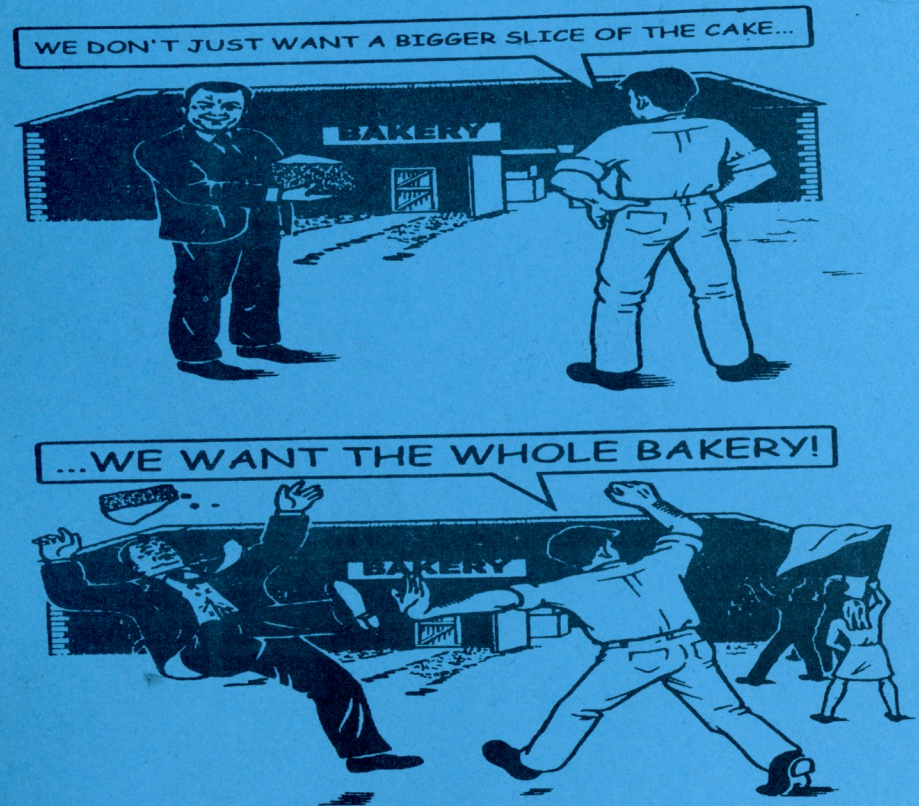
Can we give them your: Address: Yes / No Phone: Yes / No E-mai/Web/ Etc: Yes / No

If you do not want your details given out, would you contact them, if we gave you their details? Yes / No

Any other comments, etc:

THE AGITATOR

A DIRECTORY OF AUTONOMOUS, NON-HIERARCHICAL GROUPS & SUCH LIKE IN BRITAIN & IRELAND



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least 50p is much needed)

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So You Want to Change the World?

You are not alone!

This directory, created by people from Counter Information, Haringey Solidarity Group & the Anarchist Distribution Service, contains details of autonomous non-hierarchical, libertarian activist groups, magazines, bookshops, etc. This is the first edition & we accept the list is probably not complete. Can it ever be? Details have been provided by the groups themselves (unless otherwise stated), and we have not edited any entry. However, inclusion in this directory does not necessarily mean we support everything they do.

We have created this directory as a way of encouraging information sharing, solidarity and networking between groups and individuals who are actively involved in the struggle against the oppressive and exploitative society we live in. Groups and individuals who are agitating for a society based on freedom, equality, co-operation, self organisation, and mutual aid. People are often ground down by isolation, disillusionment, hardship, alienation and repression. We want to be part of creating a culture of resistance, encouraging people to organise reclaiming their lives. We can change society by the way we act, live and relate to one another. We think better communication and the sharing of ideas and experiences is a step in the right direction to recognising our collective strength and to stimulating active struggle for social justice.

The idea is that you can use the directory to get in touch with other activists in your local areas and get involved. It's there to enable similar groups around the country to swap skills, information and anything else - it's up to you. It's there so we realise we are not alone doing what we are doing. It's our movement and we want to see it grow and become f**king unstoppable. If there is no group listed in your area, contact us and we may know of other groups near where you live or work, who are not in the directory yet. We may also be able to put you in touch with other individuals in your area - with everyone's consent of course, as individual's details are obviously kept confidential.

C.I., HSG & ADS already mail out to lots of groups and individuals, sharing news, leaflets and information and also try to put people in contact with others in order to promote local agitation.

This booklet can only work properly with your support. Let us know of groups, papers, distro services, bookshops, etc in your area who support what we are trying to do. All we ask is that they agree with the view something along the lines of "Our aim is to promote solidarity, mutual aid and linking working class struggles. We can't rely on politicians or leaders to do things for us - we've got to organise and do it ourselves".

There is a sheet at the back of this booklet - we need as many responses as possible, from both groups and isolated individuals. If your group has changed its details or gone into hibernation can you keep us informed. There are bloody 100's if not 1000's of us doing stuff to change the conditions we live in - unfortunately very few of us know anybody else outside our small circle of mates. It's about time we got both proud and positive about what we believe in and start linking up with all others trying to do likewise. If you want to help with the next edition contact us - addresses on the inside back page. All information in this directory is, to the best of our knowledge, correct as of Sept 1998. However, as is the case with our "movement", groups come & go - that's our beauty, strength & also weakness.

**Lets get organised, get active and go change the world -
rather than just talking or dreaming about it !**

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Local Groups

5TH MAY GROUP

Contact: P.O. Box 2474, London, N8
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None, but can be contacted via Haringey Solidarity Group

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are a group of Turkish & Kurdish anarchists in exile in the UK. We mostly campaign around local issues (eg JSA, New Deal etc) within the Haringey Solidarity Group. However, we also campaign against Compulsory Military Service in Turkey, with Turkish & Kurdish anti-militarists (under the name of ZAK). As a group of Turkish & Kurdish anarchists, we support the struggle going on in Turkey against the state and oppression. In addition, we try to propagandise anarchist ideas amongst Turkish & Kurdish immigrants. We are also involved, both locally & nationally, in the radical struggle in the UK. As to what we demand - we demand the impossible.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Based in North London, but contacts in both other parts of UK and Europe.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We have several pamphlets concerning Turkey and the situation there. There is a cost but if people cannot afford to buy them we will send them free if you send stamps. (editors note - they have also translated a number of anarchist books, and the "Claimant's Survival Guide" into Turkish).

56A INFOSHOP

Contact: 56 Crampton Street, London, SE17
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: 56A is a do-it-yourself space, run 100% by local people without any funding or interference. In their six years they have kept a bookshop open 3 days a week, opened a bicycle library and created an open-access archive containing 3000+ items

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Based in South London.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They stock ContraFLOW and have numerous other leaflets - free with a SAE

121 BOOKSHOP & CENTRE

Contact: 121 Railton Road, London, SE24
Phone number: 0171-274-6655
Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are an anarchist squatted centre, who provide: a vegan cafe; squatters aid; an infoshop and gig space. Different groups use the building and we provide cheap printing facilities.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Based in Brixton, South London.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We have a bookshop with loads of anarchist and autonomous books, leaflets, magazines, zines and shirts. Call them for opening times. No catalogue

ADVISORY SERVICE FOR SQUATTERS

Contact: 2 St. Pauls Road, London, N1 2QN
Phone number: 0171-359-8814
Fax number: 0171-359-5185
E-Mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Housing and in particular squatting. They give legal and practical advice to homeless people and squatters. They try to encourage and support local squatting groups.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: They will give advice to people anywhere in England and Wales

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce the "Squatters Handbook". If you want a copy send them £1.39 for a copy. The price comes down if you want bulk orders of it. They will also reduce the price if you are a local squatting group.

ALDERVALLEY ANARCHISTS

Contact: P.O. Box 407, Camberly, GU14 3FL
Phone/fax/E-Mail/website: None to our knowledge

Editors description: All we know about this group is that they are a local anarchist group. For more information contact them.

ANARCHIST TEAPOT

Contact: c/o Box B, Public House Bookshop, 21 Little Preston Street, Brighton
Phone/fax/website number: None
E-mail: via "savage@easynet.co.uk"

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Free tea; temporary autonomous zones; creation of non-commercial space; encouraging communication & organisation & information sharing. Into destroying "bad stuff".

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Brighton.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have a reading room and a small infoshop, but don't sell anything. However you can order "do or die" from them (£2.50). Other useful groups in the area are: the Autonomous Students and South Downs Earth First!. Contact them for these groups addresses.

ANARCHIST GRAPHICS

Box 5, 167 Fawcett Road, Southsea, Hants, PO4
Phone/Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: "Anti-copyright graphics for working class solidarity and social revolution". They seek to produce and distribute easy-to-reproduce anti-copyright graphics for the anarchist press and local campaigns. They need more stuff especially class struggle, anti-boss, prisoner support, anti-fascist, industrial and mutual aid material.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: The "artists" are non-professional and are based in Brighton, London, Portsmouth and Reading. Other contributors are welcome. They are a loose association of individual anarchists from around the country who draw, paint, do collages, etc.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have a "pack" of A5 graphics for use in zines, stickers, leaflets, etc. Send A5 SAE and stamps for a copy.

ANARCHIST NIHILIST ACCORDS

S. Ash, c/o Freedom, 84b Whitechapel High St, London, E1 7QX
Phone: 0171-681-1225 (answerphone)
Fax: 0171-681-1225
E-mail: ANA@AWORLD.U-NET.COM
Website: Under construction

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are currently in a consciousness rais-

ing, propaganda and media subversion phase.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: In their words "international" although we are not sure if this means they have contacts in UK and abroad or just their info goes international.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce a magazine called "Mind The Gap" which is free if you contact them. They also produce various information leaflets and articles.

ANARCHIST STUDY PROJECT

S. Ash, c/o Freedom, 84b Whitechapel High Street, London, E1 7QX
Phone: 0171-681-1225 (answerphone)
Fax: 0171-681-1225
E-mail: ASP@AWORLD.U-NET.COM
Website: Under construction

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We aim to develop/modernise radical anarchist theory and develop a variety of political methodologies and activist strategies. We hold regular discussion group meetings. Publishes output as leaflets, essays and papers.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: London, but we seek contacts with similar groups worldwide.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: produce a biannual newsletter - no details of costs given.

ANARQUIST

Contact: 121 Railton Road, London, SE24 0LR
Phone number: 0171-978-8214
Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Fighting against the pink pound - for a place in society for queers of all sexualities/genders... whatever. Against the commodification of queerness. For diversity within gay/les/bi/trans/etc community.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Mainly London, but they want to network with other queer activists, autonomous anarchists, etc. They hold monthly events. Are/have organised "Queeruption Festival" in September 1998.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce a zine called "Anarquist". Send donation (£1 helpful) for copy.

ANIMAL LIBERATION FRONT SUPPORTERS GROUP

Contact: *B.M. 1160, London, WC1N 3XX*
Phone/Fax/E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: The abolition of vivisection, fur farming, bloodsports, etc. The promotion of veganism. The ALF exists as a decentralised autonomous group(s) of people taking personal responsibility for animal liberation. Our function as a support group is to financially & morally assist prisoners of the animal liberation movement.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Although the contact address is in London, the ALF supporters group has contacts both nationally and internationally.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Information is free from the above address. Membership is £24 a year, for which you get a quarterly newsletter and prisoners information. They also have a leaflets and merchandise list.

ANGRY YOUTH

17 West Montgomery Place, Edinburgh, EH7 5HA
Phone: *0131-557-6242*
E-mail: *angry@punk.org.uk*
Website: *http://www.punk.org.uk/youth/*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are currently engaged in an anti-work experience campaign. We are also resisting increasing pressure from teachers to "conform" by sticking together. We are opposed to the religious shit we are forced to take, and also the fact that we are made to wear uniform gets us pissed off. We are also campaigning against rude and unpleasant teachers.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: We cover the Edinburgh area, but we would like to see Angry Youth groups started in other areas. We would like to see an Angry Youth Federation.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We have a general leaflet; various anti-work-experience leaflets and a leaflet outlining our 3 strikes campaign against nasty teachers. If people wish to send donations to cover the costs of photocopying and other necessities, they should send them to the above address.

ANTI-RACISM CAMPAIGN

Contact: *c/o 10 Upper Camden Street, Dublin 2*
Phone number: *088-21297700*
Website: *http://flag.blackened.net/revolt/arc.html*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Fighting racism and deportations.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Dublin.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Contact them for details.

ASSOCIATION OF AUTONOMOUS ASTRO-NAUTS (EAST LONDON BRANCH)

Box 15, 138 Kingsland High St, London, E8 2NS
E-mail: *aaa@unpopular.demon.co.uk*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: In their words "community based space exploration".

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: In their words "Mars & beyond".

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Contact them for details, if you can be bothered.

AUTONOMOUS CENTRE OF EDINBURGH & EDINBURGH CLAIMANTS

17 West Montgomery Place, Edinburgh, EH7 5HA
Phone number: *0131-557-6242*
E-mail: *ace@punk.org.uk*
Web: *http://www.punk.org.uk/ace/*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Claimants struggles & struggles for social justice. We have a resource centre & information shop. "We believe that the many struggles for justice need to be drawn together to create one fight against the whole system of exploitation". base for the "Youth Solidarity Group" and "Edinburgh Animals Rights".

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Edinburgh area, but have contacts in other parts of Scotland.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They publish "Information is Strength" (ACE news-sheet) and several claimants leaflets & posters on the New Deal, dole snoopers, etc. For more info or to go on their mailing list send a SAE to the above address.

BATH HUNT SABOTEURS

Contact: *P.O. Box 426, Bath, BA1 2ZD*
Phone number: *01225 312688*
Fax/E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are against bloodsports. They fight for animal rights and also environmental issues.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: They are mainly active in Somerset, Wiltshire, Dorset, Gloucester. Also participate in some nationwide activities. See Hunt Sab in "national".

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce a newsletter - from the address above. It's free but they would appreciate 50p for the postage.

BETWEEN THE LINES

Box 32, 136 Kingsland High St, London, E8 2ND
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We want a 3 day week, redistribution of wealth & power and a lovely future. We organise the loony left football tournament. We don't demand anything - it's not nice.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Mainly Hackney & Ealing.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce a newsletter called "Between the Lines" and have a few other leaflets - from the address above.

BIRMINGHAM RACIAL ATTACKS MONITORING

339 Dudley Rd, Winson Green, Birmingham, B18
Phone number: *0121-454-9500*
Fax/E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Casework - racial discrimination in employment, schools, problem estates, police. Campaigning work - black deaths in police & prison custody, Alton Manning Campaign.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Birmingham

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Yes we have, from address above - no charge.

BIRMINGHAM SOLIDARITY GROUP

P.O. Box 3241, Salfley, Birmingham, B8 3DP
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None we know of*

Editors description: This is a new group which has just set up. At present we do not know what they are up to or campaigning around. What we do know is

that they are activists within the Birmingham area, who want to see a better society, probably based somewhere around libertarian, anarchist, or socialist ideas, and we think well worth getting involved in. Contact them for more details or to get involved.

BRADFORD 1 in 12 CLUB

21/23 Albion St., Bradford, West Yorkshire, BD1
Phone number: *01274-734160*
E-mail: *1in12@legend.co.uk*
Website: *http://www.legend.org.uk/~1in12*

Anarchist collective running social club, venue, library, bar and cafe. Their main "political" campaign over the last year has been around CCTV. They also organise a week long series of events around May Day in Bradford. The main priority & objectives of the club is to promote and then sustain all activities based on mutual aid, co-operation & solidarity. They also produce an occasional magazine called KDIS (Knee Deep In Shit) which you can get from them or download from the website.

BRIAN HIGGINS DEFENCE CAMPAIGN

Contact: *c/o RDG, P.O. Box 512, SWDO, 4 Falcon Road West, Edinburgh, EH10 4AB*
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None given*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are defending a building worker group activist - Brian Higgins - against legal action by U.C.A.T.T. full time official called Hehir.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Scotland, but in contact with the Brian Higgins Campaign in England.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We have a regular bulletin. Donation for the postage.

BRIGHTON CLAIMANTS ACTION GROUP

Contact: *c/o Prior House, 6 Tilbury Place, Brighton, BN2 2GY (address may change soon).*
Phone number: *01273 542352*
Fax/E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They campaign around claimants issues such as the New Deal, JSA and Project Work

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Active around the Brighton area.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have general anti-Project Work leaflets which are free for small amounts, but £10 for around 500.

BRIGHTON UNEMPLOYED CENTRE LTD
P.O. Box 2536, Rottingdean, Brighton, BW2 6LX
Phone number: 01273 231922
Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They campaign around claimants issues such as the New Deal and Project Work, and attacks on claimants generally. They work with Brighton Against Benefit Cuts.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Active around Brighton & Hove area.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have leaflets about Welfare to Work and the New Deal.

BRISTOL CHIAPAS SUPPORT GROUP

Contact: Box 19, 82 Colston St, Bristol, BS1 5BB
Phone/fax/website: None
E-mail: XMATT@parity.co.uk

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Involved in solidarity with Chiapas (in Mexico) and with the Zapatistas. The Zapatista communities are called "autonomous areas".

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Bristol, but can cover a much wider area if needed.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have leaflets, newsletters, video's and speakers.

BRISTOL HOUSING ACTION MOVEMENT

Contact: Box 56, Greenleaf Bookshop, 82 Colston St, Bristol, BS1 5BB
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are presently campaigning around the following issues: Housing, homelessness, housing rights and squatting; Community Facilities; Environmental and Planning Issues. They are fighting against evictions and privatisation of social housing. They support Co-ops and other DIY housing activities, and networking with other housing campaigns.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: They are mainly active in the Bristol and Avon areas, but have contacts with groups and individuals in other parts of the South West of Britain.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have a number of leaflets which you can get free (postage would be useful) from the above address.

CAMFIN

Contact: 12 Mill Road, Cambridge, CB1 2AD
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We publish a magazine, do stalls, have a local network for distribution and other activities. We are involved in street parties, animal rights, environmental issues, claimants issues, anti-globalisation, anti-consumerism, geomancy, shamanism and travellers issues.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Cambridge.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We publish "Camfin" magazine.

CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE ARMS TRADE

Contact: 11 Goodwin St, London, N4
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None we know of

Editors description: As their name suggests they are campaigning against the arms trade. They produce a newsletter and use a number of different tactics to highlight the crap of the arms trade.

CAMPAIGN AGAINST CHILD SUPPORT ACT

Contact: P.O. Box 287, London, NW6 5QU
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None we know of

Editors description: A their name suggests they are campaigning against the Child Support Act. Contact them for more details about themselves.

CARE - Anti Monsanto Community Group
Rose Cottage, Dolydd Rd, Cefn Mawr, Wrecsam.
Phone number: 01978 820 819
Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They campaign for environmental rights and against the chemical industry.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Not sure but based in Wales.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce a bi-monthly magazine, which you can get from the above address.

CATALYST COLLECTIVE

P.O. Box 5, Lostwithiel, Cornwall, PL22 0YT
Phone number: 0870-733-4970
E-mail: catalyst@greenline.clara.net

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are generally working for a co-operative and sustainable future. Particularly helping people to set up radical co-ops. We also have a green library & resource centre.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Campaigning on different levels from local to international.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Greenline magazine: subs £15 for 10 issues, 312 for unwaged, £18 supporters subs. Also publish "how to set up a housing/workers co-op" booklet for £5 each.

CONVICTION

Contact: P.O. Box 522, Sheffield, S1 3FF
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They campaign in support of framed prisoners whose cases they have investigated and taken up. They need people to help investigate cases and give support to prisoners.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: They are based in Sheffield but support people from Manchester or the East Midlands

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They publish an occasional newsletter - £1 from the above address. You can also get info and advice leaflets from them if you send a stamped addressed envelope.

COUNTER INFORMATION

c/o Transmission, 28 King St, Glasgow, G1 5QP
Phone number: 0131-557-6242
E-Mail address: counterinfo@punk.org.uk
Website: <http://www.punk.org.uk/counterinfo/>

See "Magazine & periodical" section of this directory for details about Counter Information.

DEVONPORT CLAIMANTS' UNION

Contact: c/o DAPS, 69 Granby Street, Devonport, Plymouth, PL1 4BJF
Phone number: 01752-551150 (Wed's 4-7pm)

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Specifically campaigning against the Jobseekers Allowance, but also all other benefit is-

sues (eg. Workfare, New Deal, revision of Single Parent Benefit, etc). They support strikes and raise funds for strikers. Also support other campaigns they feel are worthwhile using direct action.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Devonport

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They publish a newsletter and other leaflets, which you can get from the above address for a donation of stamps.

DUBLIN ABORTION RIGHTS GROUP

Contact: P.O. Box 3327, Dublin 8.
Phone/fax: None
E-mail: choice_irl@tao.ca
Web: <http://flag.blackened.net/revolt/darg.html>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are against the constitutional ban on abortion. They want free, safe, legal abortion in Ireland. They demand a woman's right to choose.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Dublin.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Contact them for details.

EARTH CIRCUS NETWORK

Create Centre, Smeaton Road, Bristol, BS1 6XN.
Phone number: 0117-9074074/9250505
Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are an umbrella support group of people who promote and explore environmental & social issues through our work in arts, education, and creative action. We organise MOOTS which are low cost skill sharing residencies.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: We are open to people from anywhere in the UK.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Membership is currently £5 per year which entitles you to our newsletter and MOOT invites.

EARTH LIBERATION PRISONERS

B.M. Heal, London, WC1X 3NN
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None we know of

Editors description: They support people sent down for fighting back against the destruction of the planet - well that's what we think anyway. For a much better definition of the group, contact them.

EAST ANGLIAN ANARCHIST NETWORK

Contact: (1) c/o P.O. Box 87, Ipswich, Suffolk.

(2) P.O. Box 3249, Chelmsford, Essex.

(3) P.O. Box 135, Basildon, Essex

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are involved in the following: hunt sabbing; anti-fascism; industrial actions; class struggles; environmental issues; etc.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: They work locally in their own towns and link up for joint actions when needed.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: The Chelmsford & Ipswich Anarchists produce a free information sheet "Quidnunc". Send stamps for a copy.

EAST MIDLANDS ANARCHIST BULLETIN

Contact: 88 Abbey Street, Derby

Editors description: The most we know is that they are a non class struggle anarchist group. To find out more contact them.

EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE OF SCOTLAND - TEACHERS RANK & FILE UNION

Contact: c/o R.D.G., P.O. Box 512, SWDO,

4 Falcon Road West, Edinburgh, EH10 4AB

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None given

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We believe in reclaiming the union for the membership. We are opposed to New Labour's managerial offensive. We believe in defending public education for all.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Lothian - in touch with similar groups elsewhere in Scotland.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We have bulletins & leaflets - send donation for postage.

EQUI-PHALLIC ALLIANCE/PROLES FOR MODERNISM

33 Harrington Road, Southampton, SO14 0EW

Phone/fax/E-mail number: None

Website: <http://www.digital-magic.co.uk/epa>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We campaign against "mysticism", particularly when it is combined with "green" direct action. We mainly use satire - destroying the landscape as a symbol. We are against the ecofascist current in

"green" politics (inc. anarchist). We pitch "ourselves" against the forces of reaction and demand nothing.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: We do not recognise the "identity" of "places". "Internationalist" does not describe us.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: "The Listening Voice" - newsletter - free for stamps. "10th Muse" - magazine - non-ism, poems, reviews, etc - £2.50 each. Also various leaflets - pro-Tricorn, anti-placism, etc - free, as and when.

EXETER LEFT

c/o Flying Post, P.O. Box 185, Exeter, EX4 4EW

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None given

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: At present anti JSA/New Deal stuff, Workfare, AFA stuff and anarcho stuff. Generally, for people taking control of their lives and environment through direct action; against capitalism, exploitation, oppression and fascism. They are a non-sectarian association of Trotskyists, Anarchists and ex-members of the Labour Party. Also contacts for Exeter Anti-Fascist Action, Exeter Claimants, Workers Aid for Bosnia, and Exeter Environmental Network.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Exeter is the effective limits of their range, but they network with other campaigns like hunt-sabs, squatters, "Reclaim the Streets", and anti-racist organisations, as well as with other parts of Devon, such as Plymouth, Totnes, Torbay and have contacts in Cornwall, Somerset, Bristol and nationally through Groundswell & AFA.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce two magazines, "Red Rag" and "The Flying Post" as well as some leaflets.

FASLANE PEACE CAMP

Contact: Shandon, Helensburgh,

Dumbartonshire, Scotland, G84 8NT

Phone number: 01436 820 901

Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are a permanent protest site in occupation for 15 years. They are in opposition to the Faslane nuclear missile base at Shandon, Helensburgh, which is 15 miles from Glasgow. They campaign against the use of Scotland as a base for missiles, Trident submarines and nuclear warheads. They work closely with CND. They are actively supportive of the local community and issues that affect it.

They invite people to go to the camp to see what they are doing and also to get involved on whatever level of commitment you can offer. They do regular actions ranging from direct actions such as turning back nuclear convoys on our roads, to benefit gigs for themselves and local & national issues.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: As a protest site, mainly active around Glasgow, but also involved in campaigns both in other parts of Scotland and throughout Europe.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce a magazine called "Faslane Focus" 4 times a year. They will willingly put people on their mailing list, but they rely on donations to keep it going - so send them a donation if you want info etc.

FOOD NOT BOMBS

121 Centre, 121 Raiton Road, London, SE24

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Free food, poverty, homeless, war, defence spending, human rights, genetically engineered food, etc

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: London.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have information sheets, booklets, posters and details about setting up your own group. Donations needed.

FREEDOM NETWORK

Contact: P.O. Box 9384, London, SW9 7ZB

Phone number: 0171-978-8214

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They publish an events list about meetings, events & actions, campaigns & camps.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: This events list takes information from everywhere and is distributed all over.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Send them a SAE for a copy of their events list.

FREE SATPAL RAM CAMPAIGN

Contact: c/o 101 Villa Road, Handsworth,

Birmingham, B19 1NHR

Pager number: 04325-355-717

Fax number: 0121-554-4553

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Their initial aim is the release of Satpal Ram and to publicise his case. Also campaign against

racism, the police, the courts, and government. "We want justice for black people. We work with many other anti racist campaigns".

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Birmingham, West Midlands - but we are well known for travelling around England to gain support & to support others.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We have lots of different material, from above address. Everything is free (*but donations would be greatly appreciated - editors*).

FRIENDS, FAMILIES & TRAVELLERS SUPPORT GROUP (FFTSG)

1st Floor, 33 High St, Glastonbury, Somerset, BA6

Phone/Fax: 01458-832371

E-Mail/website: None we know of

Editors description: FFTSG was set up in 1994. By reason of their lifestyle it was difficult for travellers to campaign actively against the Criminal Justice Act, but a small group of travellers' families decided to get together with travellers themselves and to use their resources, including permanent addresses and their ability to access the media to fight the Act. They also offer advice information and support for travellers. *Note: the group is run by an executive committee and a general management committee and members include local councillors and ministers of religion.*

GRAVESEND RESISTANCE

c/o P.O. Box 1, Gravesend, Kent, DA11 7NE

Phone/Fax/E-Mail/website: None we know of

Editors description: We are not sure if this group are still active, or if they have become part of "Kent Socialist Alliance". If they are still active they are a group of socialists & anarchists, not aligned to any political party. They aim to support and promote working class solidarity and mutual help in our communities and workplaces. We can't rely on "professional" politicians or leaders to do things for us, we have to organise & do it ourselves

Glasgow Contact of SCOTTISH @ NETWORK

c/o Fahrenheit Bookshop, Virginia Galleries,

Virginia Street, Glasgow

Phone/fax/E-Mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Revolutionary activity. From time to time we are involved in organising major events (eg: anar-

christ summer school), and in local struggles.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Glasgow & Clydeside.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We do periodic local mailouts. Send donation if possible.

HAMMERSMITH UNEMPLOYED Workers Centre

Contact: 190 Shepherds Bush Rd, London, W6

Phone number: 0171-603-4278

Fax number: 0171-610-4431

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Their principal campaigns are concerned with the unemployed, eg. low pay, access to the benefits system, etc.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Clients from all parts of London.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have a series of leaflets on various aspects of the jobseekers Allowance.

HARINGEY SOLIDARITY GROUP

Contact: P.O. Box 2474, London, N8

Phone number: 0181-374-5027

Fax number: 0181-374-5027

E-Mail address: hsg@clara.net

Web: <http://home.clara.net/hsg/hhome.html>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Formed out of the anti poll tax campaign in Haringey, to campaign around more wide ranging issues & campaigns. Since 1991 we have been involved in issues such as: JJ Fast Food dispute & local textile workers disputes; JSA and other claimants issues; Asylum & Immigration Act; anti-fascist & anti-racist activities; education & council cuts; support of Tottenham Law Centre; disability direct action; Red Routes; No M11 & other roads issues; VAT on Fuel; Hillingdon Hospital & Liverpool Dockers disputes; to name a few. We want to see similar groups to ours in every part of the country and ultimately a network of such groups.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Haringey (North London). But we support campaigns throughout this country & abroad.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We have leaflet about suing the police, and local issues; a number of leaflets about benefits, the JSA and the New Deal - both in English & Turkish; and we produce a regular free newsletter which we distribute free to 12,000 homes in Haringey.

HIDDEN KULTURZ

Contact: 174 Deeside Gardens, Mannofield, Aberdeen, AB15 7PX

Phone number: 01224-311086

Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They promote solidarity, mutual aid and linking of working class struggles around the globe. They believe in collecting, sharing and dissemination of information. They want an increased awareness of all injustices and efforts at grassroots level to counteract these injustices.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Global.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They distribute flyers, leaflets, pamphlets, etc. They also publish a zine called HIDDINKULTURZ which you can get if you send them an A4/A5 SAE.

HOMELESS INFORMATION PROJECT

612 Old Kent Road, London, SE15 1JB

Phone number: 0171-277-7639

Fax: 0171-732-7644

E-mail/website: None we know of

Editors description: They are a group who focus on homelessness and squatting. They give advice, produce information, and used to produce a newsletter about all areas of homelessness. Contact them for a much fuller description of what they do.

HUDDERSFIELD ANARCHIST BLACK CROSS

Contact: P.O. Box 381, Huddersfield, HD1 3XX

Phone/Fax/E-mail/website: None given

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Anarchist/class struggle prisoner support. Campaign around prison issues and wider "justice system" issues - eg cops, etc.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Huddersfield, although most work is international as Huddersfield ABC is the international secretary for the UK ABC network, so we can put people in contact with groups internationally.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We do an ABC mail-order distribution catalogue of ABC (and related merchandise) - pamphlets, books, papers, etc. We also produce and distribute information & leaflets on prisons and prisoners we support internationally.

HULL SYNDICALISTS

39 Shekiff Highway, Hedon, East Yorkshire, HU12

Phone number: 01482-898775

Fax number: 01482-898775

E-Mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They work inside the local Trade Union movement, and produce anarchist syndicalist propaganda. Have been involved with Liverpool Dockers Support Group and international solidarity work.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Hull and surrounding area.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have a number of leaflets; write for Freedom; and help edit "Trade Union News" which is the local Trades Council monthly paper which has a strong anarchist flavour.

IMMIGRANT SOLIDARITY

P.O. Box 178, Cork, Ireland

Phone/fax/E-mail numbers: None

Web site: <http://flag.blackened.net/revolt/is.html>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: fighting racism and deportations.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Cork

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Contact them for details.

INFORMATION FOR SOCIAL CHANGE

Contact: c/o John Pateman, 32 Petten Grove, Orpington, Kent, BR5 4PU

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We aim to: address the issues of freedom of information and censorship as they affect library & information workers; promote alternatives to mainstream library & information provision; provide a forum for the exchange of radical views on library & information issues; debate ethics & freedom with the library & information professions; challenge the dominant paradigms of library & information work.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: UK and beyond.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Their journal "Information for Social Change" comes out twice a year and yearly subs are £5.

INNOCENT

Dept 54, 1 Newton Street, Manchester, M1 1HW

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are a campaigning and support organisation for fitted up prisoners and their families & friends from the Greater Manchester area. We meet fortnightly. Anyone willing to help or who needs help with cases of fitting up should write to us with a stamped addressed envelope or phone number and somebody from the group will arrange a contact.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Fitted up prisoners, their friends or families from the Greater Manchester area.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: See above.

JUSTICE?

P.O. Box 2600, Brighton, East Sussex, BN12 2DX

Phone number: 01273 685913

E-Mail address: schnews@brighton.co.uk

Web: <http://www.cbuzz.co.uk/SchNEWS/>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We want the overthrow of industrial capitalism!, and demand a world where people are more important than profit.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Justice? works in the Brighton area and lots of us are "rent-a-mob" activists. Our office is a sort of alternative Citizens Advice Bureau.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We produce a weekly direct action newsheet. We will ad anybody (in or outside of Brighton) to our mailin list, but we do ask for stamps/donations. Contact u for precise details of cost.

KENT SOCIALIST ALLIANCE

Contact: P.O. Box 1, Gravesend, Kent

Phone number: 01474-566701

Fax/E-Mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are a very broad (socialist, anarchist, anti-fascist, animal rights, trade unionist) network of activists aiming to co-ordinate & stimulate activity Kent. We meet monthly.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Kent.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We produce a monthly newsletter. You can get a co from the above address.

LANCASTER ANARCHIST GROUP

Contact: *The Bookceller, 9 Meeting House Place, Lancaster, LA1 1TJ*

Phone number/fax/E-Mail/website: *None*

Editors description: They are an active local anarchist group who were very involved in organising the MayDay 98 conference in Bradford. Involved in local campaigns etc. Contact them for more details or to get involved in the group

LEEDS ANARCHIST GROUP

Contact: *145/149 Cardigan Road, Leeds, LS6 1LJ*

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Group members are involved in various struggles.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Leeds.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We used to produce @irestrike magazine, but haven't for a while, but we can send back issues if people want them for free.

LEEDS CLAIMANTS UNION

Contact: *158 Hyde Park Road, Leeds, LS6 1AG*

Phone number: *0113 275 3160*

E-Mail address: *maxben@thecafe.co.uk*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They do stuff around poverty, benefit increases, disability rights, homelessness.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: They are mainly active in Leeds but will take phone calls from anywhere.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: None at the moment.

LEGAL DEFENCE & MONITORING GROUP

Presently non-functional due to lack of interest.

What the Group did: The original idea was to provide legal back up on demonstrations, especially in the light of the Criminal Justice Act. The main LDMG roles are: to observe police behaviour on demos; to give unconditional support to any demonstrator arrested or injured; to provide good & sympathetic solicitors to those people arrested who want one; to assist anybody assaulted by the police or wrongly arrested to sue the police; to monitor court cases and

provide support to those held on remand. Much needed and will be much missed.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Mainly active in London, although events such as Newbury demos were also monitored. There was also a LDMG in Brighton for a while.

LESBIAN AVENGERS

Contact: *P.O. Box 501, London, SE21 7DS*

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None we know of*

Editors description: They are a Direct Action and street theatre group fighting sexism and heterosexism. They are raising the visibility of lesbianism and lesbian issues using a sense of humour.

LIBERATION

Contact: *Box 21, 1 Newton St, Manchester, M1 1HW*

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: For a society of equality and fraternity and an end to capitalism. Also involved in prisoner issues.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: At the moment only Manchester.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: A magazine called "Black Starr".

LIVERPOOL ANARCHISTS

Contact: *P.O. Box 110, Liverpool, L69*

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None*

Editors description: All we know is that the group is a local anarchist group. Contact them for more details or to get involved.

LONDON ANARCHIST FORUM

Contact: *c/o Freedom Bookshop (see bookshops)*

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are an open Weekly Anarchist Discussion group. Hold talks by invited speakers and general discussion on a wide range of anarchist and libertarian ideas, methods and structures.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: London & South East.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: None - but will distribute anything they receive.

LONDON GREENPEACE

Contact: *5 Caledonian Road, London, N1 9DX*

Phone number: *0171 713 1269 or 0171 837 7557*

Fax: *0171 713 1269*

E-mail number: *lgp@envirolink.org*

Website: *http://www.mcspotlight.org/*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: London Greenpeace (separate from Greenpeace International) has existed since 1971 as an independent group of activists, without leaders. They campaign against all forms of exploitation and oppression of people, animals and the environment, and for creating an anarchist society based on strong and free communities, the sharing of precious resources and respect for all life. They have recently emerged victorious from the "McLibel" court case, when McDonald's failed to stop the distribution of millions of their leaflet "What's Wrong with McDonald's".

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: London - but network countrywide & worldwide.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have leaflets on McDonald's, Shell, Body Shop, Anarchism, etc. They do a mailing every 6 months which you can go onto. Send SAE for details.

LONDON MAYDAY GROUP / SMASH HITS

Contact: *BM Box 5538, London, WC1N 3XX*

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are a loose collective of activists, mainly from a class struggle background, who publish a magazine called "Smash Hits" - a discussion bulletin for revolutionary "ideas", which is a fairly open forum for debate. They were heavily involved in the organising of the Bradford MayDay 98 conference, and are involved in networking generally. Individuals in the group are involved in various other local groups/activities and have good contacts around the UK and abroad.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: London wide contacts, but tend to meet in North London.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce "Smash Hits" 2 or 3 times a year. It costs £1 a copy from the above address and contributions are always welcome. They are also producing 200,000 stickers (various designs) for nationwide distribution. These should be ready by late September - donations needed.

GROUNDSWELL - MANCHESTER

Contact: *Dept. 99, 1 Newton Street, Manchester, M1 1HW*

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Exist to fight all attacks on the unemployed (which are also attacks on the whole working class) - i.e. the JSA; Project Work; Welfare-to-Work; etc.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Manchester.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have a number of leaflets, which if you send a stamped addressed envelope to them, they will send you.

MERSEYFIN

Contact: *P.O. Box 110, Liverpool, L69 8DP*

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Freedom of information; social justice; rejection of party politics; anti-work; sexual equality; anti-consumerism; animal rights; road protests & environmental action; etc.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Merseyside and surrounding area.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce an irregular "Free Information Newsheet (FIN)" called Merseyfin. Send SAE for a copy.

MID-WEST AGAINST RACISM

Contact: *Kings Island Youth Centre, Verdant Place, Kings Island, Limerick.*

Phone/Fax/E-mail: *None*

Website: *http://www.geocities.com/CapitolHill/Congres/1451/*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Fighting racism and deportations.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Limerick & Ennis.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Contact them for details.

NATIONAL COALITION OF ANTI-DEPORTATION CAMPAIGNS (NCADC)

Contact: *22 Berners St, Birmingham, B19 2DR*

Phone number: *0121-554-6947*

Fax number: *0121-507-1567*

E-mail: *NCADC@ncadc.demon.co.uk*

Website: *http://www.ncadc.demon.co.uk/*

For details of NCADC see "National Networks" section of this directory.

NEWHAM & DISTRICT CLAIMANTS UNION

Contact: *Durning Hall, Earham Grove, Forest Gate, London, E7*

Phone/Fax/E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They campaign around, give advice on, and fight to get money for people from: Housing Benefit; Council Tax Benefit; Jobseekers Allowance; Incapacity Benefit; etc.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Newham and East London, although they will do their best to help anyone who turns up. If you need them, they are not bothered where you live.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They share out information at their meetings - alternative Thursdays at above address, from 7.30pm.

NO OPENCAST

Contact: *190 Shepherds Bush Road, London, W6*

Phone: *0171-603-1831*

Fax/E-mail/website: *None*

Editors description: They campaign against open cast mining. They definitely use Direct Action as part of their campaign, and to our knowledge they were part of the group who started digging up Micheal Hessektines garden saying they were turning it into an opencast mine. Sounds good to us.

NORFOLK & NORWICH SOLIDARITY FED.

Contact: *Room 13, Muspole Workshops, Muspole St, Norwich, NR3 1QD*

Phone number: *01603-611072*

Fax/E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are working to establish revolutionary unions & anarcho-syndicalist workplace organisations. They are fighting around pay and health & safety issues. Campaigns include casual/temporary workers; agricultural & transport; local authority; & education sectors. Hold regular discussion meetings.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Norwich & Norfolk. They also have an education branch covering schools & further education.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce a free local bulletin and stock Direct Action

magazine. Have a wide range of magazines, pamphlets and books for sale. The local bulletin is free - further enquiries are welcome.

NOTTINGHAM CLAIMANTS ACTION

Contact: *Box NCA, Rainbow Centre, 180*

Mansfield Road, Nottingham, NG1 3HW

Phone number: *0839-046175*

E-mail: *ncajsa@geocities.com*

Website: *http://www.geocities.com/CapitolHill/Lobby/7638*

What the Group does, & campaigns they are involved in: Our slogan is "No Wage Slavery, No Dole Slavery". We campaign to maintain & extend the social wage.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Nottingham & District.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We have a number of leaflets, etc. Send 2 x 1st class stamps and we will send you copies.

OLDER FEMINIST NETWORK

c/o Astra, 54 Gordon Road, London, N3 1EP

Phone number: *0181-346-1900*

Fax/E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Challenging both the ageism and sexism that older women suffer, and aim to counter the negative stereotypes older women suffer. We provide mutual support and exchanges of ideas, and are mobilising skills & experiences of older women in campaigning for a better deal.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: London and elsewhere in UK.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We produce a Bi-monthly newsletter. It's £6 for 1 year (6 issues), or £3 concessions. We also have leaflets.

Other groups: (1) *Older Lesbian Network, 6-9, Manor Gardens, London, N7 6LA.* (2) *Association of Greater London Older Women, 54 Gordon Road.*

OLDHAM ANARCHISTS

Contact: *P.O. Box 127, Oldham, OL4 3FE*

Phone/Fax/E-mail/website: *None we know of*

Editors description: They are a locally based anarchist group. Contact them for more information or to get involved.

OXFORD UNEMPLOYED WORKERS & CLAIMANTS UNION

Contact: *East Oxford Community Centre,*

Princes Street, Oxford, OX4 1HU

Phone number: *01865-723750*

Fax number: *01865-724317*

E-mail/website: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We organise amongst claimants, unemployed and the low waged. We provide advice and direct support and aim to encourage collective action. We're not a "protest" group and our organisation is class based.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Oxford, Oxfordshire. But we will provide advice and information to people anywhere in the country.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Local quarterly newsletter and lots of information and stuff re: benefits, employment rights, etc.

PENWITH ANARCHIST GROUP - Cornwall.

Contact: *As yet they have not got a public contact address. To contact them send letters via Anarchist Distribution Service*

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None at present.*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They recently organised a MayDay parade and gathering. They are interested in: building local communities; prisoner support; resistance to the New Deal; developing an anarchist library; animal rights; anti-militarism, and anything individuals involved want to work on.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: They are based in Penzance, but cover Penwith and Lizard area.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Once their library is up and running they will have lots of stuff.

Other local groups: Penwith Hunt Sabs, P.O. Box 8, Newquay, Cornwall; The Land is Ours via them.

PENZANCE ANARCHIST GROUP

c/o A.D.S., P.O. Box 446, Sheffield, S3 8YG

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None we know of*

Editors description: They are a locally based anarchist group. Contact them for more information.

PORTSMOUTH ANARCHIST NETWORK

Contact: *Box A, 167 Fawcett Road, Southsea,*

Hants, PO4 0DH

Phone: *01705-818786*

Fax/E-mail/website: *None at present.*

If you contact the group PLEASE only use initial of "P.A.N." when contacting them.

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Anti-fascism; national & local workers disputes; McLibel; prisoners support; RTS, animal rights; hunt sabbing.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Portsmouth area.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Free leaflets available on various issues from above address.

PORTSMOUTH MAY DAY COLLECTIVE

Box M, 167 Fawcett Rd, Southsea, Hants, PO4 0DH

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None at present.*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Annual "Reclaim May Day" event to mark & celebrate international workers day. To bring together a range of radical groups. To promote anarchist ideas. To raise funds for workers in dispute (£150 went to Hillingdon Hospital Workers after MayDay 98). Other events are organised or supported, by them, between "MayDays" with fund-raising for strikers and/or prisoners being their main focus.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Portsmouth and the surrounding area (Gosport, Fareham, Cosham, Havant, etc) ideally! But just Portsmouth at the moment. They are hoping to build on contacts made in Southampton and Brighton.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They don't have much propaganda at present (June 98), but they do have copies of leaflets used to promote the last "MayDay" and any other events they are working towards next. Send SAE for copies.

PROLES FOR MODERNISM

33 Hartington Road, Southampton, SO14 0EW

Website: *http://www.digital-magic.co.uk/epa*

See their entry under "Equi Phallic Alliance" in this section of the directory.

RAINBOW CENTRE

180-182 Mansfield Rd, Nottingham, NG1 3HW
Phone number: 0115 958 5666

See their entry under the "centres" section of this directory.

RECLAIM THE STREETS (LONDON)

Contact: P.O. Box 9656, London, N4
Phone & Fax number: 0171-281-4621
E-mail: rts@gn.apc.org

Website: <http://www.gn.apc.org/rts/>
See their entry under "National Networks" section of this directory.

RED & BLACK CLUB

Contact: P.O. Box 17773, London, SE8 4WX
Phone number: 0181-691-2456
E-Mail address: black.flag@gnnet.org.uk

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Up to now they have mainly been involved with strike support work and propaganda. They are about to start on a long term project organising around housing, benefits and policing. They may also be looking at temp workers organising.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Broadly in South East London (ie the boroughs of Lewisham, Southwark and Greenwich), but are most active in Deptford and Lewisham.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have a few leaflets and are working on more. They have a mailing list of 40 to 50. If you want leaflets or to be added to their mailing list contact them and send them stamps for the postage.

REVOLUTIONARY SOCIALIST NETWORK

180 Mansfield Road, Nottingham, NG1 3HH
Phone number: 01638-669551
Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: RSN is an informal, open & non-sectarian discussion group, straddling the boundaries between marxism & anarchism, looking for a way forward for activists.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: UK wide.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce a newsletter called "RSN News" which you can get from the above address. Subs are £3 for 4 issues. Cheques payable to "RSN".

ROAD ALERT!

Contact: P.O. Box 5544, Newbury, RG14 7YE
Phone/Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: No longer an active group. Our sole activity now is distribution of the book "Road Raging".

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: n/a

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We distribute "Road Raging: top tips for wrecking road building". It's a comprehensive guide (220 pages) to anti-road direct action (also applicable to fighting other developments). Get from us for £3 inc p&p.

SHEFFIELD ANARCHIST GROUP

Contact: P.O. Box 446, Sheffield, S3 8YG
E-mail address: sheffa.demon.co.uk

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are an autonomous local anarchist group involved in claimants issues, strike & prisoner support, local struggles/campaigns, etc. Believe in the promotion of solidarity, mutual aid and linking working class struggles

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Sheffield.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have an assorted selection of leaflets.

SMALL WORLD MEDIA

1a Waterloo Road, London, N19 5NJ
Phone/fax/website: None
E-Mail address: savage@easynet.co.uk

Editors description: These are the people who brought (and still bring) us Undercurrents the videos. Basically they are a group of people who use video cameras to publicise Direct Action events such as road protests, demos, and much more. We think Undercurrents is now on about issue 12.

SOUTH DOWNS EARTH FIRST!

P.O. Box 2971, Brighton, East Sussex, BN2 2TT
Phone/fax/website: None
E-Mail address: savage@easynet.co.uk

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: All sorts - mainly local and national "environmental" issues, but also with links into lots of other things - eg. members of our group have been running the "Anarchist Teapot" squat cafe in Brighton.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Mainly Brighton & surrounding area, but "we have a dream" of getting a sussex/south east regional federation of "direct action" groups together. Also attend some national & international events.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Yes - "Do or Die" magazine. £2.50 (inc p&p) for 164 pages issue 7. Other leaflets & pamphlets available from us through "Dead Trees EF!" distro.

STONEHENGE CAMPAIGN

c/o 99 Torriano Avenue, London, NW5 2RX
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We exist to lobby, campaign, attend meetings, raise public awareness and maintain links with interested parties for the reinstatement of the Stonehenge Peoples free festival and religious access to stonehenge itself, and to protect the Stonehenge landscape and environment. The campaign holds monthly meetings in London from Sept to May - all welcome.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: based in London, but will work, attend meetings, speak, wider afield.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Produce a free newsletter about Stonehenge and related issues (festivals, etc). It also includes an extensive contacts list - they welcome letters or articles or info, dates of events, gigs, demos, festivals, gatherings, etc for inclusion in the newsletter.

SUBVERSION

Dept 10, 1 Newton St, Piccadilly, Manchester, M1 1HU
E-Mail address: knightrose@geocities.com
Web: <http://www.geocities.com/athens/acropolis/8195>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are a revolutionary political group/publications based in the North of England. Their free publication contains articles & letters reflecting the activities and interests of their members/readers which for instance have recently included: anti Jobseekers Allowance/Workfare; anti-roads; Liverpool Dockers Support; workplace struggles etc.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: UK and contacts with revolutionaries in other countries involved in similar activities.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: "Subversion" which is a free magazine. They welcome exchanges, donations etc.

SUBVERSIVE SISTER

Contact: c/o 34 Byrom Street, Todmorden, West Yorkshire, OL14 5HS

Phone/E-Mail/website: None
Fax number: 01706-812663

See separate entry under "magazines" section of this directory.

TYNESIDE ANARCHIST GROUP

Contact: P.O. Box 1TA, Newcastle, NE99 1TA
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are involved in working class struggles, supporting striking workers, prisoners support, active anti-fascism, environmental issues. They promote class struggle anarchist ideas and believe in the empowerment of local working class communities. They want to get in contact with like minded people and groups locally, nationally and internationally.

Parts of the Country-the group cover, or where they are active: They are mainly active in the Tyneside and Wearside areas and have members in Northumbria, Darlington, Durham, Middlesborough, and other parts of the North East of England.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have produced introduction pamphlets to anarchism, anti-fascism, anarchist history, working class struggles. They have newsletters produced by various local groups and/or individuals. Information on the Jobseekers Allowance and other campaigns mentioned above. You can get copies of the leaflets by sending a stamped addressed envelope, and the pamphlets are "cheapish". Contact them for more details.

VALUES & VISIONS

Personal address given - contact HSG for details.
Phone number: 0171-328-3709
Fax number/E-Mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They want community regeneration in London. They believe in non-party politics. They campaign around: Northern Ireland, elections to the Greater London Authority; decentralisation; group development; credit unions.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Kilburn, Camden and Wandsworth.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have a few leaflets - send a SAE to HSG and we will forward it.

VEGGIES

180 Mansfield Road, Nottingham, NG1 3HW

Phone number: 0115 958 5666

Fax number: None

E-Mail address: veggies@innotts.co.uk

Website: <http://www.innotts.co.uk/~rainbow/>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Veggies provides vegan catering at campaign events and raise funds to support human and animal rights, environmental, world issues, social justice, etc, including the running of the Rainbow Centre, which provides resources for local groups and individuals working on these issues.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Veggies are based in Nottingham but provide catering (and support) nationwide.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have a catalogue of veggie and animal rights leaflets. They also produce a monthly events calendar and annual contacts directory. Send them a stamped addressed envelope for details.

WARZONE COLLECTIVE

Contact: 1 - 5 Donegal Lane, Belfast, BT1

At present we have no further information on this group.

WESTLONDON ANARCHISTS & RADICALS

Contact: c/o BM Makhno, London, WC1N 3XX

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We want a future society without hierarchies, bosses, landlords, cops, wage slavery & environmental destruction. That is a long way off, but if we all begin to act now then at worst we can make them feel uncomfortable, and at best..... who knows!

We are trying to put together a network of like-minded people in West London for practical solidarity, exchange of ideas, local & national actions, & to have fun.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: West London.

Leaflets/Magazines you can get from them: None at the moment - but sure to be some soon.

WOLVERHAMPTON Anarchist Black Cross

Contact: P.O. Box 339, Wolverhampton, WV10 7BZ

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are a revolutionary group that works towards the abolition of the prison system as part of the class struggle. They support prisoners such as: revolutionary/anarchist/political & working class people jailed for resisting capitalism; people framed by the cops; prisoners fighting back against the system from inside; working class people jailed as a result of trying to get by; people jailed for raising the injustice of their case.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Wolverhampton - but groups nationwide. See "ABC" contacts in "National Groups"

WOLVES HUNT SABOTEURS

Box H, UWSU, Wulfruna Street, Wolverhampton.

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Involved in "Reclaim the Streets", Direct Action against bloodsports & animal abuse' Direct Action against the destruction of our environment, arms companies, and human rights abuses. Direct Action against the police by wasting their resources when they do actions & by suing them & wasting money on trials, prison etc

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Wolverhampton & surrounding area.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Send them a SAE for WOLFIN (free information zine), animal rights & vegan information.

WOMEN'S ACTION GROUP

Contact: P.O. Box 9384, London, SW9 7ZB

Phone: 0171-978-8214

Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are a bunch of London women committed to taking Direct Action to challenge oppression and change the world. We run a monthly women's cafe at the "121 Centre" in railton Road, Brixton.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Mainly London, but others welcome.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them:

We produce a magazine called "Kick" which you can get from the above address. A donation for postage would be appreciated.

WORKERS SOLIDARITY MOVEMENT

Contact: P.O. Box 1528, Dublin 8, Ireland

Phone number: None

Fax number: None

E-Mail address: wsm_ireland@geocities.com

Web: <http://flag.blackened.net/revolt/wsm.html>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Specifically: wages; union solidarity & recognition; abortion & equal rights for women; end of British presence in Ireland.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Workers Solidarity - £4 for 3 copies a year. Red & Black Revolution - £1.50 for one issue a year. Anarchism & Ireland - a pamphlet - £1 each. Other pamphlets - send for list.

Addresses of their regional groups: Mainly Dublin & Cork. Contact them for details of regional groups.

LATE ENTRIES

BROUGHTON SPURTLE

Contact: Broughton Books, 2A Broughton Place, Edinburgh, EH1 3RX

Phone number: 01350-728-720

Fax/E-mail number: None

Web: <http://www.tpuntis.demon.co.uk>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are involved in traffic issues, use of urban open spaces, funding of local schools, conservation/appropriate use of local buildings, support for local action groups.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: The Broughton area in Edinburg.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We produce a monthly (except january) community paper, for free. Contact us for a copy. For regular mailings send us a donation of £1 per month - for this you become a "spurtle supporter".

SHROPSHIRE SOCIALIST SOLIDARITY

7 Larkspur Glade, Randley Fields, Telford

Phone number: 01952-272025

Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Can't say we're very active but we are fighting the cuts in county welfare provision.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have a lot of literature - contact them for details. Also distribute stuff from the Czech Solidarita Group.

MERSEYSIDE ALLIANCE AGAINST CJA

Contact: c/o 66 Cowper St., Bootle, L21

UNDERGROUND POWER (YOUNG PEOPLE'S LIBERATION MOVEMENT)

Contact: 9 Osmeston Road, Birkenhead, L42

MERSEYSIDE PLOUGHSHARES

c/o 83 Oak Towers, Northwood, Kirkby, L33 8XW

Editors note: We don't know anything about the above three groups as we did not have time to contact them. If you want to find out more about them or to get involved in them, drop them a line.

CASH NEEDED !

As we are not quite in a world where we can exchange good, services, skills and time freely between ourselves, we are on the scronge for money.

We are producing 2,000 copies of this directory, and are hoping to post it out to all the groups and individuals, in an attempt to induce greater co-operation and links between us all. We also hope to distribute it to places where those not "in the know" about what we/you do - ie. bookshops, newsagents, anywhere in fact.

However, this costs money. In fact we reckon it will eventually come to about a grand. Some of this will come from donations etc, but the rest will come out of the pockets of three of us. on top of that we need to raise funds to produce the next issue in 1999 (and 2000, 2001.....).

So, if you can help out with as little, or as much as you can, we will be eternally grateful. Send cheques, cash, stamps, etc to Molly, at Haringey Solidarity Group, PO. Box 2474, London, N8. Cheque payable to "H.S.G."

National Groups

BRITAIN

ANARCHIST BLACK CROSS (ABC)

Contact: P.O. Box 446, Sheffield, S3 8YG

Phone: 0171-326-0353 (answerphone)

Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are a revolutionary organisation that works towards the abolition of the prison system as part of the class struggle. We recognise that prisons are an integral part of the class system and vital to the survival of capitalism and the preservation of the rich/ruling class. Prisons can only be abolished as part of a social and economic revolution that destroys capitalism. Although we welcome changes in the prison system which makes life easier for our comrades inside, we know the prison system cannot be reformed out of existence. We support certain prisoners; distribute information and news; and produce "Taking Liberties".

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have a number of pamphlets, postcards, posters, tapes and T/shirts. They also produce a magazine called "Taking Liberties" which has tons of news by and about prisoners. Details from the Huddersfield address.

Addresses of their regional groups:

Birmingham: P.O. Box 3241, Saktley, Birmingham, B8 3DP

Brighton: P.O. Box 2971, Brighton, East Sussex, BN2 2TT

Huddersfield: P.O. Box 381, Huddersfield, HD1 3XX. See also their separate entry under "local groups" in this directory.

Leeds: c/o I.A.G., 145/149 Cardigan Road, Burley, Leeds, LS6 1JJ

London: 121 Raiton Road, London, SE24 0LR

Newcastle: c/o P.O. Box 1TA, Newcastle, NE99 1TA

Reading: Box A, Risc 35-39 London Street, Reading, Berks, RG1

Sheffield: P.O. Box 446, Sheffield, S3 8YG

Somerset: P.O. Box 478, Taunton, Somerset, TA2

Wolves: P.O. Box 339, Wolverhampton, WV10 7BZ. See entry under "local groups".

ANARCHIST COMMUNIST FEDERATION (ACF)

Contact: 84b Whitechapel High St., London, E1

Phone number: 01704 879309

E-mail: acf@burn.ucsd.edu

Website: <http://burn.ucsd.edu/~acf/>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Anything that takes the struggle to the boss class' door. Environmental/ecological based campaigns; workfare; anti-car campaigns; prison issues; anti-consumerism; anti-"celebrity" worship; hare coursing & hunting animals abolition; racism; sexism; anti-anything that is oppressive to people.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have some free literature while other stuff will bear a small price tag. Contact them at above address for details. They will communicate on a personal level.

Addresses of their regional groups:

London: See above address.

Merseyside: P.O. Box 110, Liverpool, L69 8DP

Newcastle: P.O. Box 1TA, Newcastle-Upon-Tyne, NE99 1TA

Wales: P.O. Box 10, Cwmbran, Gwent, Cymru, NP44

West Midlands: P.O. Box 339, Wolverhampton, WV10 7BZ.

Woking & all other areas: P.O. Box 375, Knaphill, Woking, Surrey, GU21 2X

ACTION AGAINST INJUSTICE

Contact: P.O. Box 858, London, E9 5HU

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We campaign for radical change to the criminal justice system so it genuinely provides justice. We support and advise individual justice campaigns and prisoners, trying to link up cases and campaigns.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: National - contact the above address for details of local groups.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We have a number of leaflets and produce a newsletter. Subs are £5 a year.

ANTI-FASCIST ACTION (AFA)

Contact: BM 1734, London, WC1N 3XX

Phone number: 0976-406-870

Website: <http://www.geocities.com/CapitolHill/senate/5602>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We say no platform for fascists - no meetings, no marches, no paper sales, no leafletting - and we mean it, as the fascists know only too well. Our aim is to cause the maximum disruption to fascist activities. But that doesn't mean that AFA only need street fighters. Far from it. Everyone has a role to play in AFA, whether they feel confident in physical confrontations or not. None of our successes in physically confronting the fascists would have been possible without the contribution of non-combatants. From legal observers to scouts, from leafleters to people who can write articles or speak at meetings, AFA needs people with a whole range of skills.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: See below.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce "Fighting Talk" - £1.50 an issue, or subs £8/individuals £14/groups, for 4 issues. They also have a lot of other merchandise - contact London for details.

Addresses of their regional groups:

MIDLANDS & WALES

Cardiff: c/o Wolves group

Birmingham: P.O. Box 3311, 25 Howard Road East, Birmingham, B13 0RZ

Leicester: P.O. Box 320, Leicester, LE1 5WS

Nottingham: P.O. Box 192, Nottingham, NG1 1FJ

Wolverhampton: use Birmingham address

NORTHERN NETWORK

Bolton: c/o Manchester group

Lancaster: c/o Manchester group

Liverpool: P.O. Box 110, Liverpool, L69 8DP

Manchester: P.O. Box 83, South West PDO, Manchester, M15 5NJ

North East: P.O. Box 1TA, Newcastle, NE99 1TA

Preston: c/o Liverpool group

Sheffield: c/o West Yorkshire group

West Yorkshire: c/o London group

Wigan: P.O. Box 17, Wigan, WN6 7FD

SCOTLAND

Edinburgh: P.O. Box 421, Edinburgh, EH11 1QD

Glasgow: P.O. Box 797, Glasgow, G1 5JF

THE SOUTH

Brighton: c/o London address

Bristol: P.O. Box 1076, Bristol, BS99 1WF

Colchester: c/o P.O. Box 87, Ipswich, IP4 4JQ

Exeter: c/o P.O. Box 185, Exeter, EX4 4EW

Herts: c/o London address

Ipswich: P.O. Box 87, Ipswich, IP4 4JQ

Kent: c/o London address.

London: BM 1734, London, WC1N 3XX

Norwich: c/o Oxford group

Oxford: P.O. Box 854, Oxford, OX1 3US

Southampton: c/o London address

Surrey: c/o London address

IRELAND

AFA (Ireland): P.O. Box 3355, Dublin 7, Ireland

CLASS WAR

Contact: P.O. Box 467, London, E8 3QX

Phone number: 01582 750601

Fax number: 01737 217599

E-mail: class_war@hotmail.com

Web: <http://www.geocities.com/CapitolHill/9482>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are involved in campaigns around: New Deal; Prison Support work; GANDALF; anti-monarchy; against the countryside alliance; etc. Also to get rid of capitalism and for working class power, but in a fun and entertaining way.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce "Class War" the paper and other info and leaflets. For copies send £1 in stamps.

Addresses of their regional groups:

Brighton: P.O. Box 2971, Brighton, BN2 2TT

Bristol: P.O. Box 772, Bristol, BS99 1EG

Doncaster: contact the Manchester group

East Anglia: P.O. Box 87, Ipswich, IP4 4JQ

Glasgow: c/o Fahrenheit 451, Virginia Galleries, Virginia Street, Glasgow

Kent: contact the London group

London: See above

Manchester: Dept 81, 1 Newton St, Manchester, M1 1HW (E-mail: cw_manchester@hotmail.com)

Preston: contact the Manchester group

Surrey: contact the London group

West Yorkshire: contact the Manchester group

INDUSTRIAL WORKERS OF THE WORLD

Contact: c/o Secular Hall, 75 Humberstone Gate, Leicester, LE1 1WB

Phone number: 0116-266-1825

Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are a grass roots union run by our members. We fight for improved wages & conditions and for a revolutionary change to a better society where all of us are free from the poverty and pain of wage labour.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: The IWW organise world wide. Branches are organised in Britain in several industries and several areas - see below.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We produce "Bread & Roses" magazine - £1 & postage, or UK subs of £4 for 3 issues. They also have a selection of leaflets available. We distribute the monthly "Industrial Worker" paper, with world wide news.

The IWW have groups in the following areas (contact the above address for local contacts): Swindon; Bournemouth; Dover; London; Brighton; Tyne & Wear; Edinburgh; Glasgow; Devon.

MOVEMENT AGAINST THE MONARCHY

Contact: P.O. Box 14672, London, E9 5UQ

Phone number: None

E-Mail address: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are co-ordinating & encouraging popular opposition to the monarchy. They are planning a major national demonstration on 31st October 98, marching to Buckingham Palace.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce a newsletter called "The Guillotine" and do leaflets every 3 months. Send donations or stamps for the latest news about events etc.

Addresses of their regional groups: Contact above address for local groups which are in Manchester; Nottingham; Newcastle; London and Bristol.

SEXUAL FREEDOM COALITION

Contact: P.O. Box 4ZB, London, W1A 4ZB

Info line: 0171-460-1979

website address: <http://www.sfc.org.uk>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are campaigning for the abolition of the laws that prohibit the activities of consenting

adults, ie: censorship; anti prostitute/sex workers laws; harrassment of gay/lesbian/fetish clubs etc; and to promote greater sexual maturity in the media & society at large.

Editors note: We asked the SFC about their attitude to sexual relationships between adults and children. Their response was "briefly, given that adults have more power than children, ie. economic, physical, experiential, etc any sexual relations between the two would, as a result of this power imbalance, be exploitative. The SFC is against any abusive or exploitative relationship - hence the name of our paper is *Consenting Adults*, and the *Sexual Freedom Coalition's* name implicitly means that we are against the restriction of/or impingement upon other people's (ie children's) sexuality and liberty".

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have a number of leaflets and produce a newspaper called "Consenting Adults" which is £1.50. Contact them for details.

Addresses of their regional groups: They are based in London, but have contacts in the rest of the UK.

SOLIDARITY FEDERATION

P.O. Box 29, SW PDO, Manchester, M15 5HW

Phone number: 0161-232-7889

Fax/E-mail: None

Website: <http://www.gn.apc.org/SolFed>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: The Solidarity Federation is a new solidarity movement. Formed in 1994, it consists of a federation of groups and individuals across England, Scotland & Wales. The basic foundation of the Solidarity Federation is the local. These are organising or getting involved in local campaigns across a wide range of issues - both in the community and in workplaces. Solidarity Federation members who work in the same work sectors have also formed "networks". Their purpose is to promote solidarity amongst workers. Networks also use all the tools of Direct Action at their disposal, to fight for better pay & conditions and spread anarcho-syndicalist ideas in the workplace. The Sol Fed is the British section of the International Workers Association - an international anarcho-syndicalist association.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: "Direct Action" - quarterly mag of the Sol Fed - £1.50 per issue; £5 basic yearly subs; £12 yearly supporters subs. "Out of the Frying Pan" - a critical look at works councils (booklet) - £1.50. "Health & Safety at Work: An Anarcho-Syndicalist Approach" - booklet - £1.

SOLIDARITY FEDERATION CONT.

Addresses of their regional groups:

North & East London: P.O. Box 1681, London, N8 7DN. 0181-374-5027

South East London: P.O. Box 17773, London, SE2 4WX. 0171-358-1854

South Herts: P.O. Box 493, St. Albans, AL1 5TW

West Midlands: P.O. Box 6705, Redditch, Worcs, B97 6SQ

Norfolk & Norwich: Room 13, Muspole Workshops, Muspole St, Norwich NR3 1QD

Manchester: P.O. Box 29, SW PDO, Manchester, M15 5HW. 0161-232-7889

Sheffield: P.O. Box 1095, Sheffield, S2 4YR

For the following groups contact the Manchester address: *Preston; Liverpool; Dover; Middlesborough; Chester-le-Street; Edinburgh; Bristol; Brighton; Glasgow; Somerset; Cardiff; Aberystwyth; Cambridge.*

NETWORKS:

Education Workers: P.O. Box 29, SW PDO, Manchester, M15 5HW

Public Service Workers: P.O. Box 1681, London, N8 7DN

Communication Workers: P.O. Box 29, SW PDO, Manchester, M15 5HW

5TH MAY GROUP

Turkish & Kurdish anarchists in exile

Contact: P.O. Box 2474, London, N8

Phone/fax/E-mail/Website: None, but can be

contacted via *Haringey Solidarity Group*

See under "local groups" section of this directory for a fuller description of the group.

IRELAND

IRISH MEXICO GROUP

Contact: 5 Merrion Row, Dublin 2.

Phone number: 6760435

E-Mail: mark_c@geocities.com

Web: <http://flag.blackened.net/revolt/mexico.html>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Solidarity with progressive struggles in Mexico

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce a "Zapatista" newsletter and a calendar - donations required.

Addresses of their regional groups: Contact the above address for list of local groups.

ORGANISE! - IWA

P.O. Box 505, Belfast, BT12 6BQ, North Ireland

Phone number: 01232-208276

Fax number: 01232-208276

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are involved in many issues both locally and nationally, and through our international I.W.A. on workplace and community struggles, and environmental struggles, etc. With the aim of creating an anarcho-syndicalist federation in Ireland, to create a free and classless society based on workers control of both production and distribution for "need not profit".

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We have a large selection of propaganda on our organisation and its politics of anarcho-syndicalism. For a free sample of this all you need to do is forward us your name and address. We also produce a publication called "Rebel Worker".

Addresses of their regional groups: Contact the above address for details of regional groups.

SIPTU FIGHTBACK

Contact: 22 Melrose Avenue, Dublin 3

Phone/fax/E-mail number: None

Web: <http://flag.blackened.net/revolt/siptu.html>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Activists, including anarchists, inside Ireland's largest Trade Union.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce a bulletin which you can get from them for a donation.

Addresses of their regional groups: Contact the above address for list of local groups.

UNITED CAMPAIGN AGAINST PLASTIC BULLETS

92 Stewartstown Park, Belfast, BT11 9EN
Phone number: 01232-622854
Fax/E-mail/website: None

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: The complete ban on plastic bullets

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: As above - booklets costs £2 each plus p&p.

Addresses of their regional groups: Contact the above address for list of local groups.

WORKERS SOLIDARITY MOVEMENT

Contact: P.O. Box 1528, Dublin 8, Ireland
Phone number: None
Fax number: None
E-Mail address: wsm_ireland@geocities.com
Web: <http://flag.blackened.net/revolt/wsm.html>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Specifically: wages; union solidarity & recognition; abortion & equal rights for women; end of British presence in Ireland.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Workers Solidarity - £4 for 3 copies a year. Red & Black Revolution - £1.50 for one issue a year. Anarchism & Ireland - a pamphlet - £1 each. Other pamphlets - send for list.

Addresses of their regional groups: Mainly Dublin & Cork. Contact the above address for details of regional groups.

SCOTLAND

SCOTTISH ANARCHIST NETWORK

West of Scotland: c/o Box A, Fahrenheit 451, Virginia Galleries, 31/33 Virginia St, Glasgow, G1

East of Scotland: C/O A.C.E., 17 West Montgomery Place, Edinburgh, EH7 5HA
Phone/fax number: 0131-557-6242
E-mail address: san@punk.org.uk

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They are co-ordinating activity by anarchists and other anti-authoritarian revolutionaries in Scotland. They are involved in local struggles.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They have produced a free newsheet called "Solidarity". Send them a SAE for current leaflets etc.

Addresses of their regional groups: Contacts in Edinburgh, Glasgow, Dundee, Dunfermline, Aberdeen, etc.

WALES

CYMRU GOCH (WELSH SOCIALISTS)
P.O. Box 661, Wreccsam, Wales, LL11 1QU
Phone number: 01222 830 029

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: They campaign for a Welsh Socialist Republic through community control. At present the campaigns they are involved in are: Anti-Opencast Mining; opposing Welsh Water; Fighting for "pro-democracy" (as in smashing quangos & setting up a Welsh democratic Parliament).

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce a Welsh Socialist monthly magazine called "Y Faner Goch" (Red Flag), which is £6 for 12 issues. They also produce a pamphlet called "Extreme Democracy" - an introductory pamphlet to Welsh Socialists, which costs £1.50. Both available from the above address. Other Groups in the same area, Wales Against Opencast; Reclaim The Valleys; Welsh Water Rights Campaign; Friends Of Cardigan Bay.

Addresses of their regional groups: Contact the address above for a list of regional groups.

WELSH COMMUNITY RESISTANCE
Contact: P.O. Box 26, Caerffili, CF83 4YD
Phone number: 01222-830-029
Fax/E-mail: None
Website: <http://www.fanergoch.org>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Welsh water rights; Anti-opencast; Free, socialist Wales.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: Wales.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: "Y Faner Goch" is a monthly Welsh Socialist paper, mainly in English. £6 for 12 issues from P.O. Box 661, Wreccsam, LL11 1QU.

Addresses of their regional groups: Branches and individuals in all parts. Contact the above address for list of local groups.

National Networks

We have separated National Networks from National Groups. The reasoning behind this is that, national groups have a set of aims/principles which all of the local/regional groups agree to. Groups in the National Networks section are more loosely connected. They generally agree about what they believe in and what they are working towards, but do not have an agreed set of aims or principles they must abide by to be included in their network.

DIRECT ACTION NETWORK (DAN)
3 Crawley Road, London, N22 6AN
Phone number: 0181-889-1361
Fax/E-mail/website: None given

Insert written by editors.

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: DAN is a Direct Action group of people with disabilities and their supporters. Their main campaigning activity is for accessible public transport for ALL people., although they are also involved in other issues that affect people with disabilities.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: They have a network of groups and individuals around the UK. Contact them for the nearest group to you.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Not sure - contact them for details.

EARTH FIRST! (EF!)
c/o Cornerstone Resource Centre, 16 Sholebroke Avenue, Leeds, LS7 3HB
Phone number: 0113-262-9365
E-mail: actionupdate@gn.apc.org
Website: <http://www.k2net.co.uk/ef>

Earth First! is not a cohesive group or campaign, but a convenient banner for people who share similar philosophies to work under. The general principles behind the name are non-hierarchical organisation and the use of direct action to confront, stop and eventually reverse the forces that are responsible for the destruction of the Earth and its inhabitants. The Leeds address also produce "Earth First! Action Update", which is a monthly round-up of ecological direct action news & events in Britain. The Action Update also contacts a list of autonomous groups that consider themselves to share the above principles. You can get one issue of the "Action Update" free if you send a stamped addressed envelope. Year's subs (12 issues) costs £5.

Arun Valley EF!, c/o ! York Road, Littlehampton, West Sussex, 01903-721615
Bath EF!, c/o West Country Activist. 01249-713742

Blackburn EF!, 12 Balmoral Road, Darwen, Lancashire, BB3 2EW. 01254-777079
Bristol EF!, c/o Box 51, Greenleaf bookshop, 82 Colston St., Bristol, BS1 5BB. 0117-939-3093
Cambourne EF!, c/o Hartis Farm, Copper Hill, Troon, Cambourne, Cornwall
Cambridge EF!, Box E, 12 Mill Road, Cambridge
Cardiff EF!, c/o Green Group, Glamorgan, Uni SU, Pontypridd, Mid-Glamorgan, CF37 1DL
Cardigan Bay EF!, Temperence House, Taliesin, Powys, Mid-Wales
Chichester EF!, c/o P.O. Box 3058, Littlehampton, West Sussex, BN16 3LG
Exeter Env. Network, P.O. Box 185, Exeter, EX4 4EW

Fife EF!, c/o 91 South St., St. Andrews, Fife, KY16 9Q. 01334-477411.
The GalGael Trust, 3/2 Linthouse, Govan, Scotland, G51 4AD
Glasgow EF!, P.O. Box 180, Glasgow, G4 9AB
Guildford EF!, P.O. Box 217, Guildford, GU1 1WS. Fax 01438-203212
Gwendraeth valley EF!, Y Gymru Annibynnol, 24 Yr erw, Burry Port, Carmarthen, SA16 0DA
Gwynedd & Mon EF!, The Greenhouse, 1 Trevelyan Terrace, Bangor, Gwynedd, LL57 1AX. 01248-355821
Hereford EF!, Wern Derys, Michaelchurch Escley, Hereford, HR2 0JZ. 01981-510659
Hillfort EF!, 21 Tower Hill, Dilton Marsh, Westbury, Wiltshire, BA13 4DA. 01249-650078
Hull On Earth, c/o P.O. Box 33, Hull, HU1 1AA.
LEAF, Box Z, 13 Biddulph St., Leicester, LE2 1BH. 0116-255-3223
Leeds EF!, c/o Cornerstone Resource Centre, 16 Sholebroke Ave, Leeds, LS7 3HB. 0113-262-9365
Liverpool EF!, 96 Bold St., Liverpool L1

EARTH FIRST! (EF!) cont...

Lune EF!, c/o Bookcellar, Meeting House Lane, Lancaster, LA1 1TJ. 01524-849313
Manchester EF!, Dept. 29, ! Newton St., Manchester, M1 1HW. 0161-224-4846
Mid-Somerset EF!, P.O. Box 23, 5 High St., Glastonbury, Somerset, BA6 9PU
Norfolk EF!, The Greenhouse, 42/46 Bethel St., Norwich, NR2 1NR
Nottingham EF!, c/o Rainbow Centre, 182 Mansfield Road, Nottingham, NG1 3HW. 0115-958-5666
Oldham EF!, Dept. 110, 1 Newton St., Manchester, M1 1HW
Oxford EF!, Box E, 111 Magdalen Road, Oxford, OX4 1RQ
Reclaim the Valleys, c/o Environmental Centre, Pier St., Swansea, SA1 1RY
Reading Roadbusters, RIS Centre, 35/39 London St., Reading Berkshire. 0118-986-6362
Sheffield EF!, c/o Sheffin, 54 Uppertorpe Road, Sheffield, S6 3EB. 0114-263-4494
Southampton EF!, SUSU pigeonholes, Union Building, Southampton Uni., University Road, Southampton
South Devon EF!, Birdwood House, 44 High St., Totnes, Devon. 01626-363844
South Downs EF!, P.O. Box 2971, Brighton, BN2
Swansea People EF!, c/o Green Action, Swansea Uni SU, Swansea
Tyneside Action for People & Planet, Box ITA, Newcastle-Upon-Tyne, NE1 1TA
Uppernene EF!, Box E, 24 St. Michaela Ave, Northampton, NN1
Warwick EF!, c/o Green Society, Warwick Uni SU, Coventry, CV4 7AL
Wolves Eco Action, c/o Wolves Hunt Sabs, Wolves Uni, Wulfruna St., Wolverhampton
York EF!, c/o York LEAF, P.O. Box 323, York.

FREE INFORMATION NETWORK (FIN's)

FIN's are activists working locally to produce & distribute lists of useful free information. Although they are not groups, as such, individuals who produce FIN's are quite often involved in local activities and groups. Always enclose a stamped addressed envelope when asking for details from FIN's as they are normally financed out of the individuals own pockets.

Aberdeen FIN, 174 Deeside Gdns, Mannofield, Aberdeen, AB1 7PX.

Camfin, c/o Arjuna, 12 Mill Rd, Cambridge CB1 2AD.
Canterbury FIN, c/o 3 St. Alphege Lane, Canterbury, Kent, CT1 2EB. Tel 01227-463368.
Castle FIN, c/o 17 Moira Dale, Castle Donnington, DE74 2PG
Effin, Bob, c/o 87 Debden, Gloucester Road, Tottenham, London, N17
Fish FIN, c/o 1 Cottage Walk, West Bromwich, West Midlands, B70 6BL.
Free Information Network, (stall), 50 Claywood Drive, Sheffield, S2 2TU - info exchange stall.
Free infonet, Free Future Foundation, P.O. Box 9228, London, NW10 5WB
Glasgow FIN, C/O Fahrenheit 451, Unit 6, Virginia galleries, Virginia St., Glasgow, G1 1TU. They publish a bi-monthly news-sheet of coming events & actions.
Guilfin, P.O. Box 217, Guildford, Surrey, GU2 1WS. FINformation faxline 0181-483-203212. See also separate entry under "local groups" section of this directory.
Huckleberry FIN (Leeds & Bradford), c/o Green Action, P.O. Box 157, Leeds LS1 1UH.
Isis Bexhill FIN, 33a Western Rd, Bexhill on Sea, East Sussex, TN40 1DU.
Kebelian Voice, Bor 51, 82 Colston St, Bristol. Tel 0117-939-9469.
London FIN, c/o 99 Torriano Ave, London, NW5
Mersey FIN, P.O. Box 110, Liverpool, L69 8DP. See also separate entry under "local groups" section of this directory.
Mobile FIN, c/o P.O. Box 9384, London, SW9 7ZB. Tel 0585-620714.
Moorfin, 3 Church St., Calstock, Cornwall.
Never Never FIN, 8 Campbell Rd, Southsea, Hants.
Nottfin, Box FIN, 180 Mansfield Rd, Nottingham, NG1 3HW.
Ratfink, c/o Rising Sun, 30 Silver St, Reading, RG1 2ST.
Sheffin, 54 Uppertorpe Road, Sheffield, S6 3EB
WALEFIN, Box FIN, Penuwch Shop, Penuwch, Tregaron, Dyfed, Wales.
Walsall FIN, c/o 17 Newhall Hse, Newhall St., Caldmore, Walsall, WSI 3DY.
Waveney Injustice Network, P.O. Box 22, Lowestoft, Suffolk, NR33 8LA.
Wolfin, c/o Hunt Sabs Box H, UWSU, Wulfruna St., Wolverhampton.
York FIN, P.O. Box 323, York, YO1 1RR

Info on FIN's taken from summer 98 issue of Stonehenge Campaign newsletter.

GENETIC ENGINEERING NETWORK (GEN)

Contact: P.O. Box 9656, London, N4 4JY

Phone: 0181-374-9516

E-mail: genetics@gn.apc.org

Insert written by editors: Unfortunately we are not to sure what GEN does or where they are active. However, we do know that they produce a newsheet called "Genetix Update" which gives news on all the juicy issues of Genetic Engineering. Contact them for details about the update, local contacts & anything else you want to know.

GENETIX SNOWBALL

One World Centre, 6 Mount St., Manchester, M2 5NS

Phone: 0161-834-0295

Fax: 0161-834-8187

E-mail: genetixsnowball@oorangenet.co.uk

Insert written by editors: To the best of our knowledge Genetix Snowball is a growing movement of people, who are prepared to take Direct Action to remove genetically engineered crops. There have been many well publicised actions of people who have openly destroyed such crops. They hope to involve lots more people to take similar action throughout the country. If you want to get involved or to link up with others taking these actions contact the above address.

GROUNDSWELL

National Contact: Oxford Claimants Action Group, c/o East Oxford Community Centre, Princes Street, Oxford, OX4 1HU

Groundswell is a network of independent claimants and campaigning groups fighting the Jobseekers Allowance (JSA), the New Deal and other attacks on claimants. Groups publish information relevant to claimants trying to survive on the dole. Leaflets include "Signing on for the first time", "Claimants Survival Guide", "The Jobseekers Agreement", "Housing Benefit Survival Guide", as well as many others about benefits and how to get round the rules. Many of these groups have individual entries in the other sections of this directory. Where they have we have put a * next to the group.

* Advisory Service for Squatters, 2 St. Pauls Road, London, N1 2QN
* Birmingham Solidarity Group, 339 Dudley Road, Winston Green, Birmingham, B18 4HB
Brighton Against Benefit Cuts, PO Box 2356, Rottingdean, Brighton, BN2
* Brighton Claimants Action Group, c/o Prior House, 6 Tilbury Place, Brighton, BN2 2GY

* Bristle, Box 25, 82 Colston St., Bristol, BS1 5BB
Bristol Claimants, Box 77, Greenleaf Bookshop, 82 Colston Street, Bristol, BS1 5BB
CMLP, BM Box LEO, London, WCIN 3XX
* C. W. London, P.O. Box 467, London, E8 3QX
* Crossroads Women's Centre, PO Box 287, London, NW6 5QU
* Cymru Goch - Welsh Socialists, P.O. Box 661, Wrecsam, Wales, LL11 1QU
* Devenport Claimants Union, c/o DAPS, 69 Granby St., Devenport, Plymouth, PL1 4BJ
* Edinburgh Claimants, 17 West Montgomery Place, Edinburgh, EH7 5HA (see A.C.E.)
Exodus Collective, Long Meadow Community Farm, Chilton, Bedfordshire
* Fahrenheit 451, Virginia Galleries, Virginia St., Glasgow, G1 1TU
F.R.F.L., BM Box 5909, London, WCIN 3XX
Hackney Claimants, Colin Roach Centre, 56 Clarence Road, London, E5 8HB
* Haringey Solidarity Group, P.O. Box 2474, London, N8
* Hiddin Kulturz, 174 Deeside Gardens, Mannofield, Aberdeen, AB15 7PX
* Leeds Claimants Union, 158 Hyde Park Road, Leeds, LS6 1AG
* London Greenpeace, 5 Caledonian Road, London, N1 9DX
* Manchester Groundswell, Dept 99, 1 Newton St., Manchester, M1 1HW
* Merton Claimants Action Group, c/o Merton Unemployed Workers Centre, 88 High St, Colliers Wood, London, SW19 1BT
* Newham & District Claimants Union, Durning Hall, Earlam Grove, London, E7
* Nottingham Claimants Action, Box NCA, 180 Mansfield Road, Nottingham, NG1 3HH
* Oxford Claimants Action Group, See national Groundswell contact address
R.N.C.C., PO Box 14, Accrington, Lanca, BB5 1GG
* R.T.S., PO Box 9656, London, N4 4JY
Sheffield Claimants & Workers Resistance, PO Box 446, Sheffield, S3 8YG
* Solidarity Federation, P.O. Box 1681, London, N8 7DN (see entry under "Sol Fed")
Southwark Claimants Union, c/o SHIP, 612 Old Kent Road, London, SE15 1JB
Unemployed Action Group, The Old Mill, 30 Lime Street, Newcastle, NE1 2PQ
Wolfs Head Press, PO Box 77, Sunderland, SR1 1EB
Women Of The Waterfront, c/o T.G.W.U., Transport House, Islington, Liverpool, L3 8EQ

HUNT SABOTEURS ASSOCIATION (HSA)
HSA, P.O. Box 2786, Brighton, BN2 2AX
Phone/fax number: 01273-622827
E-mail: hsa@gn.arc.org
Web: <http://envirolink.org/ours/HSA/hsa.html>

Insert written by editors

The HSA has been in existence for over 30 years and is dedicated to saving the lives of hunted animals directly - including hunting, shooting and fishing. Hunt saboteurs use non-violent direct action to effectively prevent the horrific deaths of 1000's of hunted animals every year. For further info and details of your nearest group contact the national HSA office at the address above.

Regional groups: Dublin; Belfast; Borders; Edinburgh; Stirling; Strathclyde; Clydeside; Dundee; Cardiff; West Wales; Swansea; Newcastle; Bolton; Carlise; Cheshire; Darwen; Lancaster; Liverpool; Wigan; Manchester; Stoke-on-Trent; West Cumbria; Hull; Leeds; Sheffield; York; Pickering; Pocklington; Grimsby; Birmingham; Coventry; Wolverhampton (see separate entry in "local groups"); Derby; Leicester; Nottingham; Kettering; Peterborough; Kings Lynn; Norwich; Waverney; Essex & Suffolk; Colchester; Basildon; East London; North London; West London; Brixton; Chilterns; Oxford; Basingstoke; Reading; Three Shires; Bath; Bristol; Cornwall; Cotswolds; South Devon; South Dorset; Exeter; Pewsey Vale & Wilts; Plymouth; Isle of Wight; Bournemouth; Chichester; Fareham; Portsmouth; New Forest; Southampton; Ashford; Brighton; South Downs; Croydon; Guildford; Kingston; Tunbridge Wells; West Kent; Worthing; Dover.

INCAPACITY ACTION

65 Casimir Road, London, E5 9NU
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None we know of

Insert written by editors

Incapacity Action are a network of groups and individuals around the country who are fighting against the discrimination in the benefits system faced by those of us with disabilities. Their main focus of campaigning is Incapacity Benefit and the "all work test". The group is mainly made up of people with disabilities, but would welcome support from non-disabled people as well. They have a network of activists around the UK. They produce a regular newsletter. Contact them for details. They are always in need of financial help, and more people.

NATIONAL COALITION OF ANTI-DEPORTATION CAMPAIGNS (NCADC)
22 Berners Street, Birmingham, B19 2DR
Phone number: 0121-554-6947
Fax number: 0121-507-1567
E-mail: NCADC@ncadc.demon.co.uk
Website: <http://www.ncadc.demon.co.uk/>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We are opposed to all deportations and will support any individuals, families or groups resisting deportation. NCADC calls for the repeal of all immigration laws.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: We have a network of activists around the UK and anyone facing deportation will be put in contact with the nearest group or individuals to their area.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: They produce a regular newsletter. Contact them for details.

RADICAL ROUTES

28 Hampstead Rd, Hockley, Birmingham, B19 1DB
Phone: 0121-551-1132
E-mail: radical@globalnet.co.uk

Insert written by editors

Radical Routes is an independent network of radical workers and housing co-operatives. It aims to promote mutual aid, people taking control over their own lives and social change. Radical Routes runs an ethical investment scheme to finance loans for member co-ops. They have a network of groups throughout the country, although the majority are in the Midlands, Wales and Southern England. They publish a number of leaflets/pamphlets. We know of "how to set up a workers co-op" and "how to set up a housing co-op" - both £5 each. Contact them for other literature.

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Anarchist Distribution Service, P.O. Box 446, Sheffield, S3 8YG.
Please return the form on the back page to **Haringey Solidarity Group, P. O. Box 2474, London, N8**

RECLAIM THE STREETS (LONDON)
Contact: P.O. Box 9656, London, N4
Phone & Fax number: 0171-281-4621
E-mail: rts@gn.apc.org
Website: <http://www.gn.apc.org/rts/>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Direct Action network seeking the rediscovery & liberation of the city streets and public spaces, whether by challenging the car system, subverting billboards, sabotaging surveillance cameras, or organising alongside striking workers. RTS aims to help catalyse basic social change.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: London, although there are autonomous groups organising RTS actions across the UK and increasingly around the world.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: We have basic information on RTS; Agitprop; irregular mailouts. Address as above & donations welcome.

Note: To get involved in RTS actions in your area contact the London address for your nearest group.

THE LAND IS OURS (TLIO)
Box E, 111 Magdalen Road, Oxford, OX4 1RQ
Phone number: 01865-722016
Fax: None
E-mail: office@tlia.demon.co.uk
Website: <http://www.oneworld.org/tlio/>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: TLIO is a land rights movement, campaigning peacefully for access to the land, its resources, and the decision making processes affecting them, for everyone. We are also networking activists across the country.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: We are a national organisation with local groups throughout the country. Contact the above address for the nearest group to you.

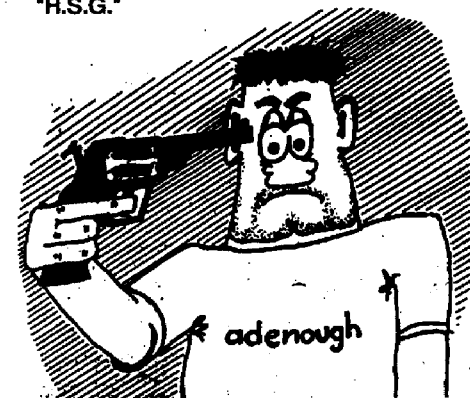
Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Contact above address for a copy of our publications list. Also: quarterly newsletter - free/donations; quarterly magazine "Land Essays" - £1.50 each or £5 for years subscription.

CASH NEEDED

As we are not quite in a world where we can exchange good, services, skills and time freely between ourselves, we are on the scrounge for money.

We are producing 2,000 copies of this directory, and are hoping to post it out to all the groups and individuals, in an attempt to promote greater co-operation and links between us all. We also hope to distribute it to places where those not "in the know" about what we/you do - ie. bookshops, newspapers, anywhere in fact.

However, this costs money. In fact we reckon it will eventually come to about a grand. Some of this will come from donations etc, but the rest will come out of the pockets of three of us. On top of that we need to raise funds to produce the next issue in 1999 (and 2000, 2001.....).



Useful Websites addresses

There are a large number of anarchist, libertarian and non-aligned groups and individuals with web sites, most linked to each other. Below are a few places to start to see what is out there on the World Wide Web - if you have the technology, finance and inclination. A decent number of the groups, centres and magazines listed in this directory also have their own websites which you could visit. Again most of these will have links to other sites they think are of interest. Those listed below are sites which are not connected to groups etc, but are solely there as internet websites to spread information to other web users. Some like Spunk Press you can get involved with - try contacting any of them if the inclination takes your fancy. At best they will welcome any help - at worst they would love to hear from you. Lastly, if you haven't been on the internet yet - beware. You can run up a bloody large phone bill and there is also a lot of crap out there - a lot of it claiming to be anarchist. Try typing in "anarchist" or "libertarian" in the "look for" space and see what rubbish they give you.

THE ANARCHIST ORGANISATION

Address: <http://www.tao.ca>

A beautiful site which includes @-infos anarchist news mailing list archive.

ANARCHIST ARCHIVES

Address: http://www.pitzer.edu/~dward/Anarchist_Archives/archivehome.html

Contains all the classics

THE ANARCHIST FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Address: <http://flag.blackened.net/intanark/faq/>

As well as answering your questions and also answering the ones you may not have even of thought of yet, it also has a huge list of links to other good sites.

ENVIROLINK

Address: <http://www.envirolink.org/>

One of the best environmental sites we have found and a good place to start for links to other similar sites.

SPUNK PRESS/ARCHIVE

Address: <http://www.spunk.org>

This site is a huge library of anarchist books, etc. The library is maintained by an international collective of individuals who believe it's important to have these publications freely available. You can "download" any of the books on their site for free.

URBAN 75

Address: <http://www.urban75.com/main.html>

In their words: "Urban 75 is one of the UK's busiest underground websites featuring direct action, rave, drugs info, unpublished stories, photos, rants and more". Last time we looked it also had loads of useful contacts both on the web and normal old postal addresses as well.

Autonomous Centres

Listed below are all the autonomous centres within Britain and Ireland we know of. Where centres have also given a description of themselves, as a local group, they are also listed separately in the "local groups" section.

1 IN 12 CLUB

21/23 Albion St., Bradford, West Yorkshire, BD1

Phone number: 01274-734160

E-mail: 1in12@legend.co.uk

Website: <http://www.legend.otg.uk/~1in12>

Anarchist collective running social club, venue, library, bar and cafe. Their main "political" campaign over the last year has been around CCTV. They organise a weeks events around May Day in Bradford. Main priority & objectives of the club are to promote and sustain all activities based on mutual aid, co-operation & solidarity. Also produce a magazine called KDIS (Knee Deep In Shit).

121 CENTRE

121 Railton Rd, Brixton, London, SE24 OLR.

Phone number: 0171-274-6655.

Wed to Sat 1pm to 5pm. Bookshop, cafe.

56A INFOSHOP

56 Crampton St., Walworth, London, SE17.

Open Mon/ Thurs/ Fri 3-7pm. Publications, records, archives, tea & action.

ANARCHIST TEAPOT COLLECTIVE

c/o Bax B, Public House Bookshop, 21 Little Preston St., Brighton, Sussex.

E-mail: teapot@brighton.co.uk

Squat for reading, drinking tea & creating anarchy.

AUTONOMOUS CENTRE OF EDINBURGH

17 West Montgomery Place, Edinburgh, EH7 5HA

Phone number: 0131-557-6242

Claimants struggles & struggles for social justice. Resource centre & info shop. Base for the "Youth Solidarity Group" and "Edinburgh Animal Rights". Open Tues 12 - 4pm, Wed & Sun 2 - 6pm. Internet access.

BATTLEBRIDGE CENTRE

2-6 Battlebridge Rd, London, NW11 2TZ.

Phone number: 0171-278-7172.

Agenda 21, ethical trading, veggie cafe, gardens, displays, big space etc.

CORNERSTONE RESOURCE CENTRE

16 Sholebroke Ave, Chapletown, Leeds, LS7 3HB

Phone number: None we know of

Editors note: We don't know much about this centre - contact them for more details.

FAHRENHEIT 451

Virginia Galleries, Virginia St, Glasgow, G1
Glasgow collective bookshop, stalls, vegan food.

KEBELE KULTURE PROJEKT

14, Robertson Rd, Eastville, Bristol, BS5 5JY.

Phone number: 0117-939-9469.

E-mail: kebele@mailexcite

Vegan cafe Thu & Sat. Community and campaigning space, squat info, library. They support collective, non-profit making activities and DIY culture. They also run talks, videos and distribute info.

RAINBOW CENTRE

180-182 Mansfield Rd, Nottingham NG1 3HW.

Phone number: 0115-958-5666.

Open Mon to Sat 10am-5pm. Library, shop, recycling, videos, exhibitions, speakers. Provides resources for local groups and individuals campaigning for human and animal rights, the environment, peace and co-operation world wide. It works independantly of, but in co-operation with, other groups both locally and nationally. They have a wide range of facilities available to both individual users and affiliated groups.

RISING SUN INSTITUTE

30 Silver St, Reading, RG1 2ST.

Phone number: 01734-866788.

Arts centre, veggie cafe, recording studio, food co-op.

TEMPORARY RESISTANCE CAMPS

There are several "temporary resistance camps" where people are stopping anti social developments such as roads, quarries, supermarkets, etc - or opposing weapons manufacture/military bases. They need people, money and resources to keep the sites going strong. These camps change too often for us to list here but an updated monthly list is published in "Earth First! Action Update" (from Leeds EF! - 0113-262-9365). There were 17 such camps listed in the Sept 1998 issue.

Distribution Services

ACTIVE DISTRIBUTION

Contact: **B.M. Active, London, WC1N 3XX**
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

Active distribution have a catalogue of the merchandise they sell and do occasional stalls at events. For more information contact the above address (editors description).

ANARCHIST DISTRIBUTION SERVICE

Contact: **P.O. Box 446, Sheffield, S3 8YG**
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

We are a distribution service for class struggle anarchist groups & individuals. We aim to be monthly, but at times this slips. Our aim is to promote information sharing and networking between groups & individuals. We will distribute flyers, leaflets, newsletters, and small pamphlets. Based in Sheffield, but we send stuff throughout Britain and Ireland. To distribute via ADS send 120 copies and a donation (£5). To receive mailouts send your name and address and a donation in stamps.

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P.O. Box 12766, Edinburgh, EH8 9YE
Phone number: 0131-555-5165
Fax number: 0131-555-5215
E-mail: general info - ak@akedin.demon.co.uk
orders - order@akedin.demon.co.uk
catalogues - catalogue@akedin.demon.co.uk
website: <http://www.obsolete.com/ak/>

They publish and distribute 100's (or probably 1000's) of anarchist and other radical books, mags & pamphlets. Based in Edinburgh but will distribute anywhere in the world. Contact them for an up to date catalogue pack full of interesting reading stuff, or get this from their website listed above. Probably the largest selection of alternative literature anywhere.

A. DISTRIBUTION /REBEL PRESS/ SPECTACULAR TIMES

84b Whitechapel High St, London, E1 7QX
E-mail: m.peacock@unl.ac.uk
Website: freespace.virgin.net/anarchist.bookfair/adistrib.htm

They publish and distribute anarchist and situationist books. Based in London but will distribute anywhere in the world. Contact them for titles they have and distribute.

FREEDOM PRESS

84b Whitechapel High St, London, E1 7QX
Phone number: 0171-247-9249

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: In their words "Anarchism". Based in London but will distribute any where in the world. They produce two periodicals of their own, have about 70 books they have published and 100's more they distribute. For a free booklist and copy of their periodical "Freedom" contact them.

INK

Contact: **87 Kirkstall Road, London, SW2 4HE**
Phone number: 0181-671-7920
E-Mail address: ink@pro-net.co.uk
Website address: <http://www.ink.uk.com>

They are an umbrella group for radical magazines. They were set up by many of the UK's best known alternative publications. They have 150 retail outlets selling these publications and hope to raise this to 500. They will send concerned journalists in the mainstream media regular brief summaries of articles in INK titles. They distribute nationally. If you send a stamped addressed envelope they will send you a list of titles they have.

Bookshops around the Country

BLACKCURRENT BOOKS

4 Allen Road, Northampton
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None given
Open: Unsure

COMPENDIUM

234 Camden High Street, London, NW1 8QS
Phone number: 0171-485-8944
Fax/E-mail/website: None given
Open: Mon-Sat 10am to 6pm. Sunday 12 to 6pm

FAHRENHEIT 451

Virginia Galleries, Virginia St, Glasgow, G1
Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None given
Open: Monday to Saturday 10am to 5pm

FREEDOM BOOKSHOP

84b Whitechapel High St, London, E1 7QX
Phone number: 0171-247-9249
Fax & E-mail number: None
See also their entry under "Distribution Services" in this directory.

FRONTLINE BOOKS

1 Newton St, Piccadilly, Manchester, M1 1HW
Phone number: 0161-236-1101
Fax number: 0161-236-1103
Open: Mon-Sat 10am to 6pm. Sunday 11am to 4pm

GREENLEAF

82 Colston Street, Bristol, BS1 5BB
Phone number: 0117-921-1369
Fax/E-mail/website: None given
Open: Mon-Fri 9.30am to 5.30pm. Sat 10am to 5pm

HOUSEMANS

5 Caledonian Road, London, N1 9DX
Phone number: 0171-837-4473
Open: Monday to Saturday 10am to 6.30pm

LITTLETHORN

13 Biddulph Street, Leicester, LE2 1BH
Phone number: 0116-254-5728
Open: Mon-Thu 9.30-5pm. Fri 9.30-6. Sat 10-5pm

MUSHROOM BOOKS

10/12 Heathcote Street, Nottingham, NG1 3AA
Phone number: 0115-958-2506
Open: Monday to Saturday 10am to 6pm

NEW BEACON

76 Stroud Green Road, London, N4 3EN
Open: Monday to Saturday 10.30am to 6pm

NEWS FROM NOWHERE

96 Bold Street, Liverpool, L1 4HY
Phone number: 0151-708-7270
Open: Times not given.

OCTOBER BOOKS

4 Onslow Road, Southampton, SO2 0JB
Phone number: 01703-224489
Fax number: 01703-223916
Open: Monday to Saturday 9am to 6pm

WORDPOWER

43 West Nicholson Street, Edinburgh, EH8 4DB
Phone number: 0131-662-9112
Open: Mon-Fri 10am to 6pm. Sat 10.30am to 6pm
Most info taken from 1998 AK Distribution Catalogue.

The following centres also sell books and pamphlets, or have a library. For details about these either see the "centres" section or "local groups" section.

1 IN 12 CLUB - Bradford
56A INFO SHOP - London
121 CENTRE - London
ANARCHIST TEAPOT - Brighton
AUTONOMOUS CENTRE OF EDINBURGH
KEBELE - Bristol
RAINBOW CENTRE - Nottingham

Magazines & Periodicals

These are basically magazines or periodicals that are entities in their own right. Where a publication is a voice of a specific group it is listed under that group.

We have tried, where we know, to list the current price of these magazines and/or periodicals. However prices change, so it may be worth contacting the group first for up to date prices. Most of the autonomous bookshops listed and some distros should also stock them. We have tried to get the people involved to give a brief description of their publication. Where they have not done this we have given a summary - and have stated it's our description. Most of these publications would very much welcome others to get involved with helping out, writing articles, distribution, etc. Contact them if you want to get involved - don't just consume the information. For a more detailed selection of magazines, periodicals, books etc, contact A.K. Distribution - see "Distros" section of this directory.

ANIMAL

P.O. Box 467, London, E8 3QX

Phone number: 0956-506946

E-Mail address: animal_magazine@hotmail.com

Brief summary: They report on the politics of animal rights (eg campaigns like Hillgrove Farm), theoretical and popular approaches to everybody's liberation, class struggle, football, crime, political organisation, etc. They report on news from everywhere, and have contacts throughout the UK, although the editorial group is in Nottingham & London.

Up to Sept 98 they have brought out 3 issues. Cost per issue £1.20 in stamps or a blank postal order. 5 issue subs = £5, and supporting subs = £10.

AUFHEBEN

P.O. Box 2971, Brighton, BN2 2TT

Phone/fax number: None

Website: http://jefferson.village.virginia.EDU/~spoons/aut_html/aufedit.htm

Agitator's description: Occasional magazine with detailed and in depth articles (editors view). £2 per issue, or £5 subscription for 3 issues.

BLACK FLAG

Contact: B.M. Hurricane, London, WC1N 3XX

Phone/fax/website: None

E-mail: black_flag@qnet.org.uk

Agitator's description: One of the better known anarchist periodicals. Not connected to any anarchist group, although has an anarcho-sindicalist slant. It covers info about anarchist resistance throughout the

world. Has a lot of short bits of news as well as longer articles. £1.50 per issue or £6 subs for 4 issues.

BRISTLE

Box 25, 82 Colston Street, Bristol, BS1 5BB

Phone/fax/E-mail: None

Brief summary: Various local issues - environmental, council arrogance, police arrogance, bigotry. We're happy working with various groups - Earth First!, AFA, Movement Against the Monarchy, RTS, Class War, etc. Anarchist/libertarian communist grouping of people. For a copy write to the above address. Some money towards postage and photocopying would be nice, especially if you're rich.

CASTORS, COPS AND CHAOS!

Box B, 21 Little Preston St., Brighton, BN1 2HQ

Phone, etc: See "Anarchist Teapot"

Agitator's description: This is not exactly a newsheet. In fact it's a leaflet, but a very good one. In their words "In March 1998 a number of us who are involved in the ecological, anarhist, and anti-nuclear direct action movements in the UK travelled to Ahaus, Germany to take part in the resistance to the transportation of nuclear waste. After our return a number of us wrote this leaflet; and its primary aim is to inform people and provoke thoughts on the events at Ahaus. With its publication we hope to continue to play a small part in helping to increase the effectiveness of our actions and campaigns here in the UK - whether of an anti-nuclear focus or not." They ask for donations to cover the cost - cq's to "Earth First!"

CAMPAIGN AGAINST RACISM & FASCISM

BM Box 8784, London, WC1N 3XX

Phone number: 0171-837-1450

E-Mail address: info@carf.demon.co.uk

Website: <http://www.carf.demon.co.uk>

Brief summary: It's a magazine against racism & fascism - especially miscarriages of justice; black prisoners; immigration; detainees; asylum; racial violence; police racism; fascist politics; etc. Subscriptions are £7.50 a year (6 issues) or send a stamped addressed envelope for a free sample.

COMMON SENSE

c/o Werner Bonefeld, Dept. of Politics, University

of York, Heslington, York, YO1 5DD

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None given

Agitator's description: "Journal of the Edinburgh Conference of Socialist Economists". A journal of & for social revolutionary theory and practice, ideas and politics. Our project is class analysis and we aim to provide a platform for critical debates. From the poll tax rebellion, to the Zapatista uprising, to resistance by women workers in Malaysian high-tec factories. Generally an autonomist approach. Around 100 pages (A5), for £3.95 plus postage. UK annual subs for two issues = £8 (£5 reduced).

ContraFLOW

56A infoshop, 56 Crampton St., London, SE17

Phone/fax: None

E-mail: contraflow-london@omega.berlin-net.de

Website: <http://www.gn.apc.org/gridlock>

Agitator's description: We are not actually sure if ContraFLOW is still going or not as we haven't seen an issue for some time. Hopefully it will appear soon. It's a free newsheet distributed mainly around London, although it covers issues from the rest of the UK and world wide. Also has list of events and contacts.

CORPORATE WATCH

Box E, 111 Magdalen Road, Oxford, OX4 1RQ

Phone number: 01865-791391

E-Mail: mail@corporatewatch.i-way.co.uk

Website: <http://www.oneworld.org/cw>

Brief summary: Corporate Watch exists to highlight the social & environmental consequences of corporate power. In our work we attempt to document the growing influence of Trans National Companies

(TNC's) & accompanying evils, to empower the growing movement against corporate rule, and ultimately to support the emergence of a sane democratic economy. So far Corporate Watch has provided support for campaigns against genetic engineering, the oil industry, and many more. If you're campaigning against a large industry give us a call. They also run the Corporate Information Network, which aims to facilitate a broad network of campaigners & researchers. Quarterly mag and yearly subs are £12 waged, £10 unwaged. Single issues - £3 waged/£2 unwaged. Back issues 1 - 4 are £1.50/£1; 5 - 6 are £3/£2.

COUNTER INFORMATION

c/o Transmission, 28 King St, Glasgow, G1 5QP

Phone number: 0131-557-6242

E-Mail address: counterinfo@punk.org.uk

Website: <http://www.punk.org.uk/counterinfo/>

Brief summary: It's a news-sheet reporting on struggles for social justice world wide. They are for grass roots collective direct action leading to revolutionary change. 13,000 copies of each issue of C.I. are distributed world wide. Distribution of C.I. in North of England is handled by "C.I., P.O. Box HP171, Leeds, LS6 1XX". It's produced 2 - 3 times a year. Contact them to be put on their mailing list. Bulk orders for local distribution are very welcome. Free, but donations helpful.

COUNTERPOISE

c/o Chris Atton, Napier University, Craighouse,

Edinburgh, EH10 5LT

Phone/fax number: None

E-Mail address: c.atton@napier.ac.uk

Brief summary: It promotes the alternative press in libraries and opposes censorship. Send your alternative/radical publications from the UK to our Edinburgh address for review. "Counterpoise" quarterly review journal of alternative & radical publications is available from Charles Willett, 1716, S.W. Williston Road, Gainesville, FL32608-4049, U.S.A.

DO OR DIE!

Do or Die editorial collective, c/o SDEFI, P.O. Box

2971, Brighton, East Sussex, BN2 2TT

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: Check out Earth First!

Brief summary: "Do or Die - voices from Earth First!", is a 160+ page journal with reports, analysis and debates of environmental and social struggles world wide. Four issue subs are £8 UK or £10 elsewhere. Single issues £2/£2.50.

ECHANGES

Exchanges. BP 241, 75866 Paris, Cedex 18, France

Agitator's description: Reports, analysis and debate on class struggle world wide. In English, but only postal address we have is in France (although we think there is an address in the UK). They also produce & distribute various pamphlets. 80+ pages (A5). Subs - £7 for 4 issues, inc pamphlets during that period.

EUSKAL NEWS

Box 50, 82 Colston Street, Bristol, BS1 5BB

Phone number: 0117-939-3093

E-Mail address: kebele@mailexcite

Brief summary: We provide information about the Basque conflict, the repression and resistance. We can give info about the Basque Nationalist Movement, but we try to do it from an autonomous perspective. No details of prices, issue dates, etc, given - editors.

FESTIVAL EYE

Contact: B.M. 2002, London WC1N 3XX

Agitator's description: Festival Eye comes out once a year. Initially it was there to promote & report on free festivals. However because of the Criminal Justice Act, free festivals went more underground and Festival Eye's free festival list suffered. However, they still report on the festival scene but now also report on eco events/actions and other issues - eg. McLibel, RTS, etc. Probably loads more but we haven't seen the 98 issue. Send A4 SAE plus £2 for the 98 issue.

FREEDOM

84b Whitechapel High St., London, E1 7QX

Agitator's description: Anarchist quarterly magazine with long articles. Haven't seen a copy for a while so not sure about the price - contact them for details.

GUILFIN

P.O. Box 217, Woodbridge Meadows, Guildford, Surrey, GU1 1WS

Phone number: 01483 203245

Fax number: 01438 203212

E-Mail address: guilfin@quarks

Web address: http://www.quarks.co.uk/guilfin

Brief summary: We are against (and report on) injustice, covering environmental issues, human rights, animal rights, non-violent direct action, and encouraging DIY culture. Cover the South East and beyond! GUILFIN is a monthly publication and costs £5 for an annual subscription, from address above.

HERE AND NOW

P.O. Box 109, Leeds, LS5 3AA

Phone/fax/E-mail/Website: Unknown

Agitator's description: Irregular/annual magazine. The current issue can be ordered from the address above, although back issues should be ordered from them c/o Transmission, 28 King St, Glasgow, G1 5QP

THE LAW

P.O. Box 3878, London, SW12 9ZE

Phone/fax: 0181-673-0062

E-mail/Website: Unknown

Agitator's description: In their words "The paper is for anyone with an interest in the law. It's purpose - apart from bringing about a world utopia - is to provide an interesting, sometimes humorous read, and a contrast to the rest of the legal press." Normally have articles on miscarriages of justice, changes to the law, etc - long articles & short snippets. Subs per year £4.

LIB ED

Contact: 157 Wells Road, Bristol, BS4 2BU

Phone/fax: None

E-mail: editors@libed.demon.co.uk

Website: http://www.libed.demon.co.uk (up soon)

Brief summary: Lib Ed examines positive alternatives to the present authoritarian system of education and how we can change what it is into what it might be. For a sample copy send a large (A4) stamped addressed envelope to above address.

LOBSTER (Robin Ramsey)

214 Westbourne Avenue, Hull, HU5 3JB

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None

Agitator's description: Lobster is an investigative research magazine into the secret state (MI5, MI6, CIA, etc), the far right, and lots more. Comes out twice a year (June & December), & a yearly subscription is £5 (inc p&p). Cheques payable to "lobster".

MELANCHOLIC TROGLODYTES

Box Mt, 121 Railton Road, London, SE24

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: None we know of

Agitator's description: Not sure how best to describe this as we could not get on with it too well. The issue we saw (issue 2) had articles on: Afghanistan; a critique on circumcision; a critique on the Nation of Islam; a thesis on torture & punishment, etc. In English & Arabic (I think). Seems to have a lot of dodgy or maybe positive graphics (depending on your views). No idea about cost - contact them.

RED SOUTH WEST

1 Blake Place, Bridgewater, Somerset, TA6 5AU

Phone/fax/E-mail/Website: None

Brief summary: After the demise of the Somerset Community Defence Campaign (SCDC) and their magazine The Somerset Clarion, Red South West was set up to try and keep going the campaigning, and networking of the Clarion & SCDC on a South West basis. Our main support is Bristol, Bridgewater, Exeter and Plymouth at present. We are socialists, anarchists and syndicalists. The magazine is about 12 pages and issue 2 is out in September. You can get a free copy if you send a stamped addressed envelope.

SCHNEWS

P.O. Box 2600, Brighton, East Sussex, BN12 2DX

Phone number: 01273 685913

E-Mail address: schnews@brighton.co.uk

Web: http://www.cbuzz.co.uk/SchNEWS/

Brief summary: This is a free weekly newsheet produced by Justice? in Brighton. We will mail out copies anywhere but ask for stamps to pay for the copying and postage. It covers a very wide range of issues and gives info you won't find on a regular basis anywhere else. For more info see the entry under "JUSTICE?" in "local group" section of this directory.

SMASH HITS

Contact: BM Box 5538, London, WC1N 3XX

Phone/fax/E-mail/website number: None

Agitator's description: Issue 3 out about October 98. An open access magazine for the discussion of revolutionary ideas. Smash Hits aims to be open, honest and non-sectarian. For more detail see the entry under London MayDay Group in "local group" section. Costs - £1 per issue. Cq's to "T. Beasley".

SUBVERSIVE SISTERS MAGAZINE

c/o 34 Byrom Street, Todmorden, West

Yorkshire, OL14 5HS

Phone/E-Mail/website: None

Fax number: 01706-812663

Agitator's description: We are a women only collective who produce a quarterly chaotic, magazine for radical feminists in the North of England & beyond. We also sometimes focus on related issues like veganism, racism & disableism. We're in the process of re-starting the magazine after a 2 year break and so are looking for women to get involved (no experi-

ence necessary, just a sense of humour!). We'd be particularly interested to hear from black women and women with disabilities. We also welcome contributions, listings, news clippings, etc. We mainly cover the North West/West Yorkshire region, but we also manage to reach Scotland, Ireland, London & even abroad. Single copies 70p (£1.40 for men) plus 25p p&p. Subs - £4 for 4 issues (£8 for men). International subs £7.50. Back copies 75p (inc p&p) each. Subversive Sisters is also available on tape.

VARIANT

Contact: P.O. Box 1269, Glasgow, G3 6QA

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: Unknown

Agitator's description: Quarterly radical arts (A2) newspaper. Send them an extra large stamped addressed envelope for a copy.

WORKING CLASS TIMES

Contact: P.O. Box 1076, Bristol, BS99 1WF

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: Unknown

Agitator's description: We have only seen issue 1 - not sure if there are more. It's 2 sides of A3. We have taken an excerpt from the paper to describe it "Middle Class people have all the say. Control of everything is in their hands, not those of non-existent phantoms like "The Ruling Class". It is certain that we can free ourselves, that we can beat the middle class. We have the strength and the ability to do it. But recognition of the real enemy is the essential first step. If we don't know precisely who our enemy is, we stand no chance of defeating them." Contact them for details. We think this is linked to the "Splat Collective".

WEST COUNTRY ACTIVIST

Contact: P.O. Box 426, Bath, BA1 2ZD

Phone/fax/website: Unknown

E-mail: WCA@conk.com

Agitator's description: This is a free sheet (issue 7 is A4 double sided) produced by activists in the West Country to give information to local people in the area. There are about 20 groups involved from hunt Sabs, to anarchist groups, to environmental groups all linking up and seeming to work together - yes! Issue 7 had articles on the West Country Activist gathering, Whatley Quarry, reclaim Europe, Gandalf and local news roundup. Similar in format to "Schnews". To subscribe sent them 10 x 2nd class stamps for 5 issues. Bi-monthly - we think.

Miscellaneous

ANARCHIST BOOKFAIR

84b Whitechapel High Street, London, E1

Phone: 0181-533-6936

E-mail: m.peacock@unl.ac.uk

Web: <http://freespace.virgin.net/anarchist.bookfair>

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: We organise the annual Anarchist Bookfair, which takes place in London each October. It's the largest gathering of anarchists and anarchist groups to take place in the UK. The bookfair aims to act as a meeting place for everyone interested in anarchist ideas.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: National & International.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Details of the bookfair are available from us/our website (address above) and other anarchist groups.

ANARCHIST YEARBOOK

c/o Phoenix Press, P.O. Box 824, London, N1 9DL

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None to our knowledge*

Editors description: Phoenix Press compiles the Anarchist Yearbook, which includes anarchist organisations, distros, periodicals and new titles. Phoenix Press also publishes other anarchist pamphlets and books.

CRITICAL MASS

Contact: *None*

Website: <http://www.ipg.umds.ac.uk/a.d.smith/CM/>

Phone/fax/E-mail: *None*

What the Group does, or campaigns they are involved in: Cyclists meet once a month at a prearranged spot and move off together. Numbers can range from 5 to 500 cyclists. The aim is for radical cyclists to meet up, to transform the nature of the street through direct action, and to bring issues af-

fecting cyclists and issues of car use/public transport/the environment, to the public's attention. There are no leaders of Critical Mass and individuals at the event decide where that month's cycle ride will go.

Parts of the Country the group cover, or where they are active: There are Critical Mass events throughout this country and the world. Contact your local activists, cycle shop, or radical cyclists for details of one near you. Or, start one in your area.

Leaflets or Magazines you can get from them: Some local groups produce flyers and stickers - available locally. (*entry written by editors*).

HAVEN DISTRIBUTION

BM Haven, London, WC1N 3XX

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None*

Editors description: Haven Distribution provide free radical & revolutionary, class struggle and alternative books, pamphlets, magazines and more, to prisoners they support. They welcome books to send to prisoners. They will send books, etc to prisoners anywhere in the UK. Contact them for more details about themselves and how you can help out.

KATE SHARPLEY LIBRARY

B.M. Hurricane, London, WC1N 3XX

Phone/fax/E-mail/website: *None to our knowledge*

What the group do: The library comprises thousands of pamphlets, books, newspapers, journals, posters, flyers, unpublished manuscripts, monographs, tapes and videos in over 20 languages, covering the history of our movement over the last century. It is the largest collection of anarchist material in England. Visitors are welcome. A database of our holdings will soon be available (!!). Please write to us if you would like a copy. We welcome all donations and will collect. We hope soon to publish regular second hand catalogues of our duplicates. Please write if interested

Groups, Networks, Centres & Bookshops listed Geographically

Below we have listed, as far as possible, all the groups, bookshops and centres we can in regions. We accept that we may have put the odd group in the wrong region (sorry). We have not included here the Hunt Sab groups or the free Information Networks. For details of these see their separate entry or get in touch with the national contact direct.

IRELAND

AFA Ireland
Anti-Racism Campaign
Dublin Abortion Rights Group
Immigrant Solidarity
Irish Mexico Group
Mid-West Against Racism
Organise! - IWA
SIPTU Fightback
United Campaign Against Plastic Bullets
Warzone Collective
Workers Solidarity Movement

LONDON

5th May Group
56A Infoshop
121 Bookshop & Centre
Action Against Injustice
Advisory Service for Squatters
Anarchist Nihilist Accords
Anarchist Study Project
Anarquist
Animal Liberation Front Supporters Group
Association of Autonomous Astronauts
Battlebridge Centre
Between The Lines
Brighton Anarchist Black Cross
Campaign Against the Arms Trade
Campaign Against Child Support Act
Compendium Bookshop
Direct Action Network (DAN)
Earth Liberation Prisoners
Food Not Bombs
Freedom Bookshop
Freedom Network
Genetic Engineering Network (GEN)
Hackney Claimants
Hammersmith Unemployed Workers Centre
Haringey Solidarity Group
Homeless Information Project

Housemans Bookshop
Incapacity Action
Legal Defence & Monitoring Group
Lesbian Avengers
London AFA
London Anarchist Black Cross
London ACF
London Anarchist Forum
London Class War
London Greenpeace
London Mayday Group / Smash Hits
Merton Claimants Action Group
Movement Against the Monarchy
New Beacon Bookshop
Newham & District Claimants' Union
No Opencast
North & East London SOL FED
Older Feminist Network
Older Lesbian Network
Reclaim The Streets
Red & Black Club
Sexual Freedom Coalition
Small World Media
South East London Sol Fed
Southwark Claimants Union
Stonehenge campaign
Values & Visions
West London Anarchists & Radicals
Women's Action Group

NORTH EAST ENGLAND

Bradford 1 in 12 Club
Chester-le-Street Sol Fed
Conviction
Cornerstone Resource Centre
Doncaster Class War
Leeds Anarchist Black Cross
Leeds Anarchist Group
Leeds Claimants Union
Leeds Earth First!
Hull On Earth (EF! group)

Hull Syndicalists
 Middlesborough Sol Fed
 Newcastle Anarchist Black Cross
 Newcastle ACF
 North East AFA
 Preston AFA
 Preston Class War
 Preston Sol Fed
 Sheffield AFA
 Sheffield Anarchist Black Cross
 Sheffield Anarchist Group
 Sheffield Claimants & Workers Resistance
 Sheffield Earth First!
 Sheffield Sol Fed
 Subversive Sister
 Tyneside Action for People & Planet (EF! group)
 Tyneside Anarchist Group
 Unemployed Action Group
 West Yorkshire Class War
 Wolfs Head Press
 York Earth First!

NORTH WEST ENGLAND

Blackburn Earth First!
 Bolton AFA
 Frontline Bookshop
 Genetix Snowball
 Groundswell - Manchester
 Huddersfield Anarchist Black Cross
 Innocent
 Lancaster AFA
 Lancaster Anarchist Group
 Lune Earth First!
 Liberation
 Liverpool AFA
 Liverpool Anarchists
 Liverpool Earth First!
 Liverpool Sol Fed
 Manchester AFA
 Manchester Class War
 Manchester Earth First!
 Manchester Sol Fed
 Merseyside Alliance Against CIA
 MerseyFIN
 Merseyside ACF
 News From Nowhere Bookshop
 Oldham Anarchists
 Oldham Earth First!
 Subversion
 Underground Power (Young people's liberation movement)
 Merseyside Ploughshares

West Yorkshire & Wigan AFA
 Women Of The Waterfront

MIDLANDS

Birmingham AFA
 Birmingham Anarchist Black Cross
 Birmingham Racial Attacks Monitoring Group
 Birmingham Solidarity Group
 Blackcurrent Bookshop
 East Midlands Anarchist Bulletin
 Free Satpal Ram Campaign
 Industrial Workers of the World
 LEAF (EF! group)
 Leicester AFA
 Littlethorn Bookshop
 Mushroom Bookshop
 National Coalition of Anti-Deportation Campaigns
 Nottingham AFA
 Nottingham Claimants Action
 Nottingham Earth First!
 Radical Routes Co-op
 Rainbow Centre
 Revolutionary Socialist Network
 Shropshire Socialist Solidarity
 Uppermene Earth First!
 Veggies
 Warwick Earth First!
 West Midlands ACF
 West Midlands Sol Fed
 Wolverhampton AFA
 Wolverhampton Anarchist Black Cross
 Wolves Eco Action (EF! group)
 Wolves Hunt Saboteurs

SCOTLAND

Angry Youth
 Autonomous Centre of Edinburgh
 Brian Higgins Defence Campaign
 Broughton Spurtle
 Counter Information
 Edinburgh AFA
 Edinburgh Claimants
 Edinburgh Sol Fed
 Educational Institute of Scotland - teachers rank & file union
 Fahrenheit 451 Bookshop
 Faslane Peace Camp
 Fife Earth First!
 The GalGael Trust (EF! group)
 Glasgow AFA
 Glasgow Class War

Glasgow Earth First!
 Glasgow Contact of Scottish @ Network
 Glasgow Sol Fed
 Hiddin Kulturz
 Scottish Anarchist Network
 Wordpower Bookshop

SOUTH EAST ENGLAND

Aldervalley Anarchists
 Anarchist Graphics
 Anarchist Teapot Collective
 Arun Valley Earth First!
 Aufheben
 Brighton AFA
 Brighton Against Benefit Cuts
 Brighton Claimants Action Group
 Brighton Class War
 Brighton Unemployed Centre Ltd
 Brighton Sol Fed
 Cambridge Earth First!
 Camfin
 Cambridge Sol Fed
 Chichester Earth First!
 Colchester AFA
 Dover Sol Fed
 East Anglian Anarchist Network
 East Anglia Class War
 Exodus Collective
 Gravesend Resistance
 Guildford Earth First!
 Herts AFA
 Information for Social Change
 Ipswich AFA
 Justice?
 Kent AFA
 Kent Class war
 Kent Socialist Alliance
 Norfolk Earth First!
 Norfolk & Norwich Solidarity Fed.
 Norwich AFA
 October Bookshop
 Oxford AFA
 Oxford Earth First!
 Oxford Unemployed Workers & Claimants Union
 Portsmouth Anarchist Network
 Portsmouth May Day Collective
 Proles for Modernism
 Reading Anarchist Black Cross
 Reading Roadbusters (EF! group)
 Rising Sun Institute
 Road Alert!
 South Downs Earth First!

Southampton AFA
 Southampton Earth First!
 South Hert Sol Fed
 Surrey AFA
 Surrey Class war
 Woking ACF

SOUTH WEST ENGLAND

Bath Earth First!
 Bath Hunt Saboteurs
 Bristol AFA
 Bristol Chiapas Support Group
 Bristol Claimants
 Bristol Class War
 Bristol Earth First!
 Bristol Housing Action Movement
 Bristol Sol Fed
 Cambourne Earth First!
 Catalyst Collective
 Devonport Claimants' Union
 Earth Circus Network
 Equi-Phallic Alliance
 Exeter AFA
 Exeter Env. Network (EF! group)
 Exeter Left
 Friends, Families & Travellers Support Group
 Greenleaf Bookshop
 Hereford Earth First!
 Hillfort Earth First!
 Kebele Kulture Projekt
 Mid-Somerset Earth First!
 Penwith Anarchist Group
 Penzance Anarchist Group
 Somerset Anarchist Black Cross
 Somerset Sol Fed
 South Devon Earth First!

WALES

Aberystwyth Sol Fed
 Cardiff AFA
 Cardiff Earth First!
 Cardigan Bay Earth First!
 Cardiff Sol Fed
 CARE - Anti Monsanto Community Group
 Cymru Goch (Welsh Socialists)
 Gwendraeth Valley Earth First!
 Gwynned & Mon Earth First!
 Reclaim the Valleys (EF! group)
 Swansea People Earth First!
 Wales ACF
 Welsh Community Resistance

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