

Nazis Out Of Football

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In the aftermath of last months riot at Lansdowne Road the media, politicians and the Football Associations were quick to denounce the Nazi led English hooligans.

Unfortunately their recognition of Fascist influence in football came too late to do anything constructive about it. Anti Fascist Action has warned for years about the attempts by Fascist to organise at Clubs like Chelsea, Glasgow Rangers, Charlton, Blackburn, Hearts to name a few.

The Fascists biggest successes have been with the English national team and given the strong Loyalist element among English fans it was both predictable and inevitable that violence would occur on February 15th. Calls for more Police, tougher laws and bans miss the point. It is our experience that the police are unable and unwilling to deal with Fascists at football and their efforts are usually devoted to harassing genuine fans. Condemnation from Chairmen and Administrators mean nothing to most fans as they seem to spend most of their time realising new kits and increasing admission prices to games. The solution has to come from ordinary fans. Anti Fascist Action is actively engaged in driving Fascists from football. We prevent them selling their propaganda, organise fans against them and remove them from grounds physically if necessary. This approach works, and is the only long term solution to this problem at football.



There is no reason for complacency here. During the England match a small number of Irish "fans" chanted racist abuse at Paul Ince. Not only is this moronic considering McGrath, Phelan and Babb but mirrors the racist scum of England's support. It has no place at football.

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