

11391  
L

# LEICESTERSHIRE ANTI-FASCIST ALLIANCE

## **Bulletin September 1995**

### **MORE GOVERNMENT RACISM**

The Home Secretary has announced plans for another clampdown on "illegal" immigrants. The aim is to get teachers and Benefits Agency workers to grass up so called "illegals".

Councillor Moghal of the County Council's race relations committee has welcomed the moves, but hopes ethnic communities won't be "coming under pressure." Come off it Mr Moghal.

It won't be white people under investigation. It will be Asians and African-Caribbeans who will be coming under pressure.

Britain's immigration laws have always been racist - from the anti-semitic Aliens Act to the 1990 Asylum Act. If you are a white South African or Canadian entry into Britain is easy. But if you're black, it's a different story. You immediately come under suspicion.

LAFA opposes not only the latest plans, but all immigration laws because they are racist. Local Benefits Agency and teaching unions have stated they will not co-operate with grass-an-illegal. They deserve the support of anti-racists. Lets hope that the unions nationally take the same line - and give backing to workers refusing to implement racist government policies.

### **THE NATIONAL FRONT IS DEAD!**

Well not exactly. They have changed their name to the National Democratic Party.

You can call a sewer rat *Rattus Norvegicus*, but it is still a sewer rat. And a fascist calling themselves a democrat is still a fascist. Recently the NDP/NF leafleted Tudor Rd in Leicester (which fits in with our information on who they are and where they operate), but left the area when challenged by two local residents.

If you have any information on their activities in the Tudor Rd/Narborough Rd area, De Montfort Uni, or anywhere else please contact us.

### **CITY COUNCIL KEEPS QUIET**

In May this year the City Council gave the British National Party permission to hold a demo on land they own. A mobilisation by anti-fascists ensured the BNP never turned up.

However the Council have not gone public on who made the decision to give nazis access to their resources.

LAFA have launched a petition to get the Council to reverse this decision and not to allow the BNP access again. We already have hundreds of signatures.

However, if we are successful we won't rely on this. We believe ordinary people organising to stop the fascists dead in their tracks is the most effective type of action.

### **WANT TO FIGHT RACISM AND FASCISM?**

If you want to fight racism and fascism, why not get involved in LAFA. We think ordinary people, in their communities, unions, youth groups and schools are the people who are going to be most effective. If you want to launch a campaign, may be we can help. If you have information on nazi activity we would like to hear.

We can provide a speaker for your community or youth organisation, union or Labour Party.

So why not phone us on 011 [redacted] (24hrs), or come to our next meeting - open to all anti-racists.

**NEXT MEETING - WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 27TH 7.30PM AT SECULAR HALL HUMBERSTONE GATE LEICESTER.**

**HOW TO CONTACT US - TEL 0 [redacted], WRITE TO PO BOX 368, LEICESTER, LE2 7YZ**