# Info & Usurpa

## ::: Weekly information bulletin of events in radical spaces in Winnipeg

#### #82- week of October 17th to October 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2007 ::::

	wednesday.17	thursday.18	friday.19	saturday.20	sunday.21	monday.22	tuesday.23
EMMA GOLDMAN GRASSRTS CTR 91 Albert, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor		2-6pm <u>Junto library &amp; zine distro</u> open					
MONDRAGON 91 Albert, 1 <sup>st</sup> floor							every tuesday at 8pm: n <u>ew usurpa</u> bulletin available
THE BIKE DUMP 631 Main st. back patio entry	6pm <u>Volunteer night</u>	5-9pm <u>Open hours</u> Get help fixing your bike or building one			12-5pm <u>Open hours</u>	6-9 pm <u>Women and</u> <u>trans only night</u>	
FOOD NOT BOMBS cooks and serves free recuperated food every Thurs. Show up at 4pm at the MERC (430 Langside street) to help out.							

# ::: News ::: Vernon Bellecourt Dies at Age 75

Prominent American Indian Movement activist and brother of AIM co-founder Clyde Bellecourt, Vernon Bellecourt has died from complications of pneumonia in Minneapolis this past weekend.

Bellecourt, whose Ojibwa name WaBun-Inini (Man of Dawn) had been very active in the past campaigning to free political prisoner Leonard Peltier, acting as a negotiator in the 1972 occupation of the Bureau of Indian Affairs in Washington and was present briefly during the infamous 1972 standoff at Pine Ridge reservation as well as meeting with world leaders including Palestine's Yasser Arafat and Venezuela's Hugo Chavez.

More recently most of Bellecourt's efforts were directed towards pressuring sports teams to drop the use of American Indian names and logos as the president of the National Coalition on Racism in Sports and Media. During his work there he was arrested during both 1997 & 98 World Series protesting Clevland Indians mascot Chief Wahoo. As well as organizing a large protest around the 1992 Super Bowl which

the Washington Redskins participated in.

Shortly before his death Bellecourt joked that 'the CIA had finally got him' his brother was reported to have said.

## Food Not Bombs found 'Not Guilty'

*Orlando, Florida* - Food Not Bombs volunteer Eric Montanez was recently found not guilty of feeding over 24 people in a city park. A number of cities across the United States have announced efforts to shut down Food Not Bombs, which serves free vegetarian food those in need.

If found guilty, Montanez would have faced up to 60 days in jail as well as a \$500 fine.

Radical and Alternative Radio

THE BEAT mon-wed 8-9am	95.9FM
EVE'S THIRD WAVE wed 1-2pm	101.5FM
BLACK MASK wed 4:30-6pm.	
THE SPARK wed 5:30-6:30pm	
SAY IT SISTA! thu 8-9am	
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