

Info ★ Usurpa

::: Weekly information bulletin of events in radical spaces in Winnipeg #49 - week of January 31st to February 6th, 2007 :::

WOMYN ONLY SPACES should they exist? a panel. Wednesday 12:30pm room 2M73 University of Winnipeg.						
FOOD NOT BOMBS cooks and serves free recuperated food every Thurs. Show up at 4pm at the MERC (430 Langside street) to help out.						
DANCE DOWN THA WALL 3 ISM Fundraiser w/ DJ Coop & Mama Cutsworth. Sat at 8:30pm \$10, Lower Level, Ramada Marlborough Hotel, 331 Smith st.						
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EMMA GOLDMAN GRASSRTS CTR 91 Albert, 2 nd floor	2-6pm Junto library open					8pm <u>Learn French Workshop</u>
MONDRAGON 91 Albert, 1 st floor	7pm <u>Wiens Shared Farm Info Session</u> 9:15pm <u>Laugh Riot</u>		4pm <u>Crib Tourney</u> 8pm <u>DIY Fest Fundraiser</u>			8pm <u>Next Usurpa bulletin available</u>
THE BIKE DUMP 631 Main st., access on south side of bldg	6pm <u>Volunteer Night</u>		7pm <u>Kursk, Search n Destroy, Neon Blitz, more...</u>	12-5pm <u>Fix your bike or build one up</u> 5pm <u>Collective Mtg.</u>		

::: News :::

Healthy, Bioregional, and Cheap Food?

This Thursday at 7pm at the Mondragon Bookstore and Coffeehouse, come hear about buying into the Wiens Shared Farm with your labour instead of your wallet! The farm is located just south of Winnipeg on St. Mary's road. As a Community Shared Agriculture (CSA) farm, the Wiens sell shares to groups of people in the spring for a weekly box of whatever the farm provides through the growing season. The consumers take up some of the risk of crop failure, and in return get to know their produce is organic and local, not through certification, but by being able to visit the farm themselves. This year, they are offering an option where instead of buying in, people can buy their shares by spending time working on the farm.

Situation Grave for Guantanamo North Detainees on Hunger Strike

Three men are being held indefinitely under the much-criticized security certificate regime of secret evidence and deportation to torture, kept at the Kingston Immigration Holding Centre (KIHC), dubbed Guantanamo North. The men have all been on hunger strike for nearly two months, without any medical monitoring, and they may now be near death. Despite last Thursday's visit by Public Safety Minister Stockwell Day, who did not meet with the detainees, there has been no negotiation with the men, and no effort to end a critical situation that could turn deadly at any time.

First Year of the Six Nations Occupation Site

The Dominion - On February 28, 2006, a blockade was set up near Caledonia, Ontario, which halted the construction of a subdivision that many said was being built on unceded Six Nations' territory. Almost a year later, the people of Six Nations are holding their ground and, according to spokesperson Hazel Hill, making "leaps and bounds" towards the reinstatement of their traditional government. Shortly after April 20th of 2006, the OPP performed a pre-dawn raid on the blockade site. The raid, meant to clear the site of protesters, backfired when hundreds of Six Nations' people and their supporters peacefully took back the site within a few hours. Shortly thereafter, the band council endorsed the leadership of the traditional Confederacy Chiefs, and the Canadian federal government sat down and negotiated, for the first time, with a traditional indigenous government. The blockade continues.

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BLACK MASK wed 4:30-6pm.....95.9FM
ROOTS & BERRIES tues noon-1pm.....95.9FM
SAY IT SISTA! thu 8-9am.....95.9FM