

Info ★ Usurpa

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

#109 - week of May 28th to June 3rd, 2008:::

	wednesday.28	thursday.29	friday.30	saturday.31	sunday.1	monday.2	tuesday.3
EMMA GOLDMAN GRASSRTS CTR 91 Albert, 2 nd floor		2-6pm <u>Junto library</u>	2-6pm <u>Junto library</u>	12-5pm <u>Copwatch Office Hours</u> 2-6pm <u>Junto library</u>			
MONDRAGON 91 Albert, 1 st floor		8pm <u>Mattress. Slattern. more...</u>		<u>Mondragon Alumni Day</u>			7pm <u>New Usurpa Every Tuesday</u>
THE BIKE DUMP 631 Main st. back patio entry	6pm <u>Volunteer Night</u>	5-9pm <u>Open Hours</u>			12-5pm <u>Open Hours</u>		
FOOD NOT BOMBS every Thurs: cooks recuperated food: 4pm at the MERC (430 Langside St) & serves free food: 6-7pm in the park at Ellice Av. and Spence St.							

::: News :::

U. Utah Phillips: 1935-2008

Democracy Now! -- Utah Phillips, the legendary folk musician and peace and labor activist, has died at the age of seventy-three. Over the span of nearly four decades, Utah Phillips worked in what he referred to as "the Trade," performing tirelessly throughout the United States, Canada and Europe. The son of labor organizers, Phillips was a lifelong member of the Industrial Workers of the World, known as the Wobblies. As a teenager, he ran away from home and started living as a hobo who rode the rails and wrote songs about his experiences.

UK Academics Arrested For Researching al-Qaida

slashdot.org -- Two political researchers at the University of Nottingham, in the UK, have been arrested under the Terrorism Act for downloading Al-Qaida material from a US government website. The material was to be used for research in terrorist tactics. There has been a huge public outcry, with university staff planning a march to demonstrate against the attack on academic freedom. Yet, one of the students, an Algerian, is still held in custody under immigration charges and is being fast-tracked for deportation.

"We could have colonized Mars with the money we spent on the Iraq war -- what else could we do?"

boingboing.net -- Charlie Stross is hosting an open conversation on other things we could have bought with the money wasted in Iraq: for example, we could have sent a colony of over 500 astronauts to Mars, provided modern nuclear power to the USA and shut down its coal plants, build modern cities for 600,000,000 Chinese people to live in, and so on.

Fact Sheet on New Racist Canadian Immigration Policy, Bill C-50

mostlywater.org -- No One Is Illegal - Vancouver has put together a fact sheet which briefly explains the racist changes the Canadian Conservative government is planning to make to immigration policy. The changes are being brought in within a budget document in order to avoid parliamentary debate. Not that there would be real resistance. The PDF is available in several languages, and can be downloaded from <http://noii-van.resist.ca>

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