WORRIED ABOUT THE INCREASE IN RACISM?

Concerned about attacks on Muslims?

SHOCKED ABOUT THE RISE OF THE FASCIST BRITISH NATIONAL PARTY?

What can be done
Racism in Britain today

Racism means people discriminating against or even physically attacking Black and Asian, and increasingly Muslim people simply because of the colour of their skin, or religion in the case of Islamophobia and anti-semitism. It must be opposed.

The BNP: a party of hate

The BNP has no solution to the many problems ordinary people face today. It divides communities and encourages hatred and even violence against many kinds of people: gay and lesbian people, disabled people, asylum seekers, trade unionists and many others. It denies the Holocaust, in which millions of Jews were murdered. After 12 BNP councillors were elected in Barking and Dagenham, racist attacks increased by a third.

The racist British National Party

Racism is increasing in the newspapers and on the streets. One particularly dangerous problem is the British National Party (BNP), which has had increasing success in recent elections. Although it pretends to be a normal political party, the BNP wants an ‘all white’ Britain and claims that black and Asian people who were born and brought up here are not ‘British’. The BNP is a racist party.
People can achieve more by working together. So we can stop the BNP by uniting all people who oppose their racism and politics of hate. The Lewisham Anti-Racist Action Group (LARAG), which is part of the national campaign Unite Against Fascism (UAF), works with people across Greenwich, Bromley and Bexley as well as Lewisham to oppose the racism of the BNP. We campaign on the streets to inform people about the racism of the BNP and urge them to use their vote to stop the BNP being elected. We work with Love Music Hate Racism and encourage local musicians to put on events to build unity and support LARAG and UAF.

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