

The BNP is NOT the answer

The way to fight back is to unite workers, not to divide us as the BNP seeks to do. Division is exactly what the bosses want, allowing them to cut wages and working conditions.

Striking oil refinery workers knew this and chased the BNP away from their protests last summer.

The unions across Liverpool – from the hospitals to the car plants – know this and every one of them has anti-racist and anti-BNP policies.

Don't be fooled by BNP lies.

We fully understand why white working-class communities feel abandoned by politicians. But a vote for the BNP is NOT a so-called 'protest vote' - it is a vote for FASCISM.



Liverpool Antifascists was set up by ordinary people just like you to stop these fascist lunatics and expose their lies.

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BNP EXPOSED

The truth behind the hate party that wants your vote

The BNP claim to be a party for working-class people, with their slogan of “British Jobs for British Workers.” They claim that they are different from other parties, and will stand for jobs, wages, and housing. But is this true?

The reality is that the BNP hates working people.

A party of the bosses

- Nick Griffin, raised on a Suffolk farm with a six-figure inheritance and a Cambridge education, has called people who live on housing estates “scum.”
- Griffin is paid £75,000 (plus expenses) to “represent” the North West, which is home to 38,000 textile workers. Yet his party’s t-shirts are made in Honduras. So much for ‘British Jobs for British Workers’!
- At last September’s TUC conference in Liverpool, hundreds of local people held a rally against low pay and privatisation. The Merseyside branch of the BNP showed their true colours, opposing the march, and branding the working people of Liverpool as “anti-British Communists.”
- During the Miners’ Strike, the BNP called for the Army to be used in crushing the same working class that they supposedly stand for. According to them, Thatcher didn’t go far enough!
- The BNP blame migrant workers for falling wages. Yet it is British bosses who employ these workers, exploiting them to increase their profits. These are the same bosses the BNP look to for funding and support – the same bosses the BNP says it will defend if it ever comes to power. This is the ‘free market’ the BNP will never turn against.

A party on the take

Worried about politicians and corruption? Then don't vote for the BNP. Despite having hardly any elected representatives, they've already got their snouts in the trough.

- In 2001, the party's treasurer, Michael Newland, resigned in disgust after Nick Griffin used party funds to add an extension to his house.

- Their 2007 party accounts failed their audit as several thousand pounds of expenditure was not properly recorded.

- Since being elected as MEP for the North West, Griffin has joined the ranks of expenses swindlers by using £382,000 of taxpayers' money to finance the entire senior ranks of the BNP.

- In Barking & Dagenham, 7 BNP councillors attended only 27% of meetings - but each still pocketed the full £9,810 allowance.

- The BNP has avoided paying income tax and NI contributions by pretending that some staff were self-employed.

Nick Griffin is notorious for constantly sending out begging letters to BNP members. Yet the party never seems to be solvent.



Even BNP members are resigning over this.

Where does all the money go?

It seems to line Nick Griffin's pockets, whilst his party is on the verge of bankruptcy!

A party of hate, terror, and fascism

- The BNP had to be threatened with legal action over its 'whites only' membership policy. Its claim to represent all British people, regardless of skin colour, is obviously rubbish. This party discriminates.

- Police statistics show that race hate crimes rise where BNP councillors are elected. There is a direct link between the BNP spreading their poison and real physical attacks on the people they target.

- BNP members are regularly jailed for violent offences. Last month, Terence Gavan got 11 years for having arms and explosives in his Barnsley home.

- In 2007, David Copeland received 30 years for detonating nail bombs in London which killed three people and injured over 100 others. He had been an active BNP member.

- Robert Cottage, three times a BNP candidate, recently got two and a half years for making explosive devices.

- Liverpool BNP's Peter Tierney is currently facing an assault charge relating to an incident last year when local people objected to racist leaflets he was giving out.

- The BNP pretend they are a 'normal' political party. Yet the examples above show they have little regard for the 'British' traditions of law and order they claim to uphold.

An internal party document says: "What we urgently need, and must have to survive, is very much less democracy, a very much smaller, more carefully selected and more intelligent electorate...Granting a vote to each and every one of the natives of Britain was madness...Lunacy could hardly go further!"

For fascists like the BNP, any form of democracy represents an intolerable interference by working people in the running of society.

When the BNP say they want your vote that is exactly what they mean. Their eventual aim is to deny you the right to any say or representation. Something else to remember when they come knocking on your door.