



Coppers, choppers but no brick droppers Two weeks ago what started like a normal squat opening turned into an epic battle. As the owner sent more security to siege the building, more & more mates turned up and with them the volume of punk music blasting out did too. The security guard lost his smug smile as he was faced with an angry mob. Like all cowardly bootlickers, the security guard and his cronies reverted to type and called daddy state. Police then proceeded to siege the building, trying to capture a person who allegedly dropped a brick on dog unit van - which obviously didn't happen. Our theory is that the van was so ashamed to be a dog unit van that it collapsed on itself in protest. As the cops smashed their way into the building the squatters made it to the roof for their final stand. A helicopter was even sent to find them. How much did that police operation cost? Probably enough to pay rent for the whole crew for a few months. As the squatters disappeared in the night, having caused chaos and wasted the time of dozens of police officers, not to mention the helicopter, they could rejoice in their solidarity for each other and the incredible support that their occupation had got from the anarchist community. It was an amazing night, a beautiful protest and a satisfying revenge on a scummy security company's harassment. The black eye was well worth it.

Is it even London? Who cares? Croydon's where it's happening!

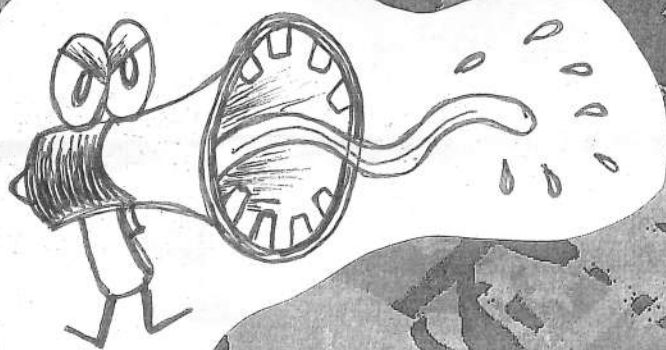
Now on its third incarnation the acab cafe's going strong, there's the autonomous winter shelter project and a bunch of other squats. And they've got table football, what more could you want?

Scum dine with me is back!

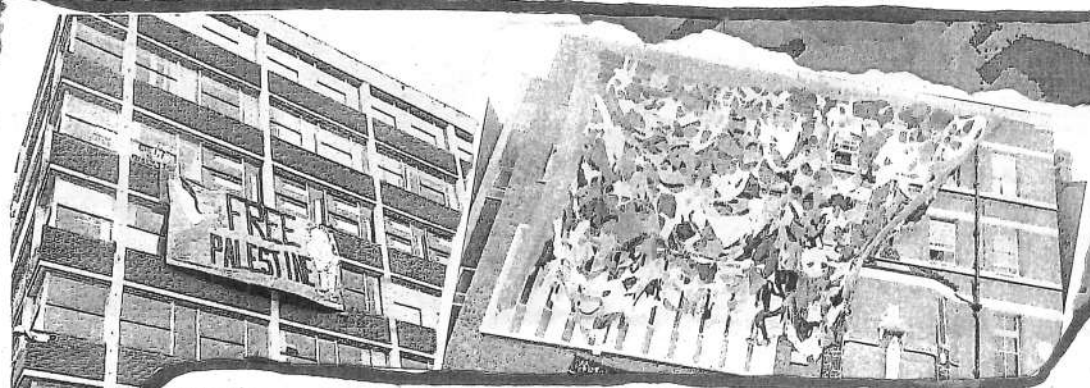
The kru at Deptford Reach kicked it off and in all its traditional amazing messiness. Speedy starters and drunken desert. Where's next and who's gona top this one.



Intifada Palava Dec. 9 squatters arrested by a storm of TSG for a banner reading GLOBALISE THE INTIFADA. Hung from very fancy Regents Park address, Diorama, which had previously hosted TAA.



Palestine flags are all you'll see Manchester kru gave their squat a sick new look in solidarity with Palestine. The cops didn't appreciate the redecoration and demanded the flags come down. They tried to get in, sieged the building for a bit, sort of nicked someone who didn't even live there and then got bored and fucked off. The beautiful banners are still fly high!



Sisters of Mercy-Ful of Shit. Just as PRAYVIOUS Issues 13/12 went to print back at the start of June (but still worth A MENTION) the AWS's latest incarnation faced an UNCONVENTIONAL eviction carried out by the MET's IncIDIOS TSG who decided on a whim the squat to be residential. Over seven months of occupying the convent in Shadwell AWS provided a roof for many and a wide range of workshops/activities and solidarity. Perhaps InsINCerely "Service to those in need" is an extra vow the sisters of mercy take! The PO-P(E)o also put in place a section to disperse any congregation of RESISTERS. Needless to say we are NUN too impressed. Forgive us our trespasses!



The Shining Here comes Ollie! Hammering through the second floor wall of a small Deptford Squat (The Butchers) whilst giggling manically. Ready for a slaughter of his own. The owners son Oliver Oglvie (who had previously chased friends of the house with a hammer) beat a lonely occupier until support arrived. At this point, by now (Ku)bricking it, he decided his priority was to redecorate the gaff using 100% organic paints locally sourced from his own nose (didn't look like he could spell REDRUM). On arrival of the plod OVERLOOKING the facts, one squatter was pinched for ABH which was dropped the day before court. The breaking of an arm and serious bruises hospitalised 2 squatters. Now their better. A whole lot better. We think Ollie works too much and doesn't play.



EVENTS

17th March 11am
Bike Ride for Palestine
Walthamstow Village Square

18th March 6:30pm
Practical Squatting
At a local squat

22nd March 7pm
punk 4 the homeless
zombie met girl + activists
+ menopause army
The Birds Nest

23rd March 10am
Noise Demo against
conversion therapy conference
30 Easton Square

29th March 7pm
Femenist Fightback Film Club
Pelican House

30th March 12pm
Boater's Easter Regatta
Protest & community fair
Paddington Station Canalside

6th April 7:30pm
Vipera + Ashes of Death +
Contract Killer + Katolik
The Birds Nest

14th April 12pm
Critical Mass 30 birthday ride
South Bank

15th April 6:30pm
Practical Squatting
DeCentre

5th May 11:30am-10pm
Clapton Punks All Dayer
Football tournament & gig
The Old Spotted Dog
Forest Gate

3rd-5th May
Persons Unknown Festival
Manchester

REST IN POWER

THIS SEASON LONDON AND THE WHOLE WORLD
LOST TWO OF ITS FINEST SQUATTERS, NO
BORDERS ACTIVISTS, AND INTERNATIONAL
OUTLAWS.



MR JOY WAS AN INTERNATIONAL MAN OF
MYSTERY, ALWAYS COMING AND GOING TO ALL
CORNERS OF THE WORLD DOING EXACTLY WHAT
THEY KNEW WAS RIGHT. THEY WERE LOVED BY
SO MANY AND HAD A DEEP CONCERN AND CARE
FOR THE MANY PEOPLE WHO LOVED THEM.
MR JOY BRAVELY BROUGHT THEIR MISCHIEVOUS
SMILE AND UNIQUE SENSE OF HUMOUR TO EVEN
THE DARKEST CORNERS OF THE EARTH. THEIR
HEROIC STORY ENDED DRIVING AN AMBULANCE IN
THE UKRAINE. A NOBLE END TO THE LIFE OF
ONE OF THE MOST BRAVE AND BEAUTIFUL PEOPLE
I HAVE EVER BEEN SO FORTUNATE TO MEET.

THEIR STORY WILL LIVE ON INSPIRING US ALL
TO DO WHAT IS RIGHT EVEN WHEN UP AGAINST
THE WORST OF ODDS. THEY WILL BE LOVED AND
MISSED BY SO MANY.

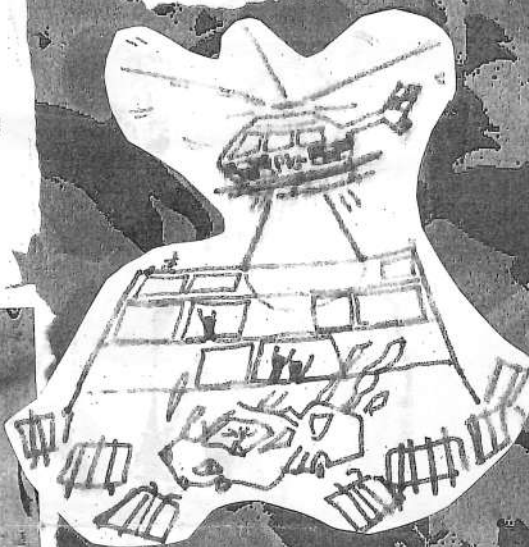


WEECHEEAWG THE MOTOHUND PASSED ON
THE 20TH OF FEBRUARY IN THE EARLY HOURS
OF THE MORNING AFTER 15 YEARS AND 4
CONTINENTS OF FUCKING THE SYSTEM. HE
LIVED HIS LIFE PISSING ON MONUMENTS TO
GREED AND OPPRESSION FROM CALIFORNIA TO
COPENHAGEN AND EVERYWHERE IN BETWEEN.

HIS TERRIBLE SMELL AND HUGE SMILE WILL
BE SORELY MISSED AT EVERY ANARCHIST
BOOK FAIR FOR YEARS TO COME.

TATTOOS OF HIS TAG WILL BE MADE FROM
HIS ASHES AND ARE AVAILABLE TO ANYONE
WHO IS INTERESTED. CONTACT DOGFOOD ON
SQUATBLOC OR EMAIL DOGFOOD@RISEUP.NET

WE CELEBRATE THEIR LIVES AND MAY THEY
REST IN POWER



KEEP YOUR HEARTS OPEN BUT YOUR BARRICADES CLOSED

A situation occurred in a
fresh Camden Burrough
squat this past week where
an adult woman with a
ginger bob presenting as a
vulnerable person
approaching a new squat
asking for a place to stay.
The legal occupants being
decent yet experienced
squatters when pressed
opened the door to hold a
conversation when she was
promptly followed by several
men wearing balaclavas
trying to force occupation in
a manner similar to illegal
bailiffs.
Fortunately the squatters
being experienced and tough
as nails managed the
situation, but all optimistic
opportunities for
negotiations with the owner
went straight out the window
with the goons trying to
snatch the gaff.

Although the squatters
mentioned they had a
dialogue with the landowner
the intruders pressed them
with dubiously illegal
intentions until the police
arrived and the intruders
fled.

Moral being: keep your
friends tight and your
barricades tighter.

Stay safe out there<3

RECURRING EVENTS

Freedom Fridays
An evening of music, discussion, film,
workshops, book launches...or whatever
5:45pm at DeCentre

The Field
Gardening - Sundays 12pm
Pie n mash - Thursdays 2-4:30pm

56A
Crampton St, Elephant & Castle
Bike Space
Fridays 3-7pm
& First Saturday of the month 1-4pm
Infoshop
Thursdays 2-8pm
Fridays 3-7pm
Saturdays 2-6pm
Food Co-op
Thursdays 2-8pm
Fridays 4-7pm
Saturdays 3-5pm

ACAB Café
57 South End, Croydon
Mondays 12-3pm & 4-6pm
Tuesdays fight club 6pm
Wednesdays 12-3pm & 4-6pm
Thursday open mic 7pm
Fridays 12-3pm

Zoom Bike Project
Thursdays 2-6pm
Gillet Square, Dalston

Critical Mass
Last Friday of the month 6pm
South Bank

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Check out the new eroding empire website that will be
coming out soon for all the punk gigs and fan zines!!!!

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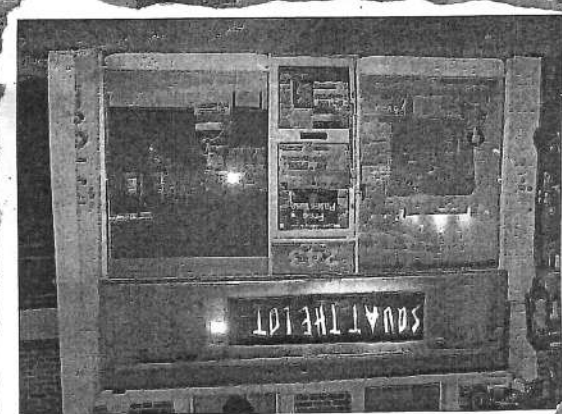
old crusty squatter seeks
dilapidated slimy warehouse for
exciting shenanigans. no social
media, no phones, just smoke
signals like the good old days

MISSED CONNECTIONS

we met at the m&s skip last
week on a dark an stormy
night. we both went to open
the bin at the same time and
our hands touched. i had
heart palpitations maybe
it was love ... maybe it was
just the speed. all i know is,
you're the one i need!

PERSONS UNKNOWN FESTIVAL

PUP is returning to a squat nearish you (Manchester) this May 3rd to 5th!
We've got an epic lineup featuring Killdren, Doomsday Clock, Boom Boom Raccoon,
The Red Stains, and lots more, plus a two hour cabaret show on Friday! During
the day we'll have an eclectic mix of workshops and stalls from herbalism and
hairdressing to craft and circus skills, hope to see ya there! For updates search
pufestival on Instagram or Facebook



If you got a shopfront you can use it as
an artistic moodboard or as one reddit
put it. I hate squatter but I hate estate
agents more. Surrey quays squat

GENERAL GOSS

word on da street is that squat
chess is gonna come back very soon
after a long hibernation to a squat
near you;

rumor has it there is a minor
scabies outbreak thruout the east
ldn squat scene. unlike bedbugs.
scabies only spreads through close
contact, so hold off on the
squatcest for now u slags!!!

Want to tell property guardians why they're shit but want someone to do the political thinking for you?
No bother! Pick up a 'Dear property guardians' leaflet at freedom or acab cafe or print from freedom news or squat.net

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