

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY - FEBRUARY 2021

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

FPGDatesfromCoronavirus

Organised by Faringdon Peace Group as well as by other groups. For further information please contact Jennie Tel-01367 710308 or castle@myphone.coop

Happy New Year, may it be more peaceful than 2020.

Fri 22 Jan Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons (TPNW) becomes law

Mon 25 Jan 'No to war against Yemen'. Stop the War are joining with organisations across the world to say No to the war in Yemen. Join the global online rally. A number of well-known speakers. Look out for Jeremy Corbyn, but also Yanis Varoufakis.

Thurs 28 Jan Oxfordshire Peace Campaign meeting. 2.20pm Zoom. Jennie and Helen are our delegates.

Wed 3 Feb FPG Monthly Meeting, via Zoom. Speaker Cmdr Robert Forsyth (retd.) talking about his time as second-in-command of a Polaris nuclear submarine, and why he now spends his time challenging the government's policy on nuclear weapons. 7.30pm.

Tues 16 Feb FPG Black Lives Matter workshop part 3 via Zoom. 7.30pm – 9.0pm.

Thurs 25th Feb 'Zero Carbon – Why **NOT** nuclear?' The link between civil and military use of nuclear power. Webinar 7.0pm

Speakers: Dr Andy Stirling and Dr. Phil Johnstone from Sussex University speak about their evidence that nuclear power is obsolete in achieving zero-carbon, but exist now purely to underpin military use.

Chaired by Nikki Clark To register: <https://cnduk.org/salisbury-feb-25>

Wed 3 Mar FPG Monthly Meeting via Zoom.

Speaker: Kate Hudson, Gen Sec. CND. Topic TBA

TREATY ON THE PROHIBITION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS

This has now been ratified by the 50th UN state and entered into legal force on 22 January 2021. . It provides 2 legal pathways for states to eliminate their arsenals of nuclear weapons.