

**We
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Nationwide

Demonstration

Saturday, June 17, 2006
on Refugees' Day
Waisenhausplatz Bern
14:00

we've had enough.

For years, demagogues have gone unpunished for one attack after another against immigrants, the socially weak, and those with dissenting opinions, thanks to the support of far too many petty bourgeois.

The dismantling and neo-liberal restructuring of social programs will only be possible if we allow ourselves to be turned against each other: citizens against foreigners, men against women, legal residents against illegal immigrants, young against old, the employed against the unemployed, the healthy against the disabled...

we can't get used to the populist political mood.

An Immigration Minister who supported apartheid, a Justice Minister who makes a mockery of the Courts and the Constitution, a Chief of Police who harasses refugees and the socially weak, parliamentary representatives trying to outdo one another when proposing inhuman new asylum and immigration laws, cantons that compete with each other for which can be the most brutal in deterring refugees and illegal immigrants – this is what we can't get used to.

stop xenophobia.

Immigrants, refugees, and their supporters have already been through enough humiliation. The relevant campaigns, referenda, and toughening of laws are a scandal.

2 x "no" to new asylum and immigration laws.

Even the toughest asylum and immigration laws won't stop immigration, but could easily lead to more suffering, injustice, human trafficking, and modern slavery.

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Everyone who lives here, regardless of where we came from, what kind of passport or residency status we have – we are Switzerland. We stand in the way of demagogues, and continue to fight for the fundamental rights of everyone. Together, we shape our society.

Supporting Organisations (state: April 6 2006): AGORA, Alternative Kanton Zug, Anti-WTO - Koordination, Asylforum Schaffhausen, Attac Suisse, Augenauf Zürich, CaBi Antiraszismus-Treff, C.E.D.R.I., Centre de Contact Suisse - Immigrés Genève, cfd Christlicher Friedensdienst, Collectif de soutien aux Sans-papiers, Collectif des travailleur/euses sans statut légal de Genève CTSSL, Collectif Sans-Papiers La Côte (Genève), Comedia - Die Mediengewerkschaft, Communauté de St'Egidio - Lausanne, coordination Asile Vaud, Demokratische JuristInnen Schweiz (DJS), Europäisches BürgerInnenforum (EBF) / Forum Civique Européen (FCE), Freie ArbeiterInnen Union FAUCH, Forum des étrangers et étrangers de Lausanne - FEEL, Fédération Libertaire des Montagnes FLM, Freundeskreis Cornelius Koch / Cercle d'amis Cornelius Koch, DIDF (Fédération der Demokratischen ArbeiterInnen Vereine), Fédération irakischer Flüchtlinge, Gauche en Mouvement, Gewerkschaftsbund Baselland, Groupe des travailleur/euses migrantes - Unia Genève, Gruppe Schweiz ohne Armee (GSoA), Grünes Bündnis Bern, Grüne Partei der Schweiz, Humanistische Partei Zürich, Infoladen in der Reitschule, Junge Alternative JA!, Junge Grüne Schweiz, Juso Schweiz / JS Suisse / GS Svizzera, Kurdischer-Türkischer-Schweizerischer Kulturverein (KUTÜSCH) Bern, l'autre syndicat, Marche mondiale des femmes, Migrationskommission SEV, Organisation Socialiste Libertaire OSL/BE, Parti ouvrier populaire neuchâtelois (POP), Plate-forme pour les Sans-Papiers, Religions-Sozialistische Vereinigung der Deutschschweiz, Schweizerischer Gewerkschaftsbund SGB, Sindacato Indipendente degli Studenti e Apprendisti (SISA), Socialist Party of Iran, Solidarité avec les femmes sans statut légal, Solidaritätsnetz Ostschweiz, Solidarité sans frontières, Solifonds Zürich, Sozialistisch-Grüne Alternative Zug, SP Schweiz PS Suisse PS Svizzera, Terre des femmes, terre des hommes schweiz, Toleranz95 Chur, Unia, UPA (Université Populaire Albanaise), Verband des Personals öffentlicher Dienste VPOD / SSP. To join: demo@sosf.ch

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