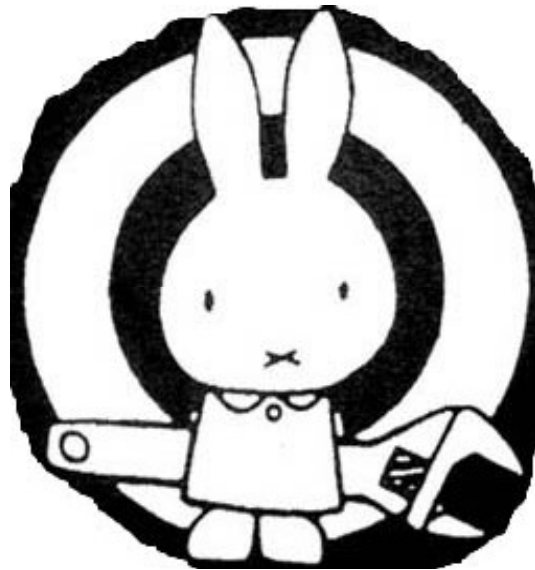


mobilisation in hamburg

against the g8 summit 2007 in heiligendamm

The G8 Summit in Heiligendamm is announced for the 6th to the 8th of June. To use the mobilization to the counter-activities and to create an opportunity for international activists to get involved in the local situation, several groups of the radical left in hamburg prepare for setting up local activities and infrastructures. As another result we hope to get longer-term impacts in networks on local, regional and international level.

Parallel to the G8 Presidency, germany will take the EU Presidency starting next year. There is already the concret plan to held one of the obligatory meetings of EU ministers in Hamburg - for shure some other will follow in the city as well - but this one is even directly located in the timeframe of the Days of action week! At the 28. and 29. of May 2007 there will be a summit of the EU ministers of foreign affairs plus ministers from asian countries.



Days of Action in Hamburg – 26th of may to 2nd of june

Parallel to the convergence center in hamburg Days of action are planned. These will involve activities about the meeting of the minsters of foreign affairs of all EU members, that will take place in the city at the 28th and 29th of may. A big demonstration shall take place at the 31st of may (as the better combination in timeframe for rostock demonstration at the 2nd of June) or at the 29th of may (better fitting to the EU minister meeting). A circle of groups preparing this is already set up. The days of action shall open a space for activists to get active in the city and to prepare for the anti-summit protest. Also it is focused on getting local groups and activists together from different aspects of framework like migration politics and city-gentrification. There are a lot of targets to name in the city, which is presenting itself as the “gate to the world”, but is achieving

big numbers of deportations and is promoting “law and order”. We invite the passing caravans and groups to join us with activities and to inform each other and to coordinate via the local mobilisation homepage. (hamburg.dissentnetzwerk.org)

Convergence Center in Hamburg at the squat Rote Flora

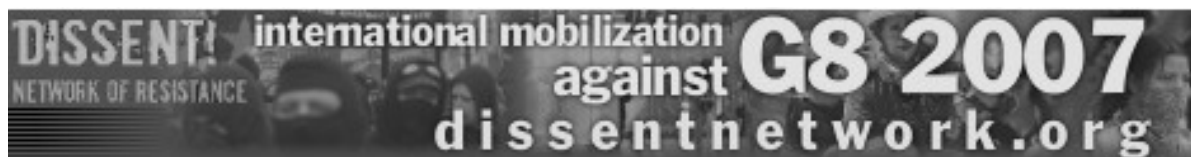
Starting with the 26th of may, we are planning to built up a Convergence Center in Hamburg to support the protest against the G8-summit in Heiligendamm. The exact space of time should be orientated on the needs of the activists. The center should take place in the “Rote Flora”, a left political project, which is occupied since 16 years, uninhabitated but used in several ways.

Thinking that it is reasonable to offer a place for international activists before the summit will start, we want to give a place where people can meet to get connected and prepare the protest. (...) For us it is very important to give a good base for the internationals to prepare their resistance in Germany.



There will be workshops, lawyers, soup kitchen and places to sleep, possibilities to get infos and to get connected. We want to emphasise that this is also a call for international activists to bring their creativity, their ideas and their action from now on and during the center to Hamburg.

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