

KEEP SPACE FOR PEACE WEEK, OCTOBER 1-8, 2011 OMNI NEWSLETTER #5 ON US MILITARIZATION OF

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PURPOSE To help build consciousness for international, cooperative development of outer space and to support efforts to prevent the arms race from moving into the heavens.

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Keep Space for Peace Week: International Week of Protest to Stop the Militarization of Space

By *dauidswanson* - Posted on **24 September 2010**

October 2-9, 2010

No Missile Defense

Stop the Drones

Convert the Military Industrial Complex

Bring Our War \$\$ Home

Local Events (List now in formation)

1. Agra, India (Oct 13) Bruce Gagnon speaks with local activists about space issues

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2. Albuquerque, New Mexico (Oct 2) Protest at Kirtland AFB, Truman Gate, 10:00 am–noon

stopthewarmachine@comcast.net

3. Albuquerque, New Mexico (Oct 2) Showing of Pax Americana & the Weaponization of Space, Guild Theatre, 1:00 pm stopthewarmachine@comcast.net

4. Argentina – Pax Americana and the Weaponization of Space will show in a Cordoba cinema during space week denis@intrepidofilms.com

5. Bath Iron Works, Maine (Oct 9) Vigil across from administration building on Washington Street, 11:30–12:30 am Smilin' Trees Disarmament Farm (207) 763–4062

6. Bhopal, India (Oct 11) Bruce Gagnon speaks with local activists about space issues

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7. Bradford, England (Sept 27–Oct 8) U.S. Missile Defence Exhibition at Bradford Library, Yorkshire CND info@yorkshirecnd.org.uk

8. Bradford, England (Oct 5) Showing Pax Americana and the Weaponization of Space, Desmond Tutu House, 2 Ashgrove, Bradford, Yorkshire CND info@yorkshirecnd.org.uk

9. Chile – Pax Americana and the Weaponization of Space will show in 5 cinemas across the country during space week denis@intrepidofilms.com

10. Colorado Springs, Colorado (Oct 8) Vigil at noon outside the office of the Chamber of Commerce and Economic Development Council. Theme will be opposition to current dependency on military spending, especially Star Wars and Cyber War spending with a strong suggestion that we move the money to other endeavors bsulzman@juno.com

11. Colorado Springs, Colorado (Oct 8) Demonstration at 3:30 pm outside the gates of Schriever AFB, home of the Space Warfare Center and numerous other Star Wars programs bsulzman@juno.com

12. Duluth, Minnesota (Oct 7) Pax Americana and the Weaponization of Space showing at Labor Temple, Andy Anderson (218) 724-1891
13. Florence, Oregon (Oct 9) Showing Pax Americana and the Weaponization of Space at Siuslaw Public Library, 4:30 pm shenderson88@hotmail.com
14. Fylingdales, England (Oct 4) Guided walk to launch the new guide to Fylingdales U.S. radar facility. Bring weatherproof clothing and sturdy footwear. Meet Ellerbeck Car Park, A169, near Whitby. Yorkshire CND info@yorkshirecnd.org.uk
15. Fukuoka, Japan (Oct 3) Public forum on space weaponization at Salon de Sofia, 2:00 pm, seamesky@sand.ocn.ne.jp
16. Jalgaon, India (Oct 4) Round table discussion of space issues in the Nutan Marathi College jnrao1936@rediffmail.com
17. Jammu, India (Oct 15) Bruce Gagnon speaks with local activists about space issues jnrao1936@rediffmail.com
18. Jeju Island, South Korea (Oct 2) During one-day Island of Peace march, screenings including 'The Life and Peace Village, Il-Gangjeong is Alive' (produced by Kim Min-Soo) and 'Pax Americana and the Weaponization of Space' (translated in Korean) in the Joongduk coast, Gangjeong village where the struggle against the Jeju naval base plan has been going on, 7pm. Contact Go Gwon-II kkipopo@naver.com and armha5156@gmail.com
19. Leeds, England (Oct 6) Showing Pax Americana and the Weaponization of Space at Leeds Metropolitan University, Yorkshire CND info@yorkshirecnd.org.uk
20. Menwith Hill, England (Oct 2) Demonstration at NSA Spy Base in Yorkshire, Sponsored by CAAB mail@caab.corner.org.uk
21. Nagpur, India (Oct 3) Demonstration in the Railway Colony jnrao1936@rediffmail.com
22. Nagpur, India (Oct 7) Space issues meeting in the Matru Seva Sangh Institute of Social Work jnrao1936@rediffmail.com
23. Nagpur, India (Oct 9-11) National conference on Achieving a Nuclear Weapons and Missile Defense Free Asia jnrao1936@rediffmail.com
24. New York City, New York (Oct 7) Noon educational event in local park nyleaf@verizon.net
25. North Andover, Massachusetts (Oct 4) Bruce Gagnon speaks at Merrimack College about

Raytheon's role in Star Wars, John Schuchardt (978) 356-9395

26. Omaha, Nebraska (Oct 16) Nebraskans for Peace annual peace conference will feature Mike Moore & Loring Wirbel on "The New StratCom's de facto motto: Warfighting Is Our Vocation"

WalteRinne@neb.rr.com

27. Oslo, Norway (Sept 27) Pax Americana and the Weaponization of Space film showing with panel discussion to follow, Literary House, 6:00 pm d-soerb@online.no

28. Oxford, England (Sept 25) Pax Americana and the Weaponisation of Space film showing at East Oxford Community Centre, 8.00 pm, oxonpeace@yahoo.co.uk

29. Prague, Czech Republic (Oct 9) Demonstration in the Wenceslaw Square against demanded USA military base and anti-rocket center in the Czech Republic, Citizens Initiative No Bases

czechpeace@volny.cz

30. RAF Croughton, England (Oct 2) Rally at U.S. communication base, noon-3:00 pm, Oxfordshire Peace Campaign, oxonpeace@yahoo.co.uk

31. San Francisco, California (Oct 10) Codepink March and Rally on Golden Gate Bridge, Keep Space for Peace, Stop Drone Warfare ratherbenyckeling@comcast.net

32. San Jose, California (Oct 8) Program on Drones=Terrorism and showing of Silent Screams video, WILPF, at San Jose Peace Center 7:00 pm grannies@wilpfsanjose.org

33. Seattle, Washington (Oct 5) Vigil, leafleting and street theatre focusing on local weapons contractor Boeing's involvement in the militarization of space 11:00-1:00 pm, in front of the Federal Building, 2nd & Marion, Sponsored by Ground Zero Center for Nonviolent Action

subversivepeacemaking@comcast.net

34. Spain - Pax Americana and the Weaponization of Space will show in 47 cinemas across the country during space week denis@intrepidofilms.com

35. Srinagar, India (Oct 17-19) Bruce Gagnon speaks with local activists about space issues

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36. Tokyo, Japan (Oct 8) Symposium: How to construe the military plan under the Democratic Party of Japan 6:30 pm at PPS Conference Room kojis@agate.plala.or.jp

37. Tucson, Arizona (Oct 1-4) Workshops on "Space war business" during Southwest Catholic Worker gathering <http://encuentro.catholicworker.biz/schedule.html>

38. Tucson, Arizona (Oct 4) Vigil at Raytheon during Southwest Catholic Worker gathering

nukeresister@igc.org

39. Tucson, Arizona (Oct 9) WILPF forum and action meeting from 2–4 pm in the Himmel Park Library

including film 'A Space for Peace' edelsky@earthlink.net

40. Uruguay – Pax Americana and the Weaponization of Space will show in 3 cinemas across the

country during space week denis@intrepidofilms.com

41. Valley Forge, Pennsylvania (Oct 9) Nonviolent resistance at Lockheed Martin, the world's largest

weapons corporation and space weapons contractor, noon brandywine@juno.com

42. Washington DC (Oct. 1) Bruce Gagnon speaks at Dorothy Day Catholic Worker House on space

issues, 7:30 pm, Art Laffin, artlaffin@hotmail.com 202–360–6416

43. Washington DC (Oct 4) Vigil at the Pentagon from 7:00 – 8:00 a.m. Art Laffin

artlaffin@hotmail.com

44. Washington DC (Oct 8) White House vigil from Noon – 1:00 p.m. Art Laffin, artlaffin@hotmail.com

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