

Its time to take a stand against this war!

It's time you joined

YOUTH AGAINST WAR AND RACISM!

Two years ago Bush launched a brutal war and occupation against the people of Iraq. Now, over 100,000 innocent Iraqis have been slaughtered and nearly 1,500 U.S. soldiers have perished for oil and empire. Bush justified the war by promising democracy for Iraq and security for the American people. Instead Iraqi society lies in ruins, amid mounting violence and worsening living conditions. Instead Bush's lies about weapons of mass destruction have been exposed and the occupation is increasing the threat of terrorist retaliations against U.S. targets. It's time we put a stop to this madness!

It is young people in the U.S. and in Iraq who bear the heaviest burden for Bush's imperialist adventure. Young people who joined the military for college money and job training have been sent into a hellish war-zone and are coming home with psychological damage, horrible injuries, or in body bags. While our schools face severe budget crises and college tuition sky-rockets, as decent paying jobs disappear, over \$200 billion has been wasted to seize control of Iraq's oil fields. Meanwhile the youth of Iraq are beginning to lose any hope of a decent future. No wonder they are joining the Iraqi resistance in growing numbers, throwing themselves against the gears of the U.S. war machine.

However, it's exactly because this war hurts us most that young people in the U.S. and in Iraq will be at the forefront of the movement to end the occupation. And we can stop this war! Just like our parents' generation forced the U.S. to pull out of Vietnam, we can and must build a mass anti-war movement today. But it won't just happen by wishing for it! We need to get ourselves educated and organized.

That's why we're forming Youth Against War and Racism (YAWR), to be a network for students and youth across the Twin Cities to share experiences, support each other with solidarity, and jointly organize a growing anti-war resistance. We are urging you to join with us and form a YAWR chapter at your school today!



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OUR Next Meeting will be:

Date:

Time:

Location:

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the CYCLE of VIOLENCE