PROTEST AGAINST NUCLEAR SUBMARINES



INVESTINE RECENCY WEAPONS

Join us in Barrow

12 noon: leafletting town centre.

1pm-3pm: rally on the High Level Bridge over Devonshire
Dock, Barrow-in-Furness, Cumbria



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SCRAP BRITAIN'S NUCLEAR WEAPONS

The Barrow Shipyard is at the centre of Britain's deadly nuclear weapons system. The shipyard is building a new generation of nuclear-armed submarines called the 'Dreadnought'.

These are to replace Britain's current nuclear submarines at a staggering cost of £205 billion. Each submarine carries missiles that can launch up to 40 nuclear bombs. Just one of these bombs is so powerful it could kill over a million people.

BAE Systems – the company which runs the shipyard – is also a key supplier of parts for the F-35 fighter jets that Israel has used to bomb Gaza.

In October 2024, a serious fire broke out at the shipyard, damaging one of the Dreadnought submarines. Accidents in the nuclear industry put the workforce at great risk, because they are working with such dangerous weapons systems. These nuclear dangers also risk the wider community – and the whole of the population. Thousands of iodine tablets have been handed out at nurseries, schools and colleges in Barrow, 'in case of a nuclear emergency.' With growing threats of war and the use of nuclear weapons, shipyards like Barrow could be on the frontline of any attacks.

Barrow and its hinterland need secure employment for future generations. Green energy is a critical, rapidly expanding industry. British Aerospace already have contracts to make wind turbines. The billions being wasted on nuclear weapons could be redirected into creating highly skilled, well-paid jobs that don't threaten people and planet.



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