

Peace Round-up – 2nd December 2021

A selection of items from a range of sources. Inclusion here does not imply full endorsement, but is based on current concerns of NFPB and its members.

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Climate, COP26 etc.

Faith groups and pilgrims lead COP26 protest

BBC News report - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-scotland-59102422>

Climate Action not Nukes

CND - <https://cnduk.org/climate-action-not-nukes>

They would walk 500 miles: meet the COP 26 pilgrims who got to Glasgow on foot

Guardian report

<https://www.theguardian.com/environment/2021/oct/31/they-would-walk-500-miles-meet-the-cop26-pilgrims-who-got-to-glasgow-on-foot-aoe>

Why Are Quakers in Britain at Cop 26

Quakers in Britain YouTube video - <https://www.youtube.com/watch/v%3DUgNCagb0fN4>

Global Military, Big Oil & Climate Change

Transform Defence for Global Human Safety

<https://transformdefence.org/icesculpture>

What's Missing from COP 26

Talk World Radio with Stuart Parkinson - <https://youtu.be/Cz8J1uta2eA>

This is loss and damage – who pays?

Make Polluters pay - <https://makepolluterspay.co.uk/sign-the-petition>

The Military Emissions Gap

New website - <https://militaryemissions.org>

EXPOSED: World's biggest polluter gets away with murder

YouTube video on military emissions - <https://youtu.be/EhPyVslGkTc>

COP 26: How the world's militaries hide their huge emissions

<https://theconversation.com/cop26-how-the-worlds-militaries-hide-their-huge-carbon-emissions-171466>

4 things the world still needs to hear from COP 26

Quakers in Britain - <https://www.quaker.org.uk/blog/what-the-world-needs-from-cop26>

Punch & Judy and the climate emergency

Gareloch Horties Women's Peace Action Group - <https://youtu.be/yBKa0Gnc51k>

It's a fairy tale that governments will fix our climate. It's up to us

Guardian article

<https://www.theguardian.com/commentisfree/2021/nov/12/its-a-fairytale-that-world-governments-will-fix-our-climate-crisis-its-up-to-us>

The Elders deplore dereliction of leadership at COP 26

The Elders.org - <https://theelders.org/news/elders-deplore-dereliction-leadership-cop26-gives-leaders-twelve-months-take-more-decisive>

Statement on COP 26 outcomes

Quakers in Britain - <https://www.quaker.org.uk/news-and-events/news/quakers-in-britain-statement-on-cop26-outcomes>

The Deadly Connections between space militarisation and the climate crisis

Antiwar Coalition YouTube video - <https://www.youtube.com/watch/v%3D6NulscSo7Bs%26fbclid>

Did COP 26 deliver?

Scientists for Global Responsibility

<https://sgr.org.uk/resources/did-cop26-deliver-thoughts-scientists-global-responsibility>

Our shared world won't wait

Quakers in Britain - <https://quaker.org.uk/blog/our-shared-world-won-t-wait>

Protest prompts Scottish Ballet to review BP sponsorship

The Friend - <https://thefriend.org/article/protest-prompts-scottish-ballet-to-review-bp-sponsorship>

General

Indefensible: Debunking myths of arms industry

<https://www.projectindefensible.org>

Jailed three times for refusing to join the army

BBC News report - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/av/world-middle-east-59084408>

Britain shouldn't rely on the poppy appeal to support veterans

<https://inews.co.uk/opinion/britain-rely-royal-british-legion-poppy-appeal-support-veterans-1278033>

Higher Defence Spending does not equal Greater Security

dEducation video - <https://youtu.be/sj1pEofz8uQ>

Ethical investors pressure Serco to drop nuclear weapons bid

CND Cymru - <https://www.cityam.com/serco-pulls-out-of-race-to-manage-uk-nuclear-weapons>

Remembrance Resources

Fellowship of Reconciliation - <https://for.org.uk/resources/remembrance>

Let remembrance inspire a commitment to peace

Ekklesia - <https://www.ekkleisia.co.uk/2021/11/07/6445>

B-52s & B1-Bs in massive show of military might over North Sea

Gloucestershire live via Menwith Hill Accountability Campaign

<https://www.gloucestershirelive.co.uk/news/gloucester-news/usaf-b-52s-join-b1-6189735>

Greenham Common Women's Peace Camp changed my life – and the world

Open Democracy opinion piece

<https://www.opendemocracy.net/en/opendemocracyuk/greenham-common-womens-peace-camp-changed-the-world-and-my-life>

Remembrance & White Poppies

Alternative Remembrance service video

Peace Pledge Union - <https://www.ppu.org.uk/remembrance-white-poppies/fbclid>

What lies behind Parliament's military cos-play scheme?

Forces Watch - <https://www.forceswatch.net/comment/what-lies-behind-parliaments-military-cosplay-scheme>

Targetting Trident: how divestment is impacting the nuclear weapons industry

Bella Caledonia article

<https://bellacaledonia.org.uk/2021/11/15/targeting-trident-how-divestment-is-impacting-the-nuclear-weapons-industry>

Parents call for British Army college to be shut down after abuse claims

Guardian report

<https://www.theguardian.com/uk-news/2021/nov/18/parents-call-for-british-army-college-to-be-shut-down-after-abuse-claims>

Why we need non-military security - with Prof Paul Rogers

Video from *Conscience* webinar

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PNBU-O8Clwg&feature=youtu.be>

Securing our Common Future: Why the UK needs an Alternative Security Review

Video of *Alternative Security Review* launch event <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TzaGJkIbEhw>

RAF to deploy aircraft to remote Scottish islands

<https://ukdefencejournal.org.uk/raf-to-deploy-aircraft-to-remote-scottish-islands/>

Nobody wins a 'modern' war: only cooperation can beat killer robots, climate change and nuclear weapons

<https://yorkshirebylines.co.uk/news/world/nobody-wins-a-modern-war-only-cooperation-can-beat-killer-robots-climate-change-and-nuclear-weapons/>

Democracy, nuclear weapons and disarmament in the US and UK

<https://youtu.be/UQD2BkZr91M>

Enduring noisy fighter jets is part of Wales' military 'contribution', Tory MP suggests

<https://nation.cymru/news/enduring-noisy-fighter-jets-is-part-of-wales-military-contribution-tory-mp-suggests/>