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Preface

One year ago the Centre for Social Cohesion published ‘Virtual Caliphate’, an investigation into the online activity of a number of British-based Islamic extremists. That report – the first of its kind – went some way towards alerting people to the way in which extremists are able to use the internet to organise and spread hatred.

On 14 July 2009 another type of British-based extremist will take their seats at the European Parliament in Brussels. The election of two British National Party (BNP) leaders to sit as Members of the European Parliament representing the UK has rightly been described as a source of national shame.

It is likely that many people who voted for the BNP did so under the impression that the small quantity of cleaning-up which the party has attempted in recent years represented some genuine step towards political legitimacy. As this investigation into the online activities of BNP party members, leaders and supporters shows, nothing could be further from the case. This report shows that members and supporters of the BNP continue to hold and express the vilest racist, antisemitic, homophobic and sexist views, doing so in a manner, and with a ferocity, shocking even to those of us who thought our opinion of the BNP could never be lower.

Before the European elections the mainstream political parties and media in Britain laboured under the impression that ignoring the BNP would starve them of the oxygen of publicity and thus limit their electoral chances. That strategy has failed. In the wake of the elections, those of us who hope to defeat extremism in all its forms must have a re-think. It is time to better reveal the true nature of organisations like the BNP.

This report aims to go some of the way to doing that. When we published ‘Virtual Caliphate’ it was in the belief that the public and government should be better aware of the hate-filled world-view which one type of extremist would force upon us. A year on we are showing the hate-filled world-view which their counter-part extremists would also force upon us and which must be rejected just as forcefully.

In building awareness of these growing – and growingly violent – extremes, we at the Centre for Social Cohesion again hope to alert the government and public to a problem on the basis that only by knowing about the enemies of liberal democracy can its supporters defend themselves and indeed, it must be hoped, eventually defeat those enemies.

Douglas Murray

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Centre for Social Cohesion
13th July 2009
The rise of the British National Party (BNP) could not be better illustrated than by their success in the 2009 European elections, with both Nick Griffin and Andrew Brons winning seats in the European Parliament. This small success has granted the BNP access to the kind of funding and influence that it has never before enjoyed.

A significant part of this success has been attributed to the leadership’s campaign to ‘change the face’ of the party into a more moderate and mainstream organisation. Through an analysis of the online BNP network, which includes the blogs of official party members and activists, and the official YouTube ‘channel’ of the party, this report will examine the extent to which the party has moderated. Although there are many other studies which must take place before a more comprehensive answer can be provided, we have identified the internet activity of the party and its members, supporters and activists as a particularly revealing starting point.

One of the major findings of this report is that many members of the online BNP network share, to some extent, a neo-Nazi ideology. This ideology is based on the notion that European nations should be ‘purged’ of their non-white populations and that ‘the white race’ is currently under attack from a number of perceived aggressors. The ideology is fuelled by a hatred which is very often directed specifically towards Jewish and Muslim communities and homosexuals as well as all non-white races. Neo-Nazis seek to dehumanise these groups, making it far easier to treat ‘non-whites’ in a humiliating and often violent manner. The final aim of all neo-Nazis is the ethnic cleansing of their particular area or country, in this instance Britain, either through legislation or, in more extreme cases, violence.

Although it must be noted that the BNP is not itself a violent organisation, the ideology held by many of its members and supporters shares crucial similarities to the ideology of neo-Nazi terrorists. The often violent nature of this ideology is particularly significant given the recent global rise in white supremacist terrorist activity, particularly in the United Kingdom and the United States. In July 2009, Scotland Yard’s counter-terrorism command revealed the extent to which they have assessed the threat of neo-Nazi terrorism. Commander John Sawer told a gathering of British Muslims that "I fear that they [neo-Nazis] will have a spectacular [terrorist attack]... they will carry out an attack that will lead to a loss of life or injury to a community somewhere. They're not choosy about which community." The Guardian newspaper was also told by senior sources from within the Metropolitan Police that the rise in the ideology of neo-Nazism may lead to “an increased possibility of violence from the far right…[from] people who don't like immigration, people who don't like Islam. We're seeing a resurgence of anti-semitism as well.”

These fears are not without some foundation. In the United States, well known white supremacist James von Brunn carried out a terrorist attack on the Holocaust Memorial Museum in Washington DC, where he shot and murdered a security guard before being killed by return fire. Von Brunn was also an associate of the BNP, having attending meetings of ‘American Friends of the BNP’.

In the UK, it was revealed in July 2009 that an alleged white supremacist terrorist network was uncovered by the police. According to reports, this network had access to 300 weapons and 80

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1 Dodd, V. ‘Police fear far-right terror attack’, Guardian, 6 July 2009
bombs, and involved at least 32 people all of whom have been questioned. Significantly, a police raid on the home of one suspected member of this network, who has subsequently been charged under the Terrorism Act, yielded a BNP membership card among other items. Given the nature of this report it is also significant that Sir Norman Bettison, chief constable of West Yorkshire Police, admitted that “The internet gives it [the terrorist network] reach and scope.”

It has been claimed by many commentators and analysts that the vast majority of the votes gained by the BNP represent a protest against the mainstream parties rather than a growing affinity to the ideology of neo-Nazism. Although there is undoubtedly disillusion with mainstream politicians, there is also evidence which indicates the strong support a significant number of BNP voters have for many of the key aspects of the neo-Nazi ideology. A YouGov poll on the European election, conducted between 29 May and 4 June 2009, polled 32,268 people, 985 of which were BNP voters. The poll found that 44% of BNP voters disagreed with the statement: “non-white British citizens who were born in this country are just as ‘British’ as white citizens born in this country.” Almost half of those (21%) said they strongly disagreed with this statement, compared to 2% and 3% of respective Labour and Conservative voters. The poll also found that 31% of BNP voters believed in white Britons’ intellectual superiority over their black compatriots. 18% of BNP voters also said that they believed in theories about the Holocaust that suggest it has been exaggerated.

Apart from the obvious threat of violence, this ideology presents a great threat to community cohesion in the United Kingdom, and particularly to the relationships between various ethnic, racial and religious communities. The findings of this report suggest that the online BNP support network is growing and at the very least, the party continues to attract and empower adherents to the neo-Nazi ideology.

The BNP leadership now insist that they are a legitimate political party on a par with Labour, the Conservatives and the Liberal Democrats. As such, we must then hold them to the same standards of the three main parties and, as this report will demonstrate, they fall far short of what is required.

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12 July 2009

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2 Leppard, D., ‘Bomb seizures spark far-right terror plot fear’, The Times, 5 July 2009
Methodology

The BNP denies links to neo-Nazism or to the promotion of racial hatred, antisemitism, and Holocaust denial. This report examines the extent to which many of its members and supporters continue to advocate such views online and associate with, and link to the websites of, those who do.

The aim of this report is to look beyond the BNP’s official pronouncements and to examine instead the views of its members, supporters and activists, focusing on their use of internet media. This study is based on an investigation of material found on BNP and BNP activist YouTube pages as well as BNP affiliated or related blogs, discussion forums and online bookshops. The web pages were accessed between June 8 and June 28 2009 and archived copies of the material cited are available.

This report takes the official BNP and BNP member YouTube pages, blogs and bookshops as its starting point. Given the interactive nature of many of the websites investigated Part Two also examines the material provided by online BNP activists, self-identified BNP supporters as well as those who interact with or post prolifically on official sites or blogs. Part Three investigates two publishing houses whose books are recommended by Excalibur, the official merchandising operation of the BNP.

The report provides a snapshot into the mindset of a significant number of BNP members, online supporters and activists in the run up to the 2009 European elections. The report is based on internet sites and user accounts with the most prolific activity.

Due to nature of this report and of the individuals analysed, the author has chosen not to censor expletives or correct grammar or spelling when quoting from original sources. All quotations have therefore been left in their original format.
Background

The current BNP Constitution states that ‘The British National Party stands for the preservation of the national and ethnic character of the British people and is wholly opposed to any form of racial integration between British and non-European peoples’.

Section 2.1 of the Constitution provides a detailed definition of the BNP’s outlook:

“The British National Party represents the collective National, Environmental, Political, Racial, Folkish, Social, Cultural, Religious and Economic interests of the indigenous Anglo-Saxon, Celtic and Norse folk communities of Britain and those we regard as closely related and ethnically assimilated or assimilable aboriginal members of the European race also resident in Britain. Membership of the BNP is strictly defined within the terms of, and our members also self define themselves within, the legal ambit of a defined ‘racial group’ this being ‘Indigenous Caucasian’ and defined ‘ethnic groups’ emanating from that Race.”

Section 2.2 defines ‘the British people’ as:

“The indigenous British ethnic groups deriving from the class of ‘Indigenous Caucasian’ consist of members of: i) The Anglo-Saxon Folk Community; ii) The Celtic Scottish Folk Community; iii) The Scots-Northern Irish Folk Community; iv) The Celtic Welsh Folk Community; v) The Celtic Irish Folk Community; vi) The Celtic Cornish Folk Community; vii) The Anglo-Saxon-Celtic Folk Community; viii) The Celtic-Norse Folk Community; ix) The Anglo-Saxon-Norse Folk Community; x) The Anglo-Saxon-Indigenous European Folk Community; xi) Members of these ethnic groups who reside either within or outside Europe but ethnically derive from them.”

The Constitution reveals an organisation whose membership is restricted solely to white people and which stands ‘wholly opposed to any form of racial integration between British and non-European peoples’, effectively an ideology of apartheid.

In the June 2009 European election, the BNP gained its first ever Members of the European Parliament (MEPs), with party leader Nick Griffin and veteran far-right figure Andrew Brons being elected to the European Parliament. This was, to quote one openly neo-Nazi supporter of the BNP, a ‘Rubicon Moment’ in the history of far-right politics in the UK.

Griffin has a long history of extremism including denying the Holocaust, attempting to solicit funds from Libya's Colonel Ghadaffi, claiming the British media are controlled by a Jewish cabal, and receiving a conviction for inciting racial hatred. Since becoming leader of the BNP in 1999, however, Griffin has engaged in a slow process of 'modernising' the party, seeking to change its image from being an organisation firmly connected with the ideology of neo-Nazism to a part of the political mainstream in Britain.

In 2000, Griffin shared a platform with former Ku Klux Klan leader David Duke. Addressing a

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7 Nick Griffin: Right-wing chameleon
crowd of American ‘white nationalists’, he laid out his plans for taking the BNP forward:

There’s a difference between selling out your ideas, and selling your ideas. And the British National Party isn’t about selling out its ideas … but we are determined now to sell them. And that means basically to use the saleable words. As I say, freedom, security, identity, democracy. Nobody can criticise them, nobody can come at you and attack you on those ideas. They are saleable.

Perhaps one day, once by being rather more subtle we’ve got ourselves in a position where we control the British broadcasting media, then perhaps one day the British people might change their mind and say, “Yes, every last one must go.” Perhaps they will one day, but if you offer that as your sole aim to start with, you’re gonna get absolutely nowhere. So, instead of talking about racial purity, we talk about identity.9

In recent years, Griffin has succeeded in keeping the majority of racist and pro-Nazi sentiment among BNP members and supporters out of the public eye. His ideas for ‘selling’ the party have been put into effect and the ‘saleable words’ are used on the BNP website and its publications. Where once the BNP produced magazines such as John Tyndall’s ‘Spearhead’ and Griffin’s ‘The Rune’, filled with racist ideology and Holocaust denial, it now produces a magazine called ‘Identity’. Where once BNP newspapers were aimed at football thugs and racists, the party now publishes ‘Voice of Freedom’, a newspaper that offers toned down ‘patriotic’ content and discussion of the BNP’s commitment to democracy.

Griffin’s comments are telling. He clearly expresses an agenda (‘the British National Party isn’t about selling out its ideas’) and an approach in which the party’s underlying ideology will be obscured using euphemisms, as demonstrated in his example of swapping talk of ‘racial purity’ for talk of ‘identity’. The findings of this report show that such a two-tiered system is still very much in place.

Writing in 2000, Professor Roger Griffin warned of the growing number of European far-right parties that were making gains through ‘re-branding’ strategies:

[These parties] vary considerably in their programmes and aspirations, and can sincerely claim to have nothing to do with historic fascism in the conventional sense of the word. Yet in a world inoculated against openly revolutionary varieties of palingenetic ultranationalism, their axiomatic rejection of multi-culturalism, their longing for ‘purity’, their nostalgia for a mythical world of racial homogeneity and clearly demarcated boundaries of cultural differentiation, their celebration of the ties of blood and history over reason and a common humanity, their rejection of ius soli for ius sanguinis, their solvent-like abuse of history represent a reformist version of the same basic myth, one which poses a more serious threat to liberal democracy than fascism because it is able to disguise itself, rather like a stick insect posing as a twig to catch its prey.10

His warnings about such organisations now take on a new relevance in an age which has produced two BNP MEPs.

9 http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bfwdNAT8sWU
Executive Summary

This investigation into the online activities of BNP members and activists reveals that the racial ideology of the BNP has not changed from the early days in which the founder John Tyndall was party leader, when open expressions of Nazism were tolerated in the party.

The report has found that a significant number of BNP members and online grass-roots activists displayed significant ideological affinity with key tenets of the neo-Nazi ideology, including: support for violence; antisemitism and an admiration of the Third Reich; extreme racist views; and Holocaust denial.

Support for violence:
- Lee Barnes – leading member and head of the BNP legal team – supports the National Front on his blog. He refers to the group as a valid ‘nationalist’ organization and suggests that they operate as a street force for the BNP.
- Barnes advocates the downfall of western civilization: ‘The West deserves all it gets. The faster the fools that run the West destroy the West the better.’
- The BNP supporting blog Britain Awake praises Combat 18 and supports violent attacks on Muslim women. Britain Awake is hosted by a self-described member of the BNP who claims to have attended the party’s exclusive Red, White and Blue festival.

Antisemitism and an admiration of the Third Reich:
- The official BNP YouTube account and the official YouTube accounts of the Thurrock and Burnley BNP branches show close links with neo-Nazi and antisemitic activists and organizations, as do the users who have been accepted as ‘friends’11 of these channels.
- Blogs run by members and self-professed supporters of the BNP continue to host, and offer links to, material that is pro-Nazi, racist, antisemitic, and homophobic.
- A member of the Covert Tactics blog, strongly linked with the BNP, refers to Jews as ‘greedy subhuman scum’. One member, Tommy Williams, is a neo-Nazi whose name appeared on the leaked list of BNP members. The blog expresses admiration for Hitler and has on a number of occasions denied or trivialised the Holocaust.

Extreme racist views:
- So-called patriotic concerns of the BNP mask an underlying fear of racial ‘dissolution’ and a commitment to ‘soft’ ethnic cleansing in the form of policies attempting to coerce non-white Britons into leaving the UK.

Holocaust denial:
- The BNP website promotes books by neo-Nazi publishing houses which are dedicated to rehabilitating Nazism and denying the Holocaust.

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11 This refers to YouTube users who have chosen to associate their profiles with a certain YouTube channel.
Current BNP leader Nick Griffin’s policy of ‘rebranding’ the BNP has managed to attract considerable support from disaffected white Britons, many of whom are undoubtedly unaware of the extent of the party’s underlying extremism.

The blogs and forums run by BNP members and supporters, however, show that the dividing line between the BNP’s ‘white nationalism’ and openly pro-Nazi sentiment is often very thin. In a number of examples, that barrier is non-existent.

This report shows that BNP continues to promote an ideology centred on race and racism. It is a socially divisive organisation that is attempting to rebrand as a conventional political party in order to gain the legitimacy that some European far-right parties have managed to achieve in recent years.
14 Words: The '14 Words' (sometimes alluded to through use of the number '14') is a formulation popular among supporters of white racism: 'We must secure the existence of our people and a future for white children'. The '14 Words' were first written by David Lane, a leading member of the American neo-Nazi terrorist organisation 'The Order'. In the 1980s, The Order, also known as the Brüder Schweigen or Silent Brotherhood, waged a criminal campaign that included bank robberies, counterfeiting, the bombing of a synagogue, and the murder of a Jewish talk radio host. In the aftermath of the collapse of The Order, during which its leader Robert Mathews died in a gun fight with police, over 75 men and women were tried and convicted of various criminal charges connected to the group.

88: This numerical code translates as 'Heil Hitler' (the letter 'h' being the 8th letter of the alphabet).

Blood & Honour: An organisation originally set up in Britain in the 1980s by Ian Stewart Donaldson of the neo-Nazi rock band 'Skrewdriver' to promote 'white power' music, Blood & Honour ('B&H'; '28') is openly neo-Nazi and its members and supporters seek to resurrect National Socialism in majority white nations. Its 'political wing' has traditionally been Combat 18, although various groups are now allied with the Blood & Honour movement including the Racial Volunteer Force, the British Freedom Fighters, and the British People's Party in the UK. The organisation takes its name from the 1935 ‘Law for the Protection of German Blood and German Honour’ which banned marriages between Jews and 'nationals of German or kindred blood' in order to maintain 'the purity of German blood'.

Combat 18: Often referred to as 'C18' or alluded to by use of the number '18', Combat 18 is a paramilitary neo-Nazi organisation founded in the UK but now with international branches. Its members have been linked to a number of terrorist acts. While Combat 18 members formerly provided security at BNP events, the organisation is now officially proscribed by the BNP. The '18' in the group's name means 'Adolf Hitler' (A=1, H=8).

Holocaust Revisionism: A term used by those who seek to deny, minimise, or trivialise the full extent of the Nazi extermination campaign against the European Jewry. In this subculture of pseudo-history, the Holocaust is sometimes mockingly referred to as the 'Holohoax'. BNP leader Nick Griffin is amongst those who have used this term in the past.12

National Socialism: The political ideology of Nazi Germany, which included the assertion of white or 'Aryan' superiority and the demonisation of the Jewish people. Often referred to as 'NS'.

Neo-Nazi: One who seeks to emulate Nazi Germany and its racial ideology. Neo-Nazis often use the coded language above (with '14/88' being a particularly popular slogan) and usually advocate antisemitic conspiracy theories and Holocaust denial.

Odinism: A form of Northern European neo-paganism centred on the Norse god Odin (also rendered as 'Woden' and 'Wotan', which is sometimes used as an acronym for 'Will Of The Aryan Nation'). Odinism (or 'Heathenism') is not an intrinsically racist belief system and there

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are many anti-racist pagans. However, the idea of reviving a ‘Nordic’ or ‘Aryan’ religion based around race, blood, and soil has long appealed to white racists, finding early expression in pre-Nazi ‘volkisch’ movements, entering into the symbolism of National Socialism, and remaining popular among post-war neo-Nazi and ‘white nationalist’ groups. Runic symbols popular among Odinists were widely used in the Third Reich, with the logo of the SS, made up of two Sig runes, being a prominent example.

RaHoWa: A rallying cry among some neo-Nazis, ‘RaHoWa’ stands for ‘Racial Holy War’.

Runes: The runic alphabet was used in various Germanic languages prior to the adoption of the Latin alphabet and consists of a series of symbols known as runes. In Norse mythology, the god Odin is said to have hanged himself from Yggdrasil (the World Tree) in order to gain wisdom and in doing so came to possess the runes. Both Nazi Germany and the neo-Nazi movement have been fascinated by the runes, with some seeing them as having some kind of mystical power, while others have simply used them as symbols meant to represent various aspects of Nordic (‘Aryan’) ideology. For example, the Odal rune corresponds with inheritance, which can be interpreted in Nazi thinking as the ‘racial inheritance’ of blood and soil. Another example of the use of the rune as a symbol of racist thought is found in BNP Chairman Nick Griffin’s now defunct journal ‘The Rune’. In the journal, Griffin published articles denying the Holocaust and praised Hitler’s Waffen SS.

Stormfront: The internet’s largest and longest running ‘white nationalist’ discussion forum. Founded and maintained by Don Black, a veteran neo-Nazi recently added to the list of those who are barred from entering Britain, Stormfront has over 170,000 members and plays host to numerous pro-Nazi discussions, as well as material advocating antisemitism, Holocaust denial, and white supremacy. Self-identified members and supporters of the BNP regularly contribute to the forum.

WP: This term can be shorthand for ‘White Pride’ or ‘White Power’.

WPWW: This stands for ‘White Pride World Wide’ and is the slogan of the Stormfront internet discussion forum.

ZOG: ‘Zionist Occupation Government’ or ‘Zionist Occupied Government’. An antisemitic term used by neo-Nazis and other antisemites to refer to the notion that the world’s governments are puppets of a Jewish ‘hidden hand’. The Order, for example, proclaimed that it had declared ‘war’ on ‘ZOG’.
PART 1: THE BNP’s YOUTUBE PRESENCE

For many of its users, YouTube.com - the popular video sharing and file hosting website - also functions as a social networking site offering many of the same services as Facebook, MySpace, and other similar websites. Each YouTube user is allocated a page called a 'channel' where they can provide personal information, a photograph, and display their uploaded videos, their favourite videos uploaded by others, and create video 'playlists' on specific themes. As with other social networking websites, YouTube users can send friend requests to other users and accept other users' invitations. Messages can be sent to other users privately or left on the user's publicly visible comments section, equivalent to the 'wall' on Facebook.

On its official website, the BNP actively encourages its members and online activists to set up accounts on social networking websites in order to 'spread the truth about the British National Party' online. Part One is an analysis of five major BNP supporting YouTube accounts: the BNP’s YouTube account; two official BNP branch accounts; and a further two belonging to self-identified BNP members.

BNP YouTube channel: bnprenaissance - BRITISH NATIONAL PARTY

The BNP's official presence on YouTube appears to be 'bnprenaissance' - a YouTube channel directly linked to (without any disclaimer) on the official BNP website. The host of the bnprenaissance channel says:

I am here to further the cause of the British National Party. The BNP is the foremost patriotic political party in Britain [...] From personal experience I know that the majority of people do agree with BNP policies and so it is my job here on youtube to make people aware of the real BNP beyond the lies of the liberal media. Liberal journalists and politicians frequently call anybody with different views extremists in order to stifle debate on such genuine issues as immigration.

The 'lies' being referred to here are claims that the BNP remains beneath the surface an unreconstructed racist party built on admiration for 20th Century European Fascism.

Amongst the large collection of BNP promotional material uploaded to this account is footage of one of the BNP’s longest serving activist members - Richard Edmonds - giving a speech at a party meeting. Edmonds is introduced with the words, ‘Richard represents the history and tradition of our party’. In his speech Edmonds speaks of the 'disgusting lies and trash' of the BNP's opponents and tells his audience that '[t]his party was formed by patriots who could see clearly that the old parties had failed us, had failed the British people'.

As a founding member of the BNP, Edmonds was closely associated with the 'patriots' whom he refers to, and was a supporter of John Tyndall, the party's founding leader. Tyndall was a well known supporter of Hitler and antisemite who as a former member of the National Socialist Movement, dressed in Nazi uniforms, referred to Mein Kampf as 'my Bible', and was sentenced

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13 The Facebook 'wall' is the primary means of public communication between friends over Facebook. Members of Facebook may pass on messages, videos, images and links to friends by posting them on their friends' Facebook 'wall'.
14 http://bnp.org.uk/resources/social-networking/
15 http://www.youtube.com/user/bnprenaissance
16 http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IDCWPYJXprg0
to six months' imprisonment for organising a neo-Nazi paramilitary unit.\textsuperscript{17}

In the late 1980s - while deputy leader of the BNP - Edmonds used a front organization for the BNP, 'The Centre for Historical Review',\textsuperscript{18} to publish the \textit{Holocaust News},\textsuperscript{19} a newspaper dedicated to denying the Holocaust, which was referred to as an 'evil hoax'. Despite the BNP officially distancing itself from Holocaust denial, Edmonds continues to take an active interest in the subject. In 2005, he attended a 'free speech' protest held for the author and holocaust denier David Irving.\textsuperscript{20} In his libel case against Deborah Lipstadt and Penguin Books Ltd in 2000, Irving was found in a British High Court ruling to have 'persistently and deliberately misrepresented and manipulated historical evidence'.\textsuperscript{21}

Edmonds was also sentenced to six months imprisonment in 1994 for the racially motivated 'glassing' of a black man in a London pub.\textsuperscript{22}

A look at the ‘friends’ of the bnprenaissance YouTube channel suggests that the views of Richard Edmonds are consistent with many members of the BNP online supporters network. Amongst bnprenaissance’s ‘friends’, a large number of usernames contain the code numbers ‘14’ and ‘88’, as well as clear pro-Nazi references such as use of the word ‘Aryan’.

The channels of a number of users requested or accepted as ‘friends’ of the bnprenaissance account reveal the extent to which the BNP and its supporters continue to associate with ideological racists and antisemites, as well as open supporters of Hitler and Nazism.

\textit{Friends of the bnprenaissance Channel:}

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The videos showcased by this user are of a political march taken from the neo-Nazi website ‘info14.com’, which shows supporters of Blood & Honour and the National Socialistisk Front (National Socialist Front),\textsuperscript{23} and his favourites list\textsuperscript{24} includes two videos of National Socialistisk Front members demonstrating in favour of Holocaust denier and pro-Nazi propagandist Ernst Zundel.

A comment on the channel from a user called 'justvote' states:

the BNP are with you, in great britain we have the same problem as does france, its time to act, not sleepwalk into our own destruction.

eventually the liberals will lead us into a civil war where we would like to stop immigration and the problems now.

their shortsighted liberal views will cost many many lives of our children. more

\textsuperscript{17} Nicholas Goodrick-Clarke (1998) \textit{Hitler's Priestess: Savitri Devi, the Hindu-Aryan Myth, and Neo-Nazism} (London: New York University Press): 189-206


\textsuperscript{19} Hope Not Hate, ‘A-Z of the BNP’, http://www.hopenothate.org.uk/the-real-bnp/A-Z-of-the-BNP.php#e

\textsuperscript{20} http://www.photographersdirect.com/buyers/stockphoto.asp?imageid=1651896

\textsuperscript{21} http://www.hurryupharry.org/2009/04/20/happy-birthday-hitler-love-from-david-irving/


\textsuperscript{23} http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rh46LKrVrfg

\textsuperscript{24} http://www.youtube.com/profile?user=mbimh&view=favorites
power to the nationalists, one good nationalist power in Europe and the tide will turn.

countesscristo

This user's picture is the BNP's 'Punish the Pigs' European Election image. Her channel refers to the 'Illuminated Elders of Pharisaic Zion', 'the Perverted books of the sons of the synagogue of Satan', and 'the fables of these Talmudic Jews and their lackeys the preachers of false Zionism'.

peterBNP

This user's picture is the BNP logo, and he encourages visitors to his channel to join the BNP, provides the Liverpool BNP postal address, and links to the Merseyside BNP blog. His friends include usernames such as ArrowedEagle88, diablo1010 (user image - Stormfront WPWW logo), AfricanCorpse, nfskinbitch, 14LoneWolf88, skinheadf88, StormOverEurope14, headhunter500, and SCREWDRIVER88UK.25

RockAndRollMassacre

This user's video uploads26 include contemporary BNP material such as a Nick Griffin clip, alongside videos of John Tyndall, archive footage of National Front marches, a documentary called 'The Brits Who Fought For Hitler', antisemitic material, and a 1938 Von Ribbentrop speech. His favourite videos27 include Holocaust denial material and a documentary called 'Ireland's Nazis'.

NordicJawa

This user describes himself as an 'Aryan Nationalist' and his favourite videos include 'Hitler',28 whose creator states: 'Some would say that I am a Nazi-sympathiser, which I cannot dispute'.

YouKnowIAmRight

25 As well as these openly Nazi accounts, peterBNP also has a number of BNP supporting accounts on his friends list, including a user called BNPmuscle, whose friends in turn include ariyanpower18 (user image: Third Reich death's head symbol), who thanks BNPmuscle for requesting his friendship with the words 'Glad To Accept 14/88', and liammit, whose user image is a swastika and features swastikas on his channel page. liammit states:

IM A WHITE MAN AND PROUD OF IT. ITS ABOUT TIME THE WHITE RACE CAME TOGETHER TO SEND ALL JEWS, NIGGERS AND MUSLIMS BACK TO THEIR CAVES AND JUNGLES WHERE THEY CAME FROM

HEIL 1488 BROTHERS

He lists his interests as 'PAKI BASHING' and has videos on his favourites list such as 'White power skinheads are the heroes' and 'UP YOURS NIGGER !!!'

BNPmuscle happily added the neo-Nazi users warforce88 and DerFinalSolution88 to his friends list in the run up to the European election, at the same time as Nick Griffin was posing in front of pictures of Spitfires and Winston Churchill and claiming the BNP is not a racist party.

26 http://www.youtube.com/profile?user=RockAndRollMassacre&view=videos

27 http://www.youtube.com/profile?user=RockAndRollMassacre&view=favorites

28 http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mseKZiL3OjI
This user tells readers to 'CONDEMN THE ZIONIST FILTH RUNNING ISRAEL', expresses support for Iranian President Mahmoud Ahmadinejad, refers to Columbia University's President as a 'squat little Zionist Khazar turd', and lists the following as his favourite books:

Hitlers War by David Irving in fact all David’s books are master pieces of truthfulness. And Adolf Hitlers masterpiece Mein Kampf The white mans bible Ben Klassen The Secret Doctrine by Blavatski

His uploaded videos include material promoting both Hitler and American Nazi Party founder George Lincoln Rockwell.

**belfastwizard**

This David Irving supporter has uploaded a number of videos, including a ‘Tribute to Saddam Hussein’ set to music by the neo-Nazi band ‘No Remorse’, clips of speeches by BNP founder John Tyndall and Oswald Mosley of the British Union of Fascists, and audio recordings of pro-Nazi radio broadcasts by the World War II traitor William Joyce (also known as Lord Haw Haw). This user’s favourite videos include the BNP’s European Election Broadcast 2009, ‘white power’ music, and videos promoting fascist dictators Saddam Hussein and the North Korean dictator Kim Jong II.

**heilgermany**

This user’s uploaded videos include ‘Deutschland über alles’, ‘Rudolf Hess - Tribute’, and ‘Hitler - A Tribute’. His favourite videos include a BNP Election Broadcast, a video from London BNP, a video featuring the BNP’s London Assembly member, Richard Barnbrook, various videos of the German far-right NPD, ‘Rare moments of the third reich’, another Hitler tribute, Holocaust denial videos, and ‘white power’ music.

**GroBdeutschesReich**

This user’s picture features various Third Reich figures including Hitler, and his page is decorated with Third Reich propaganda art, swastikas, and an SS logo. His 18 uploaded videos all feature clips from Nazi Germany, such as speeches by Hitler and Goebbels. The majority of this user’s favourite videos also feature footage from Nazi Germany.

**whitetubes1982**

This user claims to be ‘Ready to give my life to stop foreign filth entering ENGLAND’ and expresses support for ‘WHITE POWER’. He lists his occupation as ‘Getting rid of ASIANS’ and wants to ‘get rid of the filth’ and ‘kill pakis’. His favourite videos include a documentary on the Ku Klux Klan.

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29 [http://www.youtube.com/profile?user=YouKnowIAmRight&view=videos](http://www.youtube.com/profile?user=YouKnowIAmRight&view=videos)
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35 [http://www.youtube.com/profile?user=GroBdeutschesReich&view=favorites](http://www.youtube.com/profile?user=GroBdeutschesReich&view=favorites)
WhiteEuropa

This user proclaims himself to be a 'White proud Swedish National socialist and Europe Patriot!' and his favourite books include 'Mein Kampf, Revolt against the modern world, History of the white race'. Favourite videos\(^{36}\) include material on the Third Reich, 'Usury or Jewsury?', and Holocaust denier Ernst Zundel discussing 'Holocaust facts vs. fiction'.

irregularissue

This user's picture features a Nazi swastika flag and a nine part series entitled 'Holocaust Revisionism for Beginners' is placed prominently on his page. His 110 video uploads\(^{37}\) largely focus on Holocaust denial, pro-Nazi material, and 'anti-Zionism'.

The above YouTube users - who make up part of the online BNP support network - express an affinity with some of the vital aspects of neo-Nazi ideology, including: racial hatred, antisemitism, Holocaust denial, and the glorification of Hitler and the Third Reich. They have been either requested\(^{38}\) or accepted as 'friends' of the BNP’s primary supporting YouTube account, which is linked to by the official BNP website. The online appeal that the BNP has to adherents of neo-Nazism can be seen as a small indicator as to the nature of a significant portion of BNP members and supporters. At the very least the parties responsible for maintaining the BNP’s presence on YouTube are not averse to being connected with neo-Nazis and ideological racism. It is revealing that the BNP has not seen it necessary to publically distance themselves from the views held by those who support their YouTube channel, or provide a disclaimer on their official site which links to the channel.

Official YouTube Channels of BNP Regional Branches

Thurrock BNP official YouTube account:\(^{39}\)

Among this user's uploads,\(^{40}\) is a speech delivered to a Thurrock branch meeting by Richard Edmonds, along with videos featuring a song by the lead singer of the neo-Nazi band Skrewdriver, Ian Stewart Donaldson and a song by Stigger, also a Skrewdriver member.

Thurrock BNP branch has also uploaded the music video\(^{41}\) for a song called 'Triumph of the Will' by the openly Nazi American band 'Battlecry'. This is in keeping with the BNP's record of publicising modern Nazi music. Until recently the BNP website was selling a song recorded especially for the party by Battlecry, despite the band's undeniable immersion in the international neo-Nazi subculture and the blatant references to Nazism in their lyrics and song titles.\(^{42}\)

The Battlecry video on the official Thurrock BNP YouTube channel features scenes of the band performing in a studio, interspersed with photos and slogans of various 'white nationalist'...
figures. A photo of Nick Griffin appears early on in the video, and in the course of the song the viewer sees pictures of former Ku Klux Klan leader and antisemitic writer David Duke, 'Commander' Jeff Schoepp of the neo-Nazi American 'National Socialist Movement', the neo-Nazi singing twins 'Prussian Blue', Stormfront forum founder Don Black and a message in support of the Holocaust denier and pro-Nazi publisher and writer Ernst Zundel.

Among Thurrock BNP's 'friends' we find a Greek neo-Nazi who runs an account called RNSkins88. This user's channel features an SS logo and quotes the '14 Words'. His uploads include 'Waffen-SS', 'Jewish War Crimes', 'Final War - Rudolf Hess', and 'Final War Aryan Pride'.

**Burnley BNP official YouTube account:**

The Burnley BNP branch's official YouTube channel appears relatively innocuous. However, the following comment from a user called 'BowieTip' has been left undeleted for two years:

> King Edward the 1st signed a decree expelling Jews from England on July 18th in 1290. The Edict of Expulsion was never repealed hence Jews in modern England should be considered illegal aliens.

Such a comment would not be found on any website or blog of a mainstream political party in the UK. Moreover, Burnley BNP's 'friends' list reveals why such a comment has not been deleted. Numerous users openly express extreme prejudice and support for Nazism and Holocaust denial:

**Friends of the Official BNP Burnley Branch YouTube Channel**

**TheirKingdomWillFall**

This user links to the BNP's website and features BNP videos on his profile page. Video uploads include two videos of former BNP leader John Tyndall speaking at the 2004 EURO conference (in which he speaks of 'those who have the power today, and we know who they are') and a video featuring live performances from the 2007 Nordiska Festivalen (a yearly event organised by the Swedish neo-Nazi organisation Nordiska förbundet - The Nordic Alliance - and Nordiska förlaget – Nordic Publishing House), including songs by Prussian Blue and Saga.

The EURO (European American Unity and Rights Organization) conference is a yearly affair organised by former KKK leader David Duke, who is also the author of *My Awakening: A Path to Racial Understanding* (described on Duke's website as 'the most powerful book in print on the race and Jewish Question') and *Jewish Supremacism: My Awakening to the Jewish Question*. According to Duke's website, '[o]rganized Jewry can be clearly shown to have had world-wide strategic objectives since the beginning of the last century' and he also speaks of 'the politically correct Jewish versions of historical

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43 http://www.youtube.com/user/RNSkins88
44 http://www.youtube.com/user/burnleybnp
45 http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cPXf_9qZ7ml; http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N6pIqPOGbqs
46 http://www.whitecivilrights.com/
47 http://www.davidduke.com/general/my-awakening_130.html
events such as the Holocaust.  

Nick Griffin and current BNP deputy leader Simon Darby both appeared as guest speakers at the 2005 EURO conference. Other speakers included: Paul Fromm, a Canadian neo-Nazi who supports Holocaust denial and has spoken at a Hitler birthday celebration; Hitlerite singers Prussian Blue; Kevin Alfred Strom, a neo-Nazi leader and convicted paedophile; Holocaust denier, Lady Michele Renouf; and Don Black, a neo-Nazi currently barred from entering Britain. EURO continues to support the activities of the BNP and recently posted a video of the newly elected Griffin under the heading 'British National Party Makes Political History'.

BNPpride

This user states:

I am a proud, ardent Socialist, but I reject Egalitarianism’ and that '[t]he difference between the BNP and the Quasi-Marxist, egalitarianist establishment is that they endeavour to indoctrinate whilst the BNP endeavours to educate.

BNPpride offers links to the BNP website, David Duke's website, the racist 'American Renaissance' magazine, 'Future Generations' (a eugenics website), the neo-Nazi Stormfront forums, and the news site of the National Alliance. The National Alliance is a neo-Nazi group founded by Dr William Pierce. Pierce was a lifelong friend of BNP founder John Tyndall, and he began his career in George Lincoln Rockwell's American Nazi Party. His race war book, The Turner Diaries, inspired the neo-Nazi terrorist group The Order, the Oklahoma City bomber Timothy McVeigh and the British nail bomber and former BNP member, David Copeland.

BNPpride encourages visitors to 'find out for yourself' who controls the British media. The answer, unsurprisingly, is a Jewish conspiracy.

Amongst his video uploads we find David Duke videos entitled 'Russian Mafia is in fact Jewish' and 'How the Banks and Stock exchange is dominated by Jews', as well as 'Race Matters', a two part talk by Jared Taylor of 'American Renaissance'. 'BNPpride' comments:

Jared Taylor makes an eloquent speech as to why race is perhaps the most relevant component. Vote BNP, we are the only ones in Britain willing to do something about the colossal peril our great Western Civilization faces.

DONO1873

Uploaded videos include a song called 'The 14 Words teacher' and favourite videos

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48 http://www.davidduke.com/general/jewish-supremacism_129.html
49 http://www.whitecivilrights.com/?p=86
50 http://www.whitecivilrights.com/?p=2173
51 http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pKMJJiaVIM-s
include 'anti-Zionist' material as well as a video\textsuperscript{52} claiming that 'Masons and Israel' are 'Big Brother' and are responsible for 'censoring' YouTube users. Another almost identical channel, 14dono88,\textsuperscript{53} is also found amongst Burnley BNP's friends, and is presumably a back-up account for DONO1873. Comments on the page include:

You Bro.... Greetings from Jew Free Lincolnshire .... Keep up the Good work...

Wotan mit uns mein bruder. [Wotan is with us my brother]

WPWW 14

\textbf{HimmlerFrank}

This historical channel, added as a friend by Burnley BNP branch, includes videos of Prominent Nazi leaders, Adolf Hitler, Heinrich Himmler, Hermann Göring, Joseph Goebbels and Adolf Eichmann.

\textbf{bnpadam1}

This user's picture is a BNP rosette and he states:

want all the immagrants out they are destroying our society and where loosing our culture time to wake up if not white english, scottish, welsh or irish then piss off to wherever you or your family came from its the only way to save britian

vote bnp and put great back in great britian

\textbf{gulistangirl}

This user states she is opposed to 'Feminism, Atheism, Multi-Culturalism, Socialism'. Her video uploads include a series on 'White Metropolis', 'White Warrior', 'White Politics', 'White Loyalty', 'White Courage', 'White Love', and 'White Life', as well as 'Save the White Family'. What this all means in practice is given away by the videos in her favourites list, which include 'Adolf Hitler: Leader of the Titans', 'The Irish Blue Shirts', a video that 'Demonstrates the Excessive Level of Control that Jews Have Over the British Press', and a Holocaust denial video as well as a BNP promotional video.

\textbf{CensorshipIsBS}

This channel is dedicated to the 'hundreds' of YouTube users 'who are silenced everyday by Jewish extremists here on Youtube'. The user states: 'I love & respect MY racial heritage ENOUGH to PRESERVE its integrity & survival' and also provides many links to sites promoting racism, antisemitic conspiracy theories and Holocaust denial. This user has also compiled a number of video playlists: 'Auschwitz & Other Concentration Camps WWII' - consists of 27 Holocaust denial

\textsuperscript{52}http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LUiJ-vb2iUw

\textsuperscript{53}http://www.youtube.com/user/14dono88
videos.

'WWII History' - includes David Irving Holocaust denial videos.

'Banking and Usury' - includes antisemitic conspiracy videos.

'Nationalist Issues' - includes BNP promotional videos and speeches, alongside antisemitic material, racist content, a David Duke video and a George Lincoln Rockwell video.

This user’s favourite videos include: 'Not a single Jew died in a gas chamber' and 'The Transparent Cabal'.

1488bcb

This user's profile picture is a wolfsangel (the symbol of the 2nd SS Panzer Division Das Reich) and his uploads include various racist and antisemitic videos, with titles such as 'Kosher Pigs and their Political Correctness'. Favourite videos include: Third Reich clips, videos on Nazi occultism, neo-Nazi material and 'white power' music as well as BNP, NPD and FN videos. '1488bcb' offers links to sites including Stormfront and adolfthegreat.com.

NSAryan14

This UK user's channel picture bears the unambiguous words 'NSAryan 14/88' and their video uploads feature 'white power' music by bands such as No Remorse, Final Solution, Rahowa, and Skrewdriver. One of these songs, 'Allegiance' by Final Solution, includes the lyrics 'We're National Socialist Skinheads and we hail to the Führer' and 'load up your rifles and lace your boots'. Messages of support and friendship left on NSAryan14’s channel include comments from combat18sweden, SkrewdriverPatriots, 14UnitedNazi88, PaganStorm8814 (user picture: Combat 18 logo), and 14terrormachine28.

NSAryan14’s ‘friends’ (other than Burnley BNP) include BloodHonour28 (user picture: Blood & Honour Brotherhood logo), Stormtropper1488 (user picture: Combat 18 Terror Machine logo), spikeswoman (user picture: Ian Stuart Donaldson/Blood & Honour logo), WALV1SBAY (user picture: 'Blood and Honour - WHAT EVER IT TAKES' around an '88'), WhiteKriminals88 (user picture: Ian Stuart Donaldson/Blood & Honour logo) and Tumpli73 (user picture: Combat 18 logo).

HellzDelight

This user's picture is a flaming swastika with the words 'White Power'. He states:

BNP is what Britain needs to get rid of these fat cat leeches who run the government at present - who are a bunch of fucking fraudsters !!! They let Muslim people trample our land and wreak havoc in London and other large cities, preaching death to the west etc.

54 http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9xLVxbMcMOA
The country is fucked beyond repair and thanks to the government and police - we dare not speak out of place incase we are arrested for hate crimes ??? . . what ever happened to freedom of speech ?

Our great grandparents fought for this country and many died so the muslim people can have their freedom . . and we must respect that ???

FUCK THAT !!!

Favourite videos displayed on his page include 'Where we stand-BNP' and 'Hail to COMBAT 18'. Others include Third Reich speeches and music, 'white power' music, and another 'Hail Combat 18' video. In this C18 video, we see an Englishman wearing a balaclava and holding a handgun. He states: 'For those of you that have any doubts where the money's gone, it's gone on these. Now, the war is coming'. The video shows scenes of C18 weapons training, street violence, and neo-Nazis marching, along with messages such as 'Shoot those fucking niggers!!!'

GodwinCarpenter

This user's channel includes links to numerous antisemitic and Holocaust denying websites, claims Jews are responsible for the 9/11 attacks, and speaks of 'the Zionist Jew mass medias' and 'the Zionist Jew agendas'. He offers links to his account at the video sharing site dailymotion.com as well as to a viciously antisemitic blog he has set up called 'Jew Watch UK'. On his Dailymotion account, this user has uploaded a video entitled 'VOTE BNP', making it clear where he stands politically, as does his friends list.

His YouTube favourites list displays a fixation with Jew hatred, with many antisemitic and Holocaust denial videos, as well as racist material.

The accounts of the Thurrock and Burnley BNP branch accounts demonstrate the BNP's continuing relationship with the international neo-Nazi movement, its continuing grass roots promotion of Holocaust denial. Furthermore a significant amount of BNP supporters show an open admiration for racist ideology and particularly for Hitler and Nazi Germany.

YouTube Accounts of Self-Proclaimed BNP Members and their Friends

englishnproud66

This 'friend' of Burnley BNP's YouTube picture carries the words 'Rebuilding Britain with the BNP' and identifies himself as a BNP member and activist. The vast majority of his 477 uploaded videos feature BNP speakers or promotional material for the BNP.

The friends list of this self-proclaimed BNP member and activist reveals YouTube accounts using Aryan codes in their usernames including Whitepride56, SCOUSEc18, englishloyalist14, DerNationalist88, NokturnalM1488, Gazza8814, BritishUnion14, ProudAryan88, SKINGIRL1994, MurderousFascist88, 14WhiteLady88, 14whiterider88,

In addition to these openly neo-Nazi accounts, ‘englishnproud66’s’ YouTube ‘friends’ include the following:

amadeus1488

This user's picture identifies him as a skinhead, and his video uploads include 'White Rider' by Skrewdriver, 'Aryan Child' by Landser, 'Skinhead National Socialist Totenkopf', and 'Jewish faith Talmud what is it about?' which speaks of 'Jewish Law' as 'The Most Disgusting Law Known To Humanity!'

Subscribers to his videos include both open neo-Nazis and the BNP supporting accounts mendal05, Greenleanings, 1kewldude2 (a well known BNP user who has been lionised somewhat due to his account being deleted previously by YouTube administrators), BoycottIslamUK and ELVIStheKINGsays.

BoycottIslamUK's channel expresses support for the BNP and includes a playlist featuring BNP Deputy Leader Simon Darby. A message for visitors to this channel states: 'Boycott Muslim businesses in your areas!! Vote BNP June 4th!' and 'FUCK ISLAM'.

The ELVIStheKINGsays channel encourages support for the BNP, includes 'Triumph of the Will' and Skrewdriver as recommended films and musicians, and includes both a Nick Griffin speech and 'Skinhead National Socialist Totenkopf' on its favourites list.

DrChemicalX3

This user describes himself as an 'Aryan Warrior' and states:

Germanic superiority is a concept of racial supremacy, stemming from a proven belief that aesthetically-exquisite Germanic peoples are of a supreme intelligence and mentality from those of other racial groups. [...] Any other group of people are, in my opinion, worthless parasites to mankind, and must be riddled of there existence on this earth, or tightly enslaved for the benefit of the Germanic peoples.

war1889

The channel includes a quote from Hitler's Last Will and Testament which speaks of 'international Jewry' and states 'My spirit will rise from the grave, and the world will see I was right'. Favourite videos include Nick Griffin's European election broadcast, a video about American Nazi Party founder George Lincoln Rockwell and an 'Aryan Poem' by neo-Nazi terrorist David Lane.

jb196988

This user states:
Multiculturalism is the bloodless genocide of the white man and is of no benefit whatsoever to the indigenous populations of once great white nations.

I'm fed up with watching my once great country being turned into a third world cesspit for the benefit of big business and corrupt, spineless, unprincipled politicians. It's time for a big change in thinking. It's time for the BNP.

His user picture is the Stormfront 'White Pride World Wide' logo and favourite videos feature Nick Griffin, Jean-Marie Le Pen, and songs by the 'white pride' singer Saga.

**ADesireForTruth**

This channel includes a link to Stormfront and has comments on the page such as 'WHITE POWER!', 'Sieg Heil' and '14/88'.

**WarriorLadyPride**

This user calls herself an 'Aryan Warrior' and lists her favourite music as 'Brutal Attack, Blackout, Saga, Prussian Blue and many more'. Her uploads include a BNP video and songs by the neo-Nazi bands Brutal Attack, Blackout, and Celtic Warrior.

**chriswlcain**

This user's picture states 'White Pride' and his page includes an SS logo. He states 'Feel free to label me a racist or a Nazi, because it's true; British jobs for British workers. I stand up for what I believe in, and that is white pride and English Pride', as well as:

14/88 my brothers and sisters.

We must secure the existence of our people and a future for white children.

The 14 words, RIP David Lane.\(^{59}\)

His video playlist is made up of songs by Prussian Blue and Final War.

**88english**

This user features a photograph of Ian Stewart Donaldson as his profile picture. His favourite videos include songs by the British neo-Nazi band No Remorse and Landser (a band jailed in their native Germany for 'forming a criminal gang organization'), as well as a video called 'Holocaust Lies Part 2'. He is also a subscriber to the videos of two BNP promoting accounts.

**FURDIEEHRE**

This user believes that 'race mixing is intolerable' and proclaims 'a strong interest in National Socialism and the preservation of the white Aryan race'. He states a desire to 'RID OUR LANDS OF THE INFESTATION OF LESSER BEINGS' and refers to non-whites as 'untermenschen'. His 'Favourite Quote' is David Lane's '14 Words'.

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\(^{59}\) Founding member of 'The Order'
FURDIEEHRE’s favourite videos list includes ‘Protect British culture - Vote BNP’, alongside various openly Nazi supporting videos including ‘Waffen SS - A Tribute’.

stevieg1483

This user’s picture is a Nazi death’s head (the Nazi skull and cross bones which was featured on the uniforms of the Totenkopf – a division of the Waffen-SS during World War II) and his background image is the BNP logo. He states that ‘[t]his green and pleasant island called Britain is for White people, all non-Whites should be deported before it’s too late’ and encourages support for the BNP:

If you are thinking ”what can I do to help?”, the best thing you can do is vote B.N.P. and donate money to the cause. They are the only political party who will actually do something about it, the others will only let things get worse. Only the B.N.P. will stop our country being flooded with non-Whites.

BNP supporter stevieg1483 states that Hitler’s Mein Kampf is his favourite book and his favourite videos list includes Nick Griffin clips alongside videos such as ‘The March of the Waffen SS - Viktoria Sieg Heil’

NSAryan1

NSAryan1’s picture contains the '14/88' slogan and his video uploads include songs such as 'Aryan Nations' by Bound For Glory and 'Six Million Lies' by No Remorse.

FourthReich14

FourthReich14’s profile is decorated with a background image of Hitler and includes swastikas and the statements ‘National Socialism On The Rise!’ and ‘The White Race Will prevail - 14/88’. Clarifying things further, this user explains: 'The term "Fourth Reich" is an allusion to Hitler's Third Reich and to the goal of establishing a society ruled by National Socialist ideology'.

FourthReich14’s favourite videos list includes songs by Skrewdriver, No Remorse, Landser and Final Solution.

pakidie100

This user features a BNP rosette as his picture, includes two BNP videos on his channel, and states that 'people need to wake up and accept that different ethnic groups and religions can not live side by side in harmony and peace'. pakidie100 also proclaims: 'Fucking Hate Muslims!! big nose, smelly, pedos and they all fucking stink!!'

BNP member account: JustProud1

This user identifies himself as 'Dan', a 22 year old BNP member who lists his occupation as 'Fighting Marxism!' and who is a prolific promoter of the BNP, encouraging people to vote BNP on numerous YouTube channels. BNP member Dan explains:

We Nationalists have neither lost faith in Britain nor the British race. We believe that
there is no fundamental weakness in our nation that cannot be cured through the emergence of new leadership.

A look at his 'Nationalist Music' playlist gives an idea as to what form this user believes the new leadership should take. He claims his music video collection consists of:

Music for all Nationalists. Break away from the mainstream Marxist music scene and support music promoting Patriotism and OUR way of life.

Alongside a few songs from the BNP's 'Great White Records' music label, are found two songs by Saga, as well as songs by Brutal Attack and Razor's Edge.

Saga is a popular artist among BNP members and supporters, and she is in fact a ‘white nationalist’ singer with a large following in the international neo-Nazi underground. A poster girl for neo-Nazis, Saga started out in a band called ‘Symphony of Sorrow’ and soon attracted the attention of the racist music scene, appearing on the cover of the Fall 2000 issue of ‘Resistance’ magazine. She has since gone on to release solo albums featuring original material, as well as covers of songs by the British neo-Nazi band Skrewdriver. Despite her softer image, Saga is far from a moderate. Her most recent album, 'On My Own', includes a song called 'Black Bannered Legion' which uses lyrics written by the neo-Nazi terrorist David Lane, hails dead American neo-Nazis as ‘martyrs’, and talks of the 'ancient Aryan symbol' on the Nazi flag. The final track of the 'On My Own' album is a tribute to Lane, entitled 'Goodbye David Lane'. That BNP members promote Saga as a 'nationalist' singer when she is in fact an open supporter of neo-Nazi terrorism is indicative of how many BNP supporters define 'nationalism'.

Brutal Attack and Razor's Edge are both long running bands in the British neo-Nazi skinhead scene and their records and live performances raise money for Blood & Honour and Combat 18. Pictures of these bands are available online, such as images posted on a Combat 18 website, which show Razor's Edge performing live in front of a banner which reads 'Blood & Honour', 'Combat 18', 'Death to ZOG' (the 'o' in ZOG is replaced with a Star of David).

Amongst BNP member Dan’s ‘friends’ list, there are a number of racists and neo-Nazis, including GodwinCarpenter and Nazi friend collectors including the BNP’s ‘bnprenaissance’ account, and the following users:

englishrose1488

This user lists her interests as horse riding and the BNP, and her 'hobby' as '14 words'. She has uploaded a song by the neo-Nazi band Brutal Attack and her favourite videos list includes BNP related videos (including 'Protect British culture - Vote BNP'), alongside 'Tribute to Diana Mitford-Mosley', 'Aryan poem, By David Lane', 'Der Berghof' (featuring footage of Hitler), and 'Saga - Valkyrian (The Valkyrie').

EnglishandProud88

This user states:

\[\text{http://www.thississaga.com/}\]
\[\text{http://www.micetrap.net/shop/catalog/product_info.php/cPath/25/products_id/1341}\]
\[\text{http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=u-rEOUYwmw8}\]
\[\text{http://www.skrewdriver.net/sfrazors.html}\]
\[\text{See p. 19 for information on this user}\]
White.British.Man.BNP supporter and proud of it. Happy with the success of 
sunday night [reference to recent BNP electoral success]. I'm sick and tired of 
watching our country go down the shit and not see anyone do anything about 
it. Well now something will be done. Vote BNP fuck UKIP there the same as the 
other corrupt lot. The BNP are the only ones who will do what they say. 
Join the BNP at http://www.bnp.org.uk/

In a comment on a video exposing the BNP's neo-Nazi links, 65 EnglishandProud88 writes:

Everyone knows its lies and the nazi thing is old now you ain't got nothing else. Your video has been up for ages and no one has listened we got 2 seats in the 
euro elections just think of all that money we get now. Lovely.

The 'Nazi thing' is far from 'old', however, as a look at this user's friends list reveals. Along with some previously mentioned BNP supporting accounts we find aryanspower18, 66 a British 'white nationalist' whose user picture is a Nazi death's head and whose favourite videos include 'BNP - Nick Griffin MEP Interview', 'Hitler Oath', '1938 Nazi Party Congress in Nuremberg', 'Waffen SS tribute', 'Hitler speech', and 'THE BLACKSHIRTS - WE'RE THE BLACKSHIRTS'.

We also find manchesterwhite1, 67 who has a passion for 'white power' music including 'C18 Terrormachine' and states: 'death to zog and all red scum white pride white unity white power vote bnp vote national front rip ian stuart rip david lane 14 words 14/88'. On manchesterwhite1's page is a comment from EnglishandProud88: 'Thanks for the invite mate'. Dan, a self described BNP member, is a subscriber to manchesterwhite1's 'white power' videos and has also added him as a friend.

14WhiteLady88

This user is another 'friend' of Dan's. She proclaims support for 'Aryan Warriors' and 
again quotes the '14 Words' and states 'David Lane R.I.P'.

'14WhiteLady88' has uploaded a number of 'white power' songs, including a tribute to 
Ian Stewart Donaldson sung by Saga and 'Triumph of the Will' by Battlecry (a video also 

WhiteVenom88

This UK user, another 'friend' of proud BNP member Dan, proclaims 'A Jew Free World = FREEDOM' and has filled his YouTube channel with his views on race and politics. He states:

65 http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OS6piaPYNNE
66 http://www.youtube.com/user/aryanpower18
67 http://www.youtube.com/user/manchesterwhite1
White Proud And Awake.
.WPWW.
100% Racist.
100% Anti-Parasite.
100% You Can FUCK OFF If You Don't Like It.

I AM a Racist, I am for MY Race, The White Race.
I AM a White Separatist, I want MY Race, The White Race Separate from the other Races.
Not so difficult to understand is it?
It's called SURVIVAL! something that every living thing on the Face of this Planet has built into them, but it is something that us White Folk should apparently voluntarily give up, our existence!
FUCK THAT.
Nice try JEW.

The nature of The White Race is that we are unique. So with that understood, "Multi-Culturalism" can only be regarded as pure Evil. Since it is a modern day form of Ethnic Cleansing, hidden under the guise of "Political-Correctness".

A "Multi-Cultural" Society will eventually = THE END OF OUR RACE. (And THAT is the whole idea behind it.)

FIGHT IT. DO NOT ACCEPT IT. REJECT IT.
RAHOWA.

This user also expresses his extreme antisemitism through poetry such as the following:

I want to live in my own land among my own Kind,
I want the affairs of my People to be in the hands of my People, and for my People.
I do not want the British politicians who are Empowered by us, and Paid by us, to serve the interests of the Jews.

[...]

British Government, past and present, you should all be Tried and Hung for Treason, for serving Jewish interests ...
You have Flooded our Island with our Enemies,
As per the wishes of the Jews.
We all know what you are about British Government (ZOG).
British politicians, I bet you sold us all out for the cheapest amount.
You are Owned Lock Stock and Barrel by the Jews.

And in a poem entitled 'What The Jew Wants', we read:

Don't question, don't reason, don't think, don't Fucking move, don't Fucking blink.
Give up your Honour, give up your Pride, give up your Race, and cower inside.
Put on the telly, tune into the soap, the One-Eyed-Jew in the corner is feeding
you dope.
Vote, pay your taxes, do as your told, give up your time, the Jew counts the Gold.

WhiteVenom88's channel also features an image of two guns surrounding the word 'RESIST', his favourite videos include a review of a handgun, and he writes:

Freedom can only exist when you are willing to fight, kill, and die for it.
You will only have as much Freedom as you are willing to Fight for.
It is easier to Resist at the Beginning, than at the End. (Time is Running out.)
You don't hold your own in the world by standing on guard, but by Attacking, and getting well Hammered yourself in the process if need be!

BNP supporter's account: 14blood88

This user gives his name as 'C18 TERROR MACHINE' and features an image of Nick Griffin as his profile picture. He states:

VICTORY FOR THE BNP
Frei Sozial Und National
THE RISE OF THE RIGHT IS GOING UPWARDS AND ONWARDS TO VICTORY!
14/88

His video 'NICK GRIFFIN BNP THE VOICE OF BRITAIN' features the song 'The Voice of Britain' by Skrewdriver and '14blood88' has added the following message:

nick griffin will accept my vote as much as he will accept your vote. simple if you dont like that i support the bnp or the way i do it.then boo fucking hoo.
i was with nick from the old days were you?
music by skrewdriver writtin for nick griffin in the early 80;:s as he was even back then tipped to go onto huge things. he will lead this country one day. the sooner the better.
14words88

Responding to negative comments about his video, BNP supporter '14blood88' states:

we one 2 seats for the u.k and the right in all european countrys have also won.
the rise of the right is a reality. get used to it.
14/88
today hitler is smiling upon us true whites.

His 'friends' list includes both neo-Nazis and BNP supporters:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KFUBxqUrS7A
The YouTube activities of the BNP and their online activists reveals both self-proclaimed members and supporters of the BNP who hold all or some of the key elements of neo-Nazi ideology including: extreme racist views; a deep hatred for Jews; admiration of the Third Reich; and Holocaust denial.

The administrators of the official BNP YouTube accounts do not object to the presence of neo-Nazis among their ‘friends’ (and in the case of Thurrock BNP branch, actively promote neo-Nazis) and the channels of BNP members and supporters feature thinly veiled allusions to Nazism (the numerous '88' references, for example), promote neo-Nazi musicians, and in a number of cases openly express their admiration for Hitler and their antisemitism.

The fact that the BNP’s online ventures continue to be so closely linked to supporters of Combat 18 and Blood & Honour also reveals the underlying extremism that at least certain elements of the party retains. Combat 18 is a group that has carried out terrorist attacks in the past and which boasts of being in possession of firearms to be used in a future ‘race war’, and Blood & Honour is an organisation promoting the most extreme Nazi bands in Britain and lies at the heart of the international neo-Nazi skinhead scene.

While Nick Griffin has been relatively successful in presenting a more moderate face to the voting public, this continuing tolerance of, and indeed promotion of, neo-Nazism among the online YouTube network of the BNP’s members and supporters calls into serious question any claims that the BNP has changed and is now a mainstream organisation.
PART 2: THE BNP ON THE BLOGOSPHERE

A number of supporters, members and activists of the BNP maintain regularly updated online blogs. This section is an analysis of some of those key blogs.

'Red Squirrel's "Nut Cracking" Nationalism!', BNP Swindon member

Elizabeth Walton, an activist member of Swindon BNP branch, writes her popular BNP supporting blog under the name 'Red Squirrel'. and proclaims herself a 'proud member' of the BNP. In general, the material on offer largely consists of diatribes against the 'Left', attacks on anti-racists and adulatory material about Nick Griffin (the 'Brave Leader') and the party itself. Occasionally, Walton posts comments that expose her affinity towards certain aspects of neo-Nazi ideology. One example of this is her views on the supposed evolutionary 'inferiority' of the Left. In a December 2008 post entitled 'Why I Find The Feeble Minded Left Disgusting And Pathetic', she writes:

[T]hey seek to elevate those who are uncivilised, crass and degenerate to the highest positions of society and seek to impose a feeling of inherent guilt upon those who are naturally their intellectual superiors.

The Marxist mind sees those who are the weakest and the most unintelligent and inept as being superior in the moral sense to those who are by nature evolutionarily superior. 69

In an April 2009 post, Walton exposes yet more or her ideology in a lengthy piece, decrying the decline of the British countryside in language that slips in and out of pagan mysticism and ends with an unambiguous Third Reich reference. After informing her readers of how she likes to 'venture out to gather the cast off branches of trees with which to make runes and wands', Walton asks rhetorically who will save the British countryside and concludes:

It is only the BNP, and it is in them I place my trust.
And in Mother Nature of course!
For Blut Und Boden! 70

The concept of 'Blut und Boden' (Blood and Soil) is explained by Elizabeth Kirkley PHD as part of her Shoah Education project. She writes:

One of the most central 'doctrines' or pseudo-doctrines to the Nazi Belief System was that of 'Blood and Soil' or Blut und Boden. 'Blood & Soil' was the foundational concept for other concepts such as 'Lebensraum' and was rooted in occultic philosophies prevalent in German mysticism and Ancient legend, which posited that German Racial Identity, was essentially tied literally and metaphorically to the land. In the beginning of the reign of the Third Reich, the concept of 'Blut und Boden' was euphemized with a 'back to the land', back-to-basics approach of bringing back the historical lifestyle of a Prussian people; a history tied in farming and rural values. The concept however was far greater than the 'back to farming' and country life mentality which was couched in terms of patriotism and nationalism: the concept of the bloodlines of Germany being integrally tied to the soil or land necessitated a German people on a German land, with all others

69 http://nationalisminourtimesofneed.blogspot.com/2008/12/why-i-find-feeble-minded-left.html
as intruders.\textsuperscript{71}

Despite the relatively non-extremist nature of much of Walton's writings, her references to the 'weak' opposing 'those who are by nature evolutionarily superior', as well as her attachment to blood and soil mysticism, are derived directly from the ideology of National Socialism. Looking at the material Walton recommends to her readers, her connections to neo-Nazism become more apparent.\textsuperscript{72}

Walton is a religious woman, an Odinic pagan to be precise, and on her blog page she enjoins her readers to take part in a 'nithing curse' 'ritual', intended to send a 'negative spiritual energy' (through the 'invocation' of gods) to enemies of the BNP and to act as 'a curse on Mohammed'.\textsuperscript{73} Given this outlook, it is unsurprising to find that Walton's blog links to a number of Nordic paganism related websites, including that of an English group calling itself 'Woden's Folk'.

Styling themselves as 'wolves amongst the sheep', Woden's Folk are dedicated to promoting 'The Aryan Secret Way'.\textsuperscript{74} On the Woden's Folk website - linked to by BNP member Walton - the group's founder and ideologue 'Wulf' explains the group's outlook:

> This land - England - has changed beyond belief in the last 60 years. Today we are 'blessed' with the multi-racial society [...] In such a wasteland we see the final decay of a once great land and empire; we are at the end of this cycle, and this means that the future holds nothing but collapse and final destruction. This is the inevitable result of today's society based upon false ideas. [...] The only antidote to this is the formation of Folkish groups founded on the principle of self-sacrifice for the whole, and for a healthy co-operation between blood-kin that will ensure the survival of our Folk at some level.

This is the aim of Woden's Folk.\textsuperscript{75}

'Wulf' ends this piece with a cry of 'Honour & Loyalty!', almost certainly a veiled reference to the motto of the SS: 'Meine Ehre heißt Treue'. The pseudo-scientific racial mysticism underpinning the Woden's Folk ideology is, however, far from veiled:

> The English are a specific Racial Group whose origins lie within the Germanic Race which itself is part of the White Race. As such they need a unique religion suited to their origins and their destiny upon Earth. [...] We have to build a movement of regeneration within the falling world in which we live today - the seeds of a New Order upon Earth.

What we need to start with is to understand that the English are a kind of being that exists with its own particular Race-Soul; this is part of the Race-Soul of the Germanic Race. The English are an integral part of a whole. It is thus futile to break ourselves from our Germanic Roots, no matter what two devastating world wars have done to cause a great split with our own kinfolk. These two world wars, caused by forces seeking the total

\textsuperscript{71} http://www.shoaheducation.com/blut.html
\textsuperscript{72} It should be noted that in line with a number of BNP supporters, Walton claims on her blog to support the State of Israel and states that she does not hold antisemitic views. On the BNP's apparent pro-Israel turn, and why it is arguably spurious, see http://hurryupharry.org/2009/02/23/on-the-bnps-pro-israel-turn/. Walton claims to 'love' Jews 'because I regard them to be amongst most the intelligent people on this planet' – http://nationalisminourtimesofneed.blogspot.com/2009/05/mazel-tov.html#IDComment23402729. This statement may well represent her true position, although the force of it is seriously undermined by her linking to neo-Nazi websites and her use of the Nazi concept of 'blood and soil'.
\textsuperscript{73} http://www.hurryupharry.org/2009/05/24/bnp-blogger-promotes-cursing-rituals-and-a-neo-nazi-website/
\textsuperscript{74} http://www.wodensfolk.org.uk/arkanrunelag.html
\textsuperscript{75} http://www.wodensfolk.org.uk/woden.htm
The destruction of our Folk-Group, have caused the English to deny their true roots - a form of 'guilt' imposed upon us like the 'Original Sin' of Judaeo-Christianity. This type of guilt complex causes a distortion in the Folk-Soul, and thus the decay of a people.\textsuperscript{76}

The outlook of Woden's Folk is unambiguously rooted in the 'spiritual' beliefs that existed in Nazi Germany\textsuperscript{77} and are still upheld among neo-Nazis today. It is derived from late Nineteenth and early Twentieth Century Germanic 'völkisch' groups whose supporters were to enthusiastically embrace Hitler and his vision of a Nazi 'New Order'.\textsuperscript{78} Just as these groups saw the society they lived in to be in a state of decay, so too 'Wulf' sees some kind of apocalyptic period in the near future to be inevitable result of the supposed degeneracy of modernity. In a 'prophecy' on the Woden's Folk website, he writes:

\begin{quote}
One World! One Peace! – they cry in vain,
The Lords of Law shall arise again:
False Princes! Tremble on the Earth,
The Galaxy is giving birth.
Sent by the Gods to kindle war,
Helgi wields the Flaming Sword:
The Wolfing leads a mighty force,
Mounted on a pure White Horse.\textsuperscript{79}
\end{quote}

An examination of the Woden's Folk 'Ar-Kan Rune-Lag' 'runic system', the 'Aryan Secret Way', purportedly 'takes us back into the ancient world of our most ancient ancestors - descendants of the Solar Race or Shining Ones'. This 'runic system' is again clearly derived from Nazism, referring as it does to 'the Heil-Rune', 'the Sieg-Rune', 'Laws of Race', 'the Rune of the Race', and 'Blood & Soil', along with bizarre occultist notions popular among neo-Nazis such as the 'Black Sun' and 'descent from Atlantis'.\textsuperscript{80}

Walton's blog also links to the National Alliance. An American organisation, the National Alliance was founded by the late Dr William Pierce. Pierce, a friend of BNP founder John Tyndall, dedicated his life to promoting neo-Nazi ideas. In his later years he devoted many programmes of his radio broadcast 'American Dissident Voices' to decrying 'race mixing', denying the Holocaust, and promoting antisemitic conspiracy theories.\textsuperscript{81} Pierce was also the author of \textit{The Turner Diaries}, a race war novel that has served as inspiration for a number of neo-Nazi terrorists, including the British nail bomber David Copeland (himself a former BNP member).

The National Alliance website still offers a link to the BNP website despite the BNP's supposed moderation today. There is also a large section devoted to the NA magazine 'National Vanguard',\textsuperscript{82} which clearly demonstrates the kind of material the organisation puts out, with articles such as the following:

\textsuperscript{76} http://www.wodensfolk.org.uk/englishreligion.html
\textsuperscript{77} Heinrich Himmler was the most high profile Nazi to openly express hostility towards Christianity and a desire to revive Germanic paganism. Hitler, it should be noted, strongly opposed this idea and felt that 'nothing would be more foolish than to re-establish the worship of Wotan'. The debate over religion continues amongst neo-Nazis today. Robin Lumsden (1997) \textit{Himmler's Black Order: A History of the SS, 1923-45} (Stroud: Sutton Publishing): 117-118; Prudence Jones and Nigel Pennick (1995) \textit{A History of Pagan Europe} (London: Routledge): 218.
\textsuperscript{78} For an excellent study on this subject see Nicholas Goodrick-Clarke (2004) \textit{The Occult Roots of Nazism: Secret Aryan Cults and their Influence on Nazi Ideology} (London: Tauris Parke).
\textsuperscript{79} http://www.wodensfolk.org.uk/wulfsprophecy.htm
\textsuperscript{80} http://www.wodensfolk.org.uk/arkanrunelag.html
\textsuperscript{81} http://www.natvan.com/adv/
\textsuperscript{82} http://www.natvan.com/national-vanguard/
‘Our Aryan Creativity’

‘Anti-Semitism—An Age Old Question -- A Partial List of Jewish Expulsions from White Nations’

‘Our Aryan Values’

‘An Anti-White Hoax: The 'Moon Landing Hoax Conspiracy' Exposed’

‘Albert Einstein: A Textbook Case of Jewish Media Manipulation’

The Auschwitz Gas Chamber: The End of a Legend

Jewish Stranglehold on White House Intensifies

BNP Rocks Britain with Dramatic Gains

Jewish Control of the British Media

Holocaust Hoax

This is not the only extremist material linked to by Walton. Also on her blog there is a link to the British National Front, despite it being a rival organisation to the BNP and despite its well known extremism. She also links to another blog called ‘Victory or Death' which advocates extreme Serbian nationalism and is supportive of the Slobodan Milošević.

Showing the kind of material to be found on the bookshelves of 'evolutionarily superior' BNP members, Walton also offers a link to an online copy of Arthur Kemp's March of the Titans: A History of the White Race, which I have examined elsewhere and found to contain arguments holding Jews responsible for their persecution by the Nazis and to contain sections minimising the Holocaust and bordering on outright Holocaust denial. The endorsement of Kemp's book and a BNP website which promotes it ('British Pride', a centre piece of the BNP's 'White History Month' campaign) is entirely to be expected, for Kemp - a South African expatriot previously employed in the Apartheid era South African secret service - is a BNP member, activist, and speaker, and helps to maintain the BNP website.

Another book promoted on Walton’s blog is The Camp of the Saints, a 1973 novel by the French writer Jean Raspail, and she provides a link to a downloadable PDF copy. Raspail's book is something of a cult work in the neo-Nazi scene and its apocalyptic vision of the 'white world' being destroyed by non-whites resonates strongly with the racist ideology of many BNP members.

83 http://www.natfront.com/
84 http://serbialives.blogspot.com/
85 http://www.white-history.com/
86 http://www.hurryupharry.org/2008/11/12/bnp-white-history-month-whitewashes-history/
87 http://www.britishpride.org/
88 http://bnp.org.uk/2009/05/leaflets-out-broadcast-let-loose-adverts-everywhere%e2%80%94the-new-battle-for-britain-is-in-full-swing/
89 See the ‘Red Squirrel’ s Drey’ links section on her blog.
90 http://www.jrbooksonline.com/PDFs/Camp_of_the_Saints.pdf
Raspail expressed sadness about young Europeans, stating: 'That scorn of a people of other races, the knowledge that one's own is best, the triumphant joy at feeling oneself to be part of humanity's finest - none of that had ever filled these youngsters' addled brains'. Likewise, he claimed 'the proliferation of other races dooms our race, my race, irretrievably to extinction in the century to come, if we hold fast to our present moral principles'.

In his review of *The Camp of the Saints*, the prolific American racist writer Jared Taylor explains:

The Camp of the Saints puts the white man's dilemma in the most difficult terms: slaughter hundreds of thousands of women and children or face oblivion. Of course, a nation that had the confidence to shed blood in the name of its own survival would never be put to such a test; no mob of beggars would threaten it.

For some time, the blog of BNP member Elizabeth Walton has provided a link to a blog named 'Britain Awake'. Britain Awake is an openly racist and violent site and its 2008 incarnation used racist and homophobic language, threatened opponents of the BNP with violence, referred to the police as 'pure fucking scum', and justified homophobic murder with the words 'Homo's flaunt their perversion in public, if they are attacked, they have only brought it upon themselves!'

If anything, the 2009 Britain Awake blog has become more extreme, and Walton recently showed her support for it by reposting a piece on her blog from the site which referred to the Church of England as a 'vile perverts organisation' and described Church of England Bishops as 'pompous, self-righteous windbags ... renowned for interfering with young boys'.

**Britain Awake, BNP supporter**

The 'Britain Awake' (BA) blog is written by an anonymous author who states that he is a 'racial socialist' and identifies himself as a BNP supporter and it is likely that he is a member. For example, in a recent post on the forthcoming legislation changes that will prohibit parties such as the BNP from operating a 'whites only' membership policy he states:

> All new members will be 'ETHNICALLY' processed (as the horrible race relations act insists), and if they are a 'non-Brit' we'll still take their dosh!

> The french FN make a nice wee profit from non-white members...

**SO WILL WE!!**

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94 These views echo those of BNP Chairman Nick Griffin who, in the aftermath of the nail bombing of a Soho gay pub by former BNP member David Copeland, wrote: 'The TV footage of dozens of gay demonstrators flaunting their perversions in front of the world’s journalists showed just why so many ordinary people find these creatures so repulsive' - [http://news.bbc.co.uk/hi/english/static/in_depth/programmes/2001/bnp_special/the_leader/beliefs.stm](http://news.bbc.co.uk/hi/english/static/in_depth/programmes/2001/bnp_special/the_leader/beliefs.stm)

95 [http://britainawake09.blogspot.com/](http://britainawake09.blogspot.com/)

Maybe some local ethnics should approach us and ask for membership...

Go on, fucking do it! We dare ya, we want your failed membership money!

£30 a fucking shot!!!
Keep that money coming....

He also identifies himself as someone who attends the BNP's Red, White & Blue 'family festival', an event that is open only to family and trusted friends of BNP members. Referring to the black anti-racist activist Weyman Bennett, BA states:

Yeah, send that big fat sweaty bastard Weyman Bell-end along to the next Red, White & Blue festival, we could do with a good fucking laugh! And those £30 membership fees will come in handy as well...

**Britain Awake and Violence**

BA is a blog that both condones and encourages violence.

In a comment posted on Elizabeth Walton's blog, BA states that 'I believe these parasite politicialns must be removed permanently from office by whatever means necessary....' In a post on the BA blog, he clarifies his position:

Harriet Harman told other parasite MPs in the Commons this week that the equality bill would make the BNP's membership criteria illegal. [...] ANYONE FOR VIOLENT REVOLUTION?!

And here is his message for anti-fascist activists:

Deny us our voice and you, yourself will incite the very same racial violence you are waffling on about!

Referring to recent Combat 18 violence against Romanian immigrants in Northern Ireland, BA boasts:

If you deny those people their basic democratic freedom, then be prepared for a backlash that will make the Belfast attacks look like some petty playground squabble! The only difference is it won't be the immigrants we come for, it will be every one of the 646 MP's who have conspired to pervert the democratic nature of this beleaguered country!

BA was very happy about these anti-immigrant attacks in Northern Ireland, calling them a

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99 http://nationalisminoutrtimesofneed.blogspot.com/2009/06/we-want-our-freedom-back-vote-british.html#IDComment23315955
101 http://britainawake09.blogspot.com/2009/06/more-uaflies.html
102 Sharrock, D., 'Romanians hit by racist attacks in Northern Ireland 'want to go home' ', *The Times*, 18 June 2009
'result':

One hundred Romanians who fled their homes in Belfast after a spate of recent attacks have decided to leave Northern Ireland and return to Romania...

GOOD FUCKING RIDDANCE!!!

Just make sure you stay on that plane to Romania and no getting off in Manchester, London or any other part of the UK!104

BA also encourages further attacks on immigrants:

As there is no anti-immigrant party in NI, episodes like this are to be expected and encouraged105

Commenting on the Samantha Orobator case, in which a pregnant young black woman was facing a possible death sentence in Laos for attempting to smuggle heroin through the Wattay airport,106 BA reflects excitedly on the thought of her death, and makes an antisemitic remark in reference to British Foreign Secretary David Miliband:

Last week we were relishing the prospect of negro drug-smuggler Samantha Orobator, who was a resident of south London being pumped full of lead by firing squad in Laos...

Unfortunately communist jew David Millipaede has come to this bitch's rescue. The sniveling little shit has signed a 'prisoner transfer agreement' with the totalitarian state, which means we can expect this piece of shit arriving back on our doorsteps within a month or so.

Being pregnant she will be placed in a cushy open prison all paid for by you, the mug British tax-payer!

Nice to see the foreign office has got it's priorities right eh?!

If there's any justice in this world then hopefully upon release this drug-dealing scumbag will get that bullet she so richly deserves off one of the gun-wielding 'brothers' in south London!107

BA reports on the recent random racial attacks that occurred in Luton when an anti-Islamist protest turned violent108 and quotes a newspaper report as saying:

One Asian man was hit across the face with a banner and left with a bloody nose. Police said during the disturbance three car windscreens were smashed and a window at a take away restaurant in Chapel Street had been broken.

106 "Pregnant Briton Samantha Orobator could serve sentence in UK", Times Online, 7 May 2009, http://www.timesonline.co.uk/tol/news/uk/crime/article6244029.ece
BA’s blog entry is entitled ‘Fightback begins...’

Commenting on a Daily Mirror article at the BNP supporting blog 'Home of the Green Arrow', BA stated: ‘Absolutely pathetic, if they class that as a “racist rant” they should have been in our house last night when “Britains got negroes” was on!’ BA then went on to express his disgust for ‘Diversity’, the ethnically mixed 2009 winners of the television variety competition, ‘Britain's Got Talent', by asking on his own blog:

Lack of talent contest BGT crowned negro dance troupe ‘Diversity’ as this year's winners.
Why would anyone want to watch a bunch of arrogant bastards pouncing about unless it was through the sights of a semi-automatic?

Disgusted with ‘Diversity’, BA offers his readers a video of a mentally disturbed Indian man electrocuting himself by touching a live wire on the roof of a train. Classing this video clip as 'a bit of light entertainment', BA comments:

Certainly more entertaining than that "Diversity" nonsense that won Britains got talent!

Commenting on an incident in which men in a passing car had thrown an egg at a woman wearing a hijab, BA congratulates the attackers and states a wish for a more violent approach:

The police want something better to do, how can they describe throwing an egg at a woman with a black bag over her head an 'attack'? If they had jumped out the car and raped the bitch or give her a bloody good kicking then yeah, it's an attack!

This bitch should be done for wasting police time!

It's just a pity it wasn't a brick they threw!

Good work all the same lads!

**Britain Awake and Racism**

Hatred of non-white people, in particular black people, is openly expressed on BA.

Reporting on 'Operation Black Vote', a campaign to encourage ethnic minority participation in UK politics, BA describes the campaign as a 'shower of shit' and renames it 'Operation Black Bastards'.

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111 Comment archived at: https://intensedebate.com/people/BritainAwake/
112 http://britainawake09.blogspot.com/2009/05/britains-got-problems.html. During the writing of this report, this post was removed from the Britain Awake blog. However, a screen shot of the post can be viewed here: http://hurryupharry.org/2009/06/02/the-sickness-at-the-heart-of-the-bnp/
On Red Nose Day, BA claims that this is a 'bogus charity' dedicated to the 'lost cause' of 'helping some african access water that isn't full of wildebeest shite', and warns: 'Red nose day? You'll get a red nose and a black eye to go with it if you come begging at my door!'

Reviewing the film 'CASS - The Movie', BA tells his readers:

Now on the surface this doesn't sound our cup of tea, a black man who in the face of constant racist abuse becomes a top football hooligan...

But there's something mildly entertaining about this film, maybe it's the racial abuse he endures throughout, maybe it's the violence, maybe it's the Chubby Brown style comedian who comes out with:

"What's got 8 legs and a big black cunt? - The A-team"

Responding to reader comments, BA writes of the film 'This is England':

'This is England's one redeeming feature is the "shop scene"'.

The scene BA is referring to features the robbery of an ethnic minority run convenience shop, in which the shopkeeper is called a 'filthy Paki bastard' by National Front supporters, who go on to terrorise the shopkeeper with a machete and defecate on the shop floor.

Commenting on the anti-racist 'Hope Not Hate' campaign, BA writes:

On this vid we have a scruffy looking negro boasting how half the England team are black and tells us we should go and live in Denmark or Austria if we don't like it! Then we have some pakistanis talking shite, followed by some soppy limp-wristed students blathering on about nothing, finished off by some catholic priest, who probably has a fetish for young african boys by the sound of it...

Reporting on a racist attack on a black anti-fascist campaigner carried out by two white men, BA comments:

Quite frankly this bastard got all he deserved, if he dislikes democracy that much, he should fuck off to Robert Mugabes shit-hole that is better known as Zimbabwe! Black anti-fascist campaigner... Wouldn't it be great if it was that Weyman Bennett cunt who received the pasting!

Britain Awake and Homophobia

As well as inciting and glorifying violence, attacking anti-fascists and spreading racial hatred, BA also regularly attacks homosexuals.

120 http://britainawake09.blogspot.com/2009/05/smash-reds.html
In a clear reference to gay rights activist Peter Tatchell, a notice posted on the blog states 'This site is a Tatchell free zone, sexual perverts are not welcome here!' and a link is provided to a Flash game called 'Smash Tatchell!'

On singer Robbie Williams' support for Hope Not Hate, BA rages:

    Big fucking deal! Pot-bellied shitbag Williams is a faggot who's hiding in his closet in order to keep his female fans happy, he's probably getting bummer senseless by Elton John as we speak!\(^{122}\)

Writing on an appearance on the BBC's 'Question Time' programme by David Cameron, BA refers to Cameron as 'the defective spermed tory faggot!'\(^{123}\)

BA gives the following opinion on the Unite trade union:

    Fuck Derek Simpson and his homo-friendly 'unite' union, a union that enables sexual perverts to work with children, a union that empowers foreign labour, a union who basically takes your money and tells you to shut up whilst grovelling to the scum who are trying to destroy this country...\(^{124}\)

In a post on gay rights activist Peter Tatchell's opposition to the BNP, BA refers to Tatchell as an 'odious arse bandit' and posts a video of him being assaulted in Moscow.\(^{125}\) In a further comment, he states that the Government should 'make it legal to administer a beating to the likes of Tatchell'.\(^{126}\)

The Britain Awake blog contains a mixture of racism, homophobia, and antisemitism, offering support for violent attacks on immigrants and non-white Britons, encouraging others to engage in acts of violence, and seeking support for 'violent revolution'. The blog's author is a firm supporter of the BNP, refers to the party as 'we' and 'us', and posts comments on the official BNP website,\(^{127}\) as well as claiming to be an attendee at the BNP's 'family friendly' Red, White & Blue festival.

According to the BNP website, access to the Red, White & Blue festival is restricted to those presenting a BNP membership card and a limited number of 'wives, girlfriends, kids and trusted friends' of members.\(^{128}\) Whether or not the author of Britain Awake is in fact a BNP member, he is clearly a closely connected to people who are and feels a strong affinity with BNP members and supporters. Indeed, BNP activist Elizabeth Walton endorses the BA blog.

**Covert Undercover Nuisance Tactics, BNP supporters**

Covert Undercover Nuisance Tactics is a BNP supporting web operation that incorporates a

\(^{121}\) Reference to journalist and gay rights campaigner Peter Tatchell

\(^{122}\) http://britainawake09.blogspot.com/2009/05/fridays-daily-mirror-beats-robbie.html


\(^{124}\) http://britainawake09.blogspot.com/2009/04/respect-for-willy.html


\(^{127}\) See comments archived here: https://intensedebate.com/people/BritainAwake/

blog, an internet TV programme, a YouTube channel, and an online discussion forum. Run by a group of long-running British neo-Nazis, the Covert network openly promotes extreme racism, antisemitism and homophobia and is affiliated with Blood & Honour.

Amongst the Covert team, we find:

**Tommy Williams (AKA 'Sniper69' and 'Sir Rolf of Harris')**

Williams is a neo-Nazi whose name was present on the recently leaked BNP membership list and who has reportedly provided security at the BNP’s Red, White & Blue festival. As well as his Covert Tactics work, Williams also spends time posting messages on the Stormfront forum, the Vanguard News Network (VNN) forum (slogan: ‘No Jews. Just Right.’), and the Blood & Honour forum.

In his July 2007 resignation letter to Nick Griffin, former BNP 'cultural officer' Jonathan Bowden cited Griffin's failure to condemn Williams and the Covert team as his principal reason for leaving the party. Williams has a reputation for acting as Griffin's ‘attack dog’ and certainly any BNP members who oppose Griffin's leadership quickly become the targets of sustained hate campaigns from the Covert team. In the case of Bowden, who had expressed support for a leadership challenge in the BNP, the treatment he received from Williams and his Covert associates was particularly aggressive, with Bowden being smeared online as a paedophile. In Bowden's resignation letter to Griffin, he wrote:

> I am now being accused repeatedly of being a paedophile on the Internet by one of your quote unquote old mates [...] I will seek to have police action carried out against this vile Internet site, but I also intend to resign as cultural officer, advisory council member and member of the BNP. I do not wish to associate—even tangentially—with such low-grade lycanthropes and psychotic criminals.

In the run up to the 2009 European election, Williams and the Covert team enthusiastically promoted Nick Griffin and the BNP.

**Peter 'Sid' Williamson (AKA 'SidW UK')**

[129](http://votegriffin2009.blogspot.com/2009/05/who-is-tommy-williams.html)

[130](http://www.stormfront.org/forum/showpost.php?p=4435007&postcount=1)
Williamson has been a member of a variety of far-right organisations, most recently the British People’s Party (BPP), an openly Nazi organisation. A hardcore racist and supporter of Holocaust denial, in 2008, Williamson left the BPP. He was effectively forced out of the party because, according to the BPP, Williamson had a ‘long term slavish devotion to the sacrosanct policy of never criticising Chairman Griffin and his notorious gang’. In the run up to the 2009 European elections, Williamson’s support was firmly behind Griffin and the BNP.

Williamson’s views on the Jewish people are unambiguous:

I know they are greedy sub human scum. I know they have spent hundreds of years trying to wipe out the white man. I know they were once expelled from England for sacrificing white children. I know they have lied about a holocaust that never happened just to make money and keep national socialism down for decades. I know they are responsible for the financial and demographic mess we are in.

In short one could quite easily surmise that I’m not a big fan of the hook nosed scum.133

Beverley Kerry (AKA 'odinsgal88' and 'odinsdaughter')

A prolific online activist, Kerry is a moderator at the Covert forum, the VNN forum, and the Blood & Honour forum, and posts on Stormfront. She has recently used her personal blog to support the BNP (a blog which also links to the 'Must Not Miss sites' of Blood & Honour and 'Semitic Controversies'), reported on Stormfront that she had helped deliver BNP leaflets for the 2009 European election, and was also present at a June 2009 election vote count, offering support to a BNP candidate. In forum posts at the time of the European election, Kerry offered ecstatic support to Nick Griffin and the BNP. Her online username echoes the Odinist beliefs which are common among supporters of neo-Nazism, and the ‘88’ confirms her admiration of Hitler.

The BNP Connection

The Covert team regularly films at BNP meetings, in particular those of the Barnsley BNP branch. Despite their name, the filming is far from covert, and they are clearly on very good terms with local BNP activists, a number of whom recently happily provided interviews on camera at a BNP European election celebration barbeque. An examination of reports from visits to BNP events on the Covert blog, shows the extent of the BNP-Covert blog relationship:

‘Barnsley BNP BBQ To Celebrate Nick Griffin & Andrew Brons Becoming MEP’s”137

We nipped over to Barnsley yesterday (Friday 12th June) after we caught a wiff of BBQ in the air and as sure as day follows night there was an excellent spread on. As usual Barnsley BNP had a brilliant night with both locals (non-party members) and everyone

131 http://www.photographersdirect.com/buyers/stockphoto.asp?imageid=1649221
136 http://covert.freeforums.org/election-counts-t161.html
from the local branch, families and friends combined. Thanks again to everyone in Barnsley for the grub, so much grub that even the Covert Team were full. Cheers!

‘Exclusive: Nick Griffin Speaks In Barnsley - April 2008’

We are playing a never before broadcast of Nick Griffins full speech to the good folk of Barnsley from back in April of this year and its only available to watch on this blog. Anyone who attended a Barnsley meeting will know the kind of turnout they get and there is no doubting the popularity of the BNP in that part of South Yorkshire.

‘The BNP’s Mark Collett & Richard Barnbrook Attend Packed Barnsley Meeting 26th Feb 2009’

Once again Barnsley BNP had an excellent turnout of around 250 for this meeting. We won’t waffle on about what a good night it was and the great atmosphere and also the chance to catch up with many of our mates over there in Barnsley because we are sure that the BARNSLEY NATIONALISTS will do a much better job of it.

‘BNP’S Arthur Kemp Speaks At Barnsley Meeting’

We took a trip over to Barnsley on Wednesday night to see the BNP’s Arthur Kemp give a talk and we were not disappointed. Arthur proved to be very popular amongst Barnsley folk and his sense of humour came through in his speech which is important to us Northern folk and we can safely say that Mr Kemp is more than welcome in South Yorkshire and we hope he will come back soon. If you’ve not had the chance to see him make sure to do so if hes speaking at a meeting near you. Also thanks again to the good people of Barnsley who also made members of the Covert Team welcome (as always).

In addition to attending Barnsley BNP meeting, and in doing so meeting their ‘many mates’ in the branch who ‘always’ welcome them, the Covert team also attend the BNP’s members and members’ guests only Red, White & Blue (RWB) festival. Two of the Covert team attended the most recent RWB and reported on the event on the Covert blog:

Well today (for a couple of us anyway) it was the start of the 2008 BRITISH NATIONAL PARTY Red White & Blue Festival. The media are already telling lies but we along with others have the TRUTH and the PROOF of what really happened and we will be happy to share it with everyone who may be getting frustrated by conflicting accounts. We have pics and video. Our videos will only be available on CovertTV but instead of giving them a time slot will play them in a loop. We'll also keep you updated about any additions to the loop, so feel free to drop by anytime and watch them when you like. So what really happened? Keep checking back and find out.

Well the RWB weekend was just pure class and a resounding success [...] all in all a brilliant weekend for the BNP and Nationalism [...] Thanks again to everyone who made it on the day and everyone we met and we'll see you all again next year.

141 http://covert-tactics.blogspot.com/2008/08/red-white-blue-2008-locals-are-really.html
FAO: The Bloke With 'The Flag' - RWB 2008

'You'll know who you are'

Sorry we never came back over to see you but it was good to meet you. We hope you and your family had a good weekend and maybe next year we'll catch up with you when you have the kettle on the boil eh? Cheers!

We have another video which will be added to the loop playing on CTV at the moment. [...] Thanks again to everyone who made that day possible, safe and entertaining. Enjoy the movie!

Whether or not the Covert team are BNP members (Covert Tactics member Tommy Williams was certainly on the leaked BNP membership list), there is no doubt that they are strong supporters of the party and actively involved with its events and social occasions. It is also clear from their ability to openly film and take photographs at both public and private BNP meetings that they are trusted by the BNP security team and are on very good terms with a number of party members and activists. The final link confirming the extent to which the Covert team actively supports the BNP is found in their internet forum and blog posts prior to and immediately after the 2009 European election.

On May 24, 2009 a thread was started on the Covert forum about the BNP's European election broadcast. Blood & Honour supporter Beverley Kerry ('odinsgal88') stated:

I thought it was great! I know a lot of people are whining about the things he said in it but it appealed to the average bloke in the street and that's what counts at the end of the day. I wish folk could see that.

On May 30, 2009 the Covert blog ran a piece in which they predicted that a 'large portion of the country' would be voting for the BNP and stated: 'It's been really entertaining over the past week watching the mass hysteria that has set in amongst the left and known associates as panic overwhelms them in the lead up to the European Elections'. The piece closed with the words:

You can still donate to the BRITISH NATIONAL PARTY by texting the word 'donate' to 60777

Calls will cost £3.00 and standard network charges will apply. You also get a brilliant video response from the BNP chairman Nick Griffin.

On the day of the June 4 2009 European elections, Covert forum members announced that they had voted for the BNP. One commenter, EnglandsGlory, who wrote 'Been out and voted BNP', offers links both to the official BNP website and a Blood & Honour website.

On the night in which the European election results were being announced, Kerry reported on the Covert forum that she had been present at one count and expressed concerns about the presence of TV cameras and photographers with the words 'Oh f*ck'. She went on to say:

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144 http://covert-tactics.blogspot.com/2008/08/new-video-of-rwb-online-only-on.html
145 http://covert.freeforums.org/bnp-euro-broadcast-1160.html
146 http://covert-tactics.blogspot.com/2009/05/desperately-seeking-something-its-been.html
147 http://covert.freeforums.org/voting-day-at-last-t1165.html
I went in a gothic Renaissance outfit and successfully avoided all but one photographer which was no mean feat as the bastards kept homing in on me and I kept having to hide behind either one of our lot who is very tall or a very well built Conservative lady who stood next to me. 148

'Our lot' is a clear reference to the BNP.

The news of Andrew Brons and then Nick Griffin becoming MEPs was greeted with great enthusiasm by the Covert team, with Kerry, Williamson, and Williams posting messages on at the VNN forum:

Kerry: yes! Yorkshire!

Williamson: To on Andrew Brons!!! BNP winner in Yorkshire!!!!!

Kerry: Go Andrew!!!!!!!!!!!!149

Williams: Andrew Brons WINS EUP Seat…speech on BBC News NOW!150

Other VNN posters who are openly pro-Nazi and antisemitic posted messages of support for the BNP and joy at their gaining an MEP.

Next came the news of Nick Griffin winning a seat in the European Parliament:

Kerry: Go Nick! Yes!!!!!

Williamson: The scum are out in force in Manchester tonight, but the real people have spoken. That Tory tossed looks close to croaking, wish he would do it now!!151

Comments from other VNN forum members included 'Political Earthquake!', 'Two of the most experience Brit Nats [nationalists] on the way to the European Parliament!', 'Great news', 'Oh my, He's done it, way to go Nick', and, most tellingly, from a commenter whose 'avatar' is an image of a uniformed Nazi, 'Ha Ha What's the old saying - "Tomorrow Belongs to Us!"'

The Covert team also commented enthusiastically on the BNP victory speeches. Williams stated of Griffin's: 'brilliant speech by Nick under the circumstances a monumental bit of history here folks, pure class'.152 He then went on to post the video of Griffin's speech in a separate thread,153 in which forum member McKinley (signature: 'nothing says lovin’ like a jew in the oven') replied: 'Notice how elegant he was in this speech and did not need a teleprompter unlike the magic Nigger Obongo' [racist reference to US President Barack Obama]. Williams responded: 'One thing about Nick is that he rarely uses "notes". Thats not to say in the future he won't now but it always impresses me when I see folk do that'.154

148 http://covert.freeforums.org/election-counts-t161.html
151 http://vnnforum.com/showthread.php?t=95355&page=10
154 Although website hosts cannot always be held accountable regarding the nature of the comments on their sites, it is notable that Covert Tactics member Beverley Kerry regularly moderates the comment thread, and has not seen fit to remove some of the extreme comments highlighted above
The next morning, the celebrations continued. Williamson responded to a comment that "[e]very news outlet talks about the BNP "they only let Whites in" and yet there they are, elected to the European Parliament!" with the words:

And that flies right into the face of those who continually slate the BNP for their modernising of policies. Griffin was put right on the spot by a leftist on Sky News last night, and he refused point blank to deny that the BNP are a Whites Only organisation!\(^{155}\)

In the same thread, Kerry summed up the Covert team’s view on the European election with the words:

We have shown that a BNP vote is not a wasted vote. We have shown that the BNP is a viable, serious party accepted by a lot of people.

There can be absolutely no doubt that the Covert Undercover Nuisance Tactics are dedicated supporters of Nick Griffin and the BNP. Given this information, it is worth looking at more of the material they post on their blog and their YouTube channel.

**Neo-Nazi Ideology**

It has already been demonstrated that the Covert team are also active supporters of the openly neo-Nazi Blood & Honour organisation and regularly post on an antisemitic internet forum. As will be shown below, as well as praising the BNP and attacking opponents of Nick Griffin, they also partake in open expressions of racism and hatred.

**Racial Hatred and Support for neo-Nazism on the Covert Blog**

In a post on Chuka Umunna, Streatham Labour Party parliamentary candidate, the Covert blog refers to Umunna as ‘Fucking filthy SPEAR CHUKA\(^{156}\)’ and offers the following views:

Its a funny old world isn't it? For years nationalist organisations like the British National Party (BNP) have worked tirelessly to defend our lands from shitskins, towelheads and a whole range of filth coming here. Everyday we see the WHITE victims of their 'enrichment' pile up while they consistently cry out poverty, destitution...blah blah blah. They say that the origins of man came from Africa so why the fuck have the Africans never progressed from gormless pea brained murderers and rapists then? Surely by now they should have (according to evolution) been way out in front with advancements in technology and learning so why are they still moping around like savage apes? Just look at the African continent, mud huts, war, rape, more war and so on and so forth. That is their culture, its there for everyone to see. Granted there are a handful of educated monkeys but that is all they are in the same way that a dog can do tricks and go through the motions of intelligence is not 'educated', and the difference is more apparent when you consider a dog can be loyal and can even assimilate.


\(^{156}\) A racist term used to refer to black people
What the negro for example contributes to the UK is nothing more than what they contribute in their own countries back in Bongoland.\textsuperscript{157}

In a post entitled 'Amazing', the Covert blog asks:

Have you noticed that if you rearrange the words .........’illegal immigrants' and add a few more letters, it spells out: 'Fuck off and go home you hairy faced, sandal wearing, bomb making, benefit grabbing, goat fucking, smelly rag-head bastards? How weird is that??\textsuperscript{158}

In a post criticising attendees of an openly Nazi Blood & Honour ‘festival’ in Somerset for their drunkenness and their urinating in locals' gardens, we read:

the event itself in theory should have been an example of national socialists having a good time and to fly the swastika with pride, instead we are treat to fat fuckers who can't hold their beer and quite literally their piss acting no better than pakis or niggers.\textsuperscript{159}

Another reference to 'coons' and 'pakis' is also made.

The mentality of the Covert team is also revealed in the kind of 'jokes' found on their blog.\textsuperscript{160}

The Covert team also show their extreme ideological racism and neo-Nazism in their support for Blood & Honour's internet radio programme, '28 Radio', which is presented by a neo-Nazi using the assumed name 'Captain Scarlet'. In a March 13 2009 post, the Covert blog reported the return of 28 Radio with the words 'Thank Fuck For Small Mercies',\textsuperscript{161} which was followed 15 days later with another post promoting the show, which spoke of its 'welcome return' and its mission 'to continue the fight'.\textsuperscript{162}

The Covert team's efforts at promoting Blood & Honour's 28 Radio go beyond simply writing about it and they have produced an unofficial video promoting what they consider to be 'by far the best nationalist radio show we've ever heard'. The video is found on the Covert team's YouTube channel - HowlingWolves14\textsuperscript{163} - posted alongside their footage from BNP meetings.

The video description states:

A small advert for the best nationalist radio show out there. Featuring the brilliant Captain Scarlet it has news, reviews a bloody good sense of humour as well as all the best nationalist music. ...

The video itself contains support for Nazism and extreme racism. An edited image of the children's TV show character Captain Scarlet shows him with a swastika on his hat, accompanied by the words 'Making the world a brighter and whiter place'. The video's soundtrack features the 28 Radio presenter talking of 'Paki fuckers' and referring to 'niggers', 'Pakis', and 'gays' as 'subhuman'. Two supposedly humorous racist songs are played, including

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\textsuperscript{157}http://covert-tactics.blogspot.com/2009/04/spear-chuka-umunna-calls-for-bnp-to-be.html
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\textsuperscript{159}http://covert-tactics.blogspot.com/2008/09/pathetic-insult-to-memory-of-ian-stuart.html
\textsuperscript{160}http://covert-tactics.blogspot.com/2009/04/holistic-medicine-achmed-arab-came-to.html
\textsuperscript{161}http://covert-tactics.blogspot.com/2009/03/thank-fuck-for-small-mercies.html
\textsuperscript{162}http://covert-tactics.blogspot.com/2009/03/hes-back-captain-scarlet-and-blood.html
\textsuperscript{163}http://covert.freeforums.org/blood-honour-radio-159.html
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\textsuperscript{165}http://www.youtube.com/user/HowlingWolves14
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a clip in which a child (‘Aryan imp’) sings:

Ba ba blacksheep have you any wool? No, cos the niggers have nicked it all.

The text running across the video promises music by ‘Skrewdriver, Brutal Attack, Saga, Johnny Rebel and shitloads more’ and the video ends with the words ‘HAIL VICTORY’.

Finally, a post on the Covert blog entitled ‘Have A Drink On Us’ features a photograph of beer bottles with labels featuring images of Hitler.  

Antisemitism and Trivialisation of the Holocaust on the Covert Blog

In common with all neo-Nazis, the Covert team are antisemites who trivialise, and deny the reality of, the Holocaust.

In a post entitled ‘Guess Who’s The Jew’, the Covert blog writes:

Fed up of watching a film and trying to suss out who is jewish and who’s not? Well now you can find out with this new game. A celebrity will appear on each page. Cast your vote (Jew or Not A Jew ) on each page and see the results on right away! If you disagree with the results, or just have something to say just use the comments feature found on every page!

In a post mocking ‘Final Conflict’, a blog run by the few remaining supporters of the International Third Position (a Fascist group co-founded by Nick Griffin), the Covert team refers to ‘Anal Conflict’ and posts an image of a building with the word ‘Yiddishkeit’ (‘Jewishness’), the windows of which have been vandalised with swastikas. In the neo-Nazi world, implying that someone is Jewish or exhibiting ‘Jewish behaviour’ is the ultimate insult. The post also mockingly claims that the Final Conflict blog is working with Gerry Gable’s anti-fascist magazine ‘Searchlight’ with the words: ‘Stick to selling Searchlight and tell Gerry you sold 6,000,000 LOL’ [laughing out loud].

This kind of attitude towards the Holocaust is displayed elsewhere in the Covert blog, for example in a post congratulating a group of neo-Nazis for taking photos of each other in the Holocaust section of London’s Imperial War Museum, one of which features a smiling neo-Nazi giving the ‘thumbs up’ signal. The Covert team’s commentary states: ‘In our opinion the sleeping security guard outside the entrance to the Holocaust Memorial sums the entire holocaust tiresome tale up and qualifies for the pic of the year’.

Other Covert posts refer to ‘ “survivors” of the holocaust’ and ‘alleged Jewish holocaust survivors’, while another places the words ‘suffering of the Jews’ in inverted commas, speaks of ‘the garbage of the ”persecuted jew”’ and ‘their ”persecution” at the hands of the National Socialists’.

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166 http://covert-tactics.blogspot.com/2008/09/have-drink-on-us-courtesy-of-cazcounty.html
171 http://covert-tactics.blogspot.com/2007/04/what-happened-at-virginia-tech-was-not.html
The Covert Undercover Nuisance Tactics operation is run by enthusiastic supporters of Nick Griffin and the BNP, including people who attend BNP meetings and the party's Red, White & Blue 'family festival'. At the same time, the Covert team are affiliated with the neo-Nazi Blood & Honour network, regularly post on neo-Nazi internet forums, and produce a BNP supporting blog that includes the most blatant racism and antisemitism.

Lee Barnes’ 21st Century British Nationalism Blog

Lee Barnes is the head of the BNP's legal team, as well as being a party spokesman, a speaker at BNP meetings, a writer for the BNP website, and a researcher for the party. As such, it would be accurate to describe Barnes as very much a key figure in the BNP today. An examination of Barnes's blog - '21st Century British Nationalism' - quickly dispels the notion that the BNP is anywhere near to becoming a 'mainstream' and respectable political party.

Lee Barnes and the National Front

The contemporary British National Front (NF) is a small organisation made up of hard-line racists and neo-Nazis and is better known for its occasional street protests than as a political party (its election results are generally very poor). On 16 June 2009, Barnes wrote that '[t]he BNP have no interest in the National Front or its policies'. However, in one of many about-turns, by June 21, Barnes had significantly changed his position regarding the NF.

Writing on the forthcoming Equality Bill and how it will make illegal any party with a constitution that defines eligibility for membership on ethnic lines (as both the BNP and NF constitutions do), Barnes notes that this will effectively sound the death knell for the NF. Barnes argues that:

Nationalism faces a crisis - and must evolve in line with the change in the law.

The BNP is the only serious political force in modern Nationalism.

The National Front stands in elections but does not win elections, that is a simple fact. Hard facts have to be faced by both BNP and National Front members.

The 'hard facts' may be harder for NF members to face than for BNP members, as Barnes goes on to state that the NF will have to give up trying to act as an electoral force and 'the National Front has to re-evaluate what its role is in the Nationalist movement'. In Barnes' grand vision, the National Front needs to pull away from being a political force and become a street force to be reckoned with, a vision he sets out as follows:

Yesterday the National Front staged a demonstration against the open borders fanatics who use asylum seekers to bolster their cause in Tyneside, and this was a superb example of what the NF does best.

The National Front is an organisation for those people who are Street Activists, not political activists.

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174 http://leejohnbarnes.blogspot.com/
175 http://leejohnbarnes.blogspot.com/2009/06/pickled-politics-few-answers-to-your.html
When it sticks to street activism it does a superb job, but when it stands against the BNP in elections then all it does is split the nationalist vote.

The NF, as I stated above, does not win elections - therefore when it does stand in elections against the BNP then all it does is open the door to non-nationalist parties to take seats from the BNP.

There is no point in this.

The BNP have no interest in seeking to return to street activism so the way is clear for the NF to become the primary organisation in the UK that organises and deploys those nationalists who are not interested in political electioneering but in street activism.

The NF will be banned under the law from participating in elections.

Therefore it will have to change from being a political party to a Nationalist organisational hub.

There is huge hole in the nationalist movement.

That is based upon the fact that whilst Nationalist parties compete against each other for votes, there is no mainstream nationalist organisation that recruits, trains and deploys nationalist activists in street activities to counter the activities of organisations such as the UAF.

Every time the UAF demonstrate against Nationalist parties like the BNP then there should be a counter demonstration by nationalist activists against those UAF demonstrations.

The National Front must become the Nationalist counterpart to the Leftist UAF.

The NF should be organising massive Armistice Day celebrations, demonstrations, festivals, rock concerts, marches, cultural events and many other nationalist cultural events, not wasting their time on electioneering.

Whenever the pro-asylum seeker lobby groups and pro-open borders groups organises one of their pathetic street demonstrations then a Nationalist organisation must attend to counter demonstrate.

Yet this has not happened.

But this is precisely the role that the NF would do best.

It could take all those Nationalists that have rejected the demands required for electoral politics, for whatever reason, and train them up and deploy them as street activists to counter the reds on the streets.

The BNP is and will remain the primary political voice and party for political Nationalists.
The NF will never be able to challenge the BNP in any way as regards our electoral capacity and support.

The BNP will not return to street activism, marches and mass demonstrations - simply as to do would damage our electoral development.

We must concentrate on getting elected not on confronting reds in the street. Thus, on his blog, Lee Barnes of the BNP praises 'a superb example of what the NF does best', and states that the NF 'does a superb job' with its street protests and marches. The idea of the BNP having a cadre of street 'activists' on hand to 'counter' and 'confront' the 'reds' is nothing new, and in the past this system has worked out well for the party. In the 1990s, the BNP attempted to pose as a respectable political party and left the intimidation of its opponents to the often violent neo-Nazis of Combat 18, and now, in the writings of Lee Barnes, it seems that this idea is being reborn. He rightly notes that if the BNP were to return to rallies and marches this 'would damage [its] electoral development' but it is questionable how the BNP holding out an olive branch to the violent racists of the NF is likely to help. However, the practicalities of a BNP-NF relationship aside, the fact that Barnes considers the NF to be a valid 'nationalist' organisation is very revealing of the BNP’s underlying ideology.

The National Front

The National Front is an unambiguously extremist organisation, and its official website clearly illustrates this. According to the National Front's 'Main Site',177 'Race is the only truth'. A National Front News (No.9, June 27 2009) article178 entitled 'NOW PEOPLE RISE UP AND STORM BREAK LOOSE!' states:

The final minute of the final hour of the enslavement of the White people of Britain is upon us! Are we being melodramatic? No! Never before have our ZOG controlled masters cracked down so hard and so unmercifully on those who would speak, write and act on behalf of their embattled people. Neverbefore have the Race Laws and Public Order Acts been so unflinching in their persecution of White freedom fighters.

[...]

The National Front is over forty years old and has seen good and bad times but it has SURVIVED when all others went under – that is the inner strength of the National Front. New and an ever increasing number of veteran nationalists are returning to the NF in a constant stream. We predict that as the situation worsens, then that stream will grow into a river, that river into a flood, a deluge that will smash down the rotten ramshackle locked gates of ZOG and their New World Order masters!

Other articles speak of 'the yapping ZOG media' and there is news of a forthcoming NF demonstration against the London Gay Pride event, described as a 'walking insult to morality'.

On the NF’s other main website, there is an article entitled 'We must prevent usurers from

177 http://www.national-front.org.uk/  
178 http://www.national-front.org.uk/nfnews.htm
starting another world war. In the article, it is argued that 'bankers’ were responsible for World War II, that Oliver Cromwell was a 'useful idiot' for 'Jewish usurers' and that 'if there had been no Jewish usurers, there certainly would have been no Civil War’. The basic premise of the article is the old antisemitic conspiracy theory that Jews control world finances and manipulate politics for nefarious purposes, and this purported Jewish conspiracy is often spoken of euphemistically by the NF as ‘ZOG’ and the ‘New World Order’.

Long term British neo-Nazi Eddy Morrison is responsible for a large amount of the NF’s online output, and on the National Front North website he writes of the ‘alleged “facts” of the Holocaust’ and offers a link to 'Jailing Opinions', a website of the Holocaust denier Michele Renouf. On his site, Morrison openly describes his political views:

I decided I was fed up of hiding my National Socialism (a hopeless and unrewarding task) and formed Aryan Unity - an idea rather than an organisation dedicated to WORLDWIDE National-Socialist Unity and Pan Aryanism.

I define Pan-Aryanism as accepting our world view that the Aryan folk, spearheaded by Aryan/NS freedom fighters throughout the White World is now our only hope.

So today I can say quite proudly that I am a National Socialist and the days of being a “little Englisher” are far behind. I recognise that our ultimate enemy - the coming New World Order in all it’s varied guises and with its tentacles squeezing the lifeblood from our people throughout the world as well as strangling free speech, can only be fought against by an Aryan world-wide effort. I hope Aryan Unity can play its part in that eternal struggle.

For National Socialists the Second World War did NOT end in May 1945 - it was just one lost battle amongst many - the struggle for the existence of our people and the preservation of our culture and heritage continues.

It seems apparent that Morrison is the kind of individual the BNP's Lee Barnes wants to see working for British 'nationalism' in the capacity of organising 'marches' and 'confronting' on the street those who oppose the BNP.

Lee Barnes on Political Figures

Barnes regularly launches attacks on opponents of the BNP on his blog, as well as on figures of the political establishment that he takes issue with. Here are two examples of the kind of discourse favoured by this BNP spokesman:

Barnes on Harriet Harman MP:

Harriet Harman is evil personified.

If evil has an arse, then it looks like Harriet Harman.

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179 http://www.natfront.co.uk/no_more_war.htm
180 http://www.nationalfrontnorth.com/dresden.htm
181 http://www.nationalfrontnorth.com/links.htm
182 http://www.aryanunity.com/bntons.htm
She is a monstrous construct of the Far Left, an ideologically driven maniac with permanent PMT.

Imagine Thatcher with a penis, that is Harriet Harman.

When I see her smile I see the snarl of some savage ape upon the veldt millions of years ago, the first of her kind to lift a log from the ground and realise that it could be used to bash another apes skull in and take its banana.

You can just see in her Russian army uniform leading women and children at gun point, the enemies of the state, revolution and party, to the edge of the pre-dug trenches and then shooting them in the back of the neck. 183

Barnes on Daniel Hannan MEP:

I hate Daniel Hannan.

He is one of the smug, oleaginous, slap head twerps you had to sit next to at university.

You know the type, all ‘Yes sir I know the answer sir, sir would you like an apple sir, sir would you like me to lick your arse sir’ types with their hand always up in the air ready to answer the next bloody question before its even been asked.

Bloody little creep.

Since Daniel managed to string about thirty words together in the European Parliament attacking Gordon Brown (hardly the most taxing thing to do ) a few weeks ago he now thinks he is a hero.

He has the sort of greasy smile and face that you want to slap.

No wonder the slimy little creep works for the Torygraph.

Daniel, being the big brave politician he is, likes to have a pop at the BNP every few days.

I reckon he and Peter Hitchens must be playing ' BNP Soggy Biscuit'.

Usually Hitchens wins, but now it appears that Hannan is having a last desperate fondle and fumble trying to knock one out before the elections on Thursday.

I wonder if Hitchens will have another fumble about the BNP before Thursday as well and knock one out in his column?

I have decided to organise an appeal for the slaphead.

Its called ‘Buy Daniel Hannan A Syrup Appeal’.

At the moment his head looks like a circumcised cock, so getting up in the morning must

be a bit of a shock.

So therefore I have decided to have a whip round to try and buy him a new wig.

I reckon we should go for an Afro Wig like Shaft or one of those bad boy black pimps from the 1970's cop shows.

Then Hannan can stride into the EU parliament with his new bad ass wig on and not look like a talking knob for a change.

Someone might actually take the dickhead seriously then.  

*Lee Barnes on the West and the British political system*

The West deserves all it gets.

The faster the fools that run the West destroy the West the better.

That way we, the inner barbarians who are despised by the liberals and leftists who are in the grip of their cults of political correctness and positive discrimination, can take power in the ensuing chaos with a mandate for radical change.  

*Lee Barnes on Media Figures and the General Public*

In a tirade against the readers of the *Guardian* writer Charlie Brooker, Barnes offers his view on modern Britons:

Today we have what I call Brookers Britain.

A simpering, pathetic land of twitting fuckwits, facebook posting arsewipes and simpering metrosexuals that are about as masculine as a former Russian female shot putter.

The only men in the metrosexual ranks are the women.

I used to love the British stiff upper lip, now we have the metro-sexual droopy dick.

Half Men with hormonal problems following the inane twittings of their latest trendy hero like flys follow a turd stuck on a runaway roller skate. FUCKING PATHETIC.

[...]

This army of pussy-phobic shemale shirt lifters that follow Charlie and eagerly await his next twit on their 'oh so trendy' latest mobile phones are frankly a complete fucking embarassment.

I have to sit next to them on the tube.

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Anway back to the metro-sexual knobhead on the tube - okay we know you have an IPod and you like shit and cheesy drum and bass.

But if you play it any louder I will reach over, rip your fucking lungs from your chest and paint the carriage red with your intestines.

I dont want to hear what shit you are listening too.

I would rather hear your last gurgling breath as you pray for deliverance from my fury to the great god of simpering arse bandits.

I often fantasise about strangling them with the wires of their Ipods whilst Goldie drops a phat beat into their ears ands they slowly turn blue and vanish into dickhead oblivion.

I want the old Britain back.

A land where real men and women lived, not these facimilies of real people, these mindless, souless ciphers whose entire personalities who can be replaced with a micro-chip of media conditoning that roam the streets like some zombie army of the undead.

Millions of disposable plastic people with the same disposable plastic personalities each transmitting their inane lives to each other via a fog of electronic bullshit.

Yes, I hate you as much as you hate me.186

In another Brooker inspired rant, Barnes rails against people who use social networking websites:

I hate anyone with a fucking facebook account, who twitters, who has a myspace account, who spends time posting up pictures of their sad lives and their ugly mugs on the internet - if you have one of those techno shite accounts then you are sad fucking, no life, metrosexual twat.

FUCK OFF AND DIE CHARLIE BROOKER.

ANYONE THAT TWITTERS IS A CUNT.

ANYONE THAT RECEIVES A TWITTER IS A CUNT.187

It should be noted that Nick Griffin uses Facebook, the BNP website links to a BNP Twitter

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186 http://leejohnbarnes.blogspot.com/2009/05/what-happened-to-british.html
account, and that Barnes recently started using Twitter.\footnote{http://twitter.com/Erulian}

Barnes on Daily Mail writer Martin Samuels:

Martin Samuels you are a know nothing, big mouthed, fat useless Daily Mail cunt and the day I ever bump into you then you had better run fucking fast fat boy.\footnote{http://leejohnbarnes.blogspot.com/2009/05/martin-samuel-daily-mail-dickhead.html}

Barnes on the British public:

Today we have no human beings any more, we have conditioned monkeys that chatter amongst themselves with simian grunts and who call that the pseudo-language, the language of democracy.

You are all so fucking stupid, you don’t even realise just how fucking stupid you really are.

Britain is now a Monkey World for fucking idiot monkeys.\footnote{http://leejohnbarnes.blogspot.com/2009/05/liberal-fascists-piss-on-free-speech.html}

Barnes on the death of Michael Jackson:

Everyone weeping for this degenerate scumbag is a total moron and hypocrite.

Those that buy this monsters records are the grossest and most pathetic people on the planet.

Those in the streets, including those idiot blacks in America who are in the grip of some primitive tribal hysteria, are truly pathetic.

[...]

The black man in America is now above the law if he can hire the best lawyers that money can buy - whilst the victims are despised, abused and hounded Jackon was adored and feted.

America is sick.

The world is sick.

The media is sick.

The sooner this sick society destroys itself, and devours it own monsters in its collapse, then the better.\footnote{http://leejohnbarnes.blogspot.com/2009/06/michael-jackson-dies-world-weepes.html}

\textit{Lee Barnes on Anti-Fascist Activists}
Commenting on a photograph of Exeter anti-BNP protesters, Barnes analyses the pictured demonstrators as follows:

In it we have:

1) THE HARRIDAN LESBIAN - a classic UAF member at the front of the demo picture. White, middle class, usually an academic with a public services job, she is the archetypal lefty twat.

2) THE NIGEL - on the left we have the nigel. Usually a frantic masturbator with an inflatable girlfriend, he has a range of hobbies ranging from newt breeding to child molestation.

3) THE PEDERAST - on the right we have the professional pederast. Usually a GP or magistrate they have been abusing little boys since they were at public school in the fifties. Married as a cover for his activities.

4) THE COUNCIL WORKER - to the rear we have the council workers. These are usually social workers or some other useless parasite on the public purse.

In an attack on anti-fascist activists including Ketlan Osswoski of Unite Against Fascism, Barnes boasts of his own 'rampant virility' and 'rampant bull like male sexuality':

It is my theory that the reason why the Lefties are so obsessed with me is because;

1) They are so ugly that they cannot have sex with living human beings even if they pay them (or even import them from the Far East is what most ugly blokes do these days) - take a look at Ketlan. That guy couldn't get laid in a morgue. He looks like Keith Flint from the Prodigy after he fell all the way down from the top of the ugly tree and hit every branch on the way down, got hit by lightning at the bottom and then rabid rats gnawed at his face whilst he was unconscious.

Fuck me there's, ugly and then there's taking the fucking piss.

Ketlan, you are abusing the right to be called ugly.

He doesn't need a plastic surgeon, he needs fucking Balfour Beatty.

Just a quick question Ketlan - is that really your face or are you the worlds first 'Arse and Head Swop' transplant recipient?

If they ever set up an 'Ugly Olympics' you could ugy for England - and win gold you ugly twat!

2) They are suffering from various sexual dysfunctions. Takes Garfield, here is lesbian with a 'Thatcher as leather clad dominatrix' obsession. You can just imagine her during the Thatcher era in her cellar indulging in endless onanism at the thought of Thatcher popping round for a cup of tea and chat about how to deal with the Falklands Crisis.

3) Both the lesbian left, the hetero 'can't get laid left' and the cock jockeys all see me as some archetypal figure. The lesbian left are in fear of their own repressed sexual feelings for my rampant virility, the hetero lefties fear for their women as they know that the moment their women met me they would regard their lefty boyfriends with contempt and admire my rampant bull like male sexuality whilst the cock jockeys all suffer from 'I hate Nazis / but don't they look just soooo sexy in those tight lederhosen in the old pre-WW2 Nazi propaganda films Complex' and therefore they project their repressed sexual deviancy and desires for ze nazis (to be dominated and 'invaded') onto me.

I shudder to think of the thoughts in the septic tank like minds of these sick, sick people.\(^\text{194}\)

Lee Barnes' Poetry

The theme of an apocalyptic collapse of Western society appears in many of Barnes' writings, along with the conviction that modernity's fall will bring about the rise of the BNP. Barnes expresses this outlook both in poetry and in the unconventional metaphysical system that underpins his entire ideological worldview.

The following are excerpts from two of Barnes' poems:

'The Dragon And The Darkness'

In the death sleep of desire we waste our days,
Dining on our delusions and dreams,
Haunted by the foul serpents phantoms,
That we revere above our own blood and bone,
Enticing us to surrender, all things we hold dear.
First amongst them is that whore Democracy,
Worshipped as a goddess in her yellow robes,
Her legs wide open, her cunt always wet,
For any fool that flatters her with fetishes,
And follows her dull creed of conformity.\(^\text{195}\)

'Fuck The Revolution'

Fuck your liberty,
It is just a lie,
For the eternal conflict,
Between equality,
And the ideal of liberty,
Reveals the truth,
Your liberty is the same,
Old whore in a new dress,
Whose cunt is still wet,
From serving the pigs

\(^\text{194}\) http://leejohnbarnes.blogspot.com/2008/05/shout-out_08.html
That ran the old regime.\textsuperscript{196}

\textit{Lee Barnes's Religious Writings}

On his blog, Barnes expounds a syncretic religious philosophy of his own making, drawing on incorporating Odinism, Gnosticism, and Eastern mysticism. While the BNP attempts to position itself as the authentic voice of 'British' Christianity,\textsuperscript{197} leading member Lee Barnes considers Christianity a degenerate ideology and preaches an apocalyptic message of the coming collapse of civilisation and its resurrection at the hands of 'the Army of God', 'an army of newly enlightened Gnostics'\textsuperscript{198} which will incorporate the 'Druidic warrior', 'a warrior who fights for his homeland, who fights to defend the environment and who fights to defend his people and culture'.\textsuperscript{199}

Barnes explains his Odinic vision:

In Odinism the God Odin is crucified like Christ to a tree. Unlike Christ whose redemption is found only after his death, Odin SURVIVES his torment on the tree and gains the wisdom of the Runes and thereby unlocks the secrets of the universe. With this knowledge he can bring wisdom to European Man and European Man can live in harmony with nature and achieve ever higher evolution. The symbolism of the Christian crucifixion represents the idea that only after death can one achieve completeness, and that therefore ones life must be dedicated to obedience to christianity and a rejection of the world as a way to prepare for the afterlife.

This is why Christianity despises the planet - and this is why we are facing the ecologic crisis of today. Odinism on the other hand offers European Man a way to spiritual wholeness in LIFE. Odin is crucified upon a living tree and therefore this is in direct opposition to that of the cross - which is made from the dead wood of a tree and which is then pulped to make paper from which the Bible is printed.

The living tree represents what Jung saw as a constant unfolding of the divine spiritual force in the universe, whilst the cross represents a death age of obedience. The icons of death are what the West once worshipped - Moses, Christ, saints, popes etc etc

Now all these icons of death must be replaced by a living, organic religion which allows our people to reconnect once more with nature, the earth and the divine unfolding of the spiritual within the material and within Man.\textsuperscript{200}

Barnes looks forward to the collapse of liberal society and the coming of a new paganism based around Odin and a 'new age' arising from the 'scorched earth':

Liberalism is the senile state of christianity, the last final morbid stage of its existence.

\textsuperscript{196}http://leejohnbarnes.blogspot.com/2009/05/fuck-revolution.html
\textsuperscript{197}http://www.hurryupharry.org/2009/05/31/bnp-calls-for-national-day-of-prayer/
\textsuperscript{198}http://leejohnbarnes.blogspot.com/2009/05/book-of-revelation-one-event.html
\textsuperscript{199}http://leejohnbarnes.blogspot.com/2009/03/druidism-and-higher-evolution.html
\textsuperscript{200}http://leejohnbarnes.blogspot.com/2008/08/odin-yggdrasil-and-death-of.html
Christianity as it became liberalism unleashed the same forces it once used to take power - and this is why we have such violence in our societies today. Christianity is a semitic religion, it is creature of the deserts of the Middle East not the forests of the Northern Europe and its symbol the cross is an instrument of torture not of living redemption.

The Tree of Life as represented by Yggdrasil represents the path of perfection and harmony with nature IN LIFE as opposed to after death, which is what the cross and the crucifixion of Christ represents.

Today the violence we see in our society is the prelude to a rebirth of the West, a rebirth based on ancestral cultures, values and an organic religion of nature.

The violence in our society is the unleashing of the chthonic forces of nature as represented by Nidhoggr, who exists beneath the world tree Yggdrasil. This is the dark side of mans unconscious released on the earth with no moral or social constraints, for with the fall of Christianity and liberalism no moral order exists to control European Man. The vacuum of Christian belief has led to man losing himself in sensation, drugs, alcohol and wars.

In the absence of belief, man kills himself with his desires and hatreds.

The death of Christianity and the conflagration that will result from the bonfire of the vanities of liberalism are the cleansing fires of a new age.

After the fire the green shoots of new life always spring from the scorched earth ... Odin Is Rising.

In place of the 'alien' religion of Christianity, Barnes envisages a future in which 'Western Man' will receive 'salvation' though a return to 'ancestral gods' and the rising of the 'werewolf':

Nearly a thousand years of the Judeo-Christian extirpation of the indigenous pagan religious traditions of Europe, and the attempt to impose an alien religion with its alien archetypes, has created the spiritual, social and cultural crisis in Western Man.

Western Man suffers because he has lost contact with his own true organic nature and ancestral traditions.

The Inner Plane of the archetypes is the sacred land of the Higher Self, it is the pantheon of our Soul.

We need to re-discover our ancestral gods and to re-connect the organic Life Streams of our people.

Western Man can only be saved by a return to Western Spirituality and culture.

What is a werewolf but a man who dares to bare his fangs to the world, instead of using them to tear himself apart.201

We find this lycanthropic fantasy in another of Barnes's poetic works entitled 'The Wolves of Odin':

I awoke this morning a Wolf, transformed,
No more a mere man but a beast,
my soul unsated by books of pale scriptures,
Yearning for runes as red as meat.

I dream in daylight of the darkest night,
of a wild hunt that never ends,
running free beneath a hunters moon,
I am Wolf to Man.

Now I take what I want, when I want it,
and gorge freely on all things forbidden,
What once I was taught was bestial,
are the keys to the gates of my heaven.

All your vices are reflections of my virtues,
I am master to all you blind slaves,
I am exalted by all my myriad crimes,
And you are condemned as depraved.

No more can your tablets of law bind me,
I am unafraid of your gods and your lies,
you will see me walking your city streets,
but not ever for what I am.\(^{202}\)

Lee Barnes is a leading figure in the BNP - a party spokesman, legal officer, and writer. His personal blog demonstrates clearly that the BNP is far from a mainstream political party. Reading Barnes’s words, we find a man whose entire worldview is based on misanthropy and theo-political apocalypticism; a man who refers to an MP as ‘an ideologically driven maniac with permanent PMT’ and an MEP whose ‘head looks like a circumcised cock’; a man who refers to opponents as ‘cunts’, who describes the general public as ‘disposable plastic people’ and ‘fucking idiot monkeys’, and who refers to democracy and liberty as a ‘whore’ whose ‘cunt [is] always wet’.

Barnes is a man who acts as an ambassador for the BNP at the same time as accusing those who protest against the party of being child molesters, ‘sexually dysfunctional’, and ‘sick, sick people’. Barnes claims that lesbians who oppose his activities do so because they ‘are in fear of their own repressed sexual feelings for my rampant virility’ and refers to male liberals as ‘pussy-phobic shemale shirt lifters’. This BNP spokesman and fanatical supporter of the party ardently desires the collapse of Western civilisation and looks forward to a post-apocalyptic era in which an ‘Army of God’ will emerge from ‘the cleansing fires of a new age’.

Nick Griffin and the BNP have made no effort to distance themselves from this individual and his ideology, and are happy for him to remain intimately involved in the party apparatus.

**PART 3: THE BNP’s ONLINE PROMOTION OF FASCIST AND RACIST LITERATURE**

The official BNP website offers a variety of products for sale from its merchandising wing ‘Excalibur’. While much of this material is innocuous and mainstream, certain books are available on the site which provide a clear link to neo-Nazi ideology, which would not be deemed acceptable if promoted by any mainstream political party.

As we have seen, one of the books enthusiastically promoted by the BNP is *March of the Titans: A History of the White Race*, written by BNP member and activist Arthur Kemp. Kemp's book offers a pseudo-scholarly espousal of racial ideology presented as a historical study. Kemp views the whole of history through the prism of race, stating that '[m]ost importantly of all, revealed in this work is the one true cause of the rise and fall of the world's greatest empires - that all civilizations rise and fall according to their racial homogeneity and nothing else - a nation can survive wars, defeats, natural catastrophes, but not racial dissolution'. The book's closing chapter 'Ragnarok - The Coming Fall of the West', informs the reader that '[a]ll the great events of history have a racial basis, the very ebb and flow of history is understood only when it is seen that all of history is the result of racial or sub-racial shifts in power, of tribes or nations conquering others, of lands being occupied by different races, and racial conflict'. The BNP clearly agrees, for on its 'White History Month' website, Kemp's book is described as follows:

Written by prolific British National Party historian Arthur Kemp, March of the Titans is the complete history of the European White Race, from the earliest prehistoric times to the present. March of the Titans contains a wealth of hidden and suppressed facts and events, and uncovers the true reasons for the downfall of ancient civilisations such as Egypt, Persia, Greece and Rome. This book will, quite frankly, change your view of world history forever.

Looking at the BNP website's 'online shopping' section, it comes as no surprise to find that *March of the Titans* is not the only race based book recommended by the BNP. Amongst the titles on offer, we find Wayne Macleod's *The Importance of Race in Civilization* and JR Bell's *Of British Blood and British Earth*. The books are described as follows:

First published in 1968, Wayne Mcleod's classic work, The Importance of Race in Civilization, is now once again in print. Mcleod shows how any society's racial homogeneity is intrinsic to its stability and progress. Starting with a brief historical overview which illustrates his point, Mcleod moves on to an explanation of race and its meaning for the modern world.

This book seeks to explain and justify the need for the maintenance of racial and cultural identity. It advocates the union of white Commonwealth countries, while advancing a means by which this might be achieved.

The BNP's promotion of both of these books offers yet another link to the party's true ideological home. *The Importance of Race in Civilization* is a book that considers 'mixed-marriages' to be 'racial suicide' and was first published by the American 'Noontide Press'. It is far from a 'classic work' anywhere outside the world of neo-Nazism. *Of British Blood and British Earth*, a book whose title clearly alludes to the Nazi concept of Blut und Boden (Blood and Soil), is the product of an English publishing outfit called the 'Historical Review Press'.

The Noontide Press

The Noontide Press was founded as a subsidiary of the antisemitic 'Liberty Lobby' by an
American far-right extremist named Willis Carto. In *Denying the Holocaust: The Growing Assault on Truth and Memory*, Deborah Lipstadt explains:

The Liberty Lobby has been described as so extreme that it is ‘estranged from even the fringes of the far right.’ The investigative columnist Drew Pearson described Carto as a Hitler ‘fan’ and the Liberty Lobby as ‘infiltrated by Nazis who revere the memory of Hitler.’ The Wall Street Journal is also among those who have identified Carto and the Liberty Lobby as anti-Semitic. […] When Carto and the Liberty Lobby sued the Wall Street Journal for calling them antisemites, the District Court for the District of Columbia ruled against them and concluded that it would be difficult to imagine a case in which the evidence of anti-Semitism was ‘more compelling’.210

Carto is an ideologue whose ‘political vision is encapsulated by three things: contempt and revulsion for Jews, a belief in the need of an absolutist government that would protect the “racial heritage” of the United States, and a conviction that there exists a conspiracy designed to bring dire harm to the Western world’.211 Unsurprisingly, Carto advocates ‘a racial view of history’ and ‘[r]acial purity is the lens through which much of Carto’s view of the world is viewed’.212

Carto has organised numerous groups, projects, and publications. In the late 1960s, he set up a group called the ‘National Youth Alliance’, at whose meetings ‘Nazi paraphernalia were evident and Nazi songs sung’.213 This group went on, under the leadership of Dr William Pierce, to become the pro-Nazi, Holocaust denying ‘National Alliance’, a group whose website continues to link to the BNP website and report enthusiastically on its activities, and a group whose website is linked to by BNP blogger Elizabeth Walton. As recently as 2005, the supposedly ‘moderate’ BNP leaders Nick Griffin and Simon Darby happily shared a platform with National Alliance speaker Kevin Alfred Strom at a conference whose other speakers included neo-Nazis and Holocaust deniers.214

Another Carto project is the Institute for Historical Review (IHR), a pseudo-scholarly organisation set up to promote denial of the Holocaust. The IHR was set up in an attempt to move denial from the lunatic fringe of racial and antisemitic extremism to the realm of academic respectability. The IHR was designed to win scholarly acceptance for deniers … Although the IHR and its followers proclaim Holocaust denial is heir to a genuine intellectual legacy, analysis of the institute, its publications and activities, and the people most closely associated with it throws into stark relief that, notwithstanding its claims to intellectual legitimacy, the IHR is part of a continuum of extreme anti-Semitism and racism. … The organizational form the IHR adopted – a research institute – and its outward trappings may have been innovative but its agenda was not: to rehabilitate National Socialism, inculcate anti-Semitism and racism, and oppose democracy.215

The Noontide Press website states ‘[o]ur large selection of stimulating and sometimes provocative items includes all books, discs and tapes of the Institute for Historical Review’.216 Other items on sale include *Gold in the Furnace* by Savitri Devi (who was a friend of BNP

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211 Ibid: 145
212 Ibid: 146
213 Ibid: 148-149
214 http://www.whitecivilrights.com/?p=86
215 *Denying the Holocaust*: 142
216 http://www.noontidepress.com/about_us.php
founder John Tyndall), described as a ‘valuable work by an ardent, unapologetic admirer of Hitler’, the notorious antisemitic forgery 'The Protocols of the Learned Elders of Zion', the race war novel The Turner Diaries, and The Hoax of the Twentieth Century: The Case Against the Presumed Extermination of European Jewry.

The Historical Review Press

The Hoax of the Twentieth Century, a book which attempts to deny the Nazi Holocaust against the Jewish people, was first published in the UK and later published in America by the Noontide Press. The British publishing house that brought this antisemitic propaganda to the world was the Historical Review Press. The relationship between the two publishing houses is long-running and began with the 1969 Noontide Press book The Myth of the Six Million, which was re-worked into a pamphlet by the Historical Review Press.

The Historical Review Press has gone on to publish numerous works dedicated to denying the Holocaust, including Did Six Million Really Die?, which it continues to sell on its website. Written by National Front member Richard Verrall AKA Richard E. Harwood (at the time a close ally of Andrew Brons), Did Six Million Really Die? attempted to make Nazi style racial politics more ‘acceptable’ by removing the ‘block’ of the Holocaust. In the book, Verrall writes:

[T]he accusation of the Six Million is not only used to undermine the principle of nationhood and national pride, but it threatens the survival of the Race itself. It is wielded over the heads of the populace, rather as the threat of hell fire and damnation was in the Middle Ages. Many countries of the Anglo-Saxon world, notably Britain and America, are today facing the gravest danger in their history, the danger posed by the alien races in their midst. Unless something is done in Britain to halt the immigration and assimilation of Africans and Asians into our country, we are faced in the near future, quite apart from the bloodshed of racial conflict, with the biological alteration and destruction of the British people as they have existed here since the coming of the Saxons.

The book was an entirely ideologically motivated and pseudo-scholarly work. Indeed, in 1992, the Supreme Court of Canada found that this book, published by the Historical Review Press, 'misrepresented the work of historians, misquoted witnesses, fabricated evidence, and cited non-existent authorities'.

The bogus and blatantly antisemitic nature of Did Six Million Really Die? has never been a problem for long running BNP activist and founder-member of the party, Richard Edmonds. Still a popular speaker on the BNP circuit, and currently a member of the BNP’s ‘advisory council’, Edmonds ‘has tirelessly promoted revisionist publications for more than a quarter of a century' and 'used to despatch copies of the revisionist classic Did Six Million Really Die? to every

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corner of the globe'. This is not likely to disturb Nick Griffin, who claims that he no longer denies the Holocaust, but has yet to provide an adequate explanation as to why he argued for many years that the Holocaust was a ‘hoax’, or to identify exactly what new material he has come across that has led to his recent Damascene conversion on the historicity of the Nazi genocide against the Jewish people.

The Historical Review Press website demonstrably supports neo-Nazi ideology. In addition to selling Of British Blood and British Birth, The Importance of Race in Civilization, March of the Titans, and a CD from the BNP’s ‘Great White Records’ (all of which are also sold on the BNP website), the Historical Review Press also offers further Nazi and racist material, including Third Reich era re-prints and Holocaust denial material, including a book of ‘portrait studies of Aryan racial types’ by an SS artist, ‘SS Race Theory and mate selection guidelines’, National Socialism - Vanguard of the Future, and The Hoax of the 20th Century.

That the BNP website should continue to sell books which are centred on spurious ‘racial’ historical and sociological notions, including books originating from openly neo-Nazi publishing houses, casts serious doubts on the party’s recent claims to have left behind its links to ideological racism and promoters of Holocaust denial.

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Conclusion

In recent years the BNP has attempted to portray itself as a patriotic party which simply seeks to represent 'British people'. However, a close examination of officially sanctioned BNP websites, blogs of known BNP supporters and activists, and the online BNP support network, suggests that the party continues to support a racist, antisemitic and separatist ideology.

The BNP defines a 'British' person through unambiguously racial criteria with significant echoes of white supremacist, and in particular Nazi, ideology. In addition to this, a portion of the material both recommended and sold by the BNP on its website provides a clear link to the international neo-Nazi racist movement and worldview.

In its public face, the party uses the 'saleable words' whilst consistently denying the extent to which race, as opposed to opposition to mass immigration or Islamist extremism, is a central and fundamental concern. The material investigated in this report suggests that maintaining racial homogeneity and a commitment to radically altering the nature of modern Britain through a programme of mass 'repatriation' of non-white citizens, are the very things that define the BNP.

An examination of the use of YouTube by BNP members and online activists provides examples of racists, antisemites, and neo-Nazis continuing to gravitate towards the BNP. There are many examples of BNP members and supporters adding these people as ‘friends’ on their YouTube accounts. The case of the official BNP channel on YouTube, bnprenaissance, highlights the extreme nature of many of the channel’s ‘friends’. At the very least the BNP attracts the support of ideologically driven racial supremacists who have identified the party as the most effective vehicle through which to further their agenda in the United Kingdom.

Similarly, an analysis of the use of blogs and forums by BNP members and online activists shows that the dividing line between the BNP’s ‘white nationalism’ and openly pro-Nazi sentiment is often very thin. In a number of examples, that barrier is non-existent. The blogs of Lee Barnes and Elizabeth Walton, who are party members and activists, as well as the ‘Britain Awake’ and ‘Covert Tactics’ blogs maintained by strong supporters of the party, demonstrate that neo-Nazism and extremism are far closer to home than the party would care to admit.

Whilst the BNP may argue that they have no control over who supports them and what those supporters say on their own YouTube accounts or blogs, there has been no attempt by the BNP to distance itself from either the bnprenaissance channel, its ‘friends’, or the blogs of its members and active supporters, despite the extremist contacts, material, and links found on these websites.

The findings of this report show:

- The BNP is not a civic nationalist party, but rather a ‘white nationalist’ party.
- The racial ideology of the BNP has not changed from the early days in which the founder John Tyndall was party leader, when open expressions of Nazism were tolerated in the party.
- So-called patriotic concerns of the BNP mask an underlying fear of racial ‘dissolution’ and a commitment to ‘soft’ ethnic cleansing in the form of policies attempting to coerce
non-white Britons into leaving the United Kingdom.

- The BNP continues to promote an ideology centred on race and racism. It is a socially divisive organisation that is attempting to rebrand as a conventional political party in order to gain the legitimacy that some European far-right parties have managed to achieve in recent years.

- BNP leader Nick Griffin’s policy of ‘rebranding’ the BNP has managed to attract considerable support from disaffected white Britons, many of whom are undoubtedly unaware of the extent of the party’s underlying extremism.
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