

iraq demonstration
against illegal detentions



stop the war

War is a disaster for workers

War is not in our interest. War is in the interest of the capitalists. Wars generate big profits.

Support Iraqi workers

The present war in Iraq has been a catastrophe for workers and their families.

Workers in Iraq defied Saddam Hussein's repressive regime. They are now defying sectarian militias and the US supported government.

Iraqi workers face sackings, salary cuts, privatisation and sell-offs. In the sectarian violence union organisers are being killed. United States forces have raided the headquarters of the General Federation of Iraqi Workers.

Support Iraqi unions

But Iraqi workers are still organising. They are fighting against the laws that restrict their right to organise, they are campaigning for better wages and conditions. They are fighting for job security and the right to live in peace.

Australia is part of the problem

The Australian government is part of this system of war. Australia hosts US military bases, Australia takes part in joint military exercises, Australia sends its soldiers to pacify neighbouring countries. Australian soldiers are part of the occupation of Iraq.

Workers in solidarity

Everywhere, workers need the same things. We need secure jobs with good wages and conditions. We need good housing, health services and education. But we are forced to fight for these basic rights. To fight we have our unions. We need our unions to organise and campaign internationally. We can't abandon our sisters and brothers in Iraq.

Our strength is our solidarity

The power of workers is our ability to organise, stop work and stop profits. Working together, we can stop war. We can build peace and justice.

Defend the General Federation of Iraqi Workers www.iraqitradeunions.org/en

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aawl meetings

Tuesday 3 April 07
Tuesday 1 May 07
Tuesday 5 June 07
Tuesday 3 July 07
Tuesday 7 August 07

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are at 6 pm in the
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Carlton South

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struggle song

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With my comrades beside me
See the power of our class

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March together arm in arm
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