

World Food Day @ ESF

Saturday 16th October 9:00am – 9:00pm

“Feed people not profits: challenging corporate control”



Food sovereignty policies are needed now to ensure that 6.5 billion people are fed today and 9 billion tomorrow.

- 840 million people go to bed hungry each night in a world with 1.5 billion overfed people that spends \$900 billion a year on weapons and war.
- 1 European farm disappears every minute of every day
- 4 supermarket chains control 75% of the food market in the UK and 4 TNCs control 75% of maize seed sales

Come debate the issues, meet-up and organise on: food sovereignty + land rights + Farmers' Rights + agricultural biodiversity + unfair trade rules + corporate control + obesity + famine + FAO pushing GM crops for the poor + WTO + intellectual property rights and seed control + and what we must do...

Plenary at Alexandra Palace	Seminars at Alexandra Palace		
11:30am - 1:30pm Politics on your plate - European agriculture, its global impact and future Event no: 2161	9:00 - 11:00am European Agriculture: Citizens and farmers fighting together for a fair and sustainable CAP Venue: <i>Junin</i> Event no: 1855	4:30 - 6:30pm Food Sovereignty, Fair Trade and Diversity: challenging corporate control Venue: <i>Chiapas</i> Event no: 2025	7:00 - 9:00pm Land Rights – equitable access to land and resources in Europe and the Global South Venue: <i>Woomera</i> Event no: 2024

Workshops in Bloomsbury			
11:30am - 1:30pm Beyond GM: Nanotechnology in Food and Agriculture Venue: <i>University London Union - room 3D</i> Event no: 778	 11:30 - 1:30pm A bittersweet tale: putting an end to damage caused by EU sugar dumping Venue: <i>University London Union - room 3E</i> Event no: 1138 	2:00 - 4:00pm Towards a European Coalition for Corporate Responsibility Venue: <i>University London Union Upper Hall</i> Event no: 1364	4:30 - 6:30pm Boycott Nestlé Venue: <i>Congress House 3, Gt. Russell St.</i> Event no: 1173