

>> Let our past struggles inspire our future >>

The songs, theatre and poetry of working class struggle have played a key role in carrying forward the convictions and knowledge from one generation to the next.

ABERDEEN

Wednesday 2 September

Aberdeen and International Solidarity: Spain, South Africa, Palestine

Tommy Campbell, Cllr Barney Crockett,

Kate Ramsden

6.30 p.m. Unite 44 King Street, AB24



FALKIRK

Tuesday 6 October

People's Music and Class Politics

Cathy Peattie and Calum Baird

Chair: Colin Finlay

7 p.m. Wheatsheaf, 16 Baxters Wynd FK1 5BA

Oh, dear me, the
world's ill-
divided,
Them that work
the hardest are
aye wi' least
provided



GLASGOW

Tuesday 3 November

Rent Strikes and Red Clydeside

Maria Fyfe

7 p.m. STUC 333 Woodlands Rd



PAISLEY

Wednesday, 3 December

Willie Gallacher: Agitator and MP

Jim Whyte and Cllr Mike Holmes

Chair: Colin Mack, Paisley TUC

7 p.m. Paisley Town Hall



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Tuesday 2 February

Robert Burns: Radical and Rebel

Jackson Cullinane and Alex Baird

7.30 p.m. Ex Services Club,

15 Academy Street, KH7 1HF

While Europe's eye is fix'd on
mighty things,
The fate of empires and the fall
of kings,
While quacks of State must
each produce his plan,
And even children lisp the
Rights of Man.



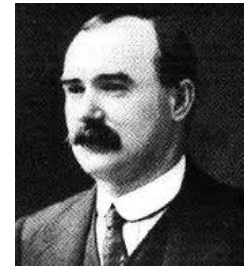
LANARKSHIRE BLANTYRE

Tuesday 1 March

Keir Hardie: pioneer of Labour representation

Richard Leonard Chair Elaine Smith MSP

Blantyre Miners Welfare



EDINBURGH

Tuesday 15 March

James Connolly, 1916 and Class Politics

Tommy Campbell, Mike Arnott and Keith Stoddart

7 p.m. Augustine Church Centre, 41 George IV Bridge

LOCHGELLY

Tuesday 5 April

1984-85 The Miners' Wives and lessons for today

Cath Cunningham and Mary Lockhart

7 p.m. Lochgelly Centre, Bank St KY5 9RD



DUNDEE

Tuesday 17 May

The Ragged Trousered Philanthropists

Derrick Millar

DVA. 10 Constitution Street, DD1 1LL



DUMFRIES

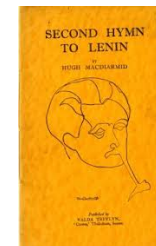
Tuesday 7 June

The Poetry of Hugh MacDiarmid

John Manson

7 p.m. Multicultural Centre, Irish Street

DGI 2PH



Wi' Lenin's vision equal poet's
gift
And what unparalleled force
was there!
Nocht in a' literature wi' that
Begins to compare.

EDINBURGH

Tuesday 5 July

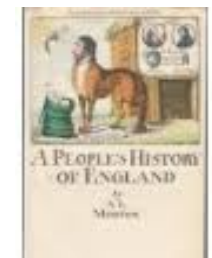
'Making History':

Class Struggle and History from Below

Paul Mcfarlane

7 p.m. Augustine Church Centre,

41 George IV Bridge



Speakers

Mike Arnott	Secretary Dundee Trades Union Council
Alex Baird	Former Chair Ayr Trades Council
Calum Baird	Singer
Tommy Campbell	Regional Officer, Unite, Aberdeen
Barney Crockett	Labour Councillor, Aberdeen City
Jackson Cullinane	Head of Unite Scotland Politics, Research & Campaigns Unit
Cath Cunningham	Former organiser Striking Miners Wives
Maria Fyfe	Remember Mary Barbour Committee: former MP Maryhill
Mike Holmes	Labour Councillor, Renfrewshire
Tom Kirby	Secretary Fife RSG
Richard Leonard	Political Officer, GMB Scotland
Mary Lockhart	Former Chair Scottish Cooperative Party
Paul Mcfarlane	Scottish Labour Campaign for Socialism
John Manson	Poet
Colin Mack	Chair Paisley Trades Union Council
Derrick Millar	UCATT Secretary Dundee
Cathy Peattie	People's Singer and former MSP for Falkirk
Kate Ramsden	Vice President Aberdeen Trades Union Council
Elaine Smith	MSP Convener of Campaign for Socialism
Keith Stoddart	Secretary People's Assembly Scotland
Jim Whyte	Veteran Communist who worked with Willie Gallacher in the 1950s

Everyone is welcome. There is no charge. A collection will be taken to help defray expenses.

The Morning Star is also sponsoring the commemoration meeting for the Glasgow volunteers in the International Brigade on Sat, 19 September 11.30 a.m. at the La Pasionaria statue, Clyde Street

Morning Star Scottish Autumn Conference

STUC Building, 333 Woodlands Rd, Glasgow

Sunday, 4 October 11 a.m.

Chair Rozanne Foyer

Re-developing Class Politics

Speakers include

Carolyn Jones, Lynn Henderson, Neil Findlay MSP,
Chris Stephens MP, Cllr Bill Butler, Vicky Grandon, Tam Kirby, Phil McGarry, Vince Mills, Tom Morrison, Jennifer McCarey, Mike Arnott

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OUR FUTURE >>

It's coming yet, for a' that, that man to man the world o'er, shall brithers be for a' that.

Teach Contentment.

Those for whom the taxes are destined

Demand sacrifice.

Those who eat their fill speak to the hungry

Of the wonderful times to come.

Those who lead the country into the abyss

Call ruling too difficult

For ordinary men.

Bertolt Brecht 'Those who take the meat from the table'

2015-16 programme