



DDE Newsletter No. 47

Articles ...

Vaccines and the Deserted Amusement Park of the American Soul. I finally got mine. But for-profit hospitals are killing people to "get theirs." [Read more ...](#)

A Youth-led Palestinian Protest Movement Is Rocking the Hills South of Jerusalem. Activist Sami Huraini, 23, is one of the coordinators of a West Bank youth group engaged in weekly demonstrations. His family history of nonviolent protest has yielded some unlikely victories. [Read more ...](#)

Israel approves COVID vaccines for undocumented persons, but not for Palestinians. Health Ministry bars thousands of West Bank Palestinians living in Israel from getting vaccinated at makeshift COVID clinics around the country. [Read more ...](#)

The Holocaust and slavery – both need a fitting memorial. It would be invidious to set up a rivalry between them, so why are their monuments being treated so differently? [Read more ...](#)

As featured in the BBC1 programme *Blitz Spirit* ...

A Nigerian Air-Raid Warden in St Marylebone [Read more ...](#)

West Indian & Africans in Civil Defence [Read more ...](#)

'A lifetime sentence': children of the gulag fight to return from exile. Millions of Soviet citizens were sent to vast network of prison camps under Stalin. Now their descendants seek recompense. [Read more ...](#)

UK's anti-terror chief fears rights group boycott threatens Prevent review. Neil Basu says move to oppose appointment of William Shawcross could harm process. [Read more ...](#)

Local news ...

Liveable Exeter exists to strengthen neighbourhoods, create new communities, invest in sustainable transport, and deliver the infrastructure needed to attract investment and improve quality of life in Exeter and the surrounding region. [Read more ...](#)

£4 million Deep Digital Cornwall project launched to unlock underground environment. [Read more ...](#)

Keep out of Bristol's slaver street names debate, ministers are told. The city fears its discussion on slave owner Edward Colston is being dragged into a divisive national 'culture war'. [Read more ...](#)

Poem ...

The Bread of Childhood by Ihor Pavlyuk. [Read ...](#)

Book ...

Girl with a Gun: Love, loss and the fight for freedom in Iran by Diana Nammi. [Details ...](#)

Videos and podcasts ...

Mohamedou Ould Salahi and one of his former Guantanamo guards, Steve Wood, reunite in Mauritania 13 years after last seeing each other, rekindling an unlikely relationship that profoundly changed their lives. [Watch ...](#)

Secrets of the Arab Café. The stories behind four iconic cafés in Marrakesh, Cairo, Algiers and Hebron and their role in conversation and culture. [Watch ...](#)

Things to do ...

Wednesday 3rd March 7pm to 9pm *The Profits of Slavery and the Wealth of Universities* a presentation on the Lord Dalhousie Scholarly Panel on Slavery and Race. [Details ...](#)

Friday 5th March 7:00pm to 9:00pm *A Cornish World / Bys Kernow* - An exploration of Cornwall's history and the part it plays within a global context - a small place making a big impact? [Details ...](#)

Thursday 11th March 7:00pm *Joke's on You, Dementia!* An evening of comedy organised by the Alzheimer's Society and hosted by Hugh Dennis. [Details ...](#)

Campaigns ...

Campaign Against Arms Trade has been nominated for the 2021 Nobel Peace Prize alongside its partner [Mwatana for Human Rights](#), a grassroots organisation working in Yemen. [Read more ...](#)

I am a member of the Windrush Generation who was invited here by the British Government. [Read more ...](#)

Ask the UK government to implement the trade deal with Ghana – and update [Read more ...](#) and new petition [Petition ...](#)

Introduce a basic income to help our country recover from the social and economic shock of the COVID crisis. [Petition ...](#)

Centene Corporation, an American health insurance giant, has just taken over 49 NHS GP surgeries and practices. [Petition ...](#)

Pull out of the Energy Charter Treaty and stop its expansion to other countries as the treaty is incompatible with the Paris Climate Agreement. [Petition ...](#)

Dorit Oliver Wolff BEM and Ruth Barnett MBE, as Holocaust survivors, are writing an open letter to Prime Minister Boris Johnson asking him to meet with them ahead of the vote on the Genocide Amendment to the Trade Bill. [Petition ...](#)