

# ACTION CAMP IN LE HAVRE 20 - 29 MAY 2011 AGAINST THE DEAUVILLE G8

Once again the **self-proclaimed "Global Management"** is about to bring together leaders of the G8 for another summit, to develop their political, economic and social strategies to ensure and increase their power over the people that they know very well have **many reasons to rebel**.

The forthcoming G8, chaired by Nicolas Sarkozy, will be held in Deauville, Normandy, France, on the 26 and 27th of May 2011. G8 leaders, aware of the illegitimacy of this summit, will be using **armed forces against people who claim the possibility of a better world**. Deauville is already a city under surveillance and this city will of course be completely inaccessible during the G8 summit.

**However, the challenge can and must happen in other ways** than direct confrontation with the armed forces. It is with this idea that we **call out for a week long action camp from the 20-29 May 2011 in Le Havre, near Deauville (40 km)**. The 21st of May a demo will take place in Le Havre and we want it to be massive!

This camp will be a welcoming place to share, meet like minded people, and will be organised on a basis of self-organisation in a non-hierarchical way. As well as confronting the G8 and the capitalist system allowing it to exist and expand its power to the

entire planet, we want to **propose alternatives and their direct experience, implementing nonviolent direct action**. That's why we want this camp to serve two purposes: to protest against the G8 and its capitalist system and to create self-organised alternative spaces.

**Self-organisation includes sharing of goods and skills, as well as solidarity**. In this perspective, everyone is useful and essential to the success of this strategy. We need to mobilise and take action together. People have already been moving for a few weeks to make this project happen. And we already have a place to welcome everybody in Le Havre: the disused camping of the Montegoon forest.

**There is a lot of work to be done to get there, and you could help us even a little bit. All the skills that we share, in their diversity are useful to oppose the power of business!** Join us on the 23rd and 24th of April for the next preparation meeting in Rouen, France.

We need to be a lot to unite and organise our struggles. But we also need a lot of equipment (tents, pipes, tables, etc.) and all types of skills: propaganda, electricity, cooking, medical aid, legal support, translating, art, video, press ...

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