

# UKIP UK Independence Party

*It's Time We Governed Ourselves*

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With the date of the General Election about to be announced, the UKIP Dorset North constituency association is pleased to report that we are ready for the fight. Some 4,000 homes have already received the 5<sup>th</sup> issue of the UKIP Dorset News, with another 6,000 about to follow. But more importantly our candidate Jeremy Nieboer has designed, paid and sent out nearly 45,000 leaflets to addresses throughout the constituency. If you have not received one please let us know so we can concentrate on any areas that have not been successfully covered. It should look something like the one shown here on the right. The postcode system of delivery can have some blind spots and we need to know exactly where these are. Also to go out in early April is the candidates' Electoral Address, which again, Jeremy has produced. We will stand out from the crowd by the use of these intelligent leaflets, backed up with the colourful and informative UKIP Dorset News[papers]. With other items lined up a good campaign is assured.



Don't forget you can see Jeremy in action in Bournemouth at the open meeting held in the Hallmark Hotel in Durley Chine Road, Bournemouth on Thursday the 8<sup>th</sup> April. Jeremy's contribution will be on the subject of Global Warming. Similarly he will be in Salisbury on the 15<sup>th</sup> April. See Diary.



We are already going out to deliver and canvas in most parts of the constituency, but we want to cover a greater area than we are currently capable of. This is where you come in! Manpower is short. We instantly need many more to push papers and leaflets through doors. Jeremy also needs canvassers to accompany him. If you can spare the odd morning, afternoon, day or even longer give either John on 01202 897884 or Jeremy 01747 858273 as soon as possible. Small scale help is as welcome as large scale. John could also do with some Dorset North help in producing maps, itineraries and folding leaflets etc at his home in Longham.

Again if you can help the number is 01202 8978884.

Economist and businessman Professor Tim Congdon, CBE, who lives in Huntley, has been adopted as UKIP's Parliamentary Candidate for The Royal Forest of Dean. Formerly an adviser on economic policy to Margaret Thatcher's Government, Prof. Congdon quit the Tory Party in 2007 to join UKIP after accusing David Cameron of landing the party with a "misguided baggage of badly rationalised policies". Another high quality candidate.



The Tories should be way ahead of the Labour Party in the opinion polls. Labour has presided over the worst government of all time. Yet the Tories, with 13 years to have prepared for this election, are just a few points ahead with all the talk being of a hung parliament. Does this not strike you as odd? I know the traditional parties are as bad as each other [the proverbial ciggie paper between their policies!]. One has to wonder if a **Hung Parliament** is all part of the plan. If the Tories start gaining they then ditch another policy and back down they go. If Labour gain too much then Cameron makes a half decent speech [well, yes I know that's pushing it a bit!] and back up they go. So why is this happening? Could it be this is being manipulated to make a party of consensus which in turn then can become a pan EU party i.e. no more Labour/Lib Dems/Con? Other than killing off the small parties what could be at the bottom of this? EU funding. This is expected to be given only to pan-EU political parties, and with the small parties fundless as with legally limited donations they go out of business. In one foul swoop there is no true opposition to the dismal slavery of the EU. So this is where UKIP comes in. To be a thorn in their flesh; to trash their plans and stand up for our country; to regain our sovereignty and make Britain Great Britain once more. And where we lead others will follow and the EU's house of cards will collapse.

One policy that the three so called main parties [conveniently forgetting UKIP's 2<sup>nd</sup> place in last year's Euro Elections] all agree on is the admittance of **Turkey** into the EU club. Currently opposed by the French and a small number of other countries, the outcome of such a union will be catastrophic for most countries already swallowed up by the EU state. One thing that would be certain is that immigration from Turkey will be considerable and before we know it Sharia law will become 'accepted' and even more freedoms from the few we have left will be lost. Their admittance would be a dark day for Christian communities Eu wide.



The **indoctrination** of our children continues at a rapid pace. For the eighth year running the EU propaganda machine has launched 'Spring Day for Europe' which to quote its website "is an annual campaign running from 22 March to 30 June 2010 and open to all primary and upper secondary schools across Europe. By joining the Spring Day campaign, teachers and students can take part in a wide range of activities, competitions, and online and face-to-face discussions.

These events introduce European themes into lessons in an innovative and creative way.” Be very afraid. If you can, read more about it by following this link: <http://alturl.com/bz2c> .The ‘resources’ link is particularly revealing.

Lord Monkton warns us about the Climate Change Talks scheduled for the 9-11 April in Bonn. This hopes to achieve all that the failed Copenhagen conference did not. The aim is more than just discussions about wind turbines and nuclear power. A whole new world order is likely to be implemented. There is more on YouTube where there are several pieces by Lord Monkton. See the link of the month – a good starting place to research this further.

As a side issue of the Climate Change debate, one item that has had little publicity, is the mass deaths of birds flying into the rotors of the wind turbines. Christopher Booker highlighted this tragedy in the Telegraph and we quote:

‘The world’s largest and most carefully monitored wind farm, Altamont Pass in California, is estimated to have killed between 2,000 and 3,000 golden eagles alone in the past 20 years. Since turbines were erected on the isle of Smola, off Norway, home to an important population of white-tailed sea eagles, destruction is so great that last year only one chick survived. Thanks to wind farms in Tasmania, a unique sub-species of wedge-tailed eagles faces extinction. And here in Britain, plans to build eight wind farms on the Hebridean islands, among Scotland’s largest concentration of golden eagles, now pose a major threat to the species’ survival in the UK.’ Another good argument to ditch these near useless concrete-hungry power sources.

#### Links of the Month:

**New UN threat to world democracy through Climate Change Talks in Bonn 9 -11 2010. Lord Monkton reports:** <http://alturl.com/im8i>

#### Policies:

The final four policies have been published and are available to view and download as follows:

UKIP Policy on the Budget and Economy: <http://alturl.com/okfb>

UKIP Policy on Immigration: <http://alturl.com/f22p>

UKIP Policy on Health: <http://alturl.com/nveg>

UKIP Policy on Jobs: <http://alturl.com/xsp9>

Also the UKIP Election Manifesto has also been published ahead of those of the other parties. Read the full version or download it here: <http://alturl.com/s79u>

#### **A message from Jeremy Nieboer, our Parliamentary Candidate:**

*We are now all at the point of our maximum effort and brightest hope for the future that we, as a party, have had in all our electoral history. The General Election will be on us in a few weeks and with it the prize of a surge in support for the policies UKIP have put before the electorate.*

*Never before in our campaign history has UKIP put itself forward so clearly as a party of government with policies on taxation - to bring millions out of tax; immigration - to reclaim our borders; education – to take the State out of our schools; welfare – to bring fair dealing for British citizens and workfare for those seeking work; local government – to make Councils self financing through a Local Sales Tax and above all restoring authority to Parliament by regaining our independence as a self governing sovereign democracy.*

*These are policies for all. They are policies we should be proud of spelling out as a party that may well hold a critical role in the next Parliament. We alone as a party occupy the high ground of democratic politics to restore an effective and robust democracy.*

*We have now sent out my first leaflet to all 44,000 households in the North Dorset Constituency - this is being distributed now. In the second week of April my election address will hit the doorsteps of 44,900 voting households – in good time before postal votes are polled. But what John Baxter and I **urgently need is your help** with whatever you can spare by way of funds at this key time. Also – as much as anything – **we need to have as many posters up to show our presence as clearly and emphatically as possible.** Please do call or e-mail John Baxter as soon as you can to let him know if you can help with a poster site. We will provide the boards and stakes. We do not have the funds or manpower of the Tories and Liberals – but we **can** demonstrate the force of our presence!*

*Best wishes for a momentous General Election!*

*Jeremy.*

#### **‘What the media is saying’:**

- The *Express.co.uk* editorial mentions new measures Herman Van Rompuy’s EU is hoping to implement to finish off the nation states and concludes ‘Britain already pays a heavy financial price for its membership and the benefits bestowed by belonging are increasingly hard to identify. So an awkward question that none of the so-called “mainstream” parties wishes to address is raised: wouldn’t it be better to leave?’
- The *Mail* reports that Britain is sticking rigidly to EU rules that outlaw checks on foreign doctors’ language skills, despite the death of David Gray, who was killed by a German doctor with poor English skills, the General Medical Council



(GMC) said. The GMC, which regulates doctors, also revealed that France will get around the ban by not having tests as such, but by inviting prospective foreign GPs in for interview to check their language skills. The GMC met Health Sec. Andy Burnham to demand an end to the ban on checks but were told it could mean fines from the EU Commission.

- *DPA [Deutsche Press Agentur]* reports that the EU will change the selection procedures for its personnel, with EU Commissioner for Administration Maros Sefcoviv saying that only the "cleverest and the best" should get the top positions within the EU. Less emphasis on knowledge and more emphasis on the skills of future candidates should be taken into consideration. [Shame this was not in place before Rompuy and Ashton got their jobs! Ed]
- According to the *Independent* Ken Clarke, the shadow Business Secretary, said securing a clear majority would be a "tall order" for his party as the polls continued to close. "So many seats have to change hands," he said. "We have got to get through the glass ceiling by winning over more liberals."
- The *Telegraph* reports that plans to abolish the House of Lords and replace it with a 300-strong, wholly elected second chamber are to be unveiled by ministers in a key political move ahead of the general election. There would be a "consultation" on the name of the new chamber – almost certainly putting paid to any chances of retaining the designation "House of Lords", which has been in use since the 14th century. The favourite for the new name would be likely to be The Senate. The remaining 92 hereditary peers – the relic of a deal done under Tony Blair's premiership in 1999 – would also be swept away under the proposed reforms.
- OpenEurope quotes that figures published in the recent UK budget show that the UK's contribution to the EU has increased from last year's estimates. The 2009 budget estimated that the UK's contribution for this year would be £5.6 billion. However, this figure has now increased to £6.4 billion and will rise to an estimated £7.6 billion in 2010/11. The £6.4 billion cost this year is more than twice the £3.1 billion the UK contributed last year.
- The *EU Observer* states that a third of MEPs have signed an appeal to the Commission to consider work-free Sundays in its upcoming review of EU rules on working hours, under the Working Time Directive. EU Employment Commissioner Laszlo Andor promised MEPs that "the Commission will consider all contributions in the review of the working time directive."
- The *Express* reports that under the Lisbon Treaty, the EU's police agency Europol has gained a wide-ranging capacity to gather criminal intelligence if it suspects EU citizens are involved in any "preparatory act" which could lead to criminal activity.
- Finally in the *Telegraph* - Several member states, including Britain, are concerned that EU Foreign Minister Cathy Ashton's proposal to appoint a secretary-general for the EU's new diplomatic service will allow the service to be hijacked by the French official who is expected to land the job. He is Pierre Vimot, the current French Ambassador to Washington.

## OBITUARY

We regret to report the death of Mr H.W.Scott of Blandford Forum. We offer our condolences to his wife and family.

## FOR YOUR DIARY

**Do you need transport to get to a meeting? Or can you provide transport to a meeting? Please contact John Baxter a.s.a.p. so he can liaise. Especially needed for the First-Thursday meetings.**

### THURSDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> APRIL 2010 @ 7.30pm onwards – FIRST-THURSDAY MEETING:

This is likely to be the last First Thursday meeting before the General Election. Dorset Branch Library and minishop available at this meeting. At the **Charlton Inn, Bournemouth Road, Charlton Marshall, DT11 9NH**. Our regular informal evening of food, drink and chat. Do one or all three! Call John Baxter for further details if needed on 01202 897 884. All are welcome – members, their guests, prospective members or the just curious! Joint event with other local branches.



### FRIDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> APRIL @ 8pm & SATURDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> APRIL 2010 @ 1.10pm – Nigel Farage - RADIO APPEARANCE.

At the time of writing Nigel Farage is expected to be a panellist of Radio 4Fm's 'Any Questions' to be broadcast Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> April at 20.00hrs and repeated Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> April at 13.10hrs. Please confirm for yourself that this is the case as these appearances can change day by day.



### THURSDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2010 @ 7.15pm – Special Bournemouth OPEN MEETING with Lord Pearson and our very own Jeremy Nieboer:

A meeting for all members of UKIP in Dorset, + non-members welcome. Party Leader Lord **Malcolm Pearson** of Rannoch will be speaking along with local SW MEP **Lord Dartmouth** and our Dorset North PC **Jeremy Nieboer**. This is likely to be the only meeting in Dorset prior to the General Election in which Lord Pearson will speak. Venue: the Hallmark Hotel [formally Durley Hall Hotel], Durley Chine Road, Bournemouth, BH2 5JS. Contact Ruth Shoebridge for further details on 01202 425 126 or by email on david200@ontel.com



### FRIDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2010 @ 7pm - WEYMOUTH PAVILION – Open Hustings Meeting:

Meet and hear UKIP MEPs **Nigel Farage**, **William Dartmouth** & South Dorset PPC **Mike Hobson** in the Ocean Room, Weymouth Pavilion, The Esplanade, Weymouth, DT4 8ED. Further details from Mike Hobson on 01929 439 099.



### THURSDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2010 @ 7.30pm – SALISBURY PUBLIC MEETING:

Salisbury UKIP is holding a Public Meeting in the Alamein Suite of the Salisbury City Hall, Malthouse Lane, Salisbury SP2 7TU. Chaired by the inimitable **Malcolm Wood** the speakers include local SWMEP **William Dartmouth**, Salisbury PPC **Frances Howard** and Dorset North PPC **Jeremy Nieboer**. Topics will include the EU Arrest Warrant, 'Are we going to hell in a cloud of CO2?' and the Salisbury Plan – 13680 more houses.



### **THURSDAY 13<sup>th</sup> MAY 2010 @ 7.30pm onwards – FIRST-THURSDAY MEETING:**

Postponed from the 6<sup>th</sup> May if that is the Election Day. Dorset Branch Library and minishop available at this meeting. At the **Charlton Inn, Bournemouth Road, Charlton Marshall, DT11 9NH**. Our regular informal evening of food, drink and chat. Do one or all three! Call John Baxter for further details if needed on 01202 897 884. All are welcome – members, their guests, prospective members or the just curious! Joint event with other local branches. The first under a new government?



### **SATURDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> MAY 2010 @ 10.45am – PIMPERNE VILLAGE HALL – AGM:**

The Dorset North AGM will be held once again in conjunction with the Bournemouth West Association AGM. We have as usual to approve our accounts, elect committees [and there will be some change!] and chew over the unprecedented successes of the General Election! There will be a speaker [tba] and of course UKIP merchandise, branch library and the super catering we have come to expect! Please do come and see us – it should not be a stuffy, boring meeting! Come and have a morning out with free coffee and cakes! More info if needed from John Baxter or Rod Trelease. Doors open for helpers 9.30am.& 10am to all.



### **THURSDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2010 – UKIP ANNUAL CONFERENCE:**

The UKIP annual conference will be held at the Riviera International Conference Centre in Torquay. The conference will be held from Thursday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> to Saturday September 4<sup>th</sup>. Further details to be announced. There is unlikely to be a major report in our newsletter this time so you will have to go yourself!



### **Other Regular UKIP Events in Neighbouring Constituencies:**

#### **WELLS BRANCH**

Wells Constituency Association meets regularly on the evening of the **last Monday of every month** in the downstairs room at the back of The Kings Head, 36 High Street, **Wells**, Somerset, BA5 2SG.

Contact Wyn Thomas at [gbthomas@ukonline.co.uk](mailto:gbthomas@ukonline.co.uk)



#### **SALISBURY BRANCH**



On the **4th Thursday of the month** [excluding August & December], at 12.30 UKIP **Salisbury** branch have a lunchtime social at the Green Dragon, Old Road, Alderbury, Salisbury, SP5 2AR. Ring Margaret Strange on 01980 623907 for details. The Green Dragon may originally in part be the Blue Dragon in Charles Dickens's 'Martin Chuzzlewit.' [www.ukipsalisbury.org](http://www.ukipsalisbury.org)

or email [jharvey1917@btinternet.com](mailto:jharvey1917@btinternet.com)

#### **EAST DEVON BRANCH**



Come and have lunch in **East Devon** on the **first Tuesday of every month** at the White Hart Inn, Church Street, Woodbury, Devon, EX5 1HN.

Telephone John Kelly on 01395 276130.

**Perhaps even get to meet the legendary John Kelly!**

#### **EXETER BRANCH**

Pub evening 1st Tuesday of the month.  
Ralph Gay 01392 679187

#### **Cheltenham Coffee Morning**

2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month

Alan Stone 01242 515439

#### **Chippenham & N Wilts Pub night**

1st Wednesday of the month

Lysley Arms, Pewsham SN15 3RU 7pm

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Outstanding Bournemouth West Website: <http://www.westbournemouthukip.com/main.htm>

Historic Blog Site [not current]: <http://ukipnorthdorset.blogspot.com/> live: <http://englandexpects.blogspot.com/>

William Dartmouth MEP's Website: <http://www.williamdartmouth.com>

Trevor Coleman MEP's Website: please follow the link on: [www.ukip.org](http://www.ukip.org)

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