

END CONSCRIPTION CAMPAIGN (CAPE TOWN BRANCH) ANNUAL ASSESSMENT IN PREPARATION EOR THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF JANUARY 1984

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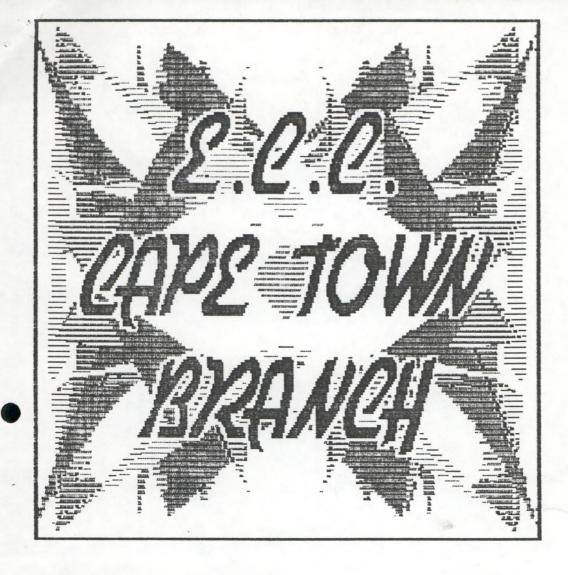
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Chronology of activities-1985

- JAN Pamphlet distributed to coincide with the call up
 - Workshop to plan the IYY campaign
 - First National conference at Botha's Hill, Natal ended with raid by Secyrity Police
- FEB ECC represented on IYY committees of churches and UDF
 - Workshop on security and detentions, with assistance from ADAC
 - Production of "Hands off Crossroads" statement poster.
 - Roadshow perform for UCT orientation week and Black Sash
- MAR Public meeting on Civil War addressed by Trevor Manuel and Laurie Nathan.
 - Concert in Observatory
 - ECC participates in IYY launch
- APR First meeting of the national committee in JHB
 - Participated in NANSO workshop at UWC
 - Assessment of sub-committee work and broadening of executive to include sub-comm. representatives.
 - Held first schools workshop
 - Held first 2 open forums on alternatives to conscription and Namibia
 - First edition of ECC Calender
- MAY Participated in Civil Rights League meeting celebrating 40 years since the defeat of facism
 - Planning work for Peace Festival
- JUN Open forum on Civil War
 - ECC writes SA Outlook, focussing on conscription
 - Fund raising supper
 - Pamphlet distributed to schools
 - Highly successful Peace Festival in JHB, attended by 400 delegates and over 2000 participants - extensive international support
- JUL Second National Conference in JHB
 - ECC speaks at UDF meeting on State of Emergency
 - Early planning for Troops Out Campaign
- AUG ECC gives evidence to the Geldenhuys Committee
 - Participated in Habonim panel
 - "Troops out" statement poster

- Public meeting on Troops in the Townships attended by 200
- 4th open forum on "40 years since Hiroshima" and the international cold war
- Hold first creative action workshop
- SEP Public meeting in the Cathedral hall to co-incide with Sept.3 Sebokeng anniversary
 - Detention of Chairperson, Mike Evans
 - 5th open forum on "State of the Nation" attended by 250
 - Meeting and vigil to launch Ivan's 20 day fast
 - Launch of 2 week "Art for Peace" exhibition at the Baxter attended by 500 people
 - Regular services, lunch time programmes and evening workshops in the Cathedral
 - One week programme for schools to co-incide with the vacation
 - Vigils at Cathedral, Ron Con and Manenberg
 - Relay fasts at St. Mary's Cathedral and by UCT SRC
 - Pickets on the United Nations International Day of Peace, Sep 17
 - Production of 250 000 items of media for Troops Out Campaign
- OCT 6th open forum on "State of the Nation"
 - Church services to begin and end 24 hour fast
 - Altogether nearly 2000 people sign visitors book in Cathedral
 - "Peace Rally" attended by 4000 people, addressed by Molly Blackburn, Archbishop Russel, Nomainda Mfaketo, Mike Evans, Ivan Toms and Christmas Tinto
 - Assessment and planning workshop
 - ECC initiates coming togethre of 23 organisations in
 - response to declaration of State of Emergency
 - Statement poster against State of Emergency
- NOV Another newsletter released
 - Alternative service co-ordinating committee meets
 - Churches sub-committee formed
 - ECC continues participating in range of activities with 23 organisations
 - LAG produces "No news is bad news" T-shirt
 - The first Cape Town AGM is held and a new executive elected
- DEC "Cadets Campaign" planning workshop held
 - ECC concert with poster exhibition: good school student attendance
 - Stall at CAP's open day
 - 4 new T-shirt designs printed
 - '23 organisations' pamphlet and candle light vigil
- JAN Service for conscripts
 - Pamphlet for churches distribution
 - 8000 call-up pamphlets released
 - Stickers and poster "Conscripts with no right ot choose"
 - Picket held to protest call up

- 2 successful creative actions a sand castle and a jog-in Planning for alternative service and cadet campaigns Open forum with Laurie and Pete



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