

Britain's perfidious Labour party

Saturday

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2.00pm

Saklatvala Hall

Southall UB2 5AA

A seminar on the
history of social
democracy and the
Labour party

"We dyed the imperialist flag deepest red ...
... By drenching it in the blood of the
workers we bled!"



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 the communists

Condemn the Labour party as an impossible vehicle for socialism

Why is it that no matter what crimes the Labour party commits a plethora of organisations claiming to represent the interests of the working class, claiming even to be 'socialist' or 'communist', continue to assert that Labour is 'better than the Tories', and that electing a Labour government to run British imperialism is the best, indeed the only, hope for solving workers' many and multiplying problems?

Where did the myth of Labour's 'golden era' and 'socialist roots' originate? Who propagates these fairy tales, and why?

Was the establishment of the National Health Service in 1948 proof of Labour's socialist credentials? What about the minimum wage brought in under the government of Tony Blair?

This pamphlet aims to set the record straight on the roots, history and true purpose of Britain's Labour party, the leader of world social democracy, cheerleader of every imperialist war, and loyal servant of British finance capital.

This is an essential history for every worker to understand as the present and deepest-ever economic crisis of capitalism bites ever deeper. If we are to build a party and a movement capable of serving our real interests, we must learn the lessons of the past and avoid falling into the same traps. Our future depends on it!

About the CPGB-ML

An understanding of society (theory) and a way of uniting to change it (organisation)

are the two things that we need to make a socialist revolution. Ordinary people in Britain have everything to gain by getting involved in this process sooner rather than later. This world isn't working for us and we deserve better!

Not only do we need to campaign against the bad conditions and lack of prospects for working-class people in Britain today, but we need to work for a completely different type of society – one where people's needs decide everything.

So many problems face this world: environmental catastrophe, poverty, disease, racism and war. They'll never be solved while capitalism remains, but they could all be sorted if society was set up for the benefit of the majority rather than the private gain of a few billionaires.

Our party is different because we consistently apply Marxist science to all areas of our work, and we're not scared to tell it how it is. We refuse to be intimidated by the barrage of lying propaganda that fills Britain's mainstream media. It is the capitalists' job to try to stop us from building a socialist society; it is our job to do it anyway!

Challenge your ideas – challenge their propaganda – seek the truth – serve the people – change the world!

Contact the CPGB-ML to find out more.

