



People for Proper Policing in North Wales

Below is an introduction to the CJPP, an organisation in South Wales with much in common with the PPP.



Campaign for Justice and Public Protection

OUR MOTTO:

Serving the Injustices of all Victims of Crime



This organisation was founded because of the ever-increasing injustices that victims of crime receive in the disguise of law and order. Victims of all forms of injustices should see proper accountability being given to their grievances. Our campaign is served by those who have been let down by the legal system in the UK, the victims who have never received justice.

This organisation holds no allegiance to any political party. We hold all political parties accountable to citizens of this country in the name of law and order.

The (CJPP) campaign for Justice and Public Protection is committed to serving the injustices of all victims of crimes, violent crime, death by drink driving, domestic and child abuse, anti-social neighbours etc. Our aim is to seek full justice for the perpetrators of criminality and that of their victims.

For too long the imbalance of justice has swung in favouring the mitigating circumstances of the criminal, plead guilty and we shall be lenient, all aided and abetted by an unjust criminal justice system and human rights act.

Victims and their families have had their lives torn apart by an outdated justice system. Decades ago this country adopted a civilised approach to the criminal act of murder, it abolished the death penalty, naturally with a questionable lack of scientific knowledge for an overwhelming conviction it made a moral sense to adopt this approach, however the British public were led to believe that in its place a prison life sentence was a justifiable alternative. Sadly today this alternative is rarely implemented.

Being given a life sentence is in itself a gross misrepresentation of what is the true value of a person's life is. Life should mean exactly what the true definitive statement means, the period of one's living existence.



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The public is being put in potential danger by the early release of some offenders. Parole Board figures just released; show that of the number of prisoners given life sentences in the year 2000, 125 were given early release from that sentence. Last year 351 were given their freedom, with many offenders going on to commit further serious crime.

We have a major problem in this country, more serious crime is being committed yet, we cannot find prison accommodation for the offenders, so instead of implementing a prison building plan the Home Office goes for the easy option, minimum sentences and community service. Fair justice would have it that more prisons would end the overcrowding, and give a chance at making prison work effectively, and that is obviously the rehabilitation of the offender to re-enter into the community. This is justice for the public and likewise for those offenders who do have a desire to be law abiding but at the moment cannot kick his or her drug or alcohol problem because of the pressure of overcrowding in our prisons. Training and rehabilitation has to be a condition for release back into our communities.

Sadly the respect that one used to have for our fellow humans has evaporated over the years. The amount of violence that occurs in today's society no longer has the same affect as one used to feel, conditioning and acceptance of violent behaviour has become the norm, something that would never of happened in the past.

Anti social behaviour has taken over, and it has led to many needless deaths. The local tragic and brutal killing of teenager Ben Bellamy has affected many Swansea citizens. This is being repeated nationwide, knife crime has taken many lives, gang culture is growing and they are congregating in our communities terrorising people.

We are told that this country is on terrorist alert; our communities will have to be prepared for a diversion of Police resources because we have allowed some unchecked immigrants into the UK. This has increased the burden onto our police at the behest of local community policing. Nationwide the public agrees that the police force is seriously undermanned. Local community police stations are closing and police on our streets are a rare sight.

There is no doubt that the police force is in need of massive reform, not in the fiasco of amalgamation, but internal affairs needs an overhaul in the amount of paperwork that arresting officers are required to complete which takes them off our streets for hours at a time. A mass recruitment drive for more officers should be underway from the Home Office in order to give the vital support to current serving officers desperately need. Having more police available will see

The PPP comment We believe that most of what the CJPP state is valid. BUT just throwing more resources at a problem without it being clearly defined and solutions analysed is doomed to failure & ALL our public services exhibit massive waste and poor efficiency. We believe that crime prevention by strong, visible, ever present community Police Officers is the key. Accountability to their community and sound LOCAL management can bring this about using the resources now available. WE already have the highest number of Police Officers in our history BUT what are they all doing.