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WHAT IS NEW ZEALAND RISING?

New Zealand Rising is an alliance of separate groups and individuals from all across New Zealand who believe in a better future. We are many different people with different views, however we all share a common vision for the future.

"We, the people, stand united for a New Zealand that is respectful, includes everyone, and is free of government overreach."

"Kia tūkotahi tātou ō Aotearoa, hei whakarangatira tātou i a tātou. Herea te Kāwanatanga, kia kore e pēhia te mana o te tāngata."

[Our website](#) contains a directory of all groups around New Zealand that share this vision.

From the Editor:

Fluoride Free NZ's Mary Byrne and her fellow volunteers have been in it for the long game, and it's starting to pay off. But it's been 25+ years of banging their message of fluoride toxicity. Since the horrendous Orwellian times of the New Zealand mandates and the resulting Wellington protest, we are still feeling the uneasy effects of trauma. Some have taken a break from the news, while others of us are driven to keep in the arena by doing our own little part to make a difference. Whatever your energy level is, have a read through and share what we've compiled here. It's important to be informed. Also, please submit your all-important story to the Royal Commission Phase 2 Enquiry on C-19. There's a "How-To Guide" below. For those in the trenches, remembering to rest but not quit is what will truly make a change in the long term during these historic times. I have no doubt those who are taking a long needed break from the news will again be on the front lines when needed.

NZ NEWS

NZDSOS Dr Suzanne Humphries on The Joe Rogan Experience: Rewriting the Medical Playbook



From [NZDSOS](#) (NZ Doctors Speaking Out with Science)

The Joe Rogan Experience is one of the most popular and influential global podcasts. His platform has become a destination for open dialogue with a wide range of guests and perspectives and has featured notable guests including dissidents, comedians, athletes, politicians, authors, artists, prolific thinkers and scientists. Few platforms ignite conversation quite like The Joe Rogan Experience, and Episode #2294 is no exception. Watch it [here](#):

In this podcast Rogan and Suzanne explore the importance of open mindedness and staying

curious in medicine, particularly regarding vaccines and natural remedies. They discuss the widespread dismissal of natural remedies within the medical community, and the common misconception that advocating for natural remedies implies rejecting modern medicine. They cover vaccine variability, the legal immunity given to vaccine manufacturers and how this practice of indemnification has led to increased profitability for the vaccine manufacturers and narrow redress for compensation. The conversation leads on to other subjects including covid-19, the importance of breast feeding, aluminium in vaccines, food allergies, nutrition and more. Predictably, the show has triggered the usual pseudoscientific 'debunkers' who flail desperately but have nothing.

This is a not to be missed Joe Rogan conversation which could completely reshape your understanding of what you thought you knew about modern medicine and will make you question what you've been told, and what's been left out.

Dr Humphries is a conventionally educated medical doctor who became an internist and nephrologist. She left her conventional hospital position in good standing and of her own volition in 2011, disillusioned with mainstream practice. Since then, she's been furthering her research into the medical literature on vaccines, immunity, history, and functional medicine. Watch the interview here:

See the [original NZDSOS post](#) and other important posts [here](#):

Have You Moved On?



By Claire Deeks [Voices for Freedom](#) Co-Founder.

Via Email

I've been thinking about all the ways we've tried to get the truth out these past few years. Many of us spoke out - wrote letters, sent emails, marched through towns, warned friends and strangers alike, we shared the science and our stories. We stood on roadside verges and

camped on the steps of Parliament.

And what happened?

We were dismissed, attacked, and censored, by the government and legacy media. But no denying the toll it took, it broke something inside of us. And it still hurts.

-The sudden exclusions.

-The silent stares. The friendships that faded.

-The children left standing on the sidelines.

-The deep ache of being told we didn't belong.

Yet we kept going - finding each other, and holding the line.

And now? Now they have the audacity to say it's time to move on - without accepting accountability...

As if none of it really mattered. As if the mandates and exclusions and silence were no big deal. As if we've forgotten that they said they'd keep it all "in their back pocket," just in case.

But we haven't forgotten. And we haven't moved on — how could we when those responsible haven't shown remorse, taken responsibility, or even acknowledged their wrong doing?

Especially when for many of you, the cost has been enormous.

You lost jobs - your livelihoods stripped away overnight, with no safety net in sight.

You lost homes - forced out, priced out, or unable to keep up after everything changed.

You lost friends or family - relationships fractured, conversations stopped, doors closed.

You lost your health, and many of you are still fighting to get it back.

And some of you, heartbreakingly, have lost loved ones. Gone—not by fate, but through coercion or decisions made without informed consent.

Well... This week we have a rare opportunity - to be heard.

And yes, we know we can't trust a government commission and we're not expecting a miracle in the official report.

But we can show up. We can leave a record.

Because it's not just about us - it's about the everyday New Zealanders who are only now starting to question what really happened. They're watching. They're listening. Your story might be the nudge they need.

And if you do nothing? The only outcome guaranteed is that your voice won't be counted.

They said they'd keep the mandates in their back pocket. You can't afford to keep the truth in yours.

How? The Royal Commission is asking for stories for Phase 2.

Not stats. Not summaries. Real accounts — from real people — about what happened, what you endured, how it felt and what it cost.

You don't have to be a writer. You just have to be a rememberer.

We showed up when it was hard. Let's show up now that they're asking.

One sentence or one page or a mini novel - whatever you choose to do - it all counts.

Click [here](#) for **Step-by-Step Guide**, or on the image below for a short step-by-step video walkthrough (2:42 min watch) to make sharing your story simple.

DEADLINE: 7-days at the time of this writing

IMAGES: [Voices for Freedom](#) & [Reality Check Radio](#)



Free Speech Union Meeting With Police: Police Commit to Change 'Hate' Threshold in Training Over 'Non-Crime Hate Incidents'



From [Free Speech Union NZ](#)

Following a constructive meeting this afternoon between the Free Speech Union and Assistant Police Commissioner Jill Rogers, who is responsible for Police training, the Free

Speech Union is pleased to welcome a change in approach. Police have affirmed their commitment to changing the threshold for 'non-criminal hate incidents' to be an objective criterion that corresponds to Police interest and intelligence collection, says Jonathan Ayling, Chief Executive of the Free Speech Union.

"Since October, this change has seen the number of incidents flagged as 'hateful' drop from, on average, 100 per month to fewer than five per month. This is good news for all Kiwis' speech rights.

"The Free Speech Union raised concerns in August last year with respect to new training that instructed Police officers to "recognise, record, and respond' to 'hate speech' and 'hate crime'. This was despite the fact that no law in New Zealand references 'hate crime'.

"We're pleased that Police will no longer be using the term 'hate crime', opting instead to use thresholds concerning hate-motivated crime.

"The Sentencing Act 2002 allows 'hate' to be considered as an aggravating factor at sentencing, which the Free Speech Union has never opposed. What we did oppose was scope-creep in Policing that saw them attending to and observing 'non-criminal hate incidents'. It is not the Police's job to impose social cohesion.

"The Free Speech Union will continue to work closely with Police on this matter, reviewing the new training material in coming weeks and meeting with the Assistant Police Commissioner again before the end of next month.

"We highly value the critical and incredibly difficult role the Police play in our society to protect our freedoms. We welcome the Police's openness to reflect on this issue and their willingness to continue to work towards ensuring free speech is respected in New Zealand."

Seeking Public Inquiries to Investigate the Conduct of the Ministry of Business, Innovation & Employment (MBIE) & Hon Judith Collins in Their Undertaking of Gene Technology Regulatory Reform

PSGR

From: [Physicians & Scientists for Global Responsibility New Zealand \(PSGR\)](#).

Via Email

A New Zealand charity, the Physicians & Scientists for Global Responsibility New Zealand (PSGR), has reviewed official documents involved in the production of the Gene Technology

Bill and New Zealand's recent science system reforms and have published two white papers that call for two separate public inquiries.

PSGR have [written to the Ombudsman](#) asking that they convene a public inquiry to assess whether officials directly undermined public law conventions and processes to pursue policies and laws in favour of the deregulation of gene editing technology. PSGR have emailed members of Parliament to advise them of the complaint to the Ombudsman.

Secondly, PSGR are also calling for a 'transparent and public inquiry' that can (a) identify the factors leading to the collapse of the capacity of New Zealand's research, science, innovation and technology system to be adequately resourced to meet the objectives of society at large; and (b) recommend how to transform it into having that capacity, and in doing so serve the public purpose and support the wellbeing of New Zealand, her people, resources and environment.

PSGR is open on the issue of whether the second, science system enquiry should be a formal inquiry or a Royal Commission but believes that people should be asking why the important role of science and research in producing knowledge for the maximum benefit of society, has been perverted by prioritising commercial returns.

PSGR have published two papers under the title: '*When powerful agencies hijack democratic systems.*' The papers allege that government documents suggest that the Minister and MBIE officials may have acted to drive policy and legislative outcomes in a manner which may be neither fair nor impartial, but biased and potentially misleading. MPs have been sent these papers and advised of the complaint to the Ombudsman.

PSGR are concerned that officials may have sidelined and undermined important issues and conventions that are essential to sustain a robust, healthy, accountable democratic nation-state, in their haste to push through gene technology and science system reforms.

Lead researcher Jodie Bruning stated:

'Evidence points to these reforms severely restricting the capacity of the new gene technology regulator, and the New Zealand science system, to conduct activities intended to serve the public good and supporting constitutional and democratic government.'

The [Part I paper, *The case of gene technology regulatory reform*](#), recommends that the [Gene Technology Bill](#) is placed on hold and that the Ombudsman undertakes a formal review into the official conduct of MBIE and Judith Collins, to establish whether this body of officials directly undermined public law conventions and processes to pursue policies and laws in favour of the deregulation of gene editing technology.

Co-author and former Crown Research Institute researcher, Dr Elvira Dommissie stated:

'The evidence suggests that the MBIE- funded Royal Society [undertook research](#) to communicate the benefits of new gene editing technologies, and used them to provide ideas for law reform. The National Party then took these recommendations and ran with them. MBIE and Judith Collins subsequently oversaw the drafting of legislation that excluded a wide range of these technologies from their proposed Bill. However, at no

stage was there any formal process of assessing the risks of these excluded technologies.

This is of particular concern because if the Bill were passed, these technologies could be ramped up commercially, and released at scale. No-one would know'

PSGR are concerned that if members of Parliament (MPs) believe MBIE's assurances that the [legislation](#) is fit for purpose, that they may be being misled. There has been [little or no scientific evaluation](#) to assure MPs that the risks can ever be managed in such a way that will fulfil the purpose of the Bill, which is to 'protect the health and safety of people; and the environment'.

The [Part II paper, *The case of science system reform*](#), draws upon official documents to show how the science system reforms that are currently underway (2023-2024) have excluded any evaluation of the role of public good research in meeting the objectives of society at large. Instead, the current reforms will likely direct the RSI&T system away from optimising science and research to solve domestic problems and challenges.

Lead researcher Jodie Bruning stated:

'MBIE officials know very well that 'innovation' is a proxy term for patents. They've directed the entire science system to promise a patent first, and then if we're lucky this might trickle down into some other benefit. It's the wrong way round. New Zealand has a very big problem when the Ministry responsible for innovation and economic growth controls the science system.'

The papers point to the extraordinary conundrum New Zealand is in. The conflict-of-interest which arises when the agency for economic growth, which controls the policy and funding for the entire science system, then takes action to secure control of legislative reforms that would reduce regulatory barriers to the very 'innovations' or technologies that that agency directly funds scientists to produce.

Jodie Bruning added that:

'We've got an instance where one Ministry has extraordinary political and financial conflicts of interest, while also exercising effective control over how and what knowledge is produced for New Zealand as a nation. When that Ministry secured that massive control of the science system, it did not achieve this through an Act of Parliament, but via secondary legislation. This is an untenable situation for our science and research system, for the New Zealand people, and for our elected members.'

Let Kids Be Kids Gets Air-Time and TV Coverage RE: Sex Education



Talkback Topic on Newstalk ZB: Sex Education (or is it SexUALITY Education?) Penny Marie from Let Kids Be Kids phones into Matt & Tyler's talkback show on Newstalk ZB (April 15th 2025)... as they were inviting callers to chat about sex education, due to the Relationships & Sexuality Education (RSE) Consultation that is now open. See the TalkBack segment Penny Marie [here](#):
Following that, Penny was invited to represent LKBK on TV1 News at Six:



Writes Marie, "On Easter Sunday I was included in a report on 1News, New Zealand's prime time state broadcaster. I was asked to share my thoughts on the current RSE consultation and draft framework. I spoke on behalf of the many parents I have met over recent years, since forming Let Kids Be Kids in 2023 and falling down the murky rabbit hole of investigating what's happening with sex education in New Zealand schools. And supporting parents as they seek answers." You can see the interview [here](#):

NZ Food Safety Considers Pushing Up Max Glyphosate Residue Levels





IMAGE: *New Zealand Food Safety deputy director-general Vincent Arbuckle says an increase of maximum residue levels of glyphosate found in food won't mean it is unsafe.*

New Zealand Food Safety (NZFS) wants to increase the maximum residue level (MRL) for glyphosate (i.e., Roundup) in grains and peas.

NZFS wants to increase the current default MRL of 0.1 mg/kg to 10 mg/kg in wheat, barley, and oats and 6 mg/kg in dry field peas.

The deputy director-general of NZFS, Mr Arbuckle, said that the approach taken by NZFS is consistent with that taken by New Zealand's main overseas trading partners and international bodies such as Codex.

The Codex Alimentarius is a collection of international food standards practice published by the United Nations' Food and Agriculture Organisation.

"If there is a food safety concern with residues in a food crop, then the use would not be approved."

Editor's Note: *Not so sure about that last sentence. The government hasn't earned our trust when it comes to health and safety lately.*

Read the full story [here](#):

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

World Health Organization Just Signed a Legally Binding Pandemic Treaty Handing Itself Sweeping Powers



From [The Viligante Fox](#)

The World Health Organization just signed a legally binding pandemic treaty—handing itself sweeping powers over how countries respond to future health emergencies. The BBC says it's to prevent “disorganization” next time. But what it really means is this: the WHO now claims authority over global supply chains, vaccine rollouts, and disease surveillance—run by an unelected body with zero accountability. Even though Trump started the withdrawal process, the U.S. is still locked in until 2026, thanks to Biden’s push for International Health Regulation (IHR) amendments. So for now, America is still under their control. The treaty ties directly into those IHR rules, which define “health products” as practically everything—vaccines, diagnostics, gene-based therapies, antidotes, PPE, and more. The WHO wants power over it

all. Worse, the treaty demands 24/7 surveillance, censorship of so-called “misinformation,” and mandatory funding—forcing nations to bankroll their own medical prison. And just before this treaty is finalized, Fauci reappears, warning of another deadly respiratory virus. At the same time, the FDA quietly approves new H5N1 vaccines. Coincidence? Hear Fauci’s words for yourself. Then ask: why do they always show up right before the next “emergency”? The U.S. needs to EXIT the WHO. Not later. Now. Watch Zee Media report [here](#):

When Must We Take Them Seriously?: Left-wing Calls To Kill Members of the Trump Administration Are No Joke



By [Raw Egg Nationalist](#)

I’ve never tried to make anyone famous before. Truth be told, I haven’t had the power even if I’d have liked to. But now I’ve got a pretty big audience, and a cushy writing gig at Inforwars, so what the Hell—here goes.

You’ve probably never heard of Nicholas Decker, and neither had I, until last week, when he published a [Substack essay](#) entitled, “When Must We Kill Them?” It generated quite a large amount of discussion and comment belied by his rather modest following on the Bird App—a mere 11,800 followers at time of writing.

According to his Twitter bio, Nicholas is a PhD student at George Mason University, reading economics. He’s liberal, an “aspie”—has Asperger’s syndrome—“posts interesting papers,” is a “Michael Kremer stan”—Michael Kremer is a left-wing economist at the University of

Chicago—he thinks we should “spend more on drugs,” and he’s also an advocate of “open borders now!” Read the rest of this story [here](#):

The next evolution of the Wi-Fi standard
Smart dust aims to monitor everything
Do the people get a say in the decisions?

Land Information New Zealand
Toitū te whenua

- **Smart Dust** – This refers to little things called a research note for the report as “tiny wire (MEMS), robots, or other devices that can temperature, and pressure to vibration, m CNN put it this way in 2010: Smart dust ;

– 14 December 2016

Smart Cities Strategic Assessment

From [Kirsten Murfett on X](#)

The New Zealand Government discussing Smart Cities, Smart Dust and IoT back in 2016. I bet if you asked a politician or MSM about such subjects, they would say they were conspiracy theories. However, the Strategic Assessment produced by Land Information New Zealand states that the report:

"... provides the rationale for New Zealand territorial authorities to invest in the development of smart cities in their community. It is designed to support the aspiration of New Zealand communities to build better and more resilient human ecosystems – to ensure their neighbourhoods and cities are better places to live, play and work..."

Some key hype cycle technologies that are likely to be relevant to the Smart Cities of the next few decades are:

- 802.11ax – This is the next evolution of the Wi-Fi standard...

CNN put it this way in 2010: Smart dust aims to monitor everything."

Do we get to participate in these discussions and decisions?

Read more [here](#):

Canadian Doctor Will Retain His Medical License



BREAKING NEWS: Alberta Doctor betrayed by Alberta Premier Danielle Smith (Dr. Roger Hodkinson) defeats the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Alberta.

Dr. Roger Hodkinson will retain his medical license following a hearing before the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Alberta (CPSA), which resulted in minimal sanctions against the outspoken pathologist.

Dr. Hodkinson faced allegations of unprofessional conduct regarding 17 public statements made in November 2020 and April 2021. His remarks were critical of public health officials and presented an alternative perspective on COVID-19, including the efficacy of masking and vaccines.

Initially, the CPSA alleged that his statements were inaccurate or misleading.

However, following negotiations with lawyers for The Democracy Fund, the CPSA limited its claims to arguing that Dr. Hodkinson's comments

Read the rest of this story here:

<https://makismd.substack.com/p/breaking-news-alberta-doctor-betrayed?r=4ht85y>

Massachusetts Dad Rejects Court's Jurisdiction after DCF Attempted to Take Children



In a chilling escalation of medical authority over parental rights, Massachusetts state officials forcibly removed five children from their home after the parents refused routine vaccinations for their 9-month-old baby — a decision they made on religious grounds. What followed was something out of a dystopian nightmare: arrests, handcuffs, and a cross-state manhunt after the parents fled to protect their family. Now, one child is in state custody, the mother faces jail time, and critics are calling it a clear-cut case of government-sanctioned kidnapping. Isael Rivera and Ruth Encarnacion, homeschooling parents of five from the Worcester area, reportedly declined routine vaccinations for their infant, citing religious beliefs. According to a legal filing and family testimony, the couple's conflict began after notifying their pediatrician, Dr. Behzad Goharfar, of their decision to delay or forgo vaccinations. They claim that during their final visit, Dr. Goharfar allegedly warned them that he would file a report with DCF — a 51A — if they did not comply with the state's vaccination schedule. See more [here](#):
IMAGE: Isael Rivera appeared in Fitchburg, MA, USA, District Court on Thursday, April 2, 2025.

IMAGE CREDIT: Ryan Mancini/MassLive

Myocarditis After SARS-CoV-2 Infection and COVID-19 Vaccination: Epidemiology, Outcomes, and New Perspectives



Myocarditis, typically manifesting as myopericarditis, is among the serious cardiac consequences observed over the course of the COVID-19 pandemic. We performed a comprehensive, evidence-based literature synthesis of findings from clinical trial data reanalyses, post-marketing surveillance, large observational studies, and other diverse research sources that help shed light on the phenomenon of myocarditis post SARS-CoV-2 infection versus COVID-19 vaccine-induced myocarditis. Our conclusions refute several claims previously made by public health agencies and professional associations, Read the full report [here](#):

Gates, China and Chem Trails



Bill Gates Admits China Is Helping Him Spray Radioactive Chemtrails on US Cities

You've heard of chemtrails. You've probably even seen them - those streaks in the sky that linger a little too long, and give you a sore throat and brain fog. But what if I told you they're not just spraying aluminum and cloud seed anymore?

What if I told you China has been perfecting powerful chemtrail formulas for decades - spraying its own cities with a weaponized fog laced with neurotoxins designed to pacify an entire population? And now... that technology is being shared.

According to insider reports, Bill Gates is merging his own aerial experimentation with China's chemical payloads - and in return? He's giving them access to American airspace. Watch [The People's Voice](#) report [here](#):

Building Communities in Australia One Step At A Time



PHA Australia coordinator Anna Carson has been instrumental in sharing PHA across this vast country. In a recent interview with Lisa Dunnington she talks about the challenges they have faced but why they have never given up! Anna took a firm grasp of the PHA vision and went on to create a health hub in her own community in Wollongong New South Wales. Here she talks about bringing together a group of like-minded people who have had a real impact on the community, breaking down the barriers of isolation and empowering people to take responsibility for their own health. See the interview [here](#):

WINS OF THE WEEK

Telling It Like It Is / Truth Bombs

Epiphany: The True Hope Story. Todd Harris has produced a new documentary to expose the criminal behaviour of Health Canada. Harris reveals the efforts by Health Canada to prevent an Alberta based family from assisting those suffering from bi-polar disorder and other mental health challenges. The Stephan family discovered that many mental health challenges are due to nutritional deficiency. Rather than celebrate this breakthrough in treating mental illness, Health Canada did everything they could to stop this life saving technology. Fortunately, the courts decided life-saving technology is more important. - <https://matadorfilms.ca>

BMC Pediatrics published a peer-reviewed study indicating that children exposed to fluoridated water in the first 10 years of life had a higher risk for several serious neurodevelopmental disorders that include autism spectrum disorder, attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD), intellectual disability and specific delays in development. Children's Health Defense Senior Research Scientist Karl Jablonowski said, "...if this study is correct, out of every thousand children, water fluoridation induces autism in 11, intellectual disability in 5 and specific developmental delay in 49." The Cochrane Review, published in October 2024, concluded that [water fluoridation](#) might lead to a very small reduction — about one-quarter of one tooth — in cavities in children's baby teeth. Studies assessing water fluoridation's effect on tooth decay have consistently failed to assess fluoride for safety. Failure to assess fluoride's safety has been the official public policy in the US for decades. -

<https://childrenshealthdefense.org/defender/water-fluoridation-autism-adhd-study-bmc-pediatrics/>

Canada's euthanasia regime should be one of the key election issues on the campaign trail, but thus far, there seems to be little interest in discussing the issue. This despite the fact that last month, the United Nations Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities [took the stunning step of publishing a report](#) calling on Canada to halt "Track 2 MAiD," stop the planned 2027 expansion of euthanasia to those suffering solely from mental illness, and reject "advance directives" for euthanasia. Indeed, in [response to a request for comment](#) on the United Nations Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities report and recommendations from Canadian Affairs, Health Canada ignored the condemnation of Canada's regime and instead simply reiterated the current framework — including the planned 2027 eligibility expansion. - <https://www.lifesitenews.com/blogs/euthanasia-is-out-of-control-in-canada-and-it-is-barely-talked-about-on-the-campaign-trail>

On March 28th, the Ontario Superior ruled that the government of Canada was not liable in damages for the death of Sean Hartman, the 17-year-old hockey player who died suddenly at home shortly after taking his second Pfizer Covid-19 shot. The Court held that the government did not have a "duty of care" to Sean Hartman that would justify a claim for damages: "...there is no private law duty of care to individual members of the public injured by core policy decisions in the handling of health emergencies which impact the general population." According to the Court, the Minister's duty to act for the public good did not mean the government had a duty to inform the public about all potential risks associated with the shot. The Minister only had a duty to act for the greater good or the good of most Canadians, which means she had the right to approve the shot even though it posed serious risks for a minority, including the risk of death. - <https://mailchi.mp/af20096b757a/launch-of-justice-for-medicine-12750189>

Citizen Action

Following a protracted campaign to remove fluoride from the Cooktown water supply, the local ratepayers association this week announced a victory over the medical mafia pushing poisons onto the community. Cook Shire Council in the UK finally took the fluoride issue to a vote, which saw a majority of councilors recognizing that further dosing of ratepayers with a neurotoxin placed them personally liable for any harm. - <https://cairnsnews.org/2025/02/28/cook-shire-council-votes-to-remove-deadly-fluoride-from-water-supply/>

After decades of denial, deflection, and derision, the U.S. executive branch—through the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)—has formally opened a federal inquiry into geoengineering activities carried out by a private start up, Make Sunsets. The letter, issued April 14th by the Office of Air and Radiation, demands detailed disclosures on the company's deployment of sulfur dioxide into the atmosphere. "The EPA is evaluating whether Make Sunsets is subject to the Clean Air Act by adversely impacting air quality." This is the first indication that the EPA is taking seriously the growing, nationwide concern over what's happening to our skies, and the public health and environmental fallout. This shift invites a deeper conversation—not just about climate control technologies, but about who holds the authority to alter the biosphere. Will our future be dictated by unelected technocrats and private start ups, or shaped by informed, sovereign citizens demanding transparency and consent? That question is being answered boldly in Florida. Over 63,000 Floridians have already emailed lawmakers, flooding the State Affairs Committee with more public comments than any other issue in recent memory. The message is resounding: Florida is done with weather modification. - <https://open.substack.com/pub/sayerji/p/the-sky-cracks-open-epa-director>

Legal

A group of University of British Columbia (UBC) professors and a graduate student are taking the [university to court](#), claiming it is violating legislation that requires it to remain non-political. Their petition, filed in the BC Supreme Court, challenges the university's use of Indigenous land acknowledgements, equity and inclusion initiatives, and public positions on the Israel-Palestine conflict. The claimants argue these actions amount to political activity, threaten academic freedom, and pressure faculty to conform. UBC has not yet responded publicly. The case is supported by the Canadian Constitution Foundation and could set a precedent for how universities navigate political discourse. - <https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/ubc-professor-university-court-1.7504889>

Tanner Smith received the COVID-19 vaccine at age 14 despite his protests and no parental consent. Smith's family sued and the [North Carolina Supreme Court](#) ruled in their favor, stating that PREP Act immunity does not apply and that the family experienced "battery and violation" of their State Constitutional Rights. Whereas previous cases were ruled personal injury violations, the North Carolina Supreme Court ruled this a violation of the North Carolina Constitution, which falls under the Fourteenth Amendment Right to due process and guarantees bodily autonomy. This State-specific Constitutionally favorable ruling has now set a precedent: "*The PREP Act's plain text leads us to conclude that its immunity only covers tort injuries. Because tort injuries are not constitutional violations, the PREP Act does not bar plaintiffs' constitutional claims.*" Thus, the decision holds that the PREP act does not provide immunity to violations of constitutional rights under the North Carolina Constitution. "*This sets up the really important holding by the North Carolina Supreme Court, that the PREP Act does not preempt the North Carolina Constitution.*" - <https://freenowfoundation.org/articles/no-covid-shot-parental-consent-give-it-to-him-anyway/>

On March 24, Free Now Foundation launched a massive legal attack on California's mandated shots required for children to attend schools, either public or private, pre-school, even day care, by filing a lawsuit against the California Department of Public Health on behalf of four named children who were either excluded from their schools on account of their immunization status or are currently threatened with such exclusion and all other California children. The goal of the lawsuit is to get rid of California's requirements for any children to get any shots in order to attend school, leaving it up to the parents to decide. Recent court vaccine decisions have upheld vaccination requirements without making any inquiry as to safety and effectiveness of current vaccines, apparently relying on general assurances of safety and effectiveness made by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control (CDC). The lawsuit argues that such reliance on the CDC is misplaced because the U.S. Congress already determined that childhood vaccines cause injuries to children when it passed the National Childhood Vaccine Injury Act in 1986. The important legal question here is whether the government has the power, under the Constitution, to mandate that children be injected with vaccines that the government knows, to a certainty, from its own records, will injure and kill substantial numbers of them? The lawsuit argues that, under the Due Process Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment, completely innocent children cannot be mandated by the government to be injected with drugs that the government knows, to a certainty, will injure, and even kill, many of them. - <https://freenowfoundation.org/articles/massive-legal-attack-on-shots/>

A judge in Australia has issued a decision dealing an unprecedented blow to the transgender industry's "gender-affirming" model for children. In his landmark ruling, Justice Andrew Strum awarded sole custody of a 12-year-old boy to his father in order to stop the boy's mother's relentless push – with the aid of a leading "gender clinic" – to "transition" her son through the use of harmful puberty blockers. "*This is a case about a child, and a relatively young one at that; not one about the cause of transgender people,*" wrote Strum in his 58,000 word decision. "*As this child grows, develops and matures, and explores and experiences life, the child might, with the related benefits of the passage of time and the acquisition of balanced understanding, come to identify as a transgender female and might elect to undergo some form of medical treatment, to affirm and/or align with that identity. But, similarly, with those benefits, the child might not do so, and for a variety of reasons.*" "*At this stage in the child's life, all options should be left open, without any unacceptable risk of harm to the child,*" said Strum. The judge expressed incredulity that medical experts siding with the boy's mother expressed an

unsubstantiated belief that so-called “gender identity” is “internal” and “not open to external influence.” “This could signal a return to common sense and justice for child safeguarding in Australian courts.” - <https://www.lifesitenews.com/news/australian-father-wins-custody-of-12-year-old-son-to-stop-gender-transition-pushed-by-mother>

The terms “woman” and “sex” in British law refer to biological women and biological sex and do not include men who identify as transgender, the UK’s Supreme Court has ruled in a landmark judgment. Women’s rights groups, which brought the case against Scottish ministers to the UK’s highest court, celebrated the judgment, handed down to a packed courtroom in London on Wednesday. Another women’s rights group, Sex Matters, said in a statement: “*We are delighted that the Supreme Court has accepted the arguments of For Women Scotland and rejected the position of the Scottish Government. The court has given us the right answer: the protected characteristic of sex – male and female – refers to reality, not to paperwork.*” The LGB Alliance, a charity founded to support the rights of same-sex attracted people concerned about the promotion of gender identity ideology and which provided a written submission in the case, said it is “delighted” with the “momentous” ruling. The LGB’s co-founder, Bev Jackson, said she hopes the judgment means the UK will now “*lead the world back to sanity*” over the conflation of sex with gender identity.

- <https://www.theepochtimes.com/world/transgender-men-are-not-women-uk-supreme-court-rules-5842678>

OTHER NEWS

The Shocking Truth About COVID Vaccine Shedding



The following information is based on a report originally published by A Midwestern Doctor. Key details have been streamlined and editorialized for clarity and impact. Read the original report [here](#).

The most puzzling part of the COVID injection is its ability to “shed” and harm people who never even got the shot.

A Midwestern Doctor spent a year investigating over 1,500 of these reports.

What emerged is one of the most alarming patterns of the pandemic.

Everyone’s talking about shedding, but almost no one knows what it really is.

Shortly after the COVID vaccine rollout, thousands of unvaccinated people started reporting strange symptoms—oftentimes right after being near someone recently vaccinated.

They hadn’t gotten the shot. Yet they were sick.

And the symptoms were eerily consistent. Shedding isn’t just some blog theory. It’s backed by peer-reviewed research that was carefully examined by other scientists before being published.

The most common shedding symptom might surprise you—abnormal menstrual bleeding. It was even happening to women long past menopause and to young girls who hadn’t had their first period.

Doctors brushed it off. Social media mocked them for asking questions. But the patterns were too strong to ignore.

Whatever was happening to these women was very, very real. Read the rest of this story [here](#):

**US President Calls Former NZ PM Ardern
& Others at Harvard's Kennedy School
"Radical Left Bird-Brains
Only Capable of Teaching Failure".**



The US President calls former NZ PM Ardern & her ilk at Harvard's Kennedy School "radical left bird-brains only capable of teaching FAILURE".

Yesterday the US President lambasted Harvard University. He ordered its Federal funding to be cut. For those curious about the inner organizational workings of such places, [the comments the President](#) made as a Social Media Post weren't directed at the University as a whole. When one reads closely, he's particularly upset about former Democratic Party New York Mayor Bill De Blasio being appointed to a Visiting Fellowship at Harvard's Kennedy School of Government. Other appointments at the Kennedy School are also driving the President crazy. So who else is sitting in those ivory towers alongside the likes of Former Mayor De Blasio? New Zealand's Former Prime Minister Jacinda Ardern, of course. Read more [here](#):

A Brave John Rich Tells Trump Why He Was Boo'd When He Mentioned Vaccines



President Donald Trump was informed that people were booing him at rallies over the Covid vaccine because Americans were angry by the harm and deaths caused by the jabs, country music star-turned-conservative commentator John Rich revealed.

Rich described the candid conversation he had with President Trump about the jabs in 2022 on a recent episode of the "Try That In a Small Town Podcast."

John Rich Shares the Conversation That Got Trump to Stop Talking About the COVID Vaccine

"He goes, why are people booing me at my rallies when I bring up the vaccine? ... I said here's why they're booing you, Mr. President. Because every human being out in that rally, either themselves or they know someone directly, who has been harmed by the vaccine or has even d*ed from it, including me...read his post [here](#):"

Telsa CEO's crime isn't destroying the planet — it's challenging power.

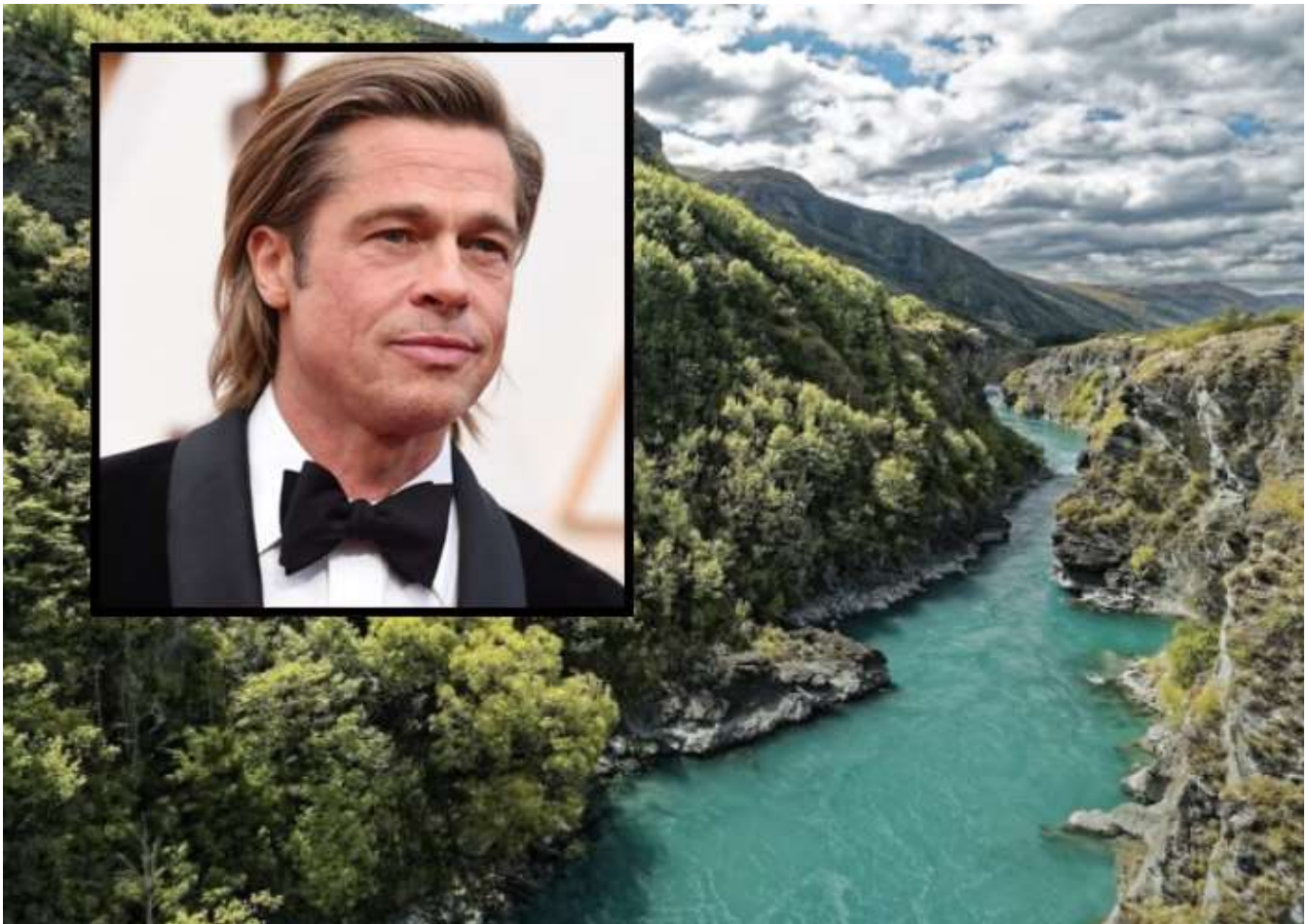


The protests against Elon Musk aren't grassroots outrage. They're strategic warfare. When protests erupt worldwide over an American staffing decision, it's not outrage — it's orchestration. And the people behind it don't want you asking questions. The recent wave of global protests against Tesla and its CEO, Elon Musk, defies logic. Demonstrators have gathered outside Tesla showrooms worldwide, setting cars on fire and destroying lithium batteries. But what exactly are they protesting? The protests are not about environmental concerns but about control. Policy decisions can spark domestic outrage in the United States, but why are people in Germany, Sweden, or Ireland suddenly mobilizing against Musk? He is not pushing for global

war or implementing trade tariffs that would impact European consumers. His involvement in U.S. government affairs concerns federal budgeting waste, fraud, and abuse. Why would anyone overseas care about this?

Historically, large-scale protests have erupted over issues like nuclear weapons, war, and.. Read the rest of this story [here](#):

Sewage crisis: Brad Pitt Abandons Queenstown River Shoot - So Much for "Pure NZ Image"



By [Peter Newport](#) for [The Crux](#), Queenstown

Superstar Brad Pitt has abandoned plans to shoot a Queenstown river sequence for his new movie, Heart of the Beast, over what some crew members say are fears over local sewage pollution.

Multiple sources have spoken to Crux this week but all are covered by an industry standard Non Disclosure agreement.

We understand that a planned Kawarau River sequence will now be shot in an Auckland production facility water tank.

Crux has been told that some production staff carried out their own water quality tests, while other sources say that Pitt himself had concerns over the depth of the river water. Read the

whole article [here](#):

Editor's Note: As Trump's DOGE uncovers trillions of fraud in the U.S., I'm sure my fellow local Kiwis are drawing comparisons to our own QLDC Council (and other councils nationwide) wondering how much corruption and misspent tax dollars have been wasted. The sewage failure in Queenstown stinks of a recently completed job poorly done. Uncovering corruption and waste is now very fashionable in the states, and hopefully will catch on here. I feel there will be much to discover. I can smell it.

James Lindsay: Exposing the Insanity of Modern Academia



Is the West in decline? Dr. James Lindsay is the author of books like *Cynical Theories*, *The Marxification of Education*, and most recently, *The Queering of the American Child*. He joins Socrates in the City host, Eric Metaxas to discuss his experiences in uncovering the hypocrisy of academic journals and the critical theory, cultural and academic marxism, and other hidden agendas these publications endorse. They explore how these trends are impacting academia in the West and beyond. Watch this important interview [here](#):

What IS the Immigration Situation in NZ?



Image Credit: Nicholas White

We need to pause immigration until we find out exactly what's going on. See the original post [here](#):

7740 doses of Pfizer mRNA Administered in NZ 1st Week in April



True Stories from The Health Forum NZ
Lynda Wharton of The Health Forum NZ, recently posted this horrifying figure. See here post [here](#):
And recent covid vaccine data [here](#):

Comedian Bill Maher Visits Trump, Reports His Experience



Liberal commentator and comedian Bill Maher recently dined at the White House. His report is revealing and well presented. It's also a major turning point with which the

Lest We Forget



David Seymour
18 October 2021

I hear every day from people who say 'I've done my bit, followed the rules, paid my tax, and got my vax. When do I get a break?' That's why today ACT is launching a policy that would see fully vaccinated Kiwis receive a \$250 tax credit. Vax Bucks will reward New Zealanders for doing the right thing and following the rules. If you've had the vax and paid your tax, you deserve some relief. Full story [here](#):

The Story of Barbara O'Neill in Australia



Democrats have to come to terms.
Watch his report [here](#):

A Jones: Trump, Israel, Secret WW3 Plans, Infowars Reporter Assassination



The US government has spent the last 12 years trying to censor and destroy Alex Jones. They're still trying, and it's not because he's crazy and dishonest. It's because he's telling the truth. Watch [here](#).

Confusing Message?



Is this message we're receiving during Easter confusing? Questioning is permissible. See the post [here](#):

A conversation with Michael Gray Griffith of Cafe Locked Out, speaking about the incredible story of Barbara O'Neill and her husband Michael O'Neill, and her persecution in her home country of Australia – Amazon has recently banned her book from their online store! Michael believes that Barbara's story of astounding international success (despite the Australian governments efforts to stifle it) is an example to us all in keeping the faith and creating our own individual wave for freedom in this world.

"Life is not about not falling down...it's about getting up. And you get up and you're stronger." Here we speak to Michael Gray Griffith of Cafe Locked Out, as he opens up about Michael O'Neill, a man who is standing for the Senate in Australia's upcoming election. This Michael has a wife called Barbara O'Neill — an Australian naturopath, who is censored and banned in Australia, but who has now become a global internet sensation and a force for good, for health, and for Truth. Read more [here](#):

Bad Actors: Guess Who Were Worse: NBA or NFL?



This was a clever way to illustrate unethical leadership. The answer will surprise you. Watch and learn the answer [here](#):

Keeping A Sense of Humour Perspective

American Hostages In Gaza Disguise Themselves As MS-13 Gang Members So Democrats Will Fight To Bring Them Home



GAZA — In a desperate attempt to return to family and friends they haven't seen in over a year and a half, American hostages being held by Hamas reportedly disguised themselves as MS-13 gang members so Democrats would fight to bring them home to the U.S. After being held captive since late 2023 with little sign of their elected officials being motivated to bring them home, sources said the Americans still in the custody of Hamas had devised a clever plan to cover themselves in MS-13 tattoos so congressional Democrats would advocate for them. Read more [here](#):

Bringing a Smile to People is True Magic



Siegfried and Joy are so corny they're funny. They do indeed bring smiles to these Londoners on their commute. Watch the clip [here](#):

"Hey Fred, I've been thinking about taking up meditation lately"

Fred:

"That's better than sitting around doing nothin' "



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