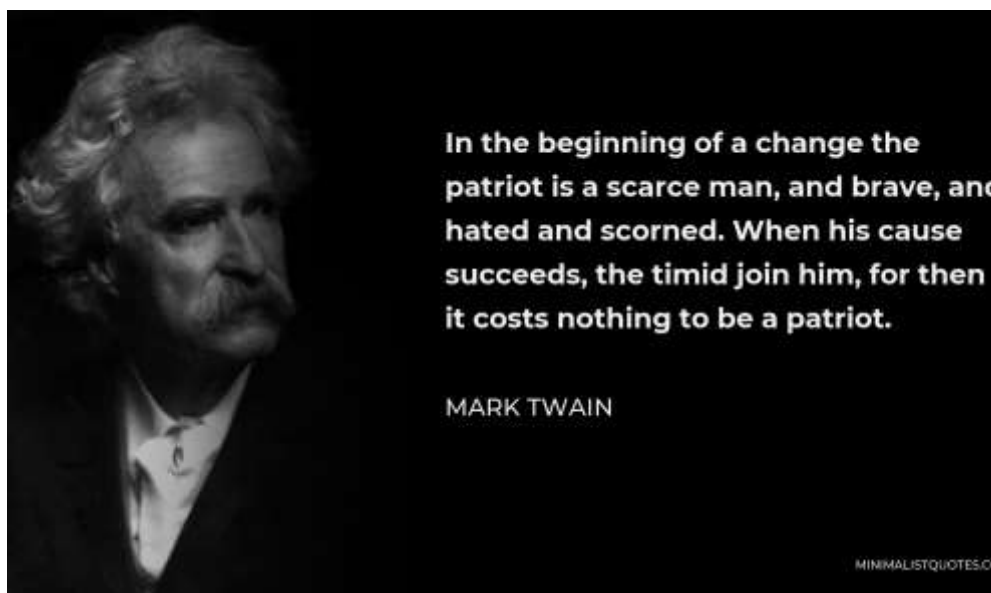




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WHAT IS NEW ZEALAND RISING?

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:

Mark Twain stated simply, "Patriotism is supporting your country all the time, and your government when it deserves it." I'm not sure whether the New Zealand government has earned our trust these past years. It's now so blatant, their lies and corruption. It feels like going about your life and ignoring the facts, or keeping quiet, is no longer an option. Twain also distilled the definition of patriotism to "merely a religion-love of country, worship of country, devotion to the country's flag and honor and welfare." Not a bad summation. I urge you to no longer be quiet, and speak out in whatever form suits you best.

NZ NEWS

NZDSOS Gets the Word Out Bypassing Media Censorship



NZDSOS is doing a "media work-around" near Eden Terrace in Auckland. Since the mainstream media won't give them a voice, it's best to go directly to the people. Check out their billboard with plans to produce 30 nationwide. NZDSOS is seeking donations for the campaign. You can contact and donate [here](#):

These Bisexual, Intersex, Trans & Pride Flags Are Flying at New Zealand's Parliament



From Penny Marie, [Let Kids Be Kids](#)

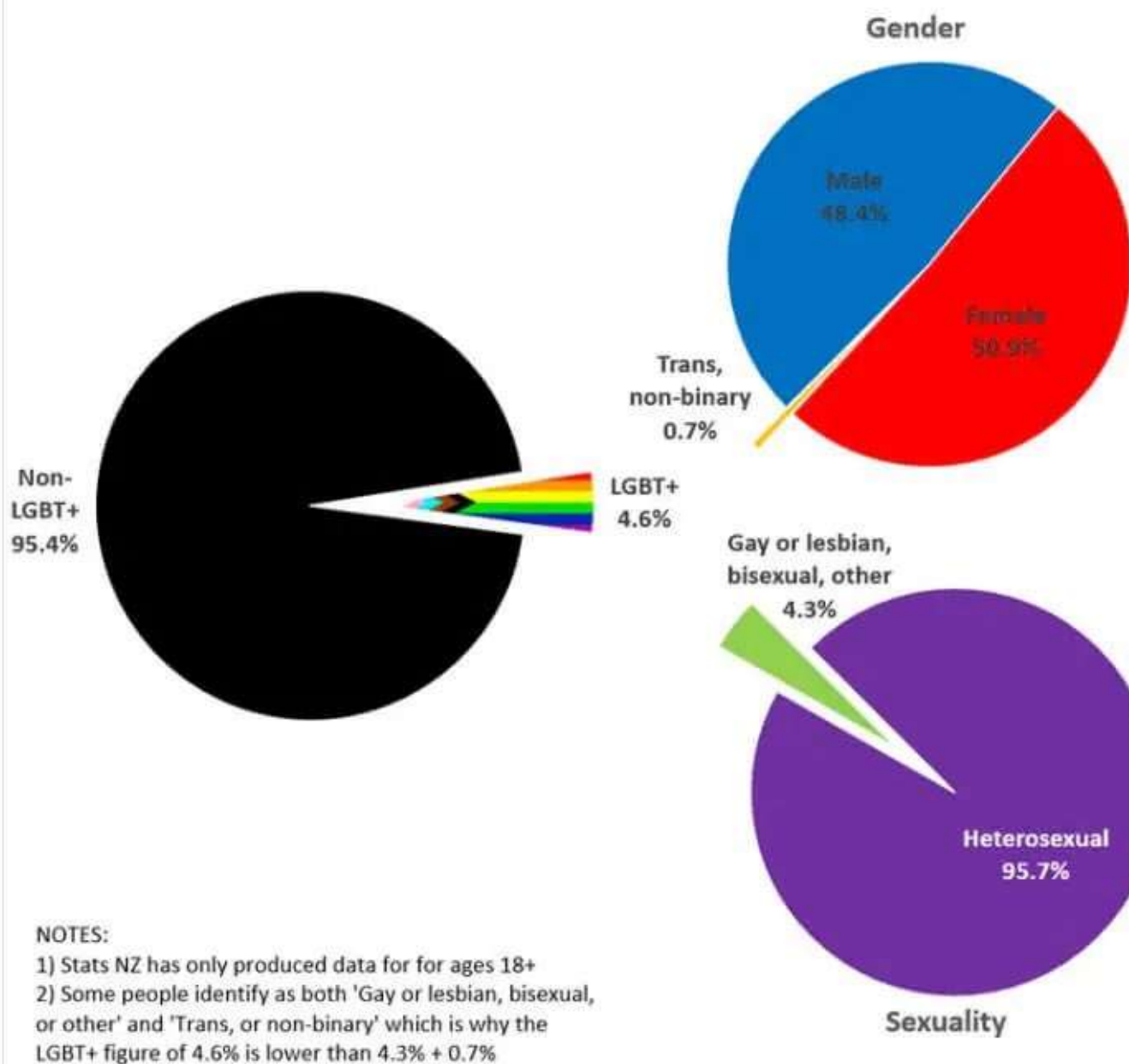
These flags are flying at the New Zealand's Parliament today May 15. Shame on everyone who allowed it to get to this point. Compare this constant bombarding of pro-trans and sexual virtue signalling with the facts. It's all out of proportion..And this is where it leads. The pushing of an agenda on our children, in schools. Where are the sensible adults?.

I'm not anti anyone. Except liars, frauds & thieves. I don't tolerate them. What I see here, from official govt data is... the "industry" is full of liars, frauds & thieves: See image below

See more details on each flag flying over our capital at Penny's X post [here](#):

Gender & Sexuality: 18+ New Zealanders

SOURCE: Stats NZ Household Economic Survey (HES), n = 28,670



A NZ Secondary School's BIG Pride Push
For 'Lil Gay Out'
Why Are Our Kids Being Propagandised?



Follow along with me as I connect the dots with a New Zealand high school's annual 'pride celebration' - a kids version of Big Gay Out - 'Lil Gay Out'.

We look at the money-go-round, the people behind it, their connections to some of our most concerning 'trans' activist groups, including InsideOut and Burnett Foundation. We find some political connections, and dive into the obvious bias in New Zealand media concerning the trans and rainbow industry, and anyone who questions this ever-expanding industry is slandered.

Are the medical and counsellor professionals involved profiting off children who have had their identities disrupted? How can this possibly be regarded as medical or ethical 'care' of our most vulnerable. Watch [here](#):

The Time for Change is Now



We're in a mental health crisis, and it's time to think differently. Our new film reveals a breakthrough that could change how we heal. For good. Watch. Share. Demand change. Let's rewrite the future.

This message might be the sign someone you love has been waiting for. Drop @highlight below and let it reach them. Watch the video [here](#):

"Co-governance" in Rotorua is Going to the Next Level



By Robert Lee, Councillor, Rotorua District Council

"Co-governance" in Rotorua is going to the next level under Mayor Tania Tapsell. Yesterday all the Bay Of Plenty councils were invited to a Regional Forum hosted by Rotorua Lakes Council to receive presentations from the Department of Internal Affairs (DIA), the Commerce Commission and Taumata Arowai (our new water regulator) about the Local Waters Done Well reform, which we are currently trying to get our heads around. Mayors, councillors, senior staff and also various iwi leaders from around the Bay started arriving at 12:20 but languished downstairs at reception until nearly 1:00pm where they were finally escorted upstairs for an elaborate powhiri (welcome). One might think it would be for Rotorua's Elected Members to welcome other Elected Members to our chamber but apparently not. I was directed to sit in the front row with a group of Te Arawa gentlemen who, for about an hour, took turns making speeches in Maori with the front row of the visitors. I didn't even know who most of these people were and they're welcoming visitors into our chamber. While this unfortunately reduced the amount of time we could spend with fellow Councillors and cut-down some much-needed question time, something else significant happened. The iwi leaders from around the Bay participated fully in the discussions with central government, including asking questions of the officials - on an equal basis with Elected Members. One of the reasons that the Labour Government was voted out in 2023 was their unpopular Three Waters legislation that included undemocratic "co-governance" provisions which provided for unelected persons to be governing our water assets. Read and watch more [here](#):

Doctor's RCI Submission Blasts NZ's Covid Response: 'Never Again'



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By [Anna Petley](#)

The following Royal Commission of Inquiry (RCI) Phase 2 submission is shared with the permission of Dr Steve Taylor, retired medical doctor. Dr Taylor offers firsthand insight into what he describes as an ethical, scientific, and humanitarian failure in New Zealand's handling

of the pandemic. His RCI submission is a meticulously documented critique of the government's management of the covid response, particularly regarding mandates, censorship, the vaccine rollout, and the silencing of medical professionals.

On April 20th, 2025, **Newstalk ZB** host **Leighton Smith** featured an excerpt from Dr Steve Taylor's submission on The Leighton Smith Podcast. In episode #282, Leighton reads a portion of the document aloud, offering listeners a powerful glimpse into Steve's concerns and observations. You can listen to the episode [\[here\]](#) and hear the reading starting at the 1 hour and 26-minute mark.

Read the rest of this story [here](#):

Quitting Paris: Early Wins and Where to Next



From [Groundswell NZ](#)

Since we started calling for New Zealand to withdraw from the Paris Agreement, both ACT Leader David Seymour and NZ First Leader Winston Peters have made comments indicating they agree that there's no point being in the Paris Agreement while big emitters are pulling out:

We're in the early days yet for a campaign on what would be such a big policy turn around, but it's clear the politicians are getting the message.

So many of you have supported our campaign so far, so we want to let you know our plans. We get a lot of questions about when we will start a protest about the Paris Agreement - and we may get to that point - but there are a few things to get done first.

Unlike you and the rest of our diligent supporters, most people don't follow politics and especially don't follow the details of agricultural emissions policy and international treaties. That means they don't know anything about the Paris Agreement and a successful protest to get politicians moving needs some basic understanding of the issues among the people seeing the tractors rolling through town.

Otherwise, those people we need to convince just get annoyed at the disruption and nothing comes of the protest (think of how many protests just make noise, annoy locals, and don't get anything changed). Groundswell protests always have a clear goal and try to bring the public with us.

From here, we'll be continuing to inform the public and see what arguments are made against withdrawing so we can make the best case for quitting the Paris Agreement to the politicians. On those other arguments, we want to cover the main ones we've heard in response. Read the rest of this story [here](#):

Nikki Macfarlane - The Accidental Activist Organiser of Shotover Sewage Protest



From [The Crux](#), Queenstown

The founder of Queenstown Lakes Community Action is more scholar than traditional protest leader - but she says "enough is enough". Crux Managing Editor Peter Newport spends time with Nikki Macfarlane, who organised the recent Shotover sewage protest and founded Queenstown Lakes Community Action. Read the rest of this story [here](#):

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Trump's Chemtrails Task Force Makes 1st Major Geoengineering Arrest in U.S.



By [Baxter Dmitry](#)

For decades, they told us we were crazy. They said those grid-like streaks in the sky were just condensation... nothing more than harmless trails left by passing jets.

But behind the ridicule, behind the denial, something sinister was taking shape—hidden in plain sight. Now, the walls are finally starting to crack.

The Chemtrails Task Force—a covert, cross-agency unit activated just weeks ago—has already sent shockwaves through the highest levels of power.

Rogue agencies have been shut down. Financial networks frozen.

And in a stunning turn of events... the Task Force has made its first arrests. Read more [here](#):

The Fluoride Reversal: FDA, RFK Jr., and the Reckoning with Chemical Childhood



In a move that quietly signals the beginning of a major regulatory realignment, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration announced on May 13, 2025, its intent to remove concentrated ingestible fluoride prescription drugs for children from the market. The decision, initiated under the direction of Health and Human Services Secretary Robert F. Kennedy Jr., marks a

decisive turn against decades of inertia in public health policy. Though not accompanied by fanfare, this reversal is far from trivial. It lays bare a troubling fact: for over half a century, children across the United States have been prescribed fluoride tablets, drops, and lozenges—none of which were ever approved by the FDA. Read the whole article [here](#):

Trump's Bold Pick Wellness Influencer as US Surgeon General



Newly appointed U.S. Surgeon General Casey Means:

“I learned virtually nothing at Stanford Medical School about why America's health is plummeting.”

- That tens of thousands of scientific papers detail the true root causes of America's declining health — and yet they're ignored in medical education.
- That 95% of those who created the USDA dietary guidelines had major conflicts of interest with the food industry.
- That 1 billion pounds of synthetic pesticides are sprayed on U.S. food every year —
 - 99% of U.S. farmland is treated with them.
 - Many come from China and Germany, countries that ban these chemicals in their own food.
 - These pesticides are linked to autism, ADHD, hormone disruption, thyroid disease, cancer, obesity, Alzheimer's, dementia, infertility, and more.

- That heavy metals like aluminum and lead are found in our food, baby formula, and even in mandated vaccines.
- That medical practice guidelines — from groups like the American Diabetes Association and the American Academy of Pediatrics — are shaped by tens of millions of dollars in funding from Coca-Cola, Cadbury, ultra-processed food conglomerates, and vaccine manufacturers like Moderna.

“This is a spiritual crisis. We are choosing death over life, darkness over light.” — Dr. Casey Means Watch her speech [here](#):

EU Court finds Ursula von der Leyen responsible for concealing information about contracts for the purchase of COVID-19 vaccines



Ursula von der Leyen. Photo: The Left / flickr.com

Pfizer Gate

The EU Court of Justice has found Ursula von der Leyen responsible for concealing information about contracts for the purchase of COVID-19 vaccines in 2021-2023.

The correspondence in question concerns the European Commission chief's exchange with the CEO of Pfizer on procurement for governments during the pandemic. In 2021, the New

York Times reported that von der Leyen and Albert Bourla discussed the largest vaccine procurement contract in the EU's history .

The total value of the deal could have reached 35 billion euros , and the 1.8 billion doses purchased significantly exceeded the needs of the EU residents.

The footage shows the moment the ruling was announced in the case of the head of the European Commission. The court ruled that the EC "did not provide a convincing explanation to justify the absence of the requested documents" (text messages between von der Leyen and the CEO of Pfizer). Read the full story [here](#):



Trump Charts the Course for a Prosperous Future in the Middle East



From the White House:

President Donald J. Trump just wrapped up a [major address](#) in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia, where he outlined an optimistic vision for the future of the Middle East and his approach to achieving a more stable region and peaceful world.

Here are the top moments:

“Exactly eight years ago this month, I stood in this very room and looked forward to a future in which the nations of this region would drive out the forces of terrorism and extremism ... and take your place among the proudest, most prosperous, most successful nations anywhere in the world as leaders of a modern and rising Middle East.” [\(Watch\)](#)

“Before our eyes, a new generation of leaders is transcending the ancient conflicts and tired divisions of the past, and forging a future where the Middle East is defined by commerce, not chaos. See Press Release [here](#):

The Vigilant Fox on X has good commentary and clips on the speech [here](#):



Ex-FBI Whistleblower
Covers Important Recent Events



By [Randall Richards](#), Mountain Spirit Media

Kyle Seraphin is a former American FBI agent who currently serves as a political commentator and whistleblower against various sensitive cases in the United States. In addition, he also runs a successful podcast where he shares his opinions and views including the 2nd Amendment and social justice issues. He's interviewed here by Alex Jones covering important news about "The Team" and how it can work better together, the continuing issues with rogue elements of the FBI, and the Epstein files. This is an important recent interview that sheds light on what's going on behind the scenes with current players, both the good, the bad and the ugly.

Listen to the recent interview [here](#):

You can learn about Seraphin on his website [here](#):



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RECENT WINS

Political

Representative Shane Mekeland Introduced an mRNA Bioweapons Prohibition Act in the Minnesota Legislature! It is the intent of the legislature to designate mRNA injections and products as weapons of mass destruction and to prohibit possession or distribution of the mRNA injections and products in the state. - https://www.revisor.mn.gov/bills/text.php?number=HF3219&type=bill&version=0&session=ls94&session_year=2025&session_number=0&utm_source=substack&utm_medium=email

In the May 1, 2025 Executive Order titled [Ending Taxpayer Subsidization of Biased Media](#), President Trump made the following declaration: *"It is the policy of the United States to end the use of Federal funds to subsidize media organizations that use taxpayer money to engage in political advocacy and propaganda rather than balanced journalism. No American should be*

forced to fund media that do not serve the public interest, misinform citizens, and actively silence opposing views." - <https://sayerji.substack.com/p/when-public-media-becomes-a-weapon>

In a recent townhall meeting, RFK Jr stated: *"Part of the responsibility of being a parent... is to not trust everything your doctor says." "Doctors have been co-opted by the medical cartel... The medical schools are now run by pharmaceutical companies." "And so your job in a democracy... is to do your own research. And that's hard to do, but you need to do it to protect your child."* - https://x.com/wideawake_media/status/1918979068302598388 3min

President Trump signs Executive Orders to ban funding for Gain Of Function Research 5/5/25 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X2Sv4vQrfYE>

In [a press release](#) issued on Friday, May 2, U.S. Transportation Secretary Sean Duffy announced that his department has *"terminated seven woke university grants totaling \$54 million."* *"These grants were used to advance a radical DEI and green agenda that were both wasteful and ran counter to the transportation priorities of the American people,"* the statement reads. The grants funded leftist research on topics such as how *"the transportation system creates and perpetuates inequities"* and how *"improvements to auto travel can benefit higher income, often white drivers."* Elon Musk praised the cuts saying: *"The Department of Government Efficiency is glad to stop funding studies to determine if roads are racist."* Schools that will no longer receive the funding included the University of Southern California, New York University, and Johns Hopkins University, among others. - <https://www.lifesitenews.com/news/trump-transportation-dept-defunds-54-million-in-woke-pro-dei-grants>

A bill has been introduced to repeal the Patriot Act. This might be the most important bill all year. - <https://d12t4t5x3vyizu.cloudfront.net/luna.house.gov/uploads/2025/05/cidE38E98A8-EA06-48D2-AE77-E73BFC167BA0.pdf>

Medicine/Health

The MAHA stated that it advocates for policies such as vaccine safety information transparency, improved access to holistic health care, examining the food industry, and addressing corporate influence on government health agencies. MAHA is also debuting a national directory of physicians who are pro-MAHA, and the preventive health approach of prioritizing lifestyle adjustments over prescription drugs. The organization also has a database that tracks proposed legislation in states nationwide, indicating whether policies are "anti-MAHA" or "MAHA approved." Visitors to the MAHA Action site will be able to track legislators to see if they support the MAHA initiative. Del Bigtree stated: *"MAHA took all these different groups—including mothers advocating for organic food and people fighting for informed consent, regenerative farming communities standing against herbicides and pesticides, and organic farming communities—and united them into a single comprehensive movement."* - <https://www.theepochtimes.com/article/del-bigtree-on-push-for-vaccine-safety-with-rfk-jr-as-health-secretary-5840014>

Stand for Health Freedom has announced the launch of their **National Fluoride Toolkit**—a powerful resource created to take action to end water fluoridation. This toolkit will show you how:

A 10-step plan to remove fluoride at the local level

Sample emails to send your legislators

Tips for speaking at public meetings

Downloadable materials and educational videos

Real interviews, testimony footage, and more

Fluoridating public water is mass medication without consent. Even if science wasn't already shifting, this issue is fundamentally about **freedom of choice**. You have the right to clean, unmedicated water—and this toolkit will help you fight for it.

- <https://standforhealthfreedom.com/battles-ahead/fluoride/>

The National Institutes of Health and the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services announced on May 7 that they have launched a joint initiative to build a secure, real-world data platform aimed at [uncovering the cause of autism spectrum disorder](#). The agencies said the partnership will allow researchers to combine Medicare and Medicaid claims data with electronic medical records and consumer wearable information. The pilot phase will focus on individuals diagnosed with autism, with a longer-term goal of supporting broader research into chronic conditions. The initiative marks the first time that NIH and CMS will link this type of data across systems, with the agencies citing the need for real-world health information. *"We're pulling back the curtain—with full transparency and accountability—to deliver the honest answers families have waited far too long to hear,"* said Health and Human Services Secretary Robert F. Kennedy Jr. - <https://www.theepochtimes.com/us/nih-and-cms-to-study-autism-using-medicare-and-medicaid-data-5853788>

Telling It Like It Is / Truth Bombs

In an essay titled 'The Trouble With Compulsory Globalism', author Jeffrey Tucker writes: *"The COVID experience revealed all. The response was notably global, nearly all nations locking down in the same way at roughly the same time, enforcing the same protocols and issuing the same remedies. The World Health Organization seemed to be calling the shots, with national public health agencies deferring on point after point. Central banks all over the world cooperated to fund the extreme policy response. Nations like Sweden and Nicaragua that went their own way were demonized by media all over the world in the exact same way. National legislatures had no role in the initial lockdowns. They were excluded from decision-making. This means that the people who elected them were disenfranchised too. No one voted for six feet of distance, business closures, and shot mandates. They were imposed by administrative edicts, and nowhere did judicial systems stop them. Democracy as an idea, plus the rule of law, died in those months and years, deferring always to the global institutions and financial systems that assumed de facto control of the planet. It was the most astonishing show of universal power on the historical record. Given the results, it is hardly a shock to see the backlash, which has centered on a reassertion of the rights of nations and the citizens thereof."* - <https://www.theepochtimes.com/opinion/the-trouble-with-compulsory-globalism-5846924>

With regards to Trump's Executive Order titled [Ending Taxpayer Subsidization of Biased Media](#), Sayer Ji writes: *"This sentiment underscores a crucial reality: taxpayer-funded media must not become megaphones for ideological dogma or tools for suppressing constitutionally protected inquiry and dissent. PBS, once trusted as a nonpartisan, publicly funded news source, has increasingly aligned itself with the financial interests of major corporate and philanthropic power centers. NPR's "health" section is literally called SHOTS, with a syringe icon — a not-so-subtle signal of where their editorial allegiance lies. NPR and PBS chose to act as gatekeepers, moral arbiters, and ideological enforcers. They labeled dissent "dangerous," framed scientific transparency as "conspiracy," and branded anyone challenging pharmaceutical dogma as extremists. They violated the spirit of the First Amendment — not by voicing disagreement, but by amplifying campaigns to silence and punish others. Yet, the [human body is a constitutionally protected domain](#), and what they did*

was illegal, unethical, and a violation of the Nuremberg code of medical ethics, which are crimes against humanity.”

OTHER NEWS

NZ Farmers Slam Methane Madness



From Groundswell

New Zealand Farmers Slam Methane Madness: 95% Reject Biotech Fix for Livestock
A major new independent farmer survey reveals overwhelming rejection of New Zealand's current ruminant methane strategy, exposing a deep disconnect between grassroots producers and industry leadership.

Key findings:

95% agree reducing livestock methane won't impact global climate change

94% of farmers believe methane cuts should not be a necessary part of market access

93% refuse to use methane inhibitors on their animals

88% wouldn't eat meat or dairy from treated stock

Read more [here](#):

Catherine Fitts: Power Grids, Bankers, Secret Underground Bases, Extinction Events



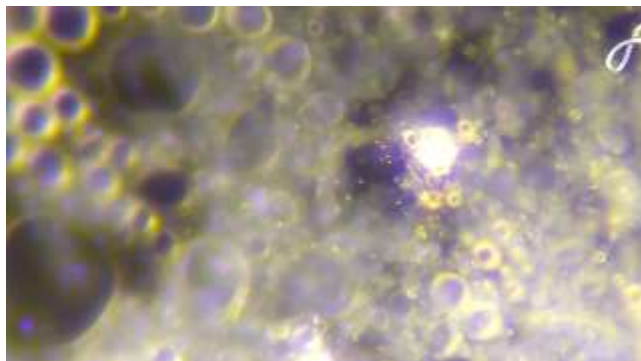
Former Bush administration official Catherine Fitts on how America's leaders gave up on the country in the 1990s, began stealing trillions and built a digital prison to control the population. See the interview [here](#):

What's in the Pfizer Documents?



This speech by Naomi Wolf was given in 2023, but if you've not seen it, she covers important info that you may not have heard before. Watch [here](#):

New Findings Nano Particles in Vaxxed Blood



Liz Gunn hosts Andrew Bridgen, Lawyer Tanya Lat, and analyst Sally Clark to discuss explosive new findings from the Philippines critical insights on China and the impact and stakes for humanity's future. Watch the interview [here](#):

The Amish Don't Count Calories



They don't track steps.
They don't hit the gym.
They certainly don't take Ozempic.
Yet they're leaner, healthier, and live longer than most Americans.
What's their secret? It's not what you think.
7 reasons the Amish are outliving us all: Read more [here](#):
Editor's Note: This is sort of click-bait, as it leads to an advertisement at the last post, but it's still worth a read before the ad.

Keeping A Sense of Humour Perspective

**The More You See
These Two,
The More You Laugh**



Siegfried and Joy are Goofy beyond belief, and that's the whole point. Don't say I didn't warn you: [Watch](#)

**Trump Accepts Generous
Gift Of Imperial-Class Star
Destroyer From Emperor
Palpatine**



WASHINGTON, D.C. — The White House held a star-studded ceremony today to commemorate a historic occasion, as President Donald Trump accepted a generous gift of an Imperial-Class Star Destroyer from Emperor Palpatine. Despite reservations voiced by some members of his administration, the president was eager to accept the gift, citing how much the U.S.'s relationship with the Galactic Empire has improved since he took office in January. "It's a big, beautiful ship. Tremendous guy, that Palpatine, very smart," Trump told reporters. Read the rest of this developing story [here](#):

Keeping Up on the Latest Fake News You Can Trust



Diddy goes to court. What? There's actually more ice in the artic? Would would Jesus do if arrested in the UK. Antifa doesn't exist, and more [here](#)



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