# **Friday Five from Notts UNISON**

24th Jan 2020



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### **Holocaust Memorial Day**

Notts UNISON in conjunction with Nottinghamshire County Council, will be running

an all-day event in the Assembly Hall at the County Hall on the 27 January 2020.

This event has been developed with the support of the Holocaust Memorial Day Trust. This event is to remember those who suffered as a result of the Holocaust and subsequent genocides around the world.

The event will consist of a programme of activities including, displays, videos and a candle lighting memorial ceremony. A number of guest speakers have also been invited to speak about Holocaust survivors.



Full programme for the day below and free tickets via Eventbrite – please register <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/holocaust-memorial-day-2020-tickets-88663399615">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/holocaust-memorial-day-2020-tickets-88663399615</a>

#### Holocaust Memorial Day programme for the day

9:00 – 12:00 noon Displays and videos, discussions, walk to memorial

**12:00 – 12:30 pm** Opening of the event and lighting of memorial candle. The Leader of the Council will open the event.

**12:30 – 12:40 pm** Names ceremony: The names of children who were victims of the Holocaust will be read at the event.

12:40 - 13:00 pm Opening of buffet

13:00 - 13:20 pm "RAF Sgt Ralph Frank" : Speaker: Mark Howard

13:20 – 13:40 pm "Traveller/Roma/Sinti" : Speaker: Ross Bradshaw

13:40 – 14:00 pm "Story of a Holocaust Survivor" : Speaker: Lucy Fox

14:00 – 14:20 pm "Bosnia/Srebrenica Genocide" : Speaker : to be confirmed

14:20 - 15:00 pm "Italy/Italian Holocaust": Speaker: Dr Martina Salvante, Nottingham University



# Notts County Council: Annual Leave buy back scheme

**Annual Leave buy back scheme** - its currently an issue on the NCC Intranet, but last year some staff missed the notification & were unhappy that they had missed the opportunity to apply.

Extract from Intranet page: The next opportunity to purchase leave for the next leave year (20/21) will be available from 1 - 31 March 2020. Please make a note in your calendar.

# **Retired Members Campaign Group**

The first meeting of the newly established Retired Members Campaign Group will be meeting on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> Jan 1.00pm Trent Bridge Inn (back room), West Bridgford (Please note this is a change of venue (originally scheduled for County Hall).

## **Branch Annual General Meeting**

The date has been set for this years **AGM** and its **Tuesday 24**<sup>th</sup> **March 5.30pm** at County Hall. We will be finalising an agenda over the coming weeks but we already have one speaker confirmed regards **ZERO Waste** and how we can benefit the environment and ourselves. Please put this date in your diary now! There is still so such we can all do when we retire that would help protect our vital public services and that's what we want this new group to be at the centre of its activities. We will be looking to get actively involved in local campaigns such as Keep Our NHS Public, the Mobility Allowance Campaign, Extinction Rebellion etc. There is

# Are your details up to date?

With continuing reorganisations, remodelling and restructuring of departments going on we need to be able to contact you quickly should those changes effect you. Please let us know your current work and home address details and also email and mobile numbers as those are the quickest methods of communication. You can contact the branch office branch.office@nottsunison.org.uk or go online at MY UNISON to amend your details.

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