

# **Stay here! / Hiergeblieben!**

## **It's a human right to remain protected**

A campaign by "AG gegen Rechts" (working group against the right wing)  
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Civil war, political or religious prosecution, dictatorships, annihilation of livelihoods, and life threatening poverty... numerous factors can cause humans to flee their home.

Currently many people who fled to Germany aren't sheltered. Instead, they are being deported. Such deportations are often carried out using massive threats and actual violence. In addition, the number of people in pre-deportation detention is rising. Independent research showed up to 50% of these detentions to be illegal according to state laws. As if this wasn't bad enough, asylum laws are continuously toughened and already show negative effects on many people.

### **This is also happening in Brunswick!**

Worldwide there are 68 million people fleeing their homes, a number that is growing every year. 2018 marks a new record number of people being afflicted. At the same time, the number of refugees reaching Europe is falling. Instead, official UNHCR numbers show a massively increased mortality among people trying to reach safer areas. The parties responsible for this dreadful shift are the EU's member states and their anti-immigrant policies. These countries refused to lend effective aid to refugees and/or to provide safe escape routes. Instead, soldiers are posted to block the Balkan escape routes. EU member states also export weapons into war zones and make deals with failed states and dictatorships such as Libya and Turkey. Private efforts to organise naval rescue efforts are being criminalised and shut down. This happens despite common knowledge about the rough conditions that make the escape route across the Mediterranean sea the deadliest worldwide.

In Germany there are debates about whether to force refugees into "Ankerzentren" (Internment Camps) for the duration of their asylum application or to send them to North Africa until their status is decided. Deportations are routinely carried out to war zones such as Afghanistan. We must organise resistance against these inhumane policies.

**We stand in Solidarity with those affected and demand  
A Stop to Deportations and a Right to Remain for Everyone!**

**DEMONSTRATION on 27.10.2018  
START 13:00  
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