

HONORING THE 40th ANNIVERSARY OF THE YOUNG LORDS PARTY LESSONS IN REVOLUTIONARY STRUGGLE



The YLP openly called for the destruction of capitalism and the establishment of socialism in the U.S. - made clear in their 13-point political program

40 years ago this Summer, the Young Lords Party - a defiant and revolutionary force of Puerto Rican youth - emerged out of the concrete circumstances faced by their people in the United States. They quickly became, and continue to be an inspiring example for the ongoing struggle against the vile racist and exploitative system of capitalism.

For the Puerto Rican independence movement, September 23rd is among the most symbolic dates – El Grito de Lares historically celebrates the 1868 rebellion against slavery and Spanish colonialism and was given new significance in 2005 when the FBI assassinated revered independence leader and founder of Los Macheteros, Filiberto Ojeda Rios.

Hear from PSL leader and former Young Lord Carlito Rovira who will discuss the Puerto Rican liberation movement and how we can apply the lessons of the Young Lords to today's pressing need for revolutionary struggle

ALSO: U.S IMPERIALISM AND CENTRAL AMERICA

On June 28th the U.S.-backed Honduran military overthrew democratically elected President Manuel Zelaya, embarking on a new chapter in a long and violent history of imperialist intervention in Central America.

Hear a presentation on the role of U.S. imperialism in Central America and the historical context of the region's recent developments.



Mass organizations have waged a continued struggle against the illegal coup government

THURS – 6 PM
9.24
Parker Hill Public Library
1497 Tremont St.
Roxbury Crossing



Hear an update on the continued struggle to free the "Cuban Five" and get involved!

For more info, visit: www.freethefive.org

UPDATE: FREE THE CUBAN 5!

September 12th, 2009 marks the 11th year since five Cuban political prisoners were unjustly arrested and imprisoned for monitoring the activities of Miami-based terrorist organizations, in order to prevent terrorist attacks on their native Cuba. More than 3,000 Cubans have died as a result of these terrorist attacks in the past 40 years



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