



“Books won't stay banned. They won't burn. Ideas won't go to jail. In the long run of history, the censor and the inquisitor have always lost. The only weapon against bad ideas is better ideas.”

~ Alfred Whitney Griswold ~

CANADA

This week's newsletter canvasses a variety of disturbing events, including:

- **The case of Alexandre Bissonnette, who has pled guilty to the Quebec City mosque shootings of last year;**
- **The trial of Ayanle Hassan Ali, who was inspired by his Islamic faith to murder Canadian soldiers at a Toronto military recruitment centre in 2016;**

- **The disinvitation, amidst controversy, of rabidly anti-Semitic theologian Omar AbdulKafi from the Niagara Muslim Family Conference and**
- **The suspension of Tom Quiggin's counter-terrorism podcasts from YouTube.**

These and other events raise the vexed questions of free speech and tolerance in our society. As the letter by our friend Madeline Weld, founding member of C3RF makes clear, while our Canadian government seeks to pass legislation to outlaw "Islamophobia," a vague term that will almost certainly make legitimate criticism of Islam a criminal offence, documented hatred and calls for destruction—of Jews, of apostates, of homosexuals, of infidels—is openly tolerated in many mosques in Canada, and is given support by influential Muslims in Canadian society.

Are we in Canada so committed to an illusion of tolerance that we will muzzle people who, in good faith, raise the alarm about the threat posed by some adherents of Islam? And yet at the same time turn a blind eye to Muslim authorities who actually incite violence?

Are we a society so in love with the idea of multiculturalism that we are willing to persecute law-abiding citizens who love our country while we protect those who hate us? One thing is clear: the negative perception of Islam that many Canadians hold will not be diminished by such one-sided enforcement of "tolerance."



Madeline Weld's excellent letter to all MP's re Keynote speaker at Muslim Family Conference in Niagara disinvited amidst controversy

The keynote speaker for the Niagara Muslim Family Conference, scheduled for April 14, was to be Omar AbdulKafi, an Egyptian theologian based in Dubai. The imam has made some rabidly anti-Semitic pronouncements. He was [subsequently disinvited](#) from the conference. However, questions about his even being invited to speak at a Muslim conference in Canada remain. In the letter below, addressed to all Members of Parliament, C3RF

founding member Madeline Weld suggests that the government of Canada should pay more attention to the issue of radical Islam in Canada than trying to silence critics of Islam with motions against Islamophobia.

<https://www.canadiancitizens.org/single-post/2018/04/11/Keynote-speaker-at-Muslim-Family-Conference-in-Niagara-disinvited-amidst-controversy>

Quebec mosque shooting: Public has right to see video, media lawyer argues

Judge François Huot says he will have to weigh two "great fundamental values" in deciding whether to allowing news media outlets to broadcast parts of security-camera video from the night of the Quebec City mosque massacre. The first: freedom of expression. The second: respect for the dignity of crime victims and those who could be psychologically harmed if the videos are shown.

<http://montrealgazette.com/news/quebec/alexandre-bissonnette-judge-urged-to-keep-mosque-security-video-under-wraps>

Footage of Quebec City mosque shooting shows gunman calmly murdering worshippers

A judge has ruled that the rights of the victims' families trauma supersedes that of the public in video of the mosque shooting. The lawyer representing the media consortium, which included The Canadian Press, said his clients were merely seeking to fulfil their role as providers of information and that they would not have shown any "raw violence."

<https://montreal.ctvnews.ca/footage-of-quebec-city-mosque-shooting-shows-gunman-calmly-murdering-worshippers-1.3880225>

Lawyers say Toronto man accused in military centre stabbings should be acquitted of terror charges

The incident at the centre of the case began when Ali entered a Canadian Forces recruitment office in March 2016 and repeatedly punched and

slashed at one soldier, leaving the man with a three-inch gash on his arm, according to an agreed statement of facts presented by the Crown and defence at trial. Ali tried to stab or slash three other military personnel.

<http://nationalpost.com/news/world/man-accused-in-military-centre-stabbings-should-be-acquitted-of-terror-chargesdefence>

This is reminiscent of the story of Carlos Bledsoe, who changed his name to Abdu Mujahid Muhammad when he became a Muslim, and shot and killed William "Andy" Long at a Little Rock recruiting office.

<https://www.nytimes.com/2009/06/02/us/02recruit.html>

"Losing our Sons" - Full length movie

A searing true story from America's heartland, "Losing Our Sons" tells of two American families whose lives intersected through a shattering act of violence. Melvin Bledsoe, a small business owner in Memphis, watched with pride as his son Carlos went to Tennessee State University in Nashville to better his life. Daris Long, an ex-Marine, felt honored that his son, Andy, chose to follow in his footsteps by joining the military. But when Carlos Bledsoe murdered Andy Long in Little Rock, Arkansas, both fathers had to face a new kind of American nightmare. As Melvin followed the trail that led Carlos from Nashville to Yemen and then to Little Rock, Daris confronted an American government that seemed in denial about what happened to his son. This powerful documentary provides a moment of clarity for Americans who care about their country's future.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Uyxz8vsSdcM>

YouTube suspends Canadian anti-terror expert

Tom Quiggin's a determined observer and critic of radical Islam, working alongside a handful of Canadian Muslims who want to expose the extreme elements they wish to eradicate from their faith. He certainly doesn't mince words in this regard, repeatedly drawing attention to Prime Minister Justin Trudeau's habit of being soft on terror. Was it this sort of talk that got his podcast banned before his team even had the chance to post the first episode? We just don't know. Google Press did not respond to Postmedia questions before deadline.

<http://torontosun.com/news/national/youtube-suspends-canadian-anti-terror-expert>

The Quiggin Reports

The Quiggin Report podcast is a look into the world of counter terrorism, intelligence gathering and global security issues. Hosted by intelligence analysis and counter terrorism expert Tom Quiggin, The Quiggin Report gives behind the scenes insight into the world of intelligence and how western governments deal with, the growing phenomenon of extremist groups, gaining influence within western governments. Scroll down and you will find all the excellent, educational podcasts so far produced. To help, please share these far and wide!

<https://www.patreon.com/quigginreport>

Circumventing YouTube Ban: Quiggin Report Aligns with Mainstream Media

In recent years social media platforms such as Facebook, Twitter and YouTube have dominated mainstream media, with vast and varied content created by users and shared to millions in just the click of a button. With the release of his podcast, [The Quiggin Report](#), a look into the world of counter terrorism, intelligence gathering and global security issues, Tom has found first hand that these internet giants do not always give you a voice.

<http://www.kptv.com/story/37907926/circumventing-youtube-ban-quiggin-report-aligns-with-mainstream-media>

FREE RAIF BADAWI

In Sherbrooke, Quebec, these loyal supporters have come out every Friday for 172 weeks - rain, shine, sleet or snow. They beat the drum 50 times to represent the first 50 lashes he endured - as well as his heartbeats. It is extremely moving. We pray that he will finally be released this year and come home to his brave wife Ensaf and their three children. It has been six long years of incarceration. And his crime? Publishing for political reform and standing for freedom of speech.

<https://www.pscp.tv/w/1gqxvpYPlwkGB>



ACTIVISM

Stop foreign money from influencing our elections.

Please sign this petition.

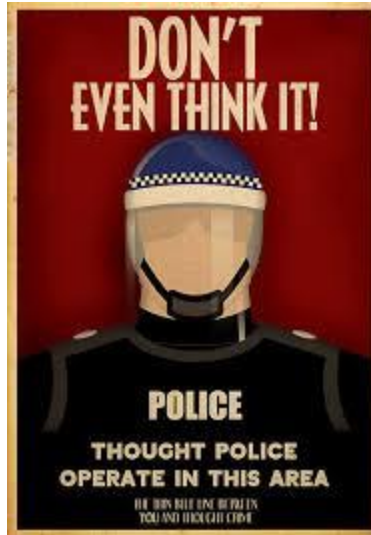
https://www.conservative.ca/cpc/election_rigging/

FREEDOM OF SPEECH

We're not the thought police by Bruce Bawer

What emerges from the audio at Jihad Watch is that those bobbies in Britain (apparently Lancashire), like my PST buddies in Norway, have been trained to view Islam as essentially benign and criticism of Islam as a danger. Both sets of cops manifestly consider it part of their job to hunt down critics of Islam and try to intimidate them into silence. And none of them have the slightest regard whatsoever for freedom of speech. They don't even seem to grasp the concept.

<https://www.frontpagemag.com/fpm/269819/were-not-thought-police-bruce-bawer>



Antifa And The SPLC Successfully Shut Down Four Anti-Islam Conferences

Antifa groups used information from the Southern Poverty Law Center to successfully shut down four conferences on the threat of Islam scheduled in Wisconsin and Minnesota last weekend. The hotels slated for the events were flooded with threatening calls, and the organizers voluntarily canceled one of the events following numerous warnings that it would not be safe.

<http://dailycaller.com/2018/04/12/anti-islam-events-wisconsin-minnesota-shut-down-antifa-splc/>

Seeking Refuge in the Embattled Centre

As new fronts open up, and the centre ground shifts as the parameters of acceptable debate are established, some ideas will thrive and others will shrivel. But, in the end, the free speech defenders are right. Reason and discussion are preferable to the populist siren song of ideological certainty, and allowing opinions to come into the sun is the only way to judge their worth.

<http://quillette.com/2018/04/10/seeking-refuge-embattled-centre/>

Now they want to lock up Rod Liddle and Ban Quentin Letts - the UK

Joking about the Welsh or criticising black actors is the new limit to free speech. Two leading columnists have been threatened with prosecution and bans this week, for the crime of expressing their 'offensive' opinions in the newspapers that employ them to do so. Anybody who thinks we exaggerate the threat to freedom of speech and of the press in the UK has not been reading the papers. But then, there is a vociferous lobby to deny you the right to read the 'wrong' journalists anyway.

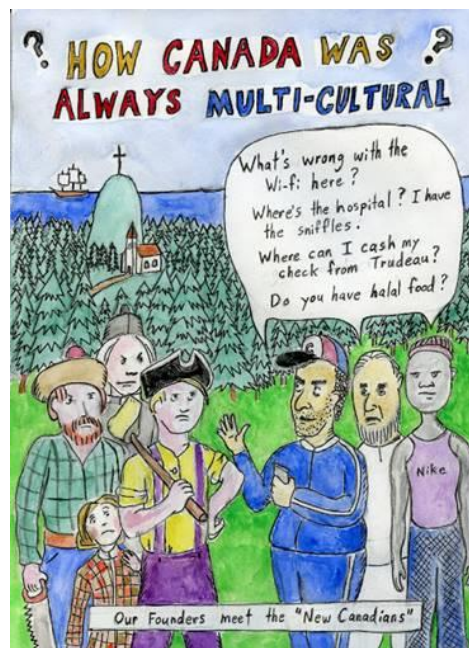
<http://www.spiked-online.com/newsite/article/now-they-want-to-lock-up-rod-liddle-and-ban-quentin-letts/2129>

Church group explains how 'Interfaith' orgs are a front for Islam/Marxists and threaten freedom

Ex-Muslim Shahram Hadian speaks about the cancellation of recent events.

<https://www.bitchute.com/video/rQE8Udi6ym8p/>

MULTICULTURALISM



FACEBOOK, TWITTER, GOOGLE

**“Technological progress is like an axe
in the hands of a pathological criminal.”**

~ Albert Einstein ~



Facebook hearings on Capitol Hill:

Sen. Durbin to Zuckerberg: “Would you share the name of the hotel you stayed in last night?”

<https://www.actforcanada.ca//sen-durbin-to-zuckerberg-would-you-share-the-name-of-the-hotel-you-stayed-in-last-night/>

Sen. Cruz Questions Mark Zuckerberg on Alleged Political Bias at Facebook "Did you block Planned Parenthood?"

<https://www.actforcanada.ca//sen-cruz-questions-mark-zuckerberg-on-alleged-political-bias-at-facebook/>

Facebook censors, suspends and threatens Voice of Europe for criticizing migration

The freedom of speech is not only threatened; it is despised. Those who are working to destroy it have the support of massive numbers of young people who have been indoctrinated into believing that dissent from the Leftist agenda constitutes "hate speech" and must be forcibly silenced. And so it is happening, quickly. The freedom of speech will have disappeared entirely before most people even notice it is gone.

<https://www.jihadwatch.org/2018/04/facebook-censors-suspends-and-threatens-voice-of-europe-for-criticizing-migration>

Facebook Has Dozens of Ex-Obama and Ex-Hillary Staffers in Senior Positions

The upper echelons of Silicon Valley companies are awash with Obama alumni. Former members of the administration have [ended up](#) in senior positions, or as board members of Uber, Lyft, Airbnb, Twitter, Nest, and Square, among other companies. Facebook's ties to the Obama White House are similar to that of Google, which also appeared to have a [revolving-door relationship](#) with the former administration.

<http://www.breitbart.com/tech/2018/04/10/dozens-obama-alumni-now-senior-facebook-employees/>

#BringBackDiamond&Silk

Mark Zuckerberg will never tell the truth, but it's as plain as the nose on his face that Facebook didn't dump popular Diamond and Silk because their "content and brand has been determined unsafe to the community". The pair say it took "6 Months, 29 days, 5 hrs, 40 minutes and 43 seconds" to get a response, which they add the network said is "final and it is not appeal-able in any way.

<https://canadafreepress.com/article/bringbackdiamondsilk>

Islamic terror groups continue to operate openly on Twitter, despite 'crackdown'

Many more U.S.-designated terror groups, [such](#) as FARC, the PLFP, Palestinian Islamic Jihad, the Communist Party of the Philippines, the Tamil Tigers, and countless others have Twitter accounts. These are but a handful of examples of terrorist groups and promoters operating openly on Twitter. The question remains: Who or what groups, exactly, were suspended in Twitter's highly touted great purge of terrorists?

<https://creepingsharia.wordpress.com/2018/04/09/muslim-terror-groups-on-twitter/>



Terror Plot? There's an App for That Encrypted messaging systems pose a real threat, and Western leaders need to engage their creators.

In a world of increasingly cyber-savvy terrorist threats, the developers of encrypted apps for mobile devices need to take greater responsibility for the uses to which their technologies are being put. At the same time, Western leaders need to find ways to work productively with the developers of encrypted app technology to help keep their citizens safe. The FBI can't do it alone.

<https://www.wsj.com/articles/terror-plot-theres-an-app-for-that-1523574554>

AROUND THE WORLD

BELGIUM

Belgium: Islam party top dog says, "Our goal is a 100% Islamic State...establishing Sharia law"

For years, foes of mass Muslim migration into Europe have warned that establishing Sharia was the goal of that migration. For saying this, we have been excoriated as racist, bigoted "Islamophobes." A political party called 'ISLAM' is growing in Belgium. They openly call for the introduction of Shariah law. The Shariah is in violation with human rights. Shariah parties therefore are antidemocratic. These are wolves in sheep's clothing.

<https://www.jihadwatch.org/2018/04/belgium-islam-party-top-dog-says-our-goal-is-a-100-islamic-state-establishing-sharia-law>

FRANCE

France: Soon with No Jews?

French Jews live in constant insecurity. The men who murder them evidently do not hesitate to break into homes and attack elderly women; they seem to know they can threaten their future victims without fear of arrest. The French authorities say they are [fighting anti-Semitism](#), but they never speak of the only anti-Semitism that today in France kills Jews: Islamic anti-Semitism. If the murderer is a Muslim, he is usually described as suddenly "radicalized".

<https://www.gatestoneinstitute.org/12121/france-no-jews>

GERMANY

Pondering the 'German Problem' on Holocaust Remembrance Day by Henry Roth

At the most important junctures in Israel's history, when German support would have been invaluable and when the Germans had an opportunity to

demonstrate their genuine commitment to help repair the damage they inflicted on the Jewish community – and by extension, support Israel – they have utterly and indisputably failed.

<https://worldisraelnews.com/opinion-pondering-german-problem-holocaust-remembrance-day/>

HUNGARY

Globalist pearl-clutching over nationalist Viktor Orban's sweeping victory in Hungary election

The purported "scaremongering" is over the invasion of Europe by millions of uninvited "migrants" who have no desire to integrate into their host culture, which, more accurately makes them "colonists." Orban explicitly ran against the efforts of George Soros, the Hungarian-born billionaire whose Open Society Institute has been pushing a "borderless" world, to the delight of globalists.

https://www.americanthinker.com/blog/2018/04/globalist_pearlclutching_over_nationalist_viktor_orbans_sweeping_victory_in_hungary_election.html#ixzz5CB8VwLzH

ISRAEL

Why Do You Hate Israel?

If you only criticise Israel, or you criticise Israel disproportionately to every other state, and if your criticism of Israel is loaded with Holocaust imagery and talk of bloodletting, and if you boycott Israel and no other nation, and if you flatter the dark imaginings of the far right and Islamists and conspiracy theorists by fretting over a super powerful Israel Lobby, and if the sight of an Israeli violinist is too much for you to stomach, then, I'm sorry, that has the hallmarks of anti-Semitism.

<http://www.spiked-online.com/newsite/article/why-do-you-hate-israel/21297>

PALESTINIAN AUTHORITY

Gaza protests: "One thing people don't appreciate if they haven't seen it is that this is not a peaceful demonstration"

Richard Kemp, a former commander of British forces in Afghanistan came to see the protests. "One thing people don't appreciate if they haven't seen it is that this is not a peaceful demonstration," he said. "This is a deliberate and specific intent by terrorist organizations to penetrate the state of Israel and kill civilians and the IDF has no option except to use lethal force to stop such a dangerous threat."

<https://www.jihadwatch.org/2018/04/gaza-protests-one-thing-people-dont-appreciate-if-they-havent-seen-it-is-that-this-is-not-a-peaceful-demonstration>

POLAND

EU Head Juncker Slams Poland for Taking in Ukrainian Migrants but not Muslims

European Commission President Jean-Claude Juncker said Poland should not choose which refugees to admit and should accept Muslims and other groups. The EU has made motions to [sue](#) the Polish government, along with Hungary and the Czech Republic, for "non-compliance with their legal obligations on relocation".

<http://www.breitbart.com/london/2018/04/09/eu-head-juncker-poland-ukrainian-migrants-not-muslims/>

UNITED KINGDOM

UK Muslim rape gang victim: "Concerned about 'giving oxygen to racists', MPs 'ignored our cries for help'"

The abuse of the young victims of Muslim rape gangs in the UK continues to be widely ignored. This scandal and tragedy has dragged on with no end

in sight, as unrepentant, shameless authorities, bent on propagating “diversity,” trivialize a national disaster. The Rotherham case is a reminder that British authorities are willing to sacrifice their young girls upon the altar of political correctness.

<https://www.jihadwatch.org/2018/04/uk-muslim-rape-gang-victim-concerned-about-giving-oxygen-to-racists-mps-ignored-our-cries-for-help>

European Immigration: Nuns Out, Terrorists In

A nun who was driven out of the town of Qaraqosh, on the Nineveh plains in Iraq, has been forbidden to visit her ill sister in the United Kingdom. When the same Home Office that forbade Sister Ban even to enter the country discovered that the young male Iraqi was in the UK, he explained clearly that he had been trained by ISIS. He told the Home Office officials that the group had trained him to kill. The Home Office promptly found him a place to live and study, and treated him as the minor he said he was but most likely was not. So, those who flee ISIS are turned away, while those who are trained by ISIS are welcome.

<https://www.gatestoneinstitute.org/12148/europe-immigration-nuns-terrorists>

UNITED STATES

New York Times’ Laurie Goodstein attacks Pompeo and Bolton for daring to notice there’s a jihad threat

The New York Times is immensely frightened by the appointments of Pompeo and Bolton, and that’s a very good sign. But they’ve put their smear machine into high gear.

<https://www.jihadwatch.org/2018/04/new-york-times-laurie-goodstein-attacks-pompeo-and-bolton-for-daring-to-notice-theres-a-jihad-threat>

Another fake attack: Muslima teen falsely reports man attacked her, removed hijab, called her “terrorist”

A 13-year-old girl has been charged by police after she falsely reported that a man assaulted her, removed her hijab, and called her a "terrorist" during an incident last Friday in Woodbridge.

<https://www.jihadwatch.org/2018/04/virginia-muslima-teen-falsely-reports-man-attacked-her-removed-hijab-called-her-terrorist>

OTHER ARTICLES

Europe's Civilizational Exhaustion

The European mainstream mindset now seems to believe that "evil" comes only from our own sins: racism, sexism, elitism, xenophobia, homophobia, the guilt of the heterosexual white Western male --and never from non-European cultures. So Europe now postulates an infinite idealization of the "other", above all the migrant.

<https://www.gatestoneinstitute.org/12093/europe-civilizational-exhaustion>

Islam – A Short Synopsis of How It Conquers

Islam is not a religion nor is it a cult. It is a complete system or self-contained society. Islam has religious, legal, political, economic and military components. The religious component is a cover for all the other components. It conquers via population growth by way of enormous reproduction rates and migration.

<https://newswithviews.com/islam-a-short-synopsis-of-how-it-conquers/>

The Dark Side of the Enlightenment

I think of these moderate, skeptical words frequently these days, as I follow the political and cultural transformation of the English-speaking world. American and British elites, once committed to a blend of tradition and skepticism, now clamor for Enlightenment. They insist that they have attained universal certainties. They display contempt worthy of Kant himself toward those who decline to embrace their dogmas—branding them "unenlightened," "immature," "illiberal," "backward-looking," "deplorable" and worse.

<https://www.wsj.com/articles/the-dark-side-of-the-enlightenment-1523050206>

YOUTUBES

Pat Condell: My freedom is more important than your faith or feelings.

"You can cry all you want. Political Correctness is like a drug that we can't stop injecting, even though we know it will eventually kill us."

<https://www.freespeechtime.net/2018/01/pat-condell-tells-muslims-my-freedom-is.html>

Deborah Weiss: Islamist Influence in Hollywood

https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=252&v=XFp1GkIndxs

Katie Hopkins OBLITERATES Sadiq Khan Live On TV

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SI7v4j5BKXA>

Elham Manea – 'Non-violent' Islamism paves the ground for violence

I interviewed University of Zurich associate professor of political science, Elham Manea, about the forthcoming English translation of her book, "Islamism Mainstreamed." Manea is a scholar of Middle East politics who researches the impact of Islamism on women and minorities.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rtq3DIkv6DQ&feature=youtu.be>

BECAUSE WE'RE CANADA



A beautiful and moving tribute to the victims of the Humboldt tragedy by our friend and fellow freedom fighter, Floralove Katz.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HKIVj8kM5J8>

“Humbled by Humboldt”

Well, we are all humbled by Humboldt,
The eager team, grief and the pain,
The driver, announcer, the therapist, the coach,
But Humboldt will rise up again.

To families, schools, neighbours, the mayor, whole town,
To all who “Put Sticks Out”, “Go Funded Me”, came ‘round,
To services, support groups, our prayers and love,
Our collective arms are all around.

For, hockey’s our national game,
Most Canadians all feel the same,
Our Broncos will always live on in our hearts –
And Humboldt will rise up again.

The Broncos rose early that morning,
All their hair dyed bright yellow – like sun,
Filled with joy, every hockey team girl, and each boy,
Feels when parting to win – be “the One”!

Tribute to organ donor, Logan Boulet,
Gave his tissue and organs to patients in need,
Gave new life to six others, when he lost his own,
Now so many others, now follow his lead.

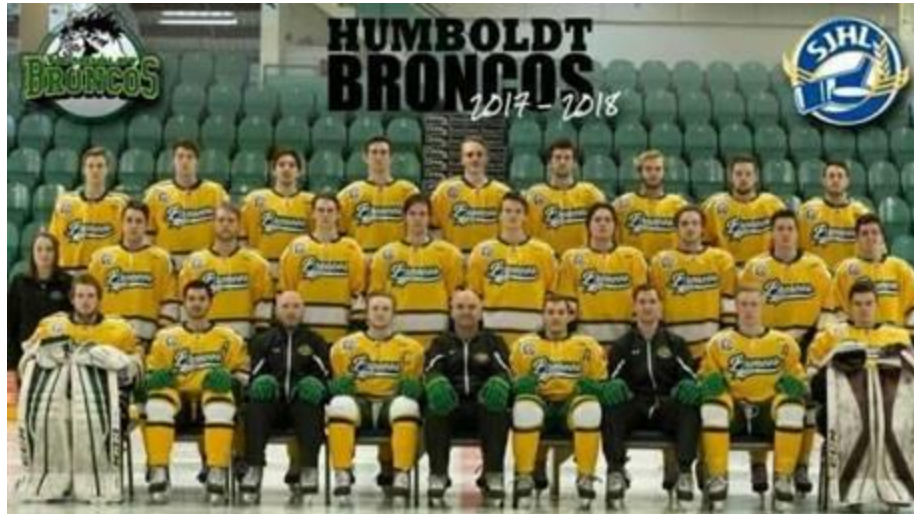
People all coming together,
People all sharing our pain,
Expressions of sorrow, of grief, and of strength,
And Humboldt will rise up again.

All people can stand strong together,
In goodwill – through sun and through rain –
We must all work together for the good of us all
And we will all rise up again.

Song music, lyrics, vocals and piano by Floralove Katz
11 April, 2018



NEVER FORGOTTEN



The Vigil for the Humboldt Broncos can be watched live below:

<https://www.spencerfernando.com/2018/04/08/live-watch-the-vigil-for-the-humboldt-broncos/>

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