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ATTICA MEANS FIGHT BACK!

Dear Guardian Subscriber:

THE TIME IS NOW!

Over the last two years the student movement has undergone a resurgence on campuses across the country. The past spring has probably seen the most consistent, day to day anti-imperialist organizing done on campuses in 4 years. Part of this resurgence has been the growth of the Attica Brigade from an organization on 5 campuses in New York City to one on more than 60 campuses in 17 states. Other anti-imperialist and progressive student organizations have also formed during this period and are beginning to look towards linking up with other campuses. Once again students are realizing the strength that one national student organization can have.

This summer we will be taking a big step towards building such an organization. On June 15, 16 and 17, at the University of Iowa in Iowa City, the Attica Brigade will be hosting its first National Convention with the intention of founding the Brigade as a national, multi-national, anti-imperialist student organization.

We are going to be building an organization which can seize upon the strengths of SDS and the student movement of the '60s, learn from them, and use them as a basis for building a stronger student movement in the '70s. At the same time, in summing up our work of the last 2 years, we feel that we have learned a great deal about the shortcomings of the past period and are ready to move to correct them. We are expecting more than 500 people at the convention, including many independent students and progressive, anti-imperialist and communist organizations.

We would like to extend that invitation to you and to any other students you know who are interested in building a national student organization. We have enclosed with this letter a "call" to the convention, a copy of the editorial in our last issue of FIGHT BACK! and a back issue of FIGHT BACK!, our monthly newspaper. If you are interested in coming or want more information, please drop us a letter. If you would like a subscription to FIGHT BACK! fill in the subscription blank and send it in. If you know other students who might be interested, please pass this information on to them, or send us their names and we will contact them.

Students this summer will have an opportunity to take part in a historic event--one which will mark a big step forward for the anti-imperialist movement as a whole. You are invited to be a part of it. Hope to see you in Iowa City in June.

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