

Death goes shopping...

Over 1000 companies plan to come to London to sell military hardware at the Excel Centre in Victoria Dock Road, E16 from September 13 to 16.

True, some sell socks for soldiers. And some deal in death directly. In the past, illegal landmines have been offered in side-room deals. That's apart from the bullets and shells and tanks openly on sale.

Two years ago, 300 companies at the arms fair were investigated for bringing weapons into the country illegally. A leaked letter from the Metropolitan Police showed they wanted to arrest these dealers in death – and the government ordered them to lay off.

...and we party for peace

The world's worst bombers are coming to London – but London is vigilant, London can see them off!

They come as merchants of death, we're celebrating life. Come along to show that London is strong in its diversity, that London cares, that London can beat the bombers.

There will be several kinds of music. Bring your own too. We plan food, stalls and fun. As a policeman said of another such party, "This is not a protest. Repeat. This is not a protest. It's some kind of artistic expression."

Where and when?

Gather at 1pm, Saturday 10 September in East London. For the gathering place call **07 903 812 190** or for much more about 'Defence Systems and Equipment International' see:

www.disarm-trade.org