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INTRODUCING

Quiet Riot to the world



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A new powerful group of people has been formed, which is calling itself 'Quiet Riot'.

The group is a gathering of people who use 'facilitated' or 'assisted/augmented' communication.

We are at this time nine adults and have been meeting in Manchester and thanks to Joe Whittaker have been able to get together to meet and discuss our purpose in working together. We are diverse in every way, but share the one important aspect of ourselves, that we need assistance to communicate.

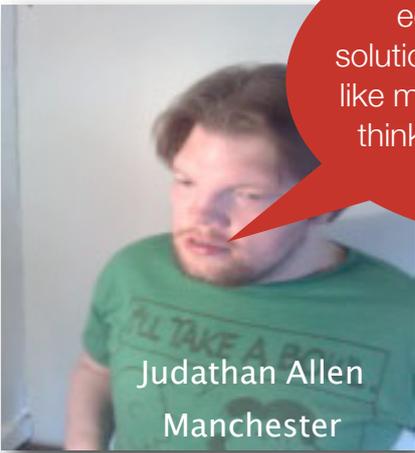
Through discussion over several meetings we have agreed a number of objectives:

- To work to get funding to support our group meetings
- To campaign for Communication Aids for all people with disabilities
- Pure acceptance
- Party
- To raise awareness of our beautiful minds
- To educate the public that because we don't communicate verbally does not mean we are not intelligent
- Make friends and influence people
- To support each other
- Write articles or poems to inspire
- PA's to be respected with fair pay and government acknowledgement of this important role.
- To give people who can't talk a more public profile
- To exchange ideas for what works in training

JUST BECAUSE WE DON'T SPEAK

it doesn't mean we have nothing to say

Special education is a cruel solution to educating people like me. I was not seen as a thinker with reason until I used typing.



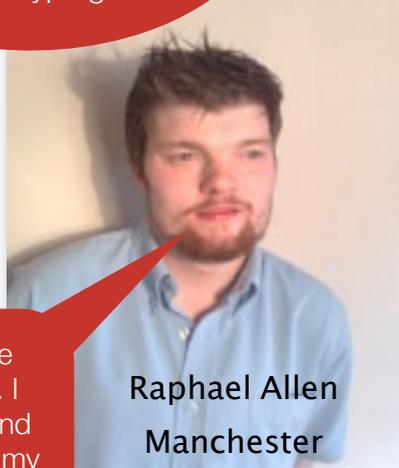
Judathan Allen
Manchester

I am Paul-Thomas Allen at 35 I am older and wiser than my brothers. I am a freelance speaker if you can afford me. Politics exhilarates my mind, Indie music soothes



Paul-Thomas Allen
Manchester

I Raphael love my life because I have God. I also love swimming and bus rides. Freedom is my love, I go with the flow.



Raphael Allen
Manchester

Gareth Donnellon
Sheffield



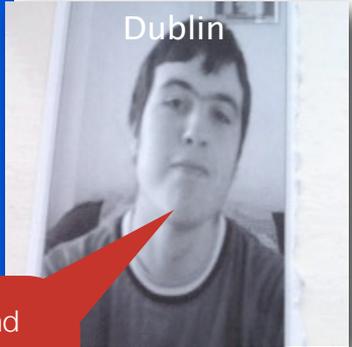
A man of talents and depth with insights and a wit to match.

Together we are QUIET RIOT

If people would like further information about our group and would like to direct us to funding opportunities, so we can meet and work together more frequently, please contact: Joe Whittaker
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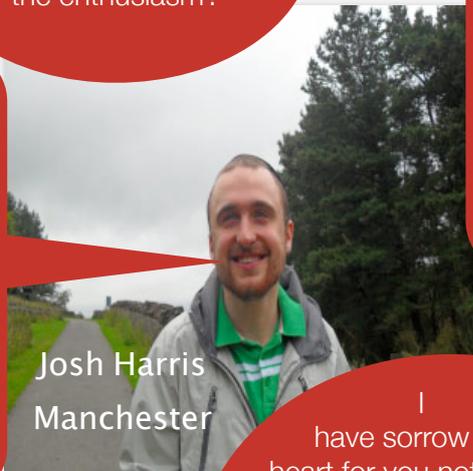


I have the world before me now I am typing. Are you ready for the enthusiasm?

My name is Anthony and I really enjoy roller blading, reading, cycling and the gym. I wish more people were given the chance to use facilitated communication. Being autistic is not being accepted by society. If I am accepted I can have all opportunities that other people have.

I have full control of my mind but not my body; it's really hard to get things to work for me. I may do things that seem strange but there is a reason for everything I do. Find out more about Josh
www.joshuasplanet.co

Josh Harris
Manchester



Maresa MacKeith
Nottingham



I have sorrow in my heart for you not learning the proper inclusion for me. I had mini breath of despair because I thought I had not given it justice.
Find out more about Heathar
www.heatharashley.com

I'm Maresa and I'm passionate about reaching out to other young people who can't talk. I love writing and that's how I express myself best. We all need to know more about each other's lives, so the more we are included in mainstream life from birth onwards the better. Get to know more www.one-for-all.org.uk

Heathar Barrett
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