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### Couriers Network IWW rides in memory of courier killed in US

**25th May**: Members of the Couriers Network IWW organised a memorial ride for a courier killed on the job in the US at the start of the month. Pablo Avendano, from Philadephia, was hit by a car whilst delivering for the food platform Caviar and tragically died from his injuries. He was a passionate advocate for workers' rights, as well as racial and economic equality.

The network cycled in Pablo's memory, highlighted the dangers of courier work to the public and held a demonstration in solidarity with Pablo's friends and family, who are calling for better safety provision for couriers. An injury to one, is an injury to all.

#### **UberEATS improves after pressure from Couriers Network Cymru**

**17th April**: After receiving a set of demands from Couriers Network Cymru, Uber sent a representative of central office to Cardiff to meet with couriers twice. Since the meeting, Uber:

- has updated zones in Cardiff from 2 to 4 spreading things more evenly!
- are working on improving the app's map routing making it safer for you
- are planning to make sure customers input their address when ordering

The Network is still working hard to push Uber and Deliveroo to increase pay rates to make sure we all earn a fair wage. Our strength is in numbers – we CAN do this! Let's work together and show a united front – join the Network (it's free!) and let's fight back and get a better deal for what we do!

### Uber Eats Cardiff - Courier Feedback

Session

Thank you for registering! Please attend the meeting at 3PM on 17/04 at the Cardiff Greenlight Hub - 16 Neptune Court (first floor) Ocean Way, Cardiff, CF24 SPJ. Expect the session to last ~2h.

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## Couriers Network Scotland deliver letter of demand about excessive waiting times

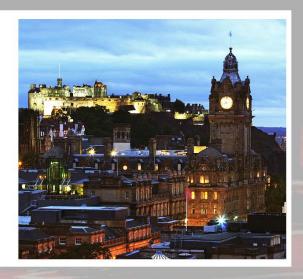
**7th May**: Members of the Couriers Network Scotland in Glasgow delivered a letter of demand to Maryhill McDonalds in response to excessive waiting times. Couriers in Scotland find lengthy waiting times – often over 45mins – when waiting to pick up orders in the Glasgow restaurant.

Along with their demand, the letter from the Network in Glasgow warned McDonalds in Maryhill: "If we do not feel that satisfactory improvements are made, we will consider further action including: speaking to customers directly about the issue, organising a concerted boycott of the restaurant by all UberEATS couriers"

#### 5th May: Edinburgh couriers form the latest network!

Hot on the heels of Glasgow joining the wider couriers network, couriers in Edinburgh got in touch with IWW Couriers Campaign HQ to find out how they could join the fight. Fed up with low pay, long waiting waitings and no transparency from Deliveroo or UberEATS they wanted to fight for change.

Meeting with the lead organisers at the start of May, a group of around 10 couriers in the city decided that enough was enough and voted to join the growing IWW Couriers Network. Alongside Cardiff and Glasgow, Edinburgh now counts as the third official city to join the growing movement for a better deal for couriers. There's other rumblings coming from cities across the UK too. Rumour has it that Bristol may be next!



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