

BUSH IS ON HIS WAY OUT!

...oh wait a minute...

He still has months to invade another country!

SIGNS OF IMPENDING WAR AGAINST IRAN:



Cheney's "Peace Keeping Mission" to Saudi Arabia

-The next day Saudi newspapers told the people to prepare for nuclear fallout if the U.S. bombed Iranian nuclear sites

-“Back in March 2002, Cheney made a high-profile Mideast trip to Saudi Arabia and other nations that officials said at the time was about diplomacy toward Iraq and not war, which began a year later.” (Atlas)

Demonization of Iran:

-Declaring a threat of nuclear weapons even though the “National Intelligence Estimate (NIE) reported in November 2007 the consensus of all the American intelligence agencies “with high confidence” was that Iran is not actively seeking to develop nuclear weapons. (Polk)”

-Statement from IAEA head says that this is a reminder of pre-war Iraq... “We have not seen any weaponization of their program, nor have we received any information to that affect — no smoking gun or information from intelligence. Based on the evidence, we have, we do not see ... a clear and present danger that requires that you go beyond diplomacy... For the last few years, we have been told by the Security Council ... that we needed to clarify

the outstanding issues. We obviously had to welcome Tehran's decision to cooperate with the agency.”

-Declaring Iran a member of the “Axis of Evil” and labeling its military a terrorist organization

-Blaming Iran for the rise in violence in the Iraq

It has been reported that over 950 lies were told in the build up to the Iraq War about why it was necessary to invade – the script's the same.

(Still don't think so? Test yourself; jump to the quiz at the end.)

Admiral Fallon's Resignation in March

-Fallon was said to be “a lone voice against taking military action to stop the Iranian nuclear program.” (Atlas)

-“Apparently, President Bush's firing of Admiral Fallon was meant to signal to the Iranians that “all options remain on the table.” This is the publicly proclaimed policy of the Bush administration and has also been adopted by the Democratic Party aspirants to the White House, notably even by Barack Obama who recently said, “all options, and I mean all options, are on the table.” (Polk)

Israel Bombs Syria

-Israel bombed Syria in what may be an attempt to force Syria to activate their anti-aircraft electronics. This would allow Israel to discover the gaps in their defenses and to be able to develop a flight path to Iran

A major part of the U.S. Navy is deployed in and around the Persian Gulf.

- “The numbers are stunning and include not only a vast array of weapons, including nuclear weapons, cruise and other missiles and hundreds of aircraft but also “insertion” (invasion) forces and equipment” (Polk)

Take the Quiz!

1. What Country in the Middle East refuses to confirm or deny that it has a nuclear weapons program and refuses to sign the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty?
2. What Country agreed to be monitored by the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) and opened up its country to IAEA Inspectors?
3. What Country has the IAEA severely criticized for falsifying information on Iran's nuclear program?
4. What country(ies) has/have ever used nuclear weapons on civilian populations?

Answers: 1) Israel; 2) Iran; 3) the U.S.; 4) the U.S.

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READY TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT THIS??



Noticing the beat of the war drums is only the beginning. From here we need to own the responsibility and capability we have to fight this.

We will no longer allow people to die, countries to be destroyed, and lives to be ruined in our name.

We will not tolerate an escalation of militarization in the Middle East.

We will not be distracted by the glitter of the elections and will remain strong in our convictions.

Five years is five years too long!

There is a need to remove military recruitment centers from our schools and campuses and we will succeed in this goal.

We have truth and morality on our side and will not stand by to let this administration quietly destroy another country and its innocent civilians.

Join the fight to end military recruitment!

CITYWIDE EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN: If the news of an attack hits... Meet 5pm at Federal Plaza day of/day after if the US attacks Iran or any other country.

When the news breaks:

Columbia College: Meet at 623 Wabash

DePaul: Meet in the Quad

IRAQ: GET OUT! IRAN: STAY OUT! BUSH/CHENEY: DRIVE OUT!

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01/20/05 "Irish Times" -- An Iraqi man and his wife have been shot dead in front of their five children by US soldiers who fired on the car in which the family was traveling.