

# Young Gypsy and Travellers' issues

6.30-7.30 p.m

Tuesday 26 September, 2017

Hear what matters most to them at  
a meeting chaired by Kate Green MP



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Gypsies and Travellers are the ethnic groups with the highest rate of homelessness in the UK, as local authorities are failing to provide enough sites.

The Government has changed the definition of 'Gypsy' in planning terms, meaning the old, elderly, young people and women can be excluded from having somewhere to live.

The number of camps of Gypsies and Travellers on the roadside has increased-is this a consequence of the government's ill-thought out and discriminatory planning policy change?

Gypsies and Travellers face high levels of racism and social exclusion.

We have seen at the last General Election an increase in young people's engagement in politics, is this also happening in the young Gypsy and Traveller communities?

Come and hear about these and other issues facing Gypsy and Traveller communities in the UK today.



### **Friends Families and Travellers**

The Conference Room,  
Community Base, 113 Queens Road,  
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