

# **National Peace Council:**

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*This is the main vehicle to keep the main Ambassadors for Peace (AFPs) up to date with latest providential developments, activities and news. It is the time to review, strategise and consult with leading AFPs as to future activities. We collect a membership fee and charge the participants sufficient to cover the expenses of the day. Usually this is held in 43 Lancaster Gate, Headquarters.*

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- Receive Providential Directions and Updates
- Hear Reports of Activities
- Strategise How to Respond to Directions
- Include Cultural Aspect in Programme

## ***UPF Peace Council Components***

- Focus on Action – What Projects and Campaigns are Ongoing in Branches and Secretariat
- Networking and Break Out Sessions to Support These Projects and Campaigns
- What Extra Foundation Do We Need to Develop to Help Solve the Problems of the United Nations and our Nation?

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- Cross-Fertilisation of Contacts and Strategies Made Possible.
- Local Campaigns can be Launched Nationally.
- Local Branch Ambassadors for Peace can be Inspired with the UPF Founder's Vision of Humanity as 'One Family Under God'.
- Projects and Campaigns Have Been Initiated By This Inspiration and Vision Beyond Our Involvement .

## ***UPF Peace Council Suggestions:***

- Plan Well Ahead: Make a Yearly Schedule Early
- Consistency is Important: The Peace Council is the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday in July and December Every Year
- Have Some Significant VIPs At Each Peace Council
- Demonstrate UPF's Development and Momentum Each Time
- Allow Plenty of Time for Discussion, Question and Answers and Networking: Keep Speeches to 5-7 Minutes
- Report Well to the UPF Leadership, Website, All AFPs and All Contacts – Develops the Brand
- Follow Up Conversations Within Three Days



# **Universal Peace Federation's Peace Council**

## **UPF – UK's Experience**



**UPF Patron:  
Lord King of  
West  
Bromwich**



**Brenda  
Hodgson:  
Community  
Cohesion  
Committee**

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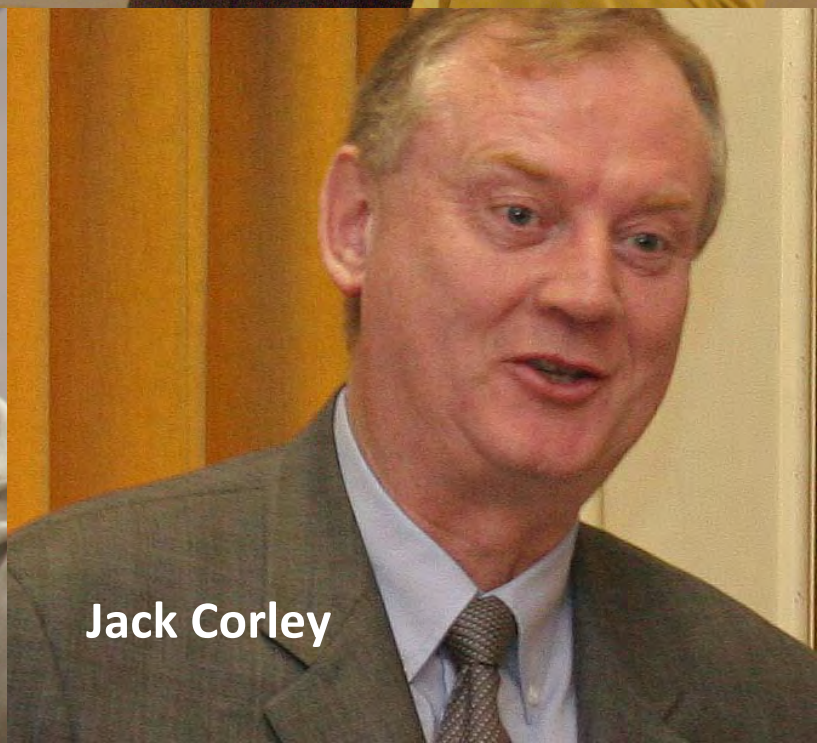
Mark Brann



Dr and Mrs Yong-cheol Song



Timothy Miller



Jack Corley

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**Murad Qureshi AM**



**Baroness Patricia  
Scotland**



**Jonathan Fryer**



**Break Out Session to Discuss a  
Low Cost Housing Project in Africa  
Sierra Leone Govt Advisor Present**

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# Some Projects Promoted Through the Peace Council



**Andreas Bachofner: Bethlehem Caritas  
Baby Hospital Appeal**

**Ambassador for  
Peace Visits to Africa**



**Murtaza Shibli – '7/7 Muslim  
Perspectives' Book Launch**

**Youth Mentoring – Sheridan  
Mungal: South London UPF**

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