

## **The Salads are Revolting: Sandra Faase**

A meeting of angry vegetables yesterday confirmed that there is growing proof that beetroot is being discriminated against by other less colourful vegetables.

'It is my fundamental vegetative right to remain unstained in the salad bowl', said Lance Lettuce last night at a meeting of Vegetables Against Unnecessary Vibrance (VAUV).

'I'm fed up of waking up after a heavy night in the fridge to find that the beetroot has once again transgressed its personal space, feeling free to stain my leaves, yet again', said Mr Lettuce, who was lying limp in a colander recuperating from his last near-fatal discolouration.

Members of VAUV are now at the forefront of a push to have all beetroots bleached before any vegetable interaction can be initiated.

Beetroots Against Bleaching (BAB) spokesperson, Beatrice Beethead, said that beetroots would be protesting tomorrow at the popular den of vegetative iniquity, Mr Potatohead's Pomme Puree Club, where highly infectious shallots are known to mix freely amongst patrons.

'We are recruiting tomatoes, red cabbage and other vibrant vegetables to meet the paler vegetables head on with a massive discolouration campaign', Ms Beethead revealed.

'Our message to all proud vibrant vegetables is: It's okay to bleed if you feel the need.'