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Category: Tier 2 — Mobiliser **Status:** Active **Location:** Unknown (active in Kent: Dover, Ramsgate, Folkestone; stood in Newham, East London) **Affiliated Groups:** Restore Britain, South East Patriots **Monikers:** None known

Semantic Summary

Shayne Wiskin is a persistent but widely mocked far-right street organiser active in Kent and the South East. A Restore Britain supporter who came bottom in a Newham Council election with just 1.7% of the vote, Wiskin consistently attempts to organise anti-migrant street demonstrations — most notably a 23 May 2026 Dover protest that drew fewer than 12 attendees despite him also calling simultaneous demonstrations in Ramsgate and Folkestone that failed to materialise at all. He operates under the "South East Patriots" brand alongside the pseudonymous John Ri, with the two figures forming an overlapping incompetent mobilisation network across Kent, Surrey, and Sussex. Wiskin's Dover event attracted a handful of far-right micro-celebrities — Jay Mills (Christian nationalist, grandson of author Anwar Shaikh), Chris Hauley, Liam Tomsett and partner Sharna McNicholas — and featured a comic moment when Jay Martin of the "British Security Project" informed Kent Police they were violating the Treason Felony Act 1848. Undeterred by a counter-protest of approximately 20 anti-racists with a drummer, Wiskin's persistence despite serial failure epitomises the amateurish organisational culture of the post-EDL far-right demo scene. Searchlight Magazine documented the entire effort as "Kent far right's demo disasters," noting that even Danny Tommo's April 2026 Dover protest drew a similarly pitiful crowd, suggesting Wiskin is not uniquely incompetent but rather representative of a structural collapse in far-right street mobilisation.

Overview

Field	Detail
Full Name	Shayne Wiskin
Location	Unknown (active in Kent coast towns; electoral presence in Newham, East London)

Field	Detail
Primary Role	Street organiser — Restore Britain supporter, South East Patriots
Electoral History	Stood in Newham Council election; came last with 1.7% of the vote
Key Activity	Organises anti-migrant demos in Dover, Ramsgate, Folkestone
Track Record	Consistently low turnout; demos often fail to happen
Known Associates	"John Ri" (South East Patriots co-brand), Jay Mills, Chris Hauley, Liam Tomsett, Sharna McNicholas

Background

Shayne Wiskin occupies the lower tier of far-right street mobilisation in Kent and the South East. Unlike figures such as Tommy Robinson or Paul Golding who can still draw hundreds, Wiskin represents the subculture of persistent amateur organisers who call demonstrations that attract single-digit crowds or fail entirely.

Searchlight Magazine's coverage of Wiskin's activities is consistently withering, placing him within a broader pattern of "Kent far right's demo disasters" that also encompasses Danny Tommo's Dover failures and John Ri's non-existent turnouts. Wiskin's electoral performance — last place with 1.7% in Newham — demonstrates the yawning gap between his political aspirations and public support.

Despite his track record, Wiskin continues to organise. He called simultaneous demos in three Kent towns (Dover, Ramsgate, Folkestone) for 23 May 2026. Only the Dover event happened, drawing fewer than 12 people. The Ramsgate and Folkestone demos simply did not materialise.

Timeline

Date	Event
Pre-2026	Stands in Newham Council election — comes last with 1.7% of the vote
23 May 2026	Organises South East Patriots demonstration at Dover Western Docks / Lord Warden Square. Calls simultaneous demos in Ramsgate and Folkestone. Only Dover happens — fewer than 12 attendees . Kent Police bar the group from reaching migrant reception facility. Counter-protest of ~20 anti-racists in Dover Market Square

Date	Event
23 May 2026	Ramsgate and Folkestone demos called but fail to materialise entirely
23 May 2026	Searched by Kent Police; Jay Martin ("British Security Project") informs officers they are violating the Treason Felony Act 1848. He is not a lawyer
25 May 2026	Searchlight Magazine publishes "Dover and out — Kent far right's demo disasters" covering the event

Activity / Events

23 May 2026 — Dover Demo (South East Patriots)

Wiskin's most documented event was the 23 May 2026 Dover demonstration, which Searchlight Magazine covered in detail under the headline "Dover and out — Kent far right's demo disasters."

Key details:

- **Location:** Dover, Western Docks / Lord Warden Square
- **Turnout:** Fewer than 12 demonstrators
- **Simultaneous demos:** Wiskin also called demos in Ramsgate and Folkestone — neither happened
- **Police response:** Kent Police prevented the group from reaching the migrant reception facility
- **Counter-protest:** ~20 anti-racists in Dover Market Square with a drummer

Attendees:

- Jay Mills — Christian nationalist, grandson of author Anwar Shaikh
- Chris Hauley
- Liam Tomsett and partner Sharna McNicholas
- "John Ri" (South East Patriots co-brand)
- Jay Martin — of the "British Security Project," who informed police they were breaking the Treason Felony Act 1848 (which criminalises advocating the abolition of the monarchy, not protesting migration policy)

Significance: The event demonstrated the far-right demo scene's structural decline. Neither Wiskin nor Tommo (a convicted kidnapper who similarly failed in Dover the previous month) could produce anything beyond a handful of activists. The anti-racist counter-protest of ~20 people — itself modest — still outnumbered the far-right presence.

Affiliations

Organisation	Role	Details
South East Patriots	Organiser	Kent-based far-right street mobilisation brand; co-branded with "John Ri"
Restore Britain	Supporter	Rupert Lowe's far-right party. Wiskin is described as a Restore Britain supporter
Newham Council	Former candidate	Stood for election; came last with 1.7%

Online Perception

Within the far-right ecosystem, Wiskin is regarded as a figure of mockery. Searchlight Magazine's coverage is damning: his Dover demo drew "fewer than 12" and the Ramsgate/Folkestone demos "didn't happen." His electoral performance (1.7%) demonstrates zero electoral base. The tier list organiser notes specifically identify Wiskin as "incompetent but persistent."

His value to the monitoring ecosystem is as an indicator of far-right organisational collapse: when a dedicated activist cannot produce double-digit turnout for a Dover anti-migrant demo — the flagship issue and location for the UK far right — it signals broad demoralisation across the mobilisation infrastructure.

Tags

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- anti-immigration
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- kent
- nationalist
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- restore-britain
- rupert-lowe
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- south-east-patriots

Sources

Monitoring Organisations

- **Searchlight Magazine** — "Dover and out — Kent far right's demo disasters" (25 May 2026). Primary source for the 23 May demo and Wiskin's track record.
- **Searchlight Magazine** — "Sussex PCC boosts far-right anti-migrant campaign" (November 2025). Context on the wider anti-migrant organising scene.

Social Media

- Instagram posts by Jay Mills and Liam Tomsett documenting their attendance at the Dover demo

Local Files

- `~/Desktop/Politics/right-wing-demos-uk.md` — Full documentation of 23 May event (lines 280–296); note on organisational incompetence (line 390)
- `~/Desktop/Politics/right-wing-tier-list.md` — Tier 2 classification: "Incompetent but consistently tries to organise street events (Dover, Ramsgate, Folkestone)"
- `~/Desktop/Politics/tier-list-viewer.html` — Additional classification data noting "Came last in Newham Council election (1.7%)"

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