Jim Kenney

How do you feel about the amount of people that die on our streets due to gun violence? Well, obviously one death is one death too many, and it's very sad, and we're here because there are too many guns on our streets and in our society, but the thing I feel good about is that I have less time ahead of me than I have behind me, and you guys are stepping up to lead, and I feel very comfortable that when I am retired, you guys will be in charge because what's in charge now is a disgrace. You're empathetic, you care about each other, you treat each other with respect and kindness, so when I'm rocking on a porch I'll be happy you guys are in charge. **Woman with March for Our Lives Sign**

How do you feel about the march today, and what does this issue mean to you?

I think the issue is really important, I'm really excited to be in a march and be following the leadership of young people. I had hoped to see more young people of color being represented, in terms of speakers, and some of the issues that have been going on in Philadelphia outside of certain mass shooting kinda things that are happening, but I think that there is a really important area for collaboration here, and using the leverage from this broader nation discussion to address both sets of issues, the mass shooting, and also the daily drip of police violence of gun violence that is not done by AK-47s that is happening in our neighborhoods and schools here in Philadelphia.

Voter Registration Lady

Why are you out here today?

So I'm actually volunteering with Head Count, they're a non-partisan organization to get people to register to vote, um mostly we go to musical festivals and concerts to try to get our generation engaged and registered.

How do you feel about the march, with the turnout and everything?

It's exciting to see people engaged and excited, especially young people because historically we've seen that they haven't shown up, and that's a problem, and so we're helping to get people registered which is a first step to change.

Socialist Alternative Volunteer

First, so what does your organization do?

I'm from Socialist Alternative, we're an international political organization and we fight for independent politics, independent of the democrats and the republicans, the parties with big businesses. We support working class movements that will win better conditions and reforms for working people. So, we're out here, and we think that we do need to address gun violence, and gun reform is really important, but we also think this is connected to a larger system, and that banning the sale of assault rifles is not enough, although we support that, we also think we need full funding for schools, healthcare, we need mental health services, and we need to demilitarize the police and get police out of schools.

Little Girl with Going to school shouldn't be scary sign

What does this march mean to you?

Well, my friend Matthew just did a project on the shooting at Columbine, and it really like made me sad for the people that died.

Woman

Why are you here today, what does this movement mean to you?

I want to protect everyone in this country from this senseless violence.