

Welcome to the fifth issue of The Timothy Hackworth Times. This has been produced by our pupils, for our pupils.

Each week the budding journalists have enjoyed researching information, asking questions and being in the right place at the right time. If you hear any news that would make a good story, then come to us!



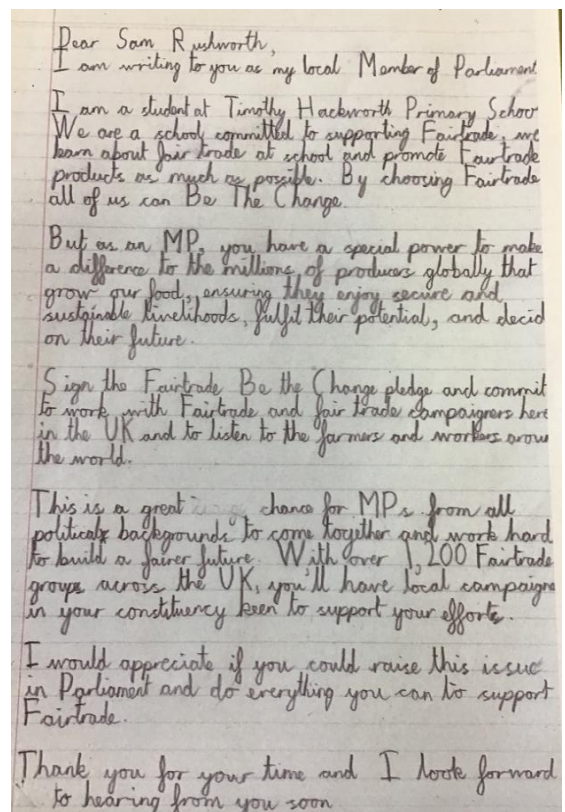
We hope you enjoy this issue and all of the issues to come!

This paper is produced by the budding reporters of Timothy Hackworth's Newspaper Club.

What's happening at THPS? Fairtrade

During Family Groups, children have been learning about Fairtrade. Some children in Key Stage 2 have been writing letters explaining how fairer trade can help farmers fight climate change and earn a decent living to support their families. We are proud to say that the children made sure their pupil voices were heard. Their actions demonstrated a deep understanding of democracy and the importance of having their voices listened to. The fact that they have received a response and were even mentioned in the House of Commons is an incredible achievement!

It shows that their passion for fairness, climate action and supporting farmers was recognised at the highest levels. This is a powerful reminder of how every individual, no matter their age, can have an impact on the world and contribute to positive change. Ashton and Dollie- Beau even got a special mention in the House of Commons! WOW!



Sam Rushworth MP
@SamJRushworth

How lovely to get letters from my young constituents at Timothy Hackworth Primary School in Shildon asking me to speak up for @FairtradeUK in parliament.

Jolly Jokes

What do you call a greedy elf?

Elfish.

How do you help someone who has lost their Christmas spirit?

Nurse them back to elf.

What did one Christmas tree say to another?

Lighten up.

Why is Christmas so cold?

Because it is Decembrrrrrrrrrrr.

What is the weather forecast for Christmas eve?

100% chance of rain, dear.

Why did Santa Claus get a parking ticket?

He left his sleigh in a snow parking zone.



Interview with an adult...

One of the best parts of this club is using our interview skills on the THPS staff.

For this issue, we interviewed Miss Cherry, our Year 4 teacher.

Do you like your job?

Yes, I like that the job is different every day.

Do you like your new class?

Yes, I do. They're an interesting class.

How many years have you been teaching. Did you have a job before?

This is my second year as a teacher. I was a teaching assistant for one year before that too.

What is your favourite food?

My favourite food is chocolate.

What is your favourite part of your job?

My favourite part of the job is having fun with the children.

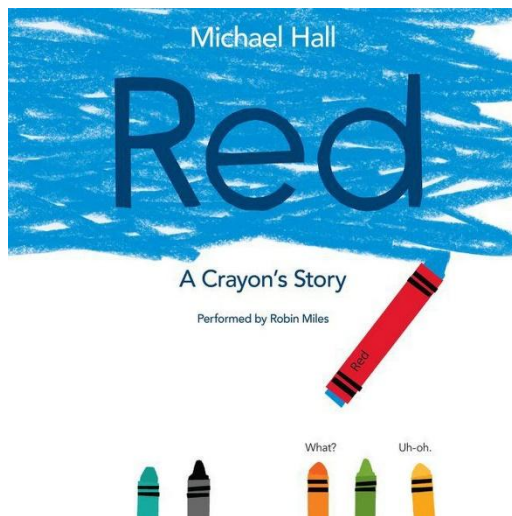
What are your hobbies outside of school?

Outside of school, I enjoy going to the gym, going a run and going out for food.

Fun fact:

I lived in Australia for four years.

Book Review



Red A Crayon's story By Michael Hall

A blue crayon who is mistakenly labelled "red" suffers an identity crisis when he is wrapped in the wrong colour label. Once the crayon realises he is wrapped in the wrong label, he is able to follow his own path, despite the obstacles that come his way.

Newspaper club give this book a 10/10. You will like this book if you enjoy a happy ending.