



**Election Special - 2010**  
**Use ALL 3 votes to vote LABOUR on**  
**Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> May**

**Your Local Labour Candidates**



Vote for your **Three Labour Candidates** on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> May

<b>X</b>	<b>Prakash AUCHOMBIT</b>
<b>X</b>	<b>Anita MacDonald</b>
<b>X</b>	<b>Mustapha SOWE</b>

*John McDonnell Parliamentary Candidate with Anita MacDonald, Mustapha Sowe & Prakash Auchombit – Labour's team for West Drayton*

**Anita MacDonald**

Anita MacDonald was born in Inverness and brought up in a small mining town called Prestonpans near Edinburgh. She studied at the Royal Scottish Academy of Music in Glasgow and moved to Hayes in 1996, working in Harlington Community School as a secondary teacher until 2002. She has experience as a local councillor and parliamentary candidate, and describes herself as a hands-on community councillor, making home visits and meeting people face to face, as well as being equally comfortable online with email based council queries. Anita has served on the North Planning Committee and is currently the Labour Lead on the Education Policy Overview Committee.

**Mustapha Sowe**

Mustapha Sowe lives locally and works at The Sheraton Skyline Hotel. Mustapha wants to be your councillor because he has a passion for helping people and a desire to give back to the community that has done so much to inspire and support him. He supports Labour because he has seen firsthand the positive difference that the Labour Government has made to peoples lives. He has seen Labour's Safer Neighbourhood Initiative reduce crime across West Drayton. He will fight Tory plans to sack police officers and instead he wants to cut crime not safety in West Drayton.

**Prakash Auchombit**

Prakash is a qualified barrister and practiced in England and Mauritius. He returned to Brunel University for a master's degree in welfare law. Prakash was chairman of Hillingdon Law Centre and ensured free access to legal services to people in need. He has served as a school governor for 24 years and contributes to the Education service. He was a Labour councillor for Barnhill and assisted in the campaign to re-open Barnhill School, introduced road safety measures, play facilities in local parks and improvement to housing services to residents. He is determined to bring more investment in resources in West Drayton.

**You have 3 votes in the Local Election on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> May**

**Use them to vote Labour**



# Savage Tory Cuts Hit Your Safety & Your Children's Schools

## Tory Leader Scraps New Schools for Hillingdon

The Leader of Hillingdon Council, Conservative Councillor Puddifoot, addressed an assembly of all the local secondary head teachers to inform them that he was refusing to sign up to the Government's £150 million investment programme (Building Schools for the Future) to modernise and rebuild the secondary schools in Hayes and the south of the borough.

The council leader has stood down virtually all of the expert team of officers that have been engaged for two years in preparing the plans for the investment programme.

Hayes and Harlington MP John McDonnell is furious that the Conservative council has blocked £150 million being invested in schools in his constituency.

Leader of the Labour Group Councillor Mo Khursheed commented "we are all devastated after the unilateral announcement by the Conservative leader of the council."

## The Successful School That The Tories Wanted To Demolish

In the early 1990's the Conservative administration of the council closed the original Barnhill School on the grounds that it was not needed. The parents of the 1400 pupils who now attend the school may beg to differ. When Labour came to power in Hillingdon they immediately started work on plans not only to re-open it but to re-build it with modern state of the art facilities. This investment coupled with the hard work of teachers has created an environment in which pupils can thrive. **This year The School has been officially recognised as the most improved school in London.** This follows its outstanding success in achieving a 92% increase in the number of school students achieving at least 5 GCSE A\*-C grades (inc. English and Maths).

Tories argue that they have changed. But do they really care about the education of our children? In the last few weeks they have decided not to even bother bidding for government money to invest in school facilities across Hillingdon.

**The lesson is simple.**

**Tories see education as a cost.**

**Labour sees it as an investment in all of our children's futures.**

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## Tories to Cut Police Safer Neighbourhood Teams

Tory Mayor Boris Jonson and Tory Controlled Hillingdon Council have frozen the council tax.

### BUT WHAT IS THE REAL COST OF THE FREEZE?

- *Has there been a cut in the salaries of senior officials & politicians? ... **NO!***
- *Has there been a cut in bureaucracy and red tape? ... **NO!***
- *Has there been a cut in wastage at the Civic Centre? ... **NO!***

**The real cost of this council tax freeze is the sacking of 455 police officers!**

This will save you 14p per week in your council tax.

Overall crime is down in Hillingdon thanks to Labour's investment in the Safer Neighbourhood initiative. However this is no time to be complacent.

Burglaries in Hillingdon are up significantly since Tory Mayor, Boris Johnson, took control of London's Policing

On 6<sup>th</sup> May you will get your chance to tell Boris what you think. Don't expect Hillingdon under the Tories, to stop Boris sacking your police. His chief henchman is none other than Hillingdon Tory Councillor Richard Barnes.

**Only Hillingdon led by Labour will fight tooth and nail to keep our streets and our homes safe.**



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