



**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>Paul HARMSWORTH</b>
<b>X</b>	<b>John MORSE</b>
<b>X</b>	<b>Peter RYERSON</b>

*Paul Harmsworth, John Morse & Peter Ryerson – Labour’s team for Yiewsley*

**Paul Harmsworth**

**John Morse**

**Peter Ryerson**

Paul Harmsworth has lived in Hillingdon all his life and has many years of experience on the Council including a term as councillor for the old Yiewsley Ward. He has sat on most committees at one time or another and was briefly Leader of the Council. Currently, he is the Labour Councillors Chief Whip. His Council interests include empowering the local community, curbing anti-social behaviour, planning, economic development and Council Finance. He is a widower and lives with his two grown up daughters in Uxbridge. His interests include music, reading and football. He is 64 years young.

John Morse has lived in Hillingdon for 28 years and is married to a primary school teacher. He works locally as an I.T. manager. As a former Councillor he was Vice Chairman of the Education Committee 1994-98 and has served for 12 years as a School governor. He also served 8 years on the planning committee. John believes that investing in our children and properly funding their education is vital in the building of a prosperous and stable society. He welcomes the increases in education spending and deplores Hillingdon Tories refusal to even bid for funding from the Labour Government’s Building Schools for Future Programme.

Peter Ryerson is a retired primary school teacher. He taught in Brent, Hillingdon (Longmead 1974 to 1987) and Ealing. He was a school governor at Evelyns from 1988 until it became The Stockley Academy. He is currently a Governor of Guru Nanak Sikh Voluntary Aided School, and has been since 1997. Peter served as a local Councillor for 18 years. He served as Labour Spokesperson on Education for 17 of them. He was Chair of the Education Committee from July 1993 to May 1998, and Chair Education Scrutiny from 2002 until 2006. He is also a trustee of The Fassnidge Memorial Trust and The Uxbridge United Welfare Trust.

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**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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