

Victory Primary School
Black History Month
October 2022

Black History at Victory....

The need for black history to be taught in schools became an international declaration after the sad death of Lloyd George. However, as headteacher of Victory Primary school I can proudly say that since 2012, (the year that I became HT of Victory Primary School), black history has been permeated throughout our curriculum, therefore is taught throughout the school year.

Black History Month meanwhile is an annual celebration at Victory, it is a wonderful opportunity to raise the profile of black heritage and achievements; our school community learns something new and is another opportunity for our school community to come together. We also dedicate time in our curriculum to learn about other cultural groups, for example during our cultural awareness programme.

If you would like to know more about our exhibition or our curriculum, please contact our school office!

The beginning of the journey.....

- Our Headteacher and History Leader work together every year to decide on a theme for Black History. This year our school focused on black actors and actresses.....

EYFS + Ruby Class - Mona Hammond
Amber Class — Rudolph Walker
Emerald Class — Megan Markle
Sapphire Class — Ira Aldridge
Topaz Class — Paul Robson

Next steps.....

The learning journey begins with a whole school assembly led by the HT.

Teachers are sent information about their class focus person, so that they are well informed. They are then ready to teach their class about their chosen person. These lessons are then incorporated into other areas of the curriculum, for example literacy, art, science and geography.

Moving forward.....

The children's work is then displayed in our middle hall. All our children are able to see the displays before we share our work with our friends and family at the exhibition.



By
Reception
Class

Reception

Silver Class



Mona
Hammond

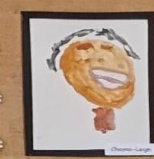


We painted portraits of
Mona Hammond.

She was born in 1931 in
Jamaica.

She was an actress.

She helped set up a theatre
company called Talawa.



Come and play a
game of snap

Ruby Class
Year 1

Mona Hammond OBE

"Funny, smart and alive in the
language"
Zosette Bushell-Mingo



What character did she play
in Desmond's?
A. Auntie Sulu
B. Auntie Sally
C. Auntie Sharon



What difficulties do you think Mona
Hammond may have faced when she
became an actress?

"Her wisdom was a welcome
balm"
David Harewood



When was Mona Hammond
born?



If you could help set up a company,
what would it be and why?



What company did she help
set up?



Which of these programmes
did she star in?
A. Des's
B. Desmond's
C. Des's



What job did she do?



Year 2
Amber Class



EastEnders: Rudolph Walker invites Prince Charles onto EastEnders set after being awarded CBE

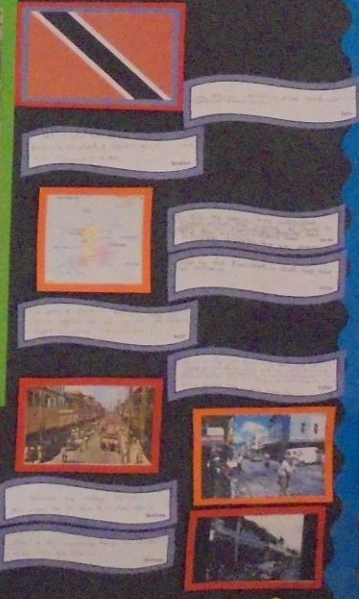
Rudolph Walker

CBE

HOMETOWN



- 1939
- 1960
- 1972
- 1992
- 2000
- 2001
- 2006
- 2020



Years 3-4

In Emerald class, we have been looking at Meghan (born Rachel Meghan Markle). She is not only the Duchess of Sussex and married to Prince Harry. She has made history since she was 11 years old!

Meghan, Duchess of Sussex

What Social, Racial or Political CHANGE could you make one day?

Why did Meghan, Harry and their young family have to move to America?



What do you know about Meghan's life?

At the age of 11 Meghan Markle changed America! At school she was listening to an advert about washing plates. It said that girls should do all of the work, and she didn't like to do, she wrote to the company saying that not only girls do housework, also boys can do it. Turns out that the company actually changed it and said people just washes.

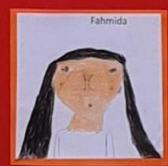
At the age of 11 Meghan, Duchess of Sussex, made a huge difference by writing for equality to her school friends know to wash the windows. Meghan knew it wasn't right because it was sexist. Both girls and women can do the job. She wrote a letter to send to the company and they actually changed the advert. This was so big that she was interviewed by Newsweek.

This is Meghan Markle she is now called the Duchess of Sussex, when she married Prince Harry. Previously, she was an actress in the programme called 'Suits', where she was called Rachel. She has two children one boy called Archie and a girl called Lilibet (after the late Queen Elizabeth's nickname). They now live in America, Meghan is 41 years old.



When Meghan Markle was 11 years old, she did something that changed the whole world of America. She wrote a letter to an advertisement company to change an advert, saying that only women should be in the kitchen and to wash the dishes!

After that Meghan, she went into acting and she was in the show, 'Suits'. She was very successful and she was in the show for 5 years. She was in the show for 5 years and she was in the show for 5 years. She was in the show for 5 years and she was in the show for 5 years.



What do YOU see or think could be changed ... Are you going to make something better or create something entirely new... Innovators are in all of us!

Who was Queen Charlotte?

Can you compare the similarities and differences with Meghan the Duchess and Queen Charlotte?

What would happen if Meghan, Harry and their young family, decided to reside again in the United Kingdom?



A black and white portrait of a man with dark hair, wearing a light-colored, possibly white, button-down shirt. He is looking directly at the camera with a neutral expression. The background is dark and out of focus. The photo is mounted on a light-colored card.

A large, stylized banner for 'Ira Aldridge' with a red background and gold lettering. The letters are dark with gold patterns and red accents. Below the banner, a small yellow card is visible.



The life of Paul Robeson



Artists are the gate keepers of truth.
We are Civilization's radical voice.

— Paul Robeson —

Acting and Singing Career

Paul Robinson was born and grew up in Louisville, then being the place first mentioned to James as Philadelphia illegals, while his mother came from a prominent Philadelphia family following her father's migration to India and his mother's death in a home fire. Young Robinson experienced a life of poverty and racism.

He played Sam in *Logans* (1942). He made *Julius*, *Sammy* and *Babe* in the musical *The Logans* (1943) in 1979 among other early parts. Both were more seriously accepted and earned prominence. Critical gratitude for many achievements propelled him into the public eye and, ultimately, the way left for him to work on his agent, who convinced he was great and many in the film world.

114. married early, letters to Mary
Growth and first openly Christian
religious life during the mid-1920s
in 1929 He was in Miami, Florida
115. his classmate started studying the
New York University School of Law
1919

He was used to play at a range command
performance at Birmingham Palace as a result of
his extraordinary playing.
He and his wife appeared in the ground-breaking
experiment of the "radio" in the early 1930s.

He accepted a job as an assistant football coach in Lincoln in order to make a living. He took at NTU and he of, then, at he transform to Columbia law school in 1920

Expenditure had to be reported in the 1933 "Annual Statement of the Year" to find the amount of income to be distributed. The plan required the firm to report the amount of income to be distributed.

Robert Angus Lane was
growth physiologist, Cornell
Univ. attending Columbia
University, a New School from
1920 to 1927. He married
Genevieve Standa. Dwyer
a yellow Cinnamon Southern in
1925 and had Paul between 1925
to 1927.

Robert also acted in four movies: "Border of a
Rain" (1934), "Love Road" (1934), "Song of Love"
(1934), and "The Great Valley" (1934). He appeared
again in the documentary "Robert Hood"
(1934) and the film "Tales of Manhattan" (1934).

For 1988, Reagan proposed that
for a number years before leaving
the programme, there would be a
one year transition to a new system of
the country, with the help of the
state which has helped the people.

Ireland really gave
a second art to the
King the song of the
Irish people. The
Gaelic and Irish
language has been
restored by the
efforts of many of the
Irish, and for the



Political Activism

to become a politician without effort
his brother and I had been practicing
and through his social acquaintance in
1913 to your Department. Since
then I have been in job to practice the
law in your country.

He performed little or nothing
Toward me, again, not coming.
Between houses he passing the
Breaking with a white report
His solitary eye and a great eye
Lying down.

I believe you are very kind
 indeed, and I am sure
 of your very good intentions
 in sending me the book
 by which you would bring me
 to know you. But I am
 not the same person as I was
 when you first sent me the
 book.

The 1940s to 1950s period was the
beginning of the period of
great war and great hardship.
There is a great deal of
the war and the great hardship
to the people of the world.

Death & Legacy

[illegible]

After coming home, the stopped programme
line and only suffered sporadic programme.
He gradually returns from past life due to
desiring to be and it was not a billion as a
man and woman, he had again some things
from a woman.

The machine was used to make
steel, including making a flat
exposed metal plate used in the
second part of the life before passing
away on January 22, 1936 due to
complications from a stroke.

The US Postal Service received thousands of letters asking Congress to take steps to protect religious freedom, including the right to display religious symbols on public property. The letters also asked Congress to support the Religious Freedom Restoration Act (RFRA), which would protect the rights of individuals and organizations to exercise their religious beliefs without government interference.

is a singer who performed songs supporting human rights and is sometimes paid in US dollars, including Chinese New Year and Christmas gifts.

The exhibition leaders are prepared...







The Exhibition begins.....

For the past 10 years, our Black History Month exhibition has always been well attended by our friends and family, this year it was no different.....



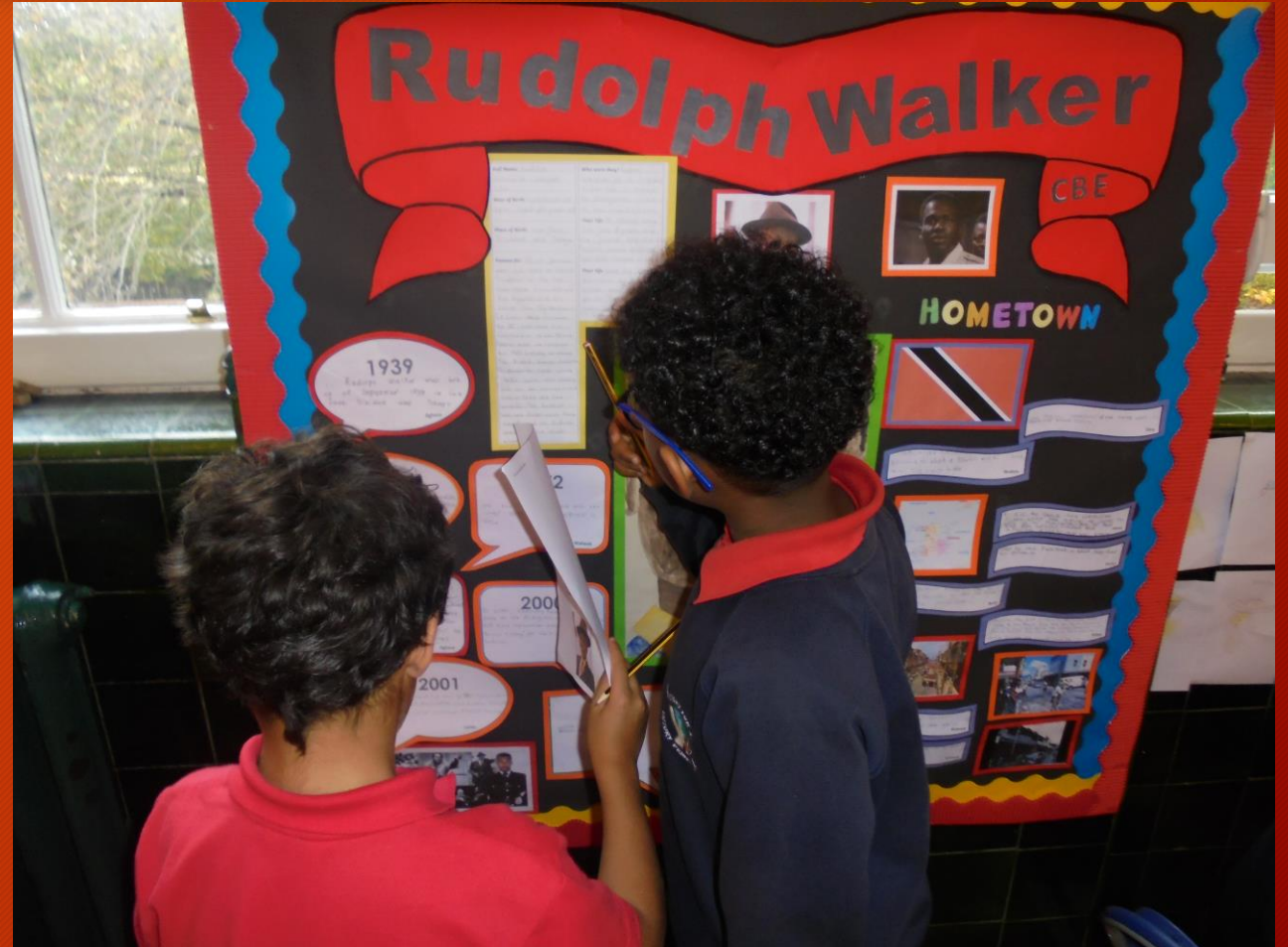
Learning, laughing and sharing.....



Friends and family completing activities....



Our children also attend the exhibition and continue their learning....



Exhibition leaders assessing the work.....

The BHM Exhibition Leaders assess the work completed by our children and adults, they decide who will be awarded a prize!





Evaluations....

At the end of the exhibition, our children, friends and families evaluate the exhibition.
It helps us to keep growing and improving.

PARENT RESPONSES

100% strongly agreed or agree that:-

The children's work was of a high quality

The children spoke clearly and explained their work well

I enjoyed the exhibition

I learnt something new

Any other comments:-

“The exhibition was so great.”

“Well done the teachers. The children did a great job.”

“Good work well done.”

Each one, Teach one!

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**If you want to go quickly, go alone,
If you want to go far, go together!**

African Proverb