

Storytelling workshops



Don't miss the chance to spend some time with the nation's first Laureate for Storytelling, Taffy Thomas, MBE

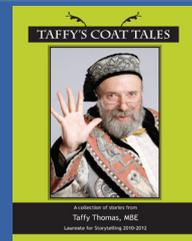
"The master storyteller travelled the length and breadth of the country. People would come from miles around to hear him tell his tales. He was so famous that someone had made him a special storytelling chair from which he delivered his words of wisdom... He was so famous that someone else had made him a Tale Coat... a lovely coat on which were embroidered scenes from his stories..."

Mike O'Connor

The Tale Coat is a unique piece of textile art. It is a kind of story jukebox, from which audiences of any age can select an embroidered scene to hear one of many extraordinary tales told by a storyteller who is as unique as his exquisite attire.

This summer, the Laureate for Storytelling, **Taffy Thomas MBE**, is visiting schools in your area to share some of his favourite tales from the Tale Coat, and show how stories can be passed on from one generation to the next, and to leave his audience with a tale or two to take home and retell. Taffy can provide workshops for children of all ages, from reception to adult, and is happy to discuss ways of tailoring workshops to suit your individual needs and curriculum themes.

From Fairy Stories and Riddles to Folktales inspired by his Lake District home, Taffy can offer something for every age, from 4 to adult. Find out more about the storyteller at www.taffythomas.co.uk



Share a story from Taffy in advance of the author's visit...

TAFFY'S COAT TALES - Taffy's latest published collection of tales - is available in paperback format and can be ordered from Aston Hill Editorial Ltd at www.astonhilleitorial.co.uk.

Books can be supplied for sale in your school on the day of your workshop.

Email Helen Watts at helen@astonhilleitorial.co.uk or call **01789 292112** to discuss your requirements.

BOOKING INFORMATION:

BOOKINGS ARE NOW BEING TAKEN FOR THE WEEK STARTING MONDAY 18TH JULY 2011

Typical workshop costs:

HALF DAY including two sessions £250

FULL DAY including three sessions £350

It may be possible for two nearby schools to share the cost of a day's session and multi-booking deals are also available.

All prices exclude travel expenses which are an additional charge to the school, agreed in advance.

For more information, please contact:

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