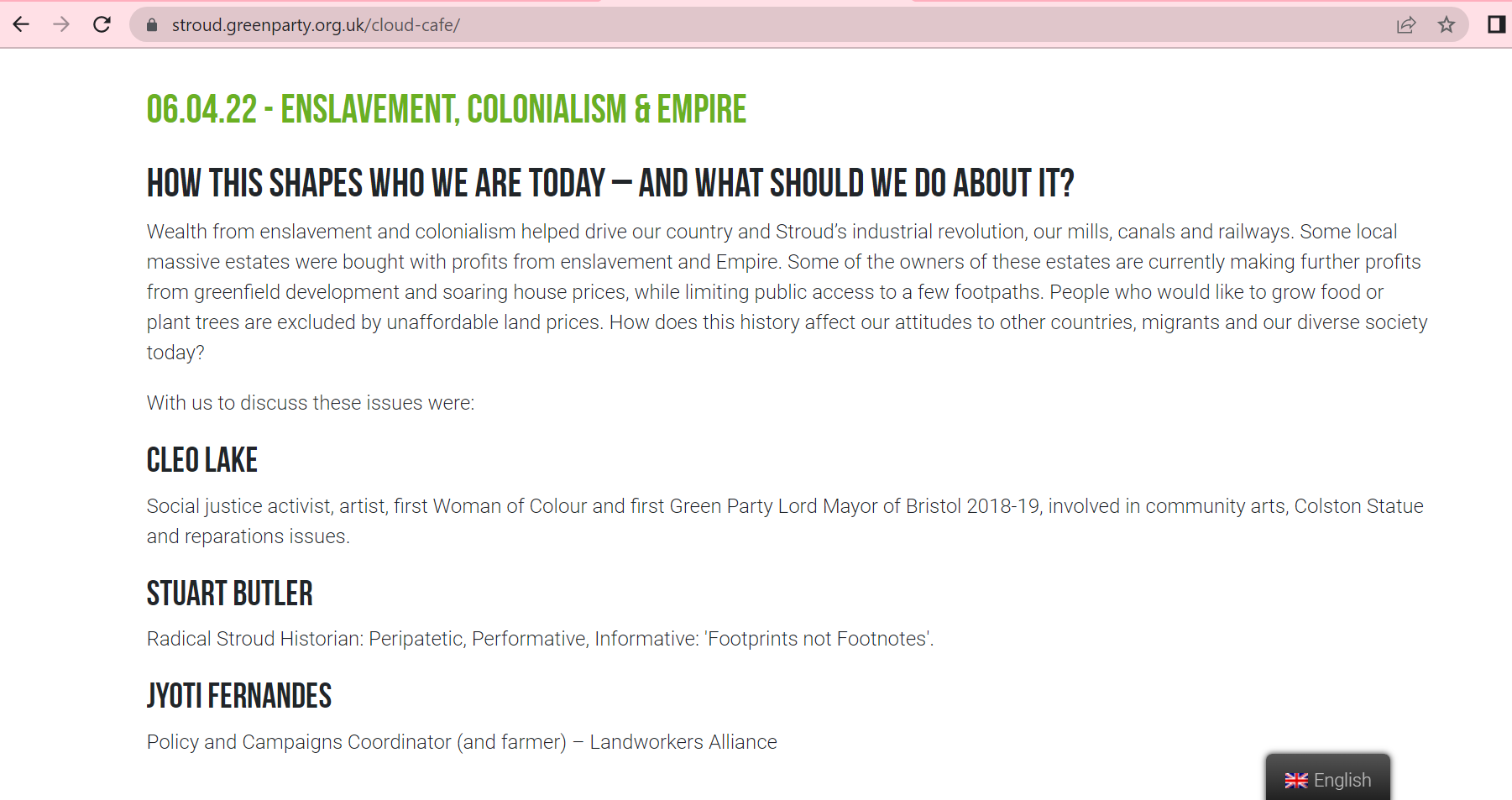
‘The bell has tolled for a rare clock after the council recommended that a “blackboy” statue be removed from the timepiece.

Of the 1,600 residents who responded to a consultation in Stroud, Gloucestershire, 77 per cent asked for the removal of the statue, widely seen as racist, which depicts a small black child with red lips, holding a club and wearing a gold leaf skirt. The figure belongs to one of only 20 “jack” clocks left in Britain — jacquemarts being figures that strike the bell.’

*Jack Blackburn, The* Sunday Times

[*www.thetimes.co.uk/article/time-is-nearly-up-for-blackboy-on-stroud-clock-s23xgpp92*](https://www.thetimes.co.uk/article/time-is-nearly-up-for-blackboy-on-stroud-clock-s23xgpp92)



*Free online event hosted by Stroud Green Party*

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*Image: Extinction Rebellion protest at Oxford Street, London*

*Siba Jackson, Sky News*



*‘Ye Radical Stroude Gazette’ – an information site on Stroud’s radical history, run by Stuart Butler*

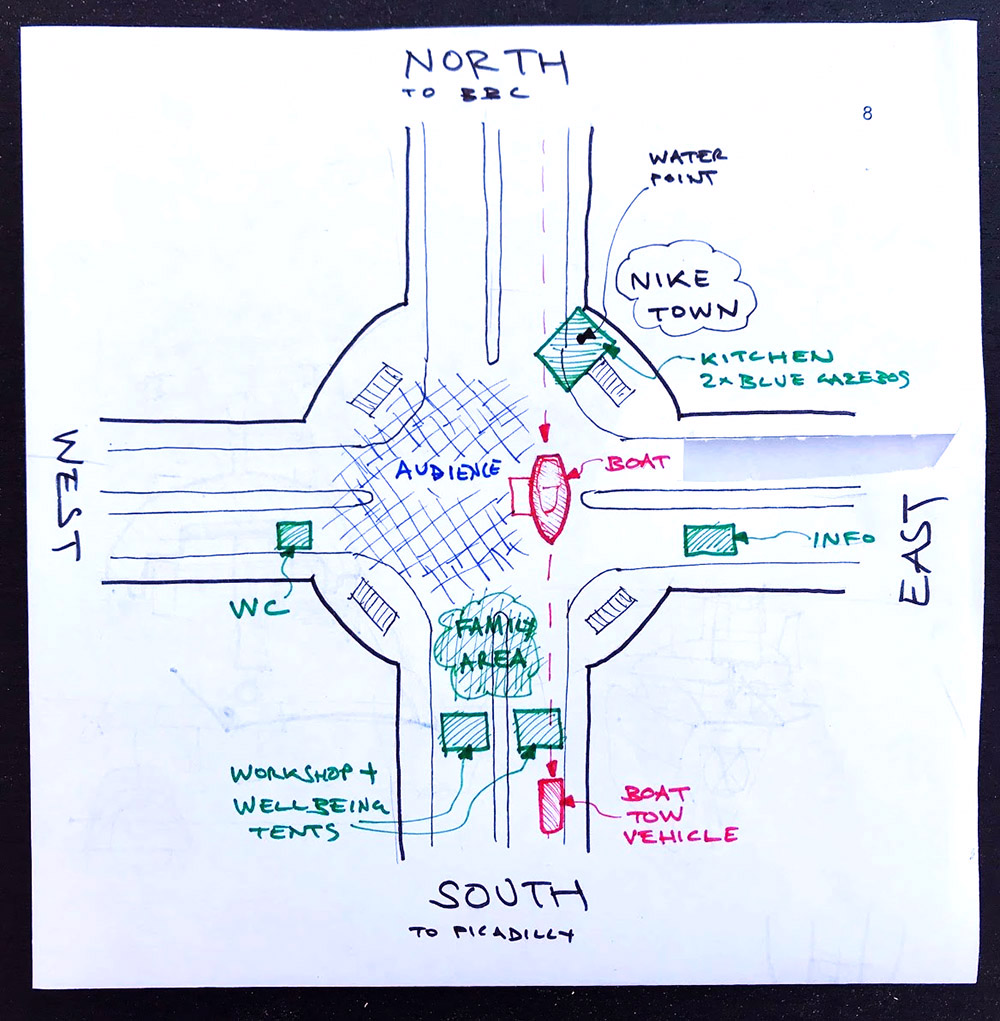
*Stuart hosts talks with local schools and in local pubs. He also runs walking tours of Stroud, highlighting the places associated with radical history and Stroud’s links with the British Empire.*

[*http://radicalstroud.co.uk*](http://radicalstroud.co.uk/)

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*Image: Extinction Rebellion protest at Oxford Circus, London (Getty Images)*

*Extinction Rebellion protest at Oxford Circus*



*Extinction Rebellion plan to protest on a boat in the middle of Oxford Circus, London*

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*School of Homoeopathy, Stroud*

*Founded in 1981, it is the longest-running homeopathy school in the UK. Homeopathy or homoeopathy is a pseudoscientific system of alternative medicine based on the belief that the body can cure itself.*

[*www.homeopathyschool.com*](https://www.homeopathyschool.com/)



*Radical Reading Group*

*Beginning in January 2016, a group of people living in Stroud have been meeting up once a month to discuss a ‘radical’ text. Their upcoming book is* Working Class History: Everyday Acts of Resistance & Rebellion*, an ‘on this day’-format book by the Working Class History project.*

[*https://stroudradicalreading.com/about*](https://stroudradicalreading.com/about/)