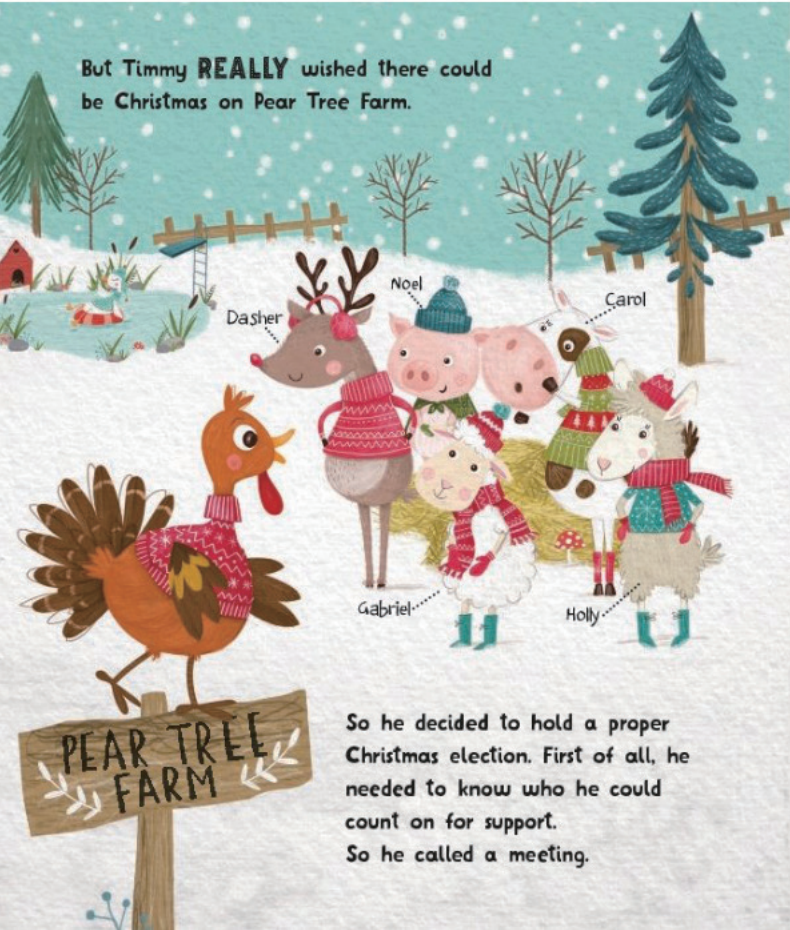


But Timmy **REALLY** wished there could be Christmas on Pear Tree Farm.



So he decided to hold a proper Christmas election. First of all, he needed to know who he could count on for support. So he called a meeting.

'Put your hand up if you **LOVE** Christmas,' said Timmy.



Noel counted five hands.

Then Carol pointed out that Noel hadn't counted his own hand. So that made six.

Christmas Eve arrived—and  
that meant . . . **voting day!**

Everyone put a cross on  
their ballot paper.



Everyone queued up outside  
the polling station. Dad gave  
Uncle Bernard a grim stare.

When all the votes were in, it was time for the result.