



## EGG-CITING EASTER EVENTS!

### EASTER CELEBRATIONS Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2021

This year we will be continuing with the traditional egg rolling, decorated egg, Easter Gardens and Easter Bonnet competitions – just in our Bubbles and sharing with our classes over Zoom.

We are suggesting that parents and children carefully consider which of the three competitions below they choose to enter, as the children will need to carry their entry into the school grounds themselves (staff will assist our younger pupils). It may be advisable to enter **ONLY ONE** of the three competitions this year.

**ALL CHILDREN** will need a hard-boiled chicken egg for egg rolling (decorated with only felt tips) – we suggest the children bring at least 2.

#### The Three Competitions:

1. **Decorated eggs :**

The decorated eggs can be just decorated or on a theme such as “eggs-plorer” or “egg-amination” or “eggs-plosion” – get the idea?

2. **Easter Bonnets:**

The Easter bonnets/caps/hats (boys and girls) can be as elaborate as you like but it is better if they can be worn for a parade in the classroom. For both of these competitions the judges will be looking for creativity, originality and it is always good to see that the child has had a hand in the making!

3. **Easter Gardens:**

Tell the Easter Story in a Garden form- please make it able to be carried as these can be very heavy if too large.

#### Egg Rolling:

Egg rolling eggs need to be hard-boiled and decorated in some way so that the children can recognise their own eggs once they have been rolled. Inevitably, the eggs smash as they roll down the hill so maybe these eggs don't need to be a work of art. A spare one never goes amiss either! NO NAIL VARNISH OR PAINT – felt tip is best and only eggs from hens! We are serious about our egg-rolling at Rivington!

#### Virtual Event and Virtual Disco:

Please keep your eyes peeled for further information about these two exciting events!

Unfortunately, due to COVID restrictions, parents are not able to come and watch the children egg-rolling. There will however be a celebration assembly at 10am on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March over Zoom and we will, as usual, inform parents the day before if the children are due to win an award.

Best wishes,

*Sarah Annette*