



H A P P Y E A S T E R

from



The Rivington★ Team

Welcome back after the Easter break. We all hope that you enjoyed the holidays and did many fun things together.

Due to major technical difficulties there has been a delay in sending this Newsletter out to you but I hope that you enjoy looking the photographs of some of our Easter celebrations.

We are all looking forward to the Summer Term ahead - with plenty going on and many exciting events planned for all!

Well Done to our Half-term Headteacher Award Winners:

Rec: Lottie F. - for your total enthusiasm and always putting 100% into everything you do.

Y1: Lucy Mac - for having a brilliant term - always being helpful and always being supportive to everyone.

Y2: Jessica H. - for working hard all term on everything and setting a brilliant example to the class.

Y3: Holly G. - for your endless enthusiasm, great manners and always working hard!

Y4: Isabelle D. - for always demonstrating such great enthusiasm in all of your learning.

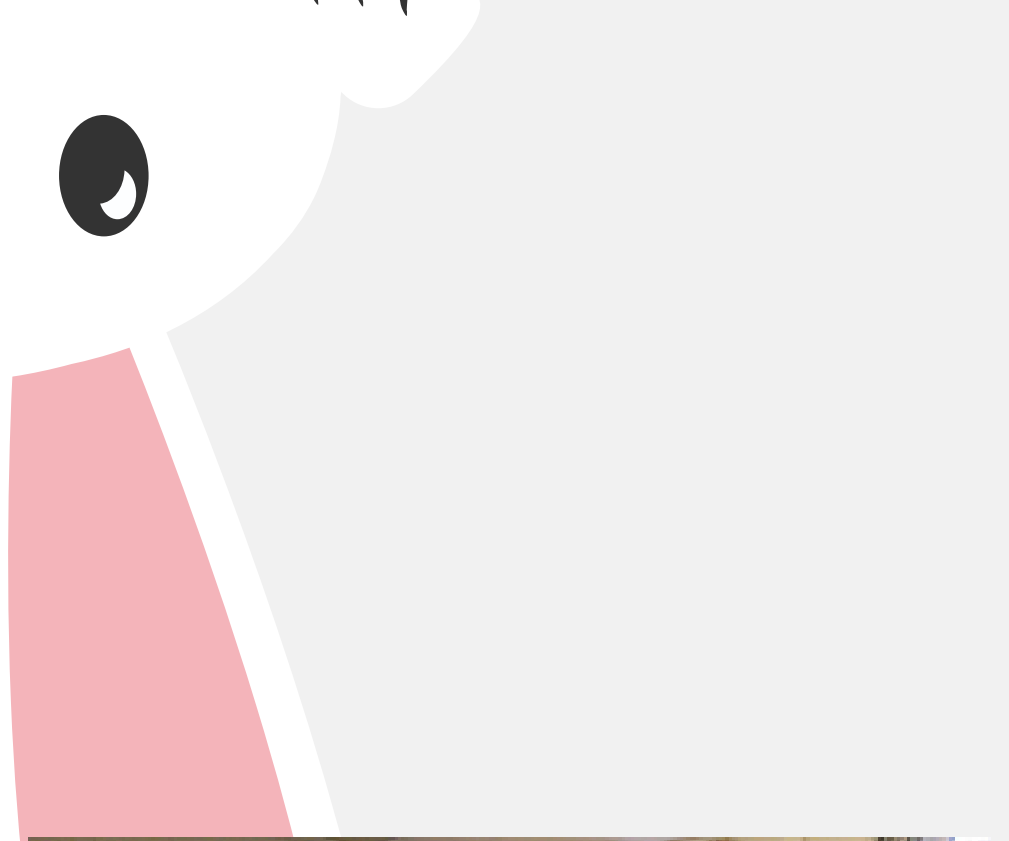
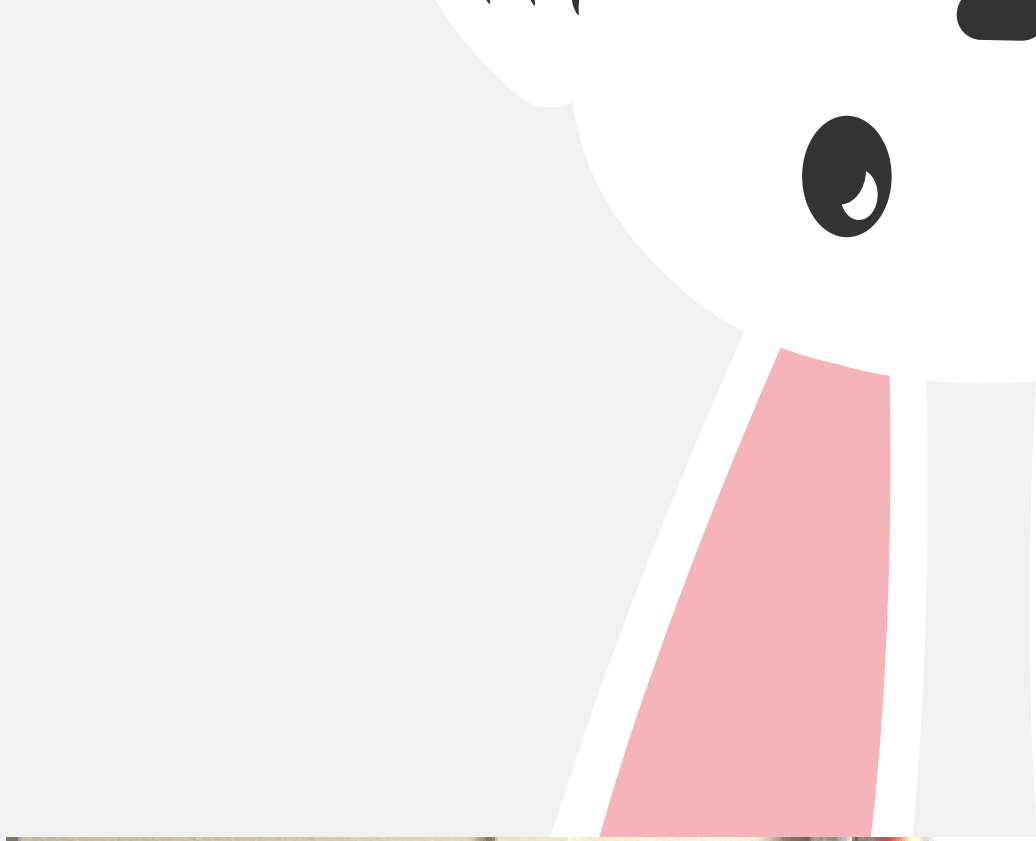
Y5: Anya H. - for having a super attitude to your learning.

Y6: Mae R. - for your continuous effort and your excellent writing this term.



'Rivi' Easter Celebrations 2024





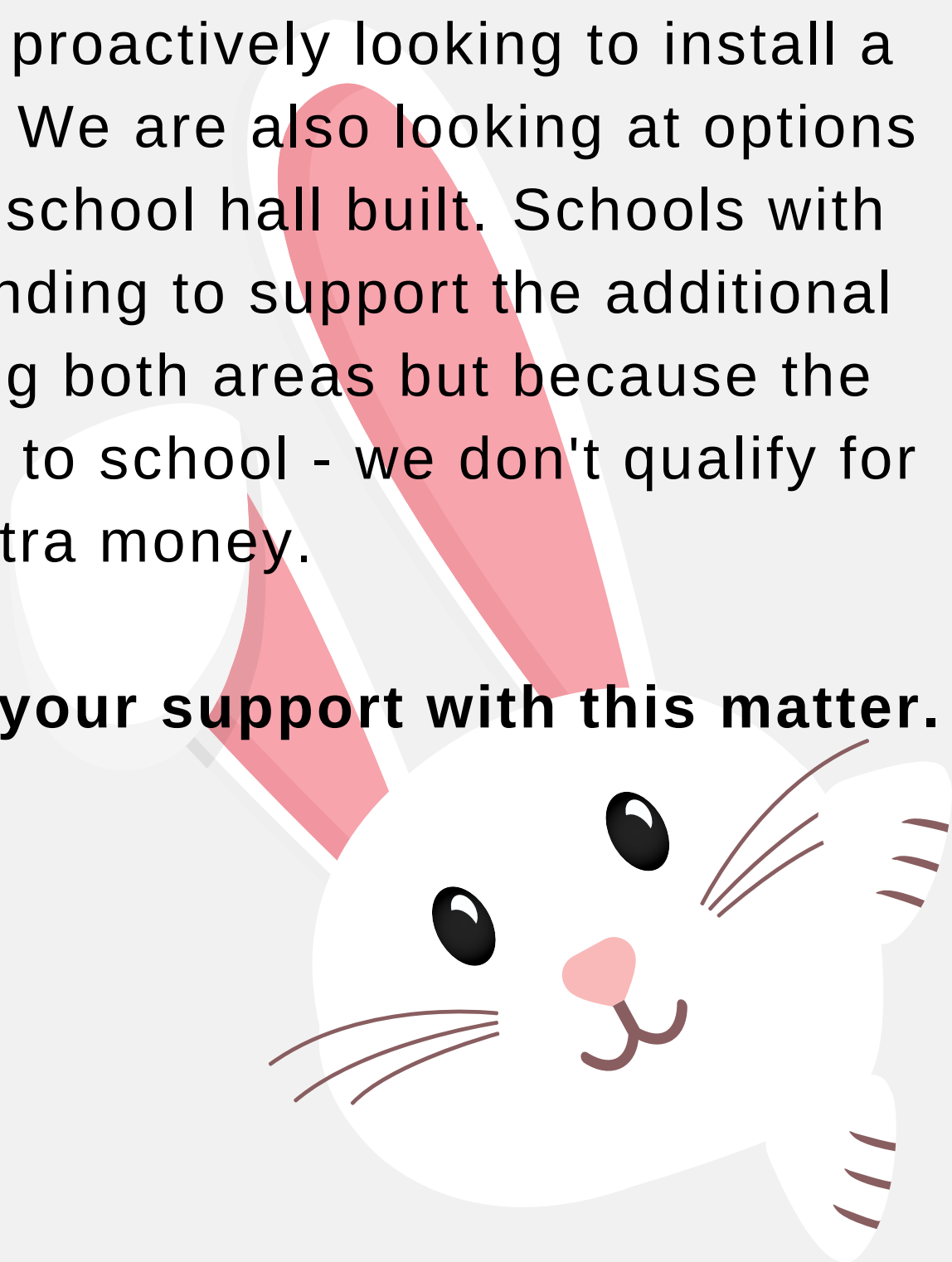
School Dinners

I wanted to inform you that we have made the decision to move school lunches back into school instead of using the Church Hall. This was something that was done in this way at Rivington for a long time and during our Covid days so we are confident that we will all adjust very quickly. Renting the hall is becoming increasingly more costly and reducing our use of it to when needed for PE or assemblies will save school a substantial amount of money. I'm sure you will agree that allocating money to support the direct progress of our children - particularly with such challenging school budgets - is a better choice.

For the short-term, we have made minor changes to the menu that means that the children will more or less be given the same options as previously with some minor adjustments. The new menu will be available to you as we return and choices are to be made online in the usual way. **PLEASE CONTACT THE SCHOOL OFFICE IF THERE ARE ANY ISSUES.**

In the longer term, we are proactively looking to install a small kitchen back in Y1/2. We are also looking at options regarding having our own school hall built. Schools with split sites receive extra funding to support the additional cost for logistically running both areas but because the Church Hall doesn't belong to school - we don't qualify for this extra money.

Thank you in advance for your support with this matter.



Year 3 and 4 Class Assembly – On Monday 18th March
Year 3 and 4 enjoyed sharing some of their learning journey to the children in school and their families. They shared their knowledge of the Anglo-Saxons, sang beautifully, played the ocarina phenomenally and entertained us all. Thank you to all the family members who came to watch. They were amazing and we are very proud of them all. Thank you Mrs Whittaker, Miss Shore, Mrs Clancy and Mrs Hitchen for supporting the children.



Hold The Date!

Sports Day 2024

Adlington FC Clubhouse

Option 1: Friday 17th May

Option 2: Tuesday 21st

May

Further details to follow





We always look forward to hearing about our children's exploits and achievements outside of school. We know that they exhibit so many talents in many areas.

Please send these WOW! moments to head@rivington.lancs.sch.uk and then we can share them with our whole school community.

Over the holidays, the Rivington boys above spent a week at football camp. They were outside in terrible weather conditions, but they didn't complain (too much 🌀). They had a great time, and made us all very proud!

News From Monster Phonics:

Parent Newsletter 📩

Our new parent newsletter is dedicated to providing parents with a weath of resources, activities, and strategies to use at home. Expect easy to implement ideas and resources once a month, straight into your inbox. Everything is free and your child does not need to go to a Monster Phonics school to benefit.

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APRIL

**Wed 17/04/2024 (All day)
Y3&4 Trip to Brockholes**

**Wed 17/04/2024 16:00 - 18:00
Netball Y5&6**

**Mon 22/04/2024 09:30 - 11:00
School Nurse - Measurements for Reception and Year 6 children**

**Mon 22/04/2024 16:30 - 18:00
Full Governors**

**Tue 23/04/2024 16:00 - 18:00
Invasion Festival - Outdoor Y3&4 Albany Academy**

**Wed 24/04/2024 13:00 - 15:00
Learn2Ride**

**Wed 24/04/2024 16:00 - 18:00
Netball Y5&6 Albany Academy**

MAY

Wed 01/05/2024 16:00 - 18:00
Netball Y5&6

Tue 07/05/2024 16:00 - 18:00
Golf Way Festival Y3&4

Fri 03/05/2024
Y1&2 Class Trip to Fireground

Thu 09/05/2024 16:00 - 18:00
Hockey League Y5&6

Mon 13/05/2024, 08:30 to Thu 16/05/2024, 12:00
Y6 SATs Assessment Week

Thu 16/05/2024 16:00 - 18:00
Hockey League Y5&6 - 6 Children

Thu 16/05/2024
School Disco

Fri 17/05/2024
Sports Day Option 1

Mon 20.05/2024 to Fri 24/05/2024
Pride, Intrepidness and No Limits Week

Mon 20/05/2024
Jim Jam Jog

Mon 20/05/2024
Internet Safety KS2

Mon 20/05/2024 16:30 - 17:00
Governor Sub-Committees

Wed 22/05/2024 09:00 - 14:15
EYFS Bradley's Farm visit

Wed 22/05/2024 to Fri 24/05/2024
Y6 London trip

Thu 23/05/2024
Bike-ability - Year 5

Fri 24/05/2024
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Fri 24/05/2024
School closes for half-term holiday

JUNE

**Mon 03/06/2024 to Fri 14/06/2024
Y4 Multiplication Check**

**Wed 05/06/2024 09:00 - 15:30
First Aid Classes for all year groups**

**Mon 10/06/2024 to Fri 14/06/2024
Y1 Phonics Screening**

**Thu 13/06/2024 09:30 - 15:00
Year 5&6 Cricket**

**Fri 14/06/2024 10:00 - 15:00
Tree House Fathers Day Gifts**

**Mon 17/06/2024 to Fri 21/06/2024
'Rivi' Art Week**

**Thu 20/06/2024 16:00 - 18:00
Rounders League**

**Fri 21/06/2024 14:30 - 15:00
Y1/2 Class Assembly**

**Fri 21/06/2024 15:00 - 18:15
Summer Fair**

**Thu 27/06/2024 09:00 - 11:30
NSPCC - Speak Out - Stay Safe**

**Tue 25/06/2024 18:00 - 21:00
Swim Gala**

JULY

Wed 03/07/2024 13:00 - 15:00
Year 3&4 Quad Kids

Thu 04/07/2024 16:00 - 18:00
Rounder's League

Fri 05/07/2024 14:30 - 15:00
Reception Class Assembly

Tue 09/07/2024 14:15 - 15:00
Front Row Music Concert

Thu 11/07/2024 16:00 - 18:00
Rounders League

Mon 15/07/2024 16:30 - 18:00
Full Governors

Mon 22/07/2024 09:30 - 10:30
End of Year Performance 1

Mon 22/07/2024 14:00 - 15:00
End of Year Performance 2

Wed 24/07/2024 13:30 - 14:30
Leaver's Service

Wed 24/07/2024
Summer Break - School closes for all children

Thu 25/07/2024 to Fri 26/07/2024
STAFF INSET DAYS