

# MUGS MATTERS

**HELLO folks!**

SWell would you **Adam** and **Eve** it, Easter will nearly be here and all thoughts of all that **Christmas** cheer and snowy weather will be banished from our minds.

**Meg** and I love Easter as it is a good excuse for more chocolate and plenty of fun as usual. This year we decided to bring a bit of circus life into the Easter equation and before you could say roll it roll it, we were at juggling classes. And for a pair of old cars, we were pretty impressive I can tell you. There were certainly plenty of horns blasting when we showed off our skills.

So we now know we can always head off for a life in the circus if the garage proves to be too dull for us!

Now down to the serious business of our latest **Mug Matters**. We hope in 2019 that lots of you will get in touch and tell us how you are getting on with your **Morris Minor** and how much fun you are having.

It would be lovely to hear from you, so please drops us a line via [Rebecca.hay@mmoc.org.uk](mailto:Rebecca.hay@mmoc.org.uk) and who knows you may win a wee prize.

**MUG**



## COMPETITION CORNER

Catch it **Meg** - catch it! Oops, oh dear what is going wrong now? Ha! Ha! We were doing do well and now, well.....

Meg and I have signed up for juggling lessons. We decided we might branch out into circus life and thought juggling was a bit easier than telling jokes.

But now I am not so sure. It was easy at first, well we did only have two eggs to juggle. But when we upped the numbers, it got harder and harder, until the eggs just came tumbling down.

Our pal **Peter Rigg the Artist** thought it was all hilarious too, he juggled his pen and paper as he laughed and laughed!

Ouch, hey it is getting serious now though. We got so carried away that the eggs are pelting down on us and we just can't stop.

Can you help please? And no laughing. Instead cheer us up by colouring in this fine and dandy cartoon which Peter has drawn of us. Use your best glitter and pens and we will be chuffed to bits.

It is all for fun, but feel free to send it to us for our garage wall, via [Rebecca.hay@mmoc.org.uk](mailto:Rebecca.hay@mmoc.org.uk),



# COMPETITION CORNER

Right folks now you are into the Easter spirit, I have a fabulous little quiz for all you eggheads to enjoy.

Here goes with the questions. It is just for fun and the answers are at the bottom, but no cheating please!

**1**  
The name Easter comes from the name of an Anglo Saxon?  
**(a) Goddess, (b) God, (c) Food.**

**2**  
Easter Sunday is preceded by a 40 day period known as?  
**(a) Advent, (b) Whitsun, (c) Lent.**

**3**  
The Thursday immediately before Easter Sunday is known as Maundy Thursday?  
**True or False?**

**4**  
All over the world, Easter Sunday is celebrated in April?  
**True or False?**

**5**  
The Cadbury chocolate company made their first chocolate Easter egg in?  
**(a) 1875, (b) 1925, (c) 1965.**



**6**  
Cadbury first started making their gooey Crème Egg in?  
**(a) 1951, (b) 1971, (c) 1991.**

**7**  
The famous Easter Egg Roll at The White House (which started in 1878) has a claim to fame as being the longest running annual presidential tradition.  
**True or False?**

**8**  
In April 2012, a record breaking chocolate egg was made, which weighed ?  
**(a) 2,000kgs, (b) 4,000, (c) 6,000?**

**9**  
The origins of the Easter bunny can be traced back to a region of?  
**(a) France, (b) England, (c) Canada.**

**10**  
What is the name of the 2011 animated movie all about a young rabbit who does not want to become the Easter bunny?  
**(a) Hip, (b) Hop, (c) Hip Hop?**

Answers: **1** (a) Goddess - she was called Eastre or Ostara. **2** (c) Lent (associated with fasting). **3** True. It is the day which commemorates the Last Supper. **4** False. It can fall in March, April or May, depending on complicated lunar cycle calculations or different religions. **5** (a) 1875. They contained sugar coated chocolate drops called "dragées", which were the origins of M and M's and Smarties. **6** (b) 1971 - Over 200 million Crème Eggs are sold in the UK alone every year. **7** True. **8** (b) 4,000 kgs. It was made in Argentina and was over 8 metres tall. **9** (a) France. (The Alsace region and it was a hare rather than a rabbit). **10** (b) Hop.

## MUG MIRTH

I asked **Meg** to hop to it and roll out some jokes for Easter. And do you know what, she did just that. So if you fancy some fun, get your laughing gear round this lot. And why not send some of your own in, via [Rebecca.hay@mmoc.org.uk](mailto:Rebecca.hay@mmoc.org.uk)

**WHY COULDN'T THE RABBIT FLY HOME FOR EASTER?**

**HE DIDN'T HAVE THE HARE FARE!**

**WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A CRAZY BUNNY AND A COUNTERFEIT BANKNOTE?**

**ONE IS BAD MONEY AND THE OTHER IS A MAD BUNNY!**

**WHY IS A BUNNY THE LUCKIEST ANIMAL IN THE WORLD?**

**IT HAS FOUR RABBIT'S FEET!**

**HOW DO YOU KNOW THE EASTER BUNNY IS REALLY SMART?**  
**BECAUSE HE'S AN EGGHEAD**

**WHERE DOES THE EASTER BUNNY GET HIS EGGS?**  
**FROM EGGPLANTS**

**WHAT HAPPENED TO THE EASTER BUNNY WHEN HE MISBEHAVED AT SCHOOL?**  
**HE WAS EGGSPelled!**

**WHAT DAY DOES AN EASTER EGG HATE THE MOST?**  
**FRY-DAYS**

**WHY DID THE EASTER EGG HIDE?**  
**HE WAS A LITTLE CHICKEN!**

**WHAT DO YOU CALL A RABBIT WITH FLEAS?**  
**BUGS BUNNY!**

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I am sure there are plenty of Morris Minors out there. If you are under 16 then why not fill in the Join Us coupon so I can keep in touch.

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OK folks, you have filled in the **Join Us** coupon and sent it in. But before **Meg** and I get in touch we need you to do some work and send in your competition entries, jokes or letters to the address at the top of the page.

**THANKS**