



EGG ROLLING WORKSHOP COMMISSION

Egg Rolling Introduction

Preston's annual Egg Rolling event takes place in Avenham & Miller Park on 1st April on Easter Monday. Egg Rolling is a well-established family event dating back to Victorian times and is centred around the age old tradition of rolling your egg down the hill. The exciting event features a range of stalls and attractions, outdoor theatre performances, live music and participatory workshops. The event regularly attracts an average attendance in excess of 20,000 people throughout the day.

What we are looking for

Preston City Council is seeking an artist or cultural organisation to provide a creative workshop at the event. The workshop should have an Easter Theme, however be as creative as you like and does not need to be traditional. The workshop should reflect the diversity of Preston and to be aimed at children and families and should be exciting, participatory and most of all fun.

Elements you need to consider

- Run between 11:00 – 16:00 please outline the number of sessions you would run throughout this duration. Minimum expectation of 4.
- Egg Rolling is a busy event, you need to ensure that you have enough people to deliver the activity that you are planning under these conditions and to allow for breaks.
- A gazebo will be provided, but you need to be able to work outside in Avenham or Miller park
- Be able to work in all weathers (contingency can be proposed e.g. locate under one of the bridges in case of heavy rain)
- All staffing, equipment and materials required for the commission are to be provided by the artist/group, the costs of which to be factored into the proposal and overall budget.
- Artist/organisation to have Public Liability insurance to a minimum indemnity level of £5million, Employers Liability Insurance to a minimum indemnity of £10million where applicable and a risk assessment.
- The Council will provide gazebos, tables and chairs for the workshop.
- We will market the event and your activity through our platforms.
- Budget £1,500+ VAT if applicable.

Please send proposals detailing your workshop and offer including how you would meet the specification to d.worthington@preston.gov.uk by Fri 23rd February 2024.