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WORTHING NEWS – APRIL 2021

As confirmed by the glorious visual display of daffodils in our gardens and parks, Spring has finally arrived hooray! And so our Easter Celebrations begin

Traditionally, St Margaret's Church PCC organise their annual Easter Sunday Duck Race by inviting you all to watch and take part in racing your own sponsored duck on the River in Worthing.

However, in our March editorial, we mentioned this year's event would be reformatted to ensure we all comply with the covid restrictions and not encourage crowd gathering. With that in mind our Challenge this year will be to invite you (not to visit the site) all to guesstimate how long it would take a duck to travel from (A) the Riverbank at Millstream Cottages to (B) the finishing line at Tannery House.

Many of you will recall, when our 100 ducks enter the water, the time it takes to go from A to B is very much dependent on the weather – is it a bright and sunny day and/or how windy and how fast is the river flowing. In the past the actual race could quickly be over in 15 minutes or as long as 30 minutes, then followed by awarding Easter Egg prizes to our first 3 winners across the finishing line.

What we propose to do this year, to ask you, based on your previous experiences, visits and knowledge, is invite you to guess how long it would take for an inflatable duck 42cm tall to travel from A to B.

	<p>EASTER SUNDAY IN AID OF ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH</p> <p>Donation guide £1 per guess</p> <p>Covid Aware – no visitors permitted but time trial will be witnessed/verified.</p>	
<p>Contact: Celia Daniel on 01362 668928</p>		

Between now and Easter Sunday, you will receive a knock on your door enquiring firstly, if you wish to take part this year and also, then record the length of time you believe it would take THE WORTHING DUCK to cross the finishing line. Your details and times will all be logged and the first 3 members of our community closest to the actual travel time will receive a Worthing Easter Egg.

We hope that with your kind donation to enter this year's race – as a guide, £1 per entry, will help sustain our Church and support our Mission and Ministry Work.

Good luck everyone and thank you for your continued support!

Church Service dates for April – subject to no change in the Covid Roadmap!
Holy Communion on the 11th April at 9.30am & Morning Praise on the 25th April at 11am.