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Photographs from the White House Easter Egg Roll, 2009-2016

Finding Aid Type
Office/Series

Collection Date

22-16584-F: Photographs of Reese Witherspoon

22-16554-F: Photographs of Beyonce Knowles

22-21420-F: Will Smith and Jaden Smith Photos and Audio Clips

22-64503-F: Photographs of Will Smith

Extent

18,091 assets

Record Type
Photographs

Access

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Provenance

Official records of Barack Obama's presidency are housed at the Barack Obama Presidential Library and administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

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Staff Archivists, 2023. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Scope and Content Note

Each year, the Obama Administration hosted an Easter Egg Roll on the South Lawn of the White House. The President and First Lady welcomed, greeted, and cheered on the participants, read to children, and participated in the events.

This contains photographs of the President and First Lady (along with their daughters) greeting participants and guests; delivering remarks; cheering on participants at the starting line of the Easter Egg Roll; and reading to children. There are also photos of President Obama participating in basketball and tennis clinics, Mrs. Obama being interviewed by the media, and
people enjoying the various Easter Egg Roll events.

System of Arrangement

The Executive Office of the President (EOP) instance of the Electronic Records Archive (ERA) contains electronic records created or received by Obama administration staff. These records are stored in Search and Access Sets (SAS) that represent their originating computer program, such as the White House Photo

System.

The photographs are a subseries of a larger series, which includes all photographs taken by White House photographers during the Obama administration. This subseries is arranged chronologically by the photo identifier (P number), which is formatted as PMMDDYYXX-####:

- P (for Presidential photographs)
- MMDDYY (Date of image capture)
- XX (Photographer's initials)
- [dash]
- Frame number

Container List

Electronic Records

- *Easter Egg Roll 2009* contains 1818 photographs, of which 1818 are released in full.
- *Easter Egg Roll 2010* contains 2175 photographs, of which 2152 are released in full and 23 are withheld in full.
- *Easter Egg Roll 2011* contains 1972 photographs, of which 1938 are released in full and 34 are withheld in full.
- *Easter Egg Roll 2011* (more Appleton) contains 33 photographs, of which 27 are released in full and 6 are withheld in full.
- *Easter Egg Roll 2012* contains 1568 photographs, of which 1567 are released in full and 1 are withheld in full.
- *Easter Egg Roll 2013* contains 1981 photographs, of which 1966 are released in full and 15 are withheld in full.
- *Easter Egg Roll 2014* contains 2650 photographs, of which 2596 are released in full and 54 are withheld in full.
- *Easter Egg Roll 2015* contains 2659 photographs, of which 2659 are released in full.
- *Easter Egg Roll 2016* contains 3234 photographs, of which 3227 are released in full and 7 are withheld in full.
- *Easter Egg Roll 2016* (more Lucidon) contains 1 photographs, of which 1 are released in full.

Note: Duplicate images in lower resolution format may not be available online.