Falconer School

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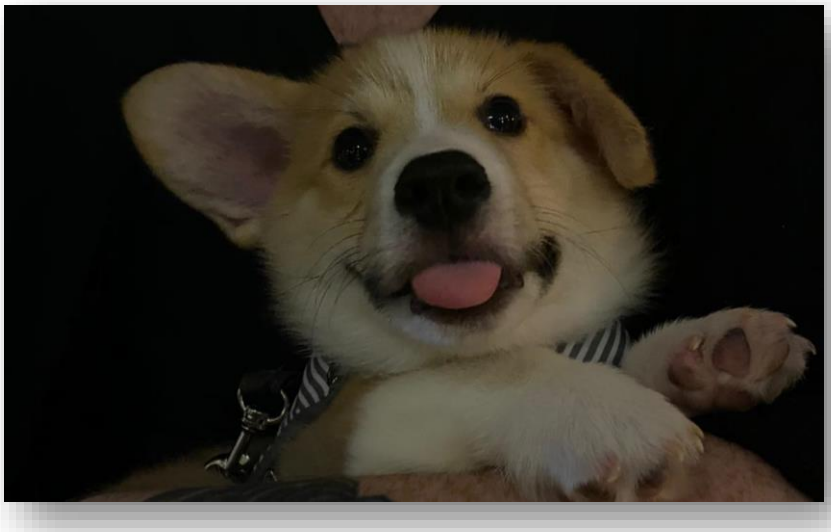
Headteacher's Update Friday 12 Novmber

Dear Parents and Carers,

I do hope you are keeping well.

It was lovely to invite Parents and Carers of Year 10 and Year 11 students into school for their consultation evening last week and discuss how the students are doing in lessons. It was also an opportunity to meet with Careers Leader Miss Davies and Ty O'Callaghan, our link worker from Services for Young Children, who help the students in their transition to college.

You may have already heard about our newest member of staff who joined Falconer School this week and has been a big hit amongst the students (and staff!) – Ziggy. Ziggy is an 11 week old Corgi and is in training to become a therapy dog based at Falconer School. He has been slowly introduced to some students and we will gradually build a programme for him as he gets older and completes his training.





On Wednesday Mr Murray, Deputy Headteacher, held on assembly with the students on the theme of Remembrance, discussing why we hold a minutes silence and the significance of the poppy. Yesterday a minutes silence was observed in school at 11:00 am.

Next Friday 19 November is Children in Need and we will be holding a non school uniform day in school in aid of this charity. We would ask that any student who wants to come into school on Friday in non school uniform to pay £1 as a donation to the charity. We will also hold a cake sale at breaktime on Friday so would ask the boys to bring in a small amount of money (50 p - £2) if they would like to buy some cakes.

From Monday 22nd November we will be launching our new Breakfast Club in association with the charity Magic Breakfast. This charity is dedicated to ensuring children are provided with food to ensure they can access their education successfully. The offer consists of cereals, fruit salad and bagels on arrival to school and bagels at break time. These are free of charge to all students. I would like to thank Mrs Lee, Assistant Headteacher, Mrs MacEwan, School Business Manager and Ms Vas, Catering Manager for making this opportunity available for our students. Further details will be given to students, parents and carers next week.



I do hope you have a good weekend and we look forward to seeing the students on Monday.

Mrs Ash
Headteacher