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School is like a box of chocolates. You never know what you're going to get but we hope you all get a great summer holiday and if you are leaving us, good luck for the future!

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RETIRED WINDOW MONSTER SPOTTED

Young explorers as part of the outdoor learning curriculum encountered a rogue window monster while out walking in Grourock. Please report any sightings as we're currently in desperate need of Supply



SECONDARY STAFF PREPARE TO JOIN THE ENTERPRISE



Craigmarloch's secondary staff have been preparing to boldly go aboard the Enterprise for further quality teaching and learning. Senior Phase pupils will be beamed up into lessons that will take them to infinity and beyond and away from the dark side of the force. However Galactic Sith Lord Darth Walker denied the reports of a spacecraft as he claimed that Astronaut Osborne did not have the necessary flight clearance the pilot the Enterprise. Lessons will take place in the campus Enterprise Centre instead and we hope this will enable all staff and pupils to live long and prosper.

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Craigmarloch Heroes Mrs Gillies



Mrs Gillies is an important part of Mr Boyle's Bus Team and ensures that every young person has got their seat belt on before the bus sets off down the thunder road to school. We caught up with her earlier this term for a great chat about Scotland, Prison Break and giving people frights!



Do you like being on Laurence's bus?

I love it! You can take that as sarcastic or not!

What is your favourite subject?

When I was in school, I loved art. Art was my favourite!

What is your favourite year and why?

1990.— the year I was born. Fun fact: West Germany won the World Cup on the day I was born!

What is your favourite movie?

Con Air. I've seen it loads of times.

How long have you worked here at Craigmarloch?

I've been here for 5 years now!

What is your favourite country?

It's got to be Scotland, definitely!

Have you ever got a speeding ticket?

Never.

What is your favourite game?

I like giving people frights, especially Mrs Graham!

Have you every met anyone famous?

I met Charlie Mulgrew on a flight to Spain!. As well as on the flight back!

What is your favourite TV show?

Prison Break. I've watched it over and over again!

Who is your favourite singer?

My favourite performer is Bruce Springsteen. I've seen him 3 times!



What is your favourite game on the Nintendo Wii?

I like Just Dance.

Have you ever got a speeding ticket?

Never-

What is your favourite TV show?

Prison Break. I've watched it over and over again!

Would you rather fight a lion sized duck or a duck sized lion?

I knew this was coming! Probably a duck sized lion because they're smaller and unlikely to be scary!

McDonalds or KFC?

McDonalds

TV or Cinema?

Cinema

Bus or Train?

Train

Pizza or Pasta?

Pizza

Mermaids or Univorns?

Unicorns

Jack or Victor?

Definitely Jack.



Teacher Interview Mr McFadden





Mr McFadden combines a career in sports journalism and punditary with a side-hustle as teacher of Health and Wellbeing here at Craigmarloch. He has enjoyed his (first) year with us and what better

way to celebrate than by giving him a Craigie Record style grilling!

VWhat team do you support?

I support Celtic and also do some commentary for the club as well.

What is your favourite colour?

Red actually.

What is your favourite movie?

The Spiderman films. The Toby Macguire ones have got to be the best!

What is your favourite thing about teaching Health and Wellbeing?

Being able to see every class in the school.

What is your favourite food?

I would go with Fish and Chips but I also

Rottweiler ofr Haggis?

Haggis, because Sean told me it's a vegetable!

McDonalds or KFC?

KFC for the gravy!

Pizza or Pasta

Neither

iPads or Wiii?

iPads

Football or Basketball?

Football

Jack or Victor?

enjoy a steak with peppercorn sauce.

What is your favourite thing to watch on television?

Any football match that is on!

Would you work in primary?

I prefer working in secondary but have worked in primary before and enjoyed it!



What is your favourite animal?

A lion. Probably due to the iconic MGM roar before a film.

How many copies of your book have you sold?

500. The book is called *Behind The Curtain of the Beautiful Game*. All the money from it went to ManOn Inverciyde and Ardgowan Hospice.



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What is your favourite drink?

I will go with Irn Bru.

Do you enjoy working with Lawrence?

Yes I do. He's very funny and makes me laugh!

Have you ever met anyone famous?

Henrik Larsson (my all time football hero), Nicola Sturgeon (if you're still allowed to say her name in public!) and Fran Healy from

What is your favourite TV show?

The Grand Tour or Still Game.

What is your favourite game on the Nintendo DS?

EA FC or Need for Speed.

Would you rather fight a duck sized lion or a lion sized duck?

Duck sized lion! Because I would hope I could train it and have it as a pet!



Pupil Interview Euan Lei





Euan is not only a music star but someone who enjoys telling jokes and contributing his humour across the school. He's also the author of Lei's Life Hacks. We caught up with him as he prepares to move on from Craigmarloch to college and we hope he keeps his music going when he moves on!

Have you ever seen a live haggis?

Never. Unless you count Ciano!

What is your favourite colour?

Blue. Dark Blue.

What is your favourite musical instrument?

Everything, I would say. I got into piano because of the YouTuber AmosDoll. He inspired me!

What is your favourite subject?

It would have to be art because I can be creative and make a lot of money in the future!

What is your favourite rock band?

I don't have one but I like Christian pop songs.

Who is your favourite music teacher?

I would say Mr Macpherson!

Who is your favourite teacher in Craigmarloch school?

I don't really have one but I liked Mr Malik. I liked how he shared his news with us!

What country would you like to to

Angola and the Democratic Republic of Congo! I'd love to see what it is like there and try the food from there.

What is your favourite food?

It's got to be anything vegan, as I'm going to be vegan when I have my own place. Vegan haggis might be my favourite!

Have you ever met anyone famous?

Rangers or Celtic?

None.

Bus or Train?

Remote Control Car.

McDonalds or KFC?

Burgerr King

IPads or Wii?

iPads

Jack or Victor?

Jack Doherty on YouTube!

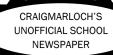
I think I might have but I'm not sure!

What is your favourite TV show?

The new release of Fortune Hotel!

Would you rather fight a duck sized lion or a lion sized duck?

Probably a lion sized duck because I think I can easily control its behaviour and I could make it smart using technology that I've never seen before!





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NEWS JUST IN!

NEW SECURITY MEASURES AT CRAIGMARLOCH



After a series of break-ins affected the school in recent months, S6 pupils used the opportunity of the London visit to arrange new security measures that should ensure that every young person and staff member is safe, healthy and achieving within our school. Here they are with one of our new mounted security guards and inspecting the new front gates that will be delivered to the school in August!



On yer trike!

Congratulations to Luci Maxwell on breaking the tricycle land speed record in our playground earlier this term. And a commendable joint 2nd place to Dylan, Lyle and Skye!

