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Dear Staff, Students and Friends at Marden High School,

We would like to thank you for your very kind donations of dog/cat/puppy/kitten food and treats, dog toys, knitted blankets, towels, harnesses, leads and dog coats. Your generosity is greatly appreciated and will make a huge difference to the lives of the thousands of animals we receive each year.

Churchill wanted us to send this photo so you can see his friends Beth was telling you all about. They've all found their homes now but they wanted to say an extra thank you on behalf of all of their furry friends who are still looking for a forever home. Your generosity makes a huge difference to the lives of our animals and we are extremely grateful for your support.

We're really looking forward to 2018 as we have a lot going on. The first highlight for us is our annual funday on the first May bank holiday which is the 7th May. We'll have lots of fun happening for the kids and plenty to keep the adults happy too so make sure you pop along. Don't forget you can bring your four-legged friends providing they are fully vaccinated (please bring records to show on arrival) and of course we have the iconic Great North Run on Sunday 9th September. We'll have a lot more going on in between so we'll keep you updated but if you want to stay ahead of the game then be sure to follow us on Twitter and Instagram!

Looking for something new to do this year? How about volunteering for us? Whether it is company volunteering or individual volunteering we can cater for both. We have volunteers who help with all sorts to do with the shelter and we're currently looking for volunteers to help at our fundraising events. Call our Benton shelter on 0191 215 0435 for more information.

The first week of rehoming was amazing for us with new homes being found for 25 of our animals. We wish them all the best in their new homes and a huge thank you to everyone who has adopted an animal, both past and present. Update: you may remember Cassie, our beautiful Staffie who had to have an extremely important operation to repair her cruciate ligament? Well fantastic news...she's now gone to her forever home! We are absolutely over the moon for her and we know she will be spoilt with love.

We still have lots of gorgeous rabbits waiting patiently for their new home, just like Rolo who has been with us since April 2017. We also have bonded pairs who are looking for a new home so if you're considering getting a pet then get in touch!

Yours Sincerely

*P.P. Beth Cody*

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