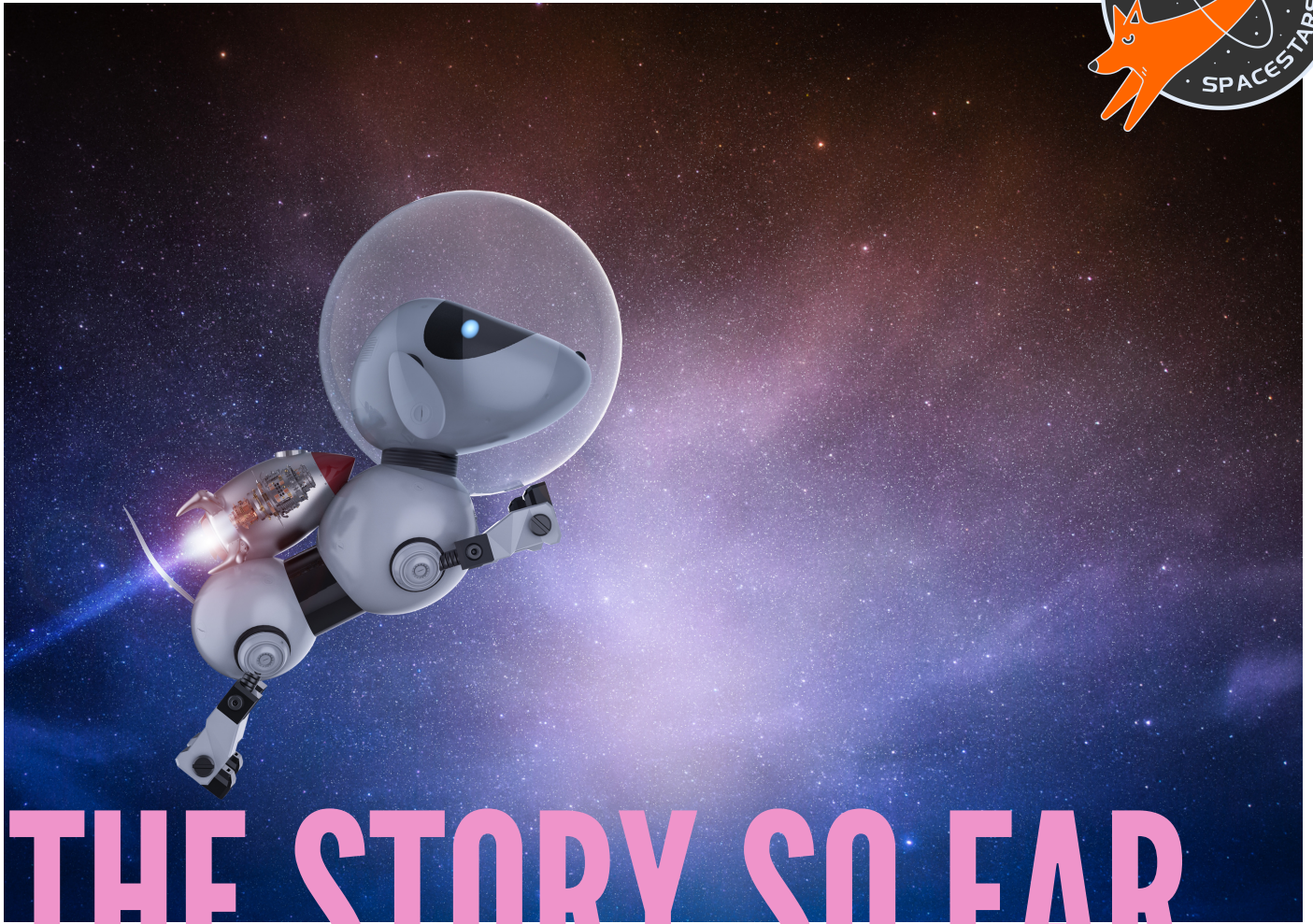


Episode III: Star Paws

SCENTVENTURE SPACESTARS



THE STORY SO FAR...

The Klichon's jaws clasped around her collar. He started shaking his head.

ASH whimpered. You tried to distract the Klichon with another tennis ball but he was fixed onto the collar. He probably wouldn't have noticed if you held a steak under his nose!

'Easy boy!' Dane shrieked. 'Don't damage the collar!'

The collar? What was so special about it?

ASH was getting more distressed, the Klichon was frightening her.

You held onto her collar too, to balance the force against the Klichon jaws. He pulled in one direction, you pulled in the other.

You felt your grip loosening.

The collar ripped off ASH's neck and flew up into the atmosphere. As it did, POOF! A supernova of chip data exploded into the stars.

You pulled out your i5000 and tried to scan it, but it had already become indistinguishable from the twinkling stellar backdrop.

It was Dane Vader's turn to freeze on the spot. She stared up at the data as it glittered and shone like the stars themselves. She let out a mighty roar and stomped back to the Huntsman. The Klichons retreated.

What did it all mean? What's on that chip data?

You made a plan with your crew mates; some of you would stay to analyse the data and some of you would complete the rescue mission and take ASH back to the family waiting for her on Earth.

You clipped on her lead but she planted her feet firmly into the ground. She put on the brakes and refused to get into the pod.

She shook her head adamantly. *No!*

At that moment a briefing came in from the Federation:

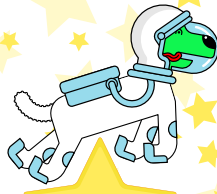
Let her go. As hard as it is, you have to let her fulfil her canine needs. Her instinct is to hunt patterns. She can't settle down on a sofa to a life on Earth when every fibre of her being is calling her back to the stars. She wants to help you decode the chip data before Dane Vader does.

Tell her she is a Good Girl. The Best Girl. Then let her go.

There was a heaviness in your heart as you watched ASH looking to the stars and wagging her tail.

You gave her a scratch behind the ear. You told her she was the Best Girl Ever. And you watched with tears streaming down your face as ASH-742 went back to the stars.

She navigated from star to star, using her nose as a compass.



In this very special way of communicating, ASH told you to look for patterns. You started investigating and discovered that your Space Station layouts and Moon Map coordinates were the patterns of constellations all along!

Space Stations

Phase 1 - Corvus

Phase 2 - Cassiopeia

Phase 3 - Aries

Phase 4 - Cancer

Moon Map

Phase 1 + 2 + 3 = Cygnus

Thanks ASH - and well done Cadets!

Now, in Episode III: Star Paws, the constellations *are* the exercises!

Keep an eye on the night sky as ASH will send you instructions. With her star paws, she will light up two new constellations each week.

In Episode III we are working as teams! Which team ship are you calling Home?

SS Phoenix - fire signs



SS Leviathan - water signs



SS Thunderbird - air signs



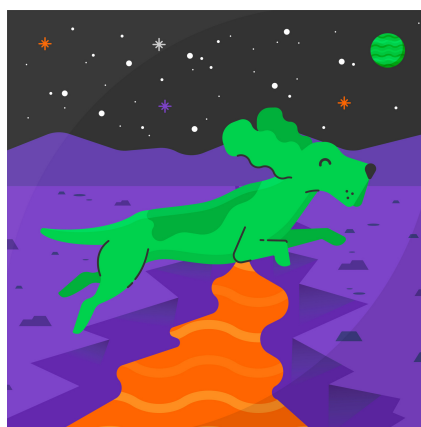
SS Centaur - earth signs



THE STORY IN PICTURES...



Blast off! At Space Camp we learned the skills we would need for our adventure.



We overcame the perils of the moon and rescued ASH! But her chip data exploded and is unreadable!



ASH is helping us unscramble the data before Dane Vader by lighting up patterns with her star paws!

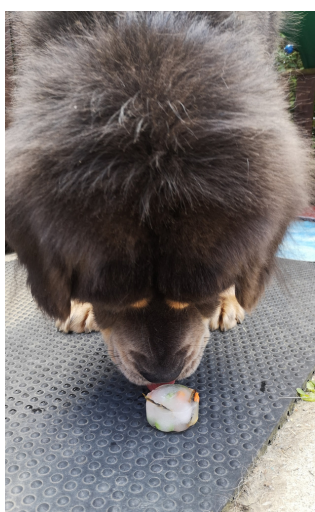
DANE VADER: THE LATEST

Dane and her Krew are out there desperately trying to decode the chip data.

We don't know what her evil plan is, but Cadets, you *need* to decode it before she does.

Even more worrying, there have been sightings of the Huntsman near Earth 2.0's Solar System.

What could she possibly be up to? I'm sure we will find out!



A WORD FROM YOUR CAPTAIN

Can you believe we're in Episode III already? Time flies at Greyhound Speed when you're having fun!

What has really stood out for me so far are the teamwork activities - especially your message of love! Episode III takes the concept of teamwork to another level as you board your zodiac team ships.

Just watch out for Rogues of course! They've been meddling with your postcards, I see!

**WE HAVE OLYMPUS MONS TO CLIMB,
BUT WE ARE CLIMBING TOGETHER.**

Spaceventure is waiting!