

International Hearing Dog, Inc.  
Since 1978

## February Hearing Dog Herald

### Welcome, Enzo!

International Hearing Dog is thrilled to introduce Enzo as our newest candidate for Hearing Dog work! Enzo came in with a full tool belt of cues already established that we are now working to fine tune in addition to adding in his sound alerts! Enzo showed great interest in sounds during his evaluation and approached each with confidence and curiosity.

Enzo offers great eye contact during outings and training and has quickly made fast friends with the fellow Hearing Dog trainees during play group! He has enjoyed building his bond with our trainers and can often be found settling nicely on a bed in their office.



Welcome, Enzo! We are thrilled to have you as a Hearing Dog candidate!



### Bocce's Buddies

Training treats brought to us by our friends at Bocce's Bakery! The trainees at International Hearing Dog are thrilled to have recently joined the #BoccesBuddies community, allowing for them to be gifted high-quality delicious & nutritious treats each month!

In addition, #BoccesBakery provides our organization with a code that our community can use at checkout to further support our programs partnership with Bocce's! Usage of

IHDI's code will result in extra treats and donated commission back to our organization!

Use code: **IHDI15** to receive **15% off** site wide while supporting IHDI! Thank you for shopping and supporting the Hearing Dog program through this partnership!

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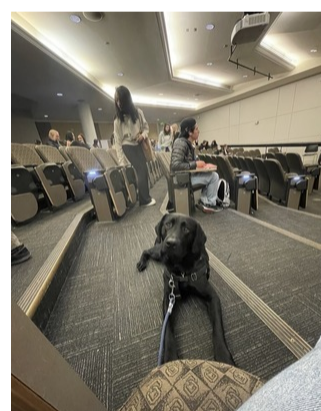
### "What does being a Puppy Raiser mean to you?"

"Being a puppy raiser means a lot of things to me. To start out with, I get a sense of fulfillment that I can give back to the community. I know that providing Enzo with a safe, loving, and caring home will create a space for someone in the future with a hearing disability to be able to live the life they want. Next, I get to bring awareness to the community about service dogs through Instagram and by talking to my peers. Lastly, being a puppy raiser also lets me fill the void of not having a dog around. Dogs bring me a lot of happiness and it is always a good

feeling that whatever is happening one can always rely on a dog to cheer them up. For those reasons, being a puppy raiser has been the best thing to happen to me this year!" IHDI Puppy Raiser, Isabella

In every Service Dog beats the heart of a Puppy Raiser. Interested in joining the life-changing community of IHDI? We encourage you to check out our Puppy Raising volunteer opportunity & see if YOU could be who we are looking for to raise a puppy and change a life!

[Click here to learn more about our Volunteer Puppy Raiser Opportunities](#)



### Deaftopia is coming to Denver!

International Hearing Dog is thrilled to share the upcoming visit of Deaftopia to Denver, at Wings Over the Rockies on April 1st. Registration to attend and host a booth as both free to the community! The team at IHDI is delighted to have the opportunity of hosting a booth at this upcoming event and are looking forward to connecting with our community!



DEAFOPIA is a nonprofit organization that provides service to d/Deaf and hearing of hearing businesses with trade show events. They believe in supporting the Deaf Eco-system by supporting the many d/Deaf and hard of hearing owned businesses, all over the world!

[Deaftopia Website - Resources, Events & More!](#)



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