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Ms. Karen Marousis  
AHEPA - Service Dogs for Warriors



Dear Ms. Marousis:

It's time for a progress report on Argos AHEPA, Stratas AHEPA, Maverick AHEPA and Frazier AHEPA. They're growing by leaps and bounds! They're almost their full adult height, although they'll be filling out until at least the age of 2.

Now that public excursions are allowed, Argos AHEPA, Stratas AHEPA, Maverick AHEPA and Frazier AHEPA are learning about The Big World beyond the front door. Wearing the bright puppy coat that identifies them as future assistance dogs, they and their weekend puppy raisers, Mark, Karen, Bree, Julie, Rebecca, Peter and Melody, visit various public places to gain exposure to different sights and sounds.

Although a six month old puppy is still very much an adolescent, Mark, Karen, Bree, Julie, Rebecca, Peter and Melody are working hard to teach Argos AHEPA, Stratas AHEPA, Maverick AHEPA and Frazier AHEPA good manners, both in public and at home.

The last four months have been a period of great growth and change for them. We hope that they'll continue to mature into a good candidate for formal assistance dog training.

I'll write again when they are ten months old. Until then, best regards from everyone here!

Sincerely,

Jennifer Gister  
Chief Growth Officer

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