



About Us:

- Our canines are trained by our professional dog trainers.
- Our business model allows approximately 95% of donations to go directly toward fulfilling our mission of enhancing the lives of those we serve.
- Founded in 2010, we are a Tennessee-chartered 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.
- Accredited by Assistance Dogs International.
- We are happy to present to groups, civic clubs or Veteran organizations.



For more information, email us at info@smokymountainservicedogs.org.



Can You Help Make A Difference?

Volunteer

- Dog handlers. We **always** need puppy raisers! Other positions also available.
- Visit the Volunteer tab on our website for other opportunities.

Raise or Donate

- \$40 to feed a dog for one month.
- \$100 to pay for microchipping a puppy and for Heartgard for six months.
- \$500 to provide estimated kennel supplies for one month.
- \$2,500 to cover estimated veterinary care for all dogs for one month.
- \$5,000 for a Red/White/Blue Sponsorship that covers puppy acquisition, training treats, dog food, estimated vet care over the two-year training period and basic obedience training.
- \$15,000 for a Veteran Placement Sponsorship to cover the total training cost for a service dog over the two-year training period and serve as the lead sponsor in the "Passing of the Leash" graduation ceremony with the Veteran.
- \$25,000 for a Patriot Sponsorship that covers ALL costs to deliver a custom-trained mobility-assistance service dog to a wounded Veteran.



PayPal or Venmo donations may be made through our website, QR codes, or checks mailed to SMSD 8380 Fairview Rd. Lenoir City, TN 37772. All donations are tax deductible



Serving Wounded Veterans



US Marine Veteran Brad
SMSD Jumper

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Making a Difference For Veterans

- Our Mission is to enhance the physical and psychological quality of life for wounded Veterans by providing custom-trained, mobility assistance service dogs at no cost to the Veteran.
- Since 2013, we have provided over 60 dogs that have changed the lives of wounded Veterans and their families.
- The Veteran/Canine team become a part of our family for life and we are available to them 24 hours a day, seven days a week.
- We help ensure VA service dog benefits are provided, and will advocate on their behalf as needed.



We believe our Veterans experience a better life through effective use of a Smoky Mountain Service Dog.

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Making a Difference With Dogs



- Smoky Mountain Service Dogs are happy, healthy, hardworking canines. They know they are serving a greater purpose in life and are happiest when fulfilling this important mission.
- All of our dogs are given the best medical care, socialization and training available which ensures our Veterans receive the best service dog possible.
- After completing training, each dog in our program is specifically matched with a recipient based on the person's needs and the ability of the dog to serve those needs.



We believe positive reinforcement is the best form of dog training and we remain committed to training our service dogs in a way that honors them and encourages trust on all levels.

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Making a Difference With Our Volunteers

- We are an all-volunteer organization (approx. 200) with the exception of training staff and facility manager.
- Volunteers handle everything from mowing our ten acres, raising puppies, cleaning kennels, bookkeeping, providing weekend respite care, and serving on the board of directors.
- All equipment, supplies and instruction are provided at no cost to our volunteers.
- We'd love to have you join our team!



We believe it takes a community to ensure the success of such a mission. The contributions and efforts from individuals and groups within the community are always appreciated and honored.

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