

Dear Friends,

As we draw to the close of 2010, it is a time to rejoice. The holiday season surrounds us with joy and goodwill, and we feel so very blessed that Canine Angels continues to grow and succeed in our mission to help kids achieve independence.



Hope and Service Dog Denali

As we reflect on the past three years of providing Assistance Dogs to kids in need, we are proud of the many dogs we have trained, and humbled by the hard work of the incredible kids whose lives have been improved by the companionship and assistance of their new teammate.

Our non-profit organization is surrounded by amazing people, and it is a privilege to work with so many outstanding families, volunteers, staff and donors. It is true that without your support, Canine Angels would not be where it is today, and I am so very grateful. As we approach the end of the year, it is my wish that you are able to once again give freely so that we can share our gift of Assistance Dogs with those in need.

With your support and the hard work of many, our organization has grown with great momentum. It is exciting to see that the part time positions we started out with have now become full time positions. As we begin our fourth year of service, we are taking the opportunity to redefine the positions within the organization, to focus our energy where it is needed most to take Canine Angels to the next level.

For the past three years, I have had the privilege of leading Canine Angels as President, Executive Director and Head Dog Trainer. Since this is now more than one full time position, it is time to separate these duties, to ensure that both dog training and management of the organization receive the needed attention. I will continue to serve as President and Head Dog Trainer, and I am happy to introduce Canine Angels co-founder Kelly Stack as our new Executive Director.

Kelly is a hard working woman with an incredible passion for Canine Angels Service Teams. She is excited to help us move forward by dedicating her time to manage our organization. She has proven her commitment and skills over many years of work with children and Assistance Dogs. Please help me in welcoming Kelly to her new position as Executive Director of Canine Angels.

We look forward to the increased focus that Kelly will bring to the job of continuing the growth of Canine Angels as we move forward helping others. Again, thank you all for an incredible three years of support. May the next three years find us able to help even more kids achieve independence through the use of Assistance Dogs.

Happiest of Holidays!

Sincerely,

Sandy Mays
President / Head Trainer

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