



BC & ALBERTA GUIDE DOGS

VOLUNTEER TO RAISE A PUPPY

BC & Alberta Guide Dogs needs volunteers to raise puppies that are training to be Guide Dogs for the blind/visually-impaired or Autism Support Dogs for children with autism. Puppy Raisers are the foundation of our organization, helping transform our puppies from lovable bundles of fur to life-changing dogs.

WE ARE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEER PUPPY RAISERS TO:

- provide a loving home to a puppy in training, from 7-8 weeks to 14-18 months of age
- help prepare pups, through a supervised program, for advanced training by teaching them obedience and socialization skills

VOLUNTEER PUPPY RAISERS SHOULD:

- live in Greater Vancouver, Victoria or Calgary
- be available for event appearances
- be strong enough to control a large dog
- be available for training during the day 3 times per month
- be home during the day and willing to take the puppy along wherever they go (well suited for retirees or at-home workers)
- provide a dog-friendly home with a secure outdoor space (e.g. fenced yard)
- follow BC & Alberta Guide Dogs guidelines for training and caring for the dog

This rewarding opportunity is a 24/7 job. Volunteers receive ongoing training and support from our Puppy Raising Supervisor, and the organization provides food, vet care, and other basic necessities for the dog.



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