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Hello, I'm Justine, Harry's Puppy Walker. Welcome to his first Pupdate!

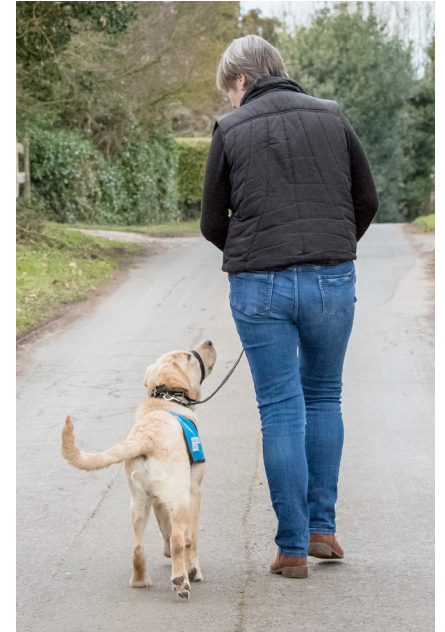
Harry will live with me as he grows from a six-week-old puppy to a one-year-old dog ready for early training. He will learn basic obedience, and will also be introduced to lots of new situations, people, dogs and places, which we refer to as socialisation.

Settling in

Harry has settled in brilliantly. He is such a cuddly puppy and often wants to sit on people's laps. He looks more Labrador than Golden Retriever, except for his ears which are quite large. Sometimes people call him Dumbo! He really loves playing with his cuddly reindeer toy (a secret Santa gift from his puppy class) and often carries around his giant yellow duck and likes to try and curl up on top of it.

New adventures and challenges

I have taken Harry on a few shopping trips into town, as well as to the bank and various restaurants. I also volunteer for Guide Dogs as an Ambassador and



Harry often comes with me to schools to give talks. All these new experiences will help ensure that he is accustomed to the many different environments his owner may take him to in the future.

Harry has been on the bus with no trouble, but one of the things he is currently finding a bit distracting are cars! We live in a rural area and he isn't used to the noise that they make. However, I

am confident that he can overcome this. We have been walking through car parks and sitting at bus stops watching the cars go by so he can become accustomed to them.

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Making friends

Harry has become great friends with another puppy in training, Jacob. Jacob and Harry love going to the beach and racing about together. Harry has mastered 'sit' and 'down' and he is now working on 'stand'. He makes us laugh because any time someone puts a hand in their pocket he will sit for a treat.

Thank you so much for your support! Harry is such a lovely puppy and I can't wait to update you again on his progress in your next Pupdate in October.



See how much Harry has grown

We have been taking pictures of Harry since he was born so you can see just how much he's changed.

To see Harry's video, please visit **sponsorapuppy.org.uk/puppy-harry**

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