



## Hello I'm Jeanne, Joy's Puppy Walker. Welcome to her second Pupdate!

Joy has really grown up and is exceptionally calm. I am proud of how excellently she has been progressing in training and she never barks or jumps up. When we put her blue coat on she seems to instinctively know that it's time to work. She is doing well at not pulling on the

lead, and we are continuing to practice having her walking in a straight line on the left-hand side. She is such an intelligent dog and you can really tell that she enjoys working.

## **Out and About**

Joy also loves to travel, especially in the car. We take the bus from my house once a week and have been to lots of shopping centres and the bank. When we go to cafés, Joy is never restless and will happily settle down while we have our coffee. She tends to draw a lot of attention because she has such a beautiful coat, but she does very well. She isn't distracted by people, or even children, but we are still working on her dog









distraction. It is the one time she can get overexcited as she loves to play and wants to greet them all.

We often go and visit a country park nearby for Joy's free runs. She is always on the lookout for playmates and will pose like a statue if she thinks she sees a dog coming. Joy loved the snow we had earlier this year and would go racing around the garden from one end to the other in it.

## Coming up

My granddaughter will be participating in a course at the London Zoo Academy this summer and Joy and I will frequently be traveling into London with her.

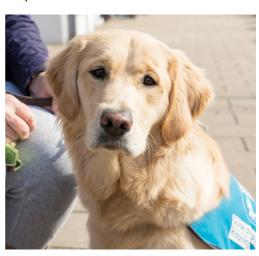
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It will be a great opportunity for Joy to go on longer journeys and experience the Tube, as well as all the new sights and sounds of London. Having this experience will really help Joy's focus, especially if she is partnered with an owner who lives in a large city.

Thank you so much for sponsoring Joy! She is such a lovely dog and we have been so proud of the progress that she has made. It won't be long until she moves onto early training,

so keep an eye out for your next Pupdate in October.



## Next stop for Joy – early training

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