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may see at a police station is the differences in trainings.

While both are working dogs, comfort dogs come in to train with a specific unit, facility, or department, and are used during very stressful and traumatic instances.

Therapy dogs like Gwen, perform a variety of different services, like coming to colleges during finals, nursing homes to visit patients, hospitals, hospice situations, and Bright Spot service dogs even went out to Boston after the Marathon Bombing.

Desroches went to a nursing home to visit a woman with Alzheimer's disease, and she hadn't spoken in a long time, but when she met Gwen, she pet her and said "pretty puppy". It's moments like these that truly make this job rewarding.

"The way I like sharing with all our teams, is that if Gwen was a service dog, she'd be for my medical needs. But as a therapy dog, she's there for everyone. And where a service dog can go anywhere, Gwen needs to be invited,"

Desroches said.

There is no specific kind of breed that can become a therapy dog, as it all depends on the dog and their disposition.

"She brings all comfort and smiles. She's so good about knowing what they want and that this makes them happy," said Desroches about Gwen.

"This was a way that I could reach out to people and help them," Desroches said. "When I learned what a therapy dog is, I know that that was what Gwen was."

You can find Gwen one more time at the South Hadley Public Library for a Read to a Dog Program for the year of 2024 on Wednesday, Dec. 18 at 4 p.m.



Obituary

DEATH NOTICE

"Bob" (Robert E.) Resnick
Died Nov. 13, 2024
Beers & Story South Hadley Funeral Home

"Bob" (Robert E.) Resnick

SOUTH HADLEY— "Bob" (Robert E.) Resnick, 75, passed away peacefully at home on Nov. 13, 2024, surrounded by his loving family. Born in Springfield, MA, he was the son of Jack and Evelyn (Sinel) Resnick. Robert owned and operated Resnick Courier Service for many years. Bob enjoyed collecting antique paintings with his brother Bill. He was an avid drum player, even building his own drums' unfinished shells. He also enjoyed puttering in his workshop with his brother Bill, the two of whom were inseparable their entire lives. Bob could often be seen handing out treats to passing dogs in the Alvord Place neighborhood where he lived. Robert's memory will remain forever in the hearts of his twin brother, "Bill" Resnick of South Hadley, and his sister, Maggie Resnick, of El Cerrito, CA. Beers & Story South Hadley Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements. Please send any condolences c/o Beers and Story Funeral Home, 646 Newton St., South Hadley, 01075. For those wishing, donations may be made in his memory to the American Heart Association.

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The following motor vehicles will be sold to satisfy our garage keeper's lien thereon for storage, towing charges, care and expenses of notices and sale of said vehicles: Violet Reynolds

- 2003 Buick Regal 2G4WB52K331297267 Violet Reynolds 192
Mohawk Forest Blvd North Adams MA 01247
2006 Toyota Camry 4T1BF32K56U627278
Mary Ibekilo
11 Martin Cir
Belchertown MA 01007
2016 Audi A7 WAU2GAF09GN021290
Benjamin Harrison
103 W Hamilton St
Fisher IL 61843
2010 Ford Escape 1FMCU9D73AKB50523
Vernon Miller
176 Susan Dr
Westfield MA 01085
2012 Dodge Avenger 1C3CDZAG0CN255745
David Holt
107 Summer St
Adams MA 01220
2010 Honda Civic 2HGFA1F58AH306300
Francisco Diaz
6 Riverview Pl., Apt 3L
Chicopee MA 01013
2017 Hyundai ELANTRA KMHD84LF0HU156489
Christina Ostrander
63 Washington Ave., Apt 8
North Adams MA 01247
2008 Nissan Altima 1N4AL21E38N472019
Vanessa Reina Rodriguez

- 29 Bingham St Bristol CT 06010
2011 Hyundai ELANTRA KMHDH4AE8BU114041
Christopher West
12 Eastwood Dr
Springfield MA 01129
2009 Chrysler Town and Country 2A8HR541X9R505497
Hampton Taxi Service LLC
19 Maple St
Easthampton MA 01027
2007 BMW 3 Series WBAVC93527K030959 Dawn Frappier
11 Acushnet Ave., Apt 102A
Springfield MA 01105
1972 MG MGB MK III GHN5UC265990
Christopher Holt
15 Harwood Dr
Pocasset MA 02559
2003 Honda Accord 1HGCM55623A132771
Raquel Felix
51 Union St., Fl 1
Westfield MA 01085
2011 Bashan Moped LHJTLBBN7BB002165
George Cordero-Ortiz
458 South St
Holyoke MA 01040
2008 Honda Pilot 5FN1YF18608B027390
Ernest Bovi
14 Briarcliff Ln
Centerville MA 02632
2002 Chevrolet Silverado 2500HD 1GCHK29152E175483
David Stanley
72 Essex St., Apt C
Holyoke MA 01040
2008 Honda Civic 2HGFA16558H529839 Angel Davila Soto
60 Center St., Apt 4R
Holyoke MA 01040
1997 Acura TL JH4UA3650VC000247 Jazica Wyche
101 Mulberry St., Apt G8
Springfield MA 01105
1999 Toyota 4Runner JT3HN87R0X0239800 Abel De Jesus Carranza Moncada
24874 W. Orchard Pl
Round Lake Heights IL 60073
2007 Hyundai SANTA FE 5NMSG73D47H070994

- Johnathon Loring 366 Houghton St., Apt 1
N. Adams MA 01247
2013 Buick Regal 2G4GS5EV8D9244836
William Hairston
72 Barrett St., Unit 108
Northampton MA 01060
1975 MBG Roadster GHN5UF378083
Owner Unknown
Address Unknown
2011 Kia Soul KNDJT2A28B7198800
Denisha Lafontaine
17 John St
Holyoke MA 01040
2013 Volkswagen Jetta 3VW2K7AJ4DM297860
Monica Cyran
PO Box 175
Hadley MA 01035
2002 Ford Ranger 1FTZR45EX2TA36269
Elizabeth Martinez
152 Ave F Apt 2R
Bayonne NJ 07002
2005 Chrysler Town and Country 2C8GP54LX5R123831
Michael Lester
PO Box 917
Chicopee MA 01014
1984 Chevrolet Motorhome Chassis 1GBJP37WXE3323087
Michael Rosa
6 Bayberry Ct
Greenfield MA 01301

- 2002 Subaru Legacy 4S3BH635527305208
Kimberly Garber
40 Hall St
N. Adams MA 01247
2007 Saturn Vue 5GZCZ63417S855081 Justin Doucette
31 Willie St
Haverhill MA 01832
2011 Chevrolet Equinox 2CNALDEC1B6406686
Roselyn Lopez
133 Rowley St
Agawam MA 01001
2008 Honda Civic 2HGFG11808H541641 Kiara Rodriguez-Natal
526 South St., Apt 2L
Holyoke MA 01040
2003 Subaru Forester JF1SG65643H739887
Tania Negron-Guilbe
52A Gilyard Dr., Apt A
Waterbury CT 06706
4-wheeler LZXSCKL2458051429
Adrian Gonzalez
117 Dawes St
Springfield MA 01109
2001 Dodge Dakota 1B7GG22X01S222656
Collin Avery
1586 Memorial Ave., Apt 2A
W. Springfield MA 01089
2015 Nissan Sentra 3N1AB7APXFL638516
Nydasha Rodriguez
89 Bonner St

- Chicopee MA 01013
2006 Acura MDX 2HNYD18636H502845
Josue Cuevas Berrios
177 Elm St., Apt 4R
Holyoke MA 01040
1996 BMW 7 Series WBAGK2320TDH67166
Food Force Enterprises Inc.
5 The Pines Ct, Ste A
Saint Louis MO 63141
2009 Mercedes-Benz E-Class WDBUH87X59B364801
Christian Richardson
74 W. Main St., Lowr
North Adams MA 01247
2004 Chrysler Pacifica 2C4GM68454R539173 Luz Santiago
PO Box 5089
Holyoke MA 01041
1983 LandscapeTrailer SIZM80
1ZE1SLT11DN000065
Mariano Dress
PO Box 804
Chicopee MA 01014
2 Wheel Trailer VIN Unknown
Owner Unknown
Address unknown
2007 Ford F-150 1FTPW14527FA26583
Isaac Carrero
226 W. Franklin St
Holyoke MA 01040
2005 Dodge Caravan 1D4GP45R45B319697
Alex Soto

- 189 Clemente St Holyoke MA 01040
2005 Chrysler 300 2C3AA53G25H132854
Francisco Rivera
256 Union St., Apt 1B
Springfield MA 01105
2016 Nissan Altima 1N4AL3AP8GC250772
Russell Allen Follansbee
550 S. Camino Seco., Apt 4105
Tucson AZ 85710
Boat with Trailer SERV6959D888
Joseph Starkoff
80 Hitchcock St
Holyoke MA 01040
2002 Lexus ES 300 JTHBF30G720079027 Alexis Nicolini
10 Hilltop Dr
Beverly MA 01915
2008 Chrysler 300 2C3KA43R88H145581 Eva West
660 S. Bridge St., Apt 3L
Holyoke MA 01040
2008 Honda Civic 2HGFG11888H566853 Angel Guzman
300 Walnut St., Apt 204
Holyoke MA 01040
2009 Mercury Mariner 4M2CU97G19KJ23438
Cassandra Pendleton
41 Benham Ave
Ware MA 01082
11/22, 11/29, 12/06/2024

Grid of letters for a word search puzzle. Letters include: B, E, A, M, T, A, B, E, S, T, A, T, E, A, L, L, O, A, B, A, M, P, A, G, E, D, T, E, G, U, T, I, N, E, A, B, R, A, D, T, A, L, S, D, A, R, T, I, A, R, A, D, A, T, E, L, I, N, E, S, T, A, B, T, A, R, T, A, E, T, P, A, O, R, A, T, E, D, T, U, B, M, A, I, L, T, O, R, U, S, M, A, S, S, A, C, C, O, A, M, E, N, P, O, I, M, A, C, H, O, S, L, A, D, T, E, D, R, A, G, E, T, A, S, E, R, E, N, A, D, E, S, T, A, B, L, A, R, E, C, S, A, B, E, R, O, L, E, A, T, A, P, E, D, B, A, R, I, M, O, A, B, S, T, O, M, A, I, B, I, S, E, E, L, S, P, O, S, E, D, N, E, C, K

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