



Make a Gift

Monkey Business

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The Gift of Independence

We hope you had a wonderful & safe Independence Day!

How do you value your "independence?" Many of our recipients would say independence is invaluable. For 40 years, our service monkeys have empowered recipients to lead more independent lives. Our recipient, Maryanne, can tell you in her own words: "When I drop things, I am no longer able to bend down and retrieve them. Jessica helps me by fetching those items. This may seem like a simple task, but with her there, to bend low or reach up high, it gives me a sense of independence."

Featured in this newsletter:

- The 2018 Annual Report
- How to designate Helping Hands: Monkey Helpers in your will
- Monkeys in Retirement

We want to take this opportunity to say good-bye and good-luck to our Office Manager, Skott Wade, for his 19 years of service. Join us in wishing him all the best in his next adventure!

Thank you for your continued support!

Do you know someone who might benefit from having a service monkey? Connect us!

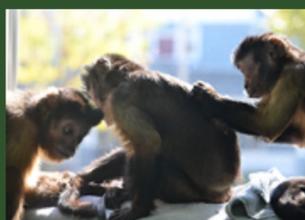


Annual Report 2018

Helping Hands just released its 2018 Annual Report! The Annual Report is one of our signature publications and provides a review of our financial performance. The report features stories and exciting information about our supporters.

2018 brought many exciting changes. We were pleased to welcome our new Executive Director as well as three new board members.

We invite you to take a moment to read about what your support has allowed us to accomplish!



Join the Helping Hands Simian Society!

Planned and legacy gifts have a lasting impact on Helping Hands programs and service.

If you are interested in designating Helping Hands in your will or estate plans contact the Development office by email or phone today at 617-787-4419 x 113.



Monkeys in Retirement

Our monkeys dedicate their services to one or more recipients over their lifetime. Did you know monkeys in captivity can live to be 35-40 years old? Our team of professionals always assess the health of the monkeys to determine if the monkeys should be placed again or enter after-service care (retirement).

We believe that years of service merit a well-deserved retirement. Much of our retired monkey population is currently enjoying their golden years at The Monkey College—reconnecting with trainers, monkeys, and getting all the care and love they deserve!

If you would like to open your home—and your heart—to one of our retired monkeys, please email us here.

Grant Spotlight

Helping Hands: Monkey Helpers is grateful to **The Rands Foundation** for their continued support of our recipients and service monkeys.

Their recent **\$15,000** grant will support our Training and Placement Programs, enabling our recipients to live more independent lives. We are proud to have **The Rands Foundation** as a partner in our work.

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