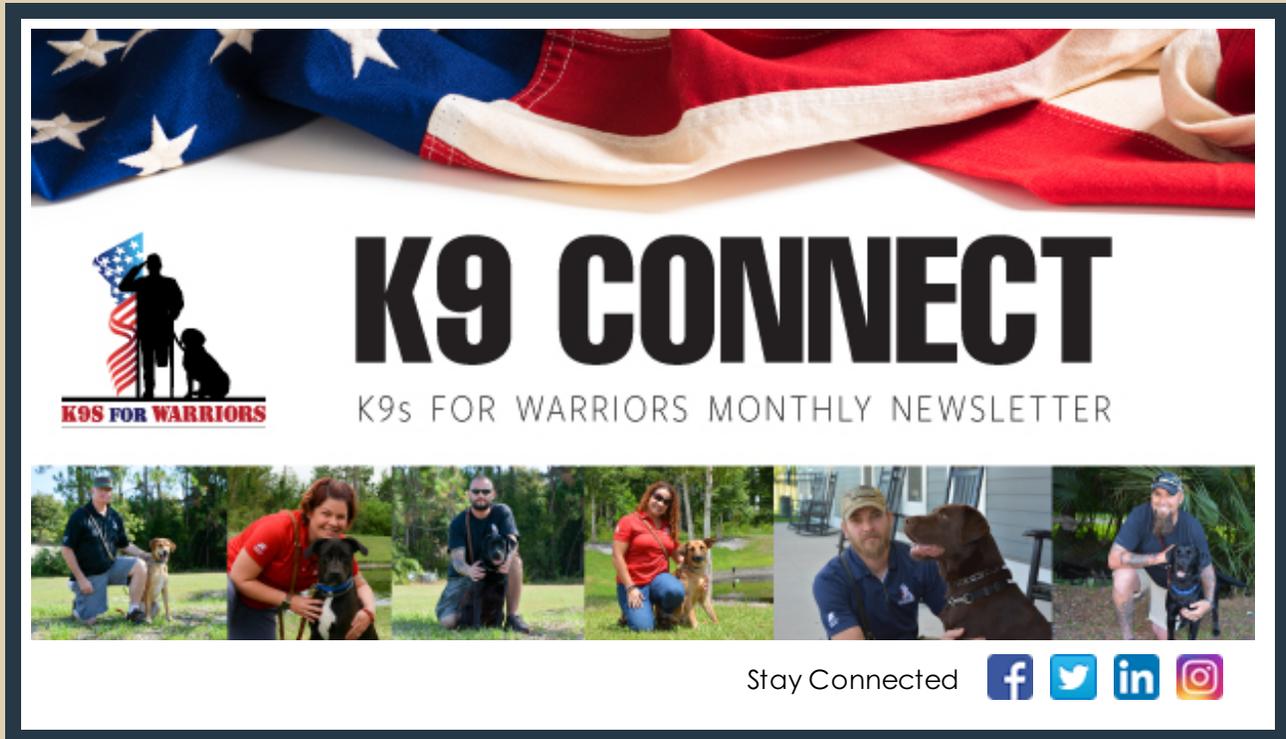


Hi, just a reminder that you're receiving this email because you have expressed an interest in K9s For Warriors. Don't forget to add [info@k9sforwarriors.org](mailto:info@k9sforwarriors.org) to your address book so we'll be sure to land in your inbox!

You may [unsubscribe](#) if you no longer wish to receive our emails.



The header features a large American flag at the top. Below it, on the left, is the K9s For Warriors logo showing a silhouette of a person with a dog and an American flag. To the right of the logo, the text "K9 CONNECT" is written in large, bold, black letters, with "K9s FOR WARRIORS MONTHLY NEWSLETTER" in smaller black letters underneath. Below the text is a row of six small photographs showing various people and their dogs in outdoor settings. At the bottom right of the header, the text "Stay Connected" is followed by icons for Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, and Instagram.

October 20, 2018

### In Case You Missed It...

K9s Smooch Your Pooch Movement is underway! Haven't heard about it? Then go to [our blog](#) to learn what you need to know, and check out the simple instructions here. Then go to Facebook, or your preferred social media account, and post your smooching selfies! Help us make this go viral to raise more awareness and support in a fun new way for pairing service dogs with disabled veterans.

SO YOU WANT TO PARTAKE IN THE  
K9S SMOOCH YOUR POOCH MOVEMENT?

A HELPFUL HOW-TO-GUIDE FOR THE SMOOCH YOUR POOCH CHALLENGE

- 1 ACCEPT  

- 2 RECORD  
  
Smooch Your Pooch and tell us how he or she has made a difference in your life.
- 3 UPLOAD  
#k9spoochsmooch  

- 4 GIVE  
Donate \$5  
  
[www.k9sforwarriors.org](http://www.k9sforwarriors.org)
- 5 SHARE   
  
Tag 5 Friends

### Warrior Update

This month on Facebook, we've been featuring a warrior's journal, detailing each day of

training here at Camp K9. Today, the 20th out of 21 days is up. If you haven't been reading this popular series, here's a look at what's posted today. Click [here](#) to read the rest!

*Warrior Journal - Day 20:*

*I passed the test with flying colors. Graduation was surreal. I met the volunteer who raised my dog and the donor who sponsored my dog. When the president gave me my certificate, I felt a sense of accomplishment that I haven't felt in such a long time. I didn't even think I was capable of being proud of myself again, but I've noticed that I'm starting to feel the things I could before PTSD: love, hope, & trust. Although I admit that I am nervous to apply what I've learned on my own, I am looking forward to getting home to my family. #warriorjournal #k9sforwarriors #day20*



## In Memory

We're taking a somber moment to recognize a dedicated supporter and his family who have just suffered the unthinkable. Cody Terpko, of Washington state, organized a birthday fundraiser for us for his October 17th birthday. One week before, he suffered a head-on car collision which left him in a coma. On October 17th - his 34th birthday - he passed, due to the severe trauma of the accident.

Cody is cherished and remembered by his family as a very patriotic young man who loved the military and animals. We appreciate his support of K9s For Warriors and wish that he rests in peace, and his family finds peace in this tragic time.



