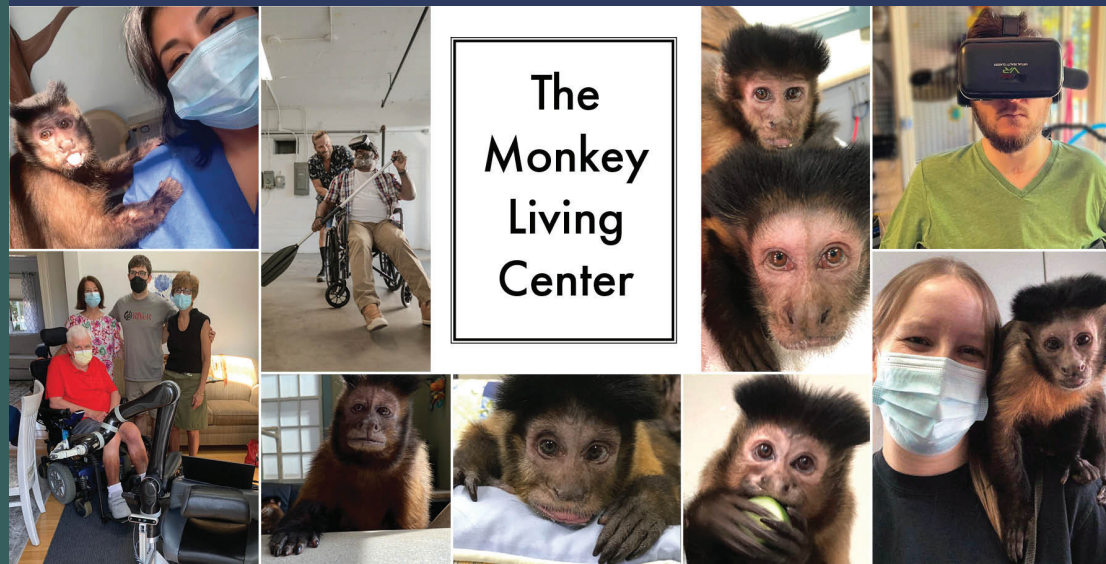




Make a Gift

Monkey Business

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Greetings from the Executive Director

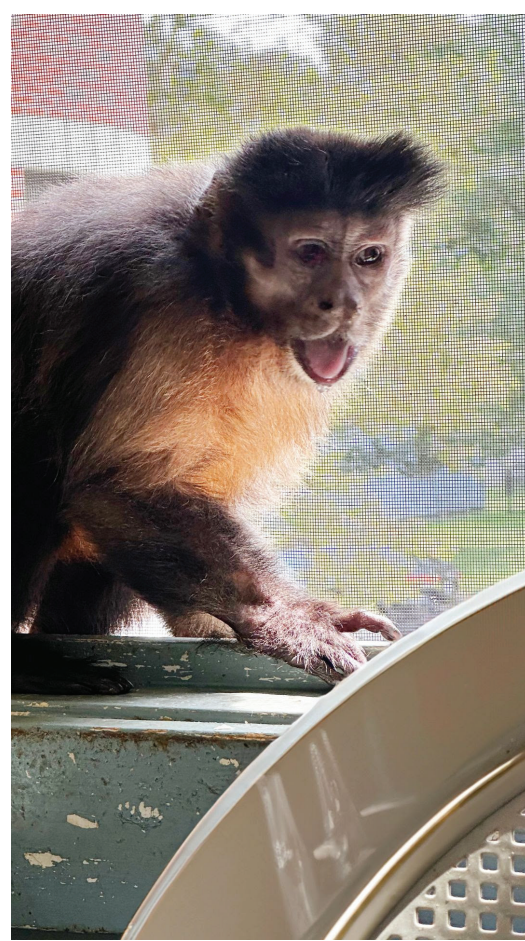
Greetings on this last day of our September Challenge. All of us at Envisioning Access – our board of directors, staff and our beloved capuchins monkeys are so grateful to all of you for your support this month. Thanks to you, we not only met our original goal of \$15,000, we are close to meeting our stretch goal of \$18,000! The match runs through midnight tonight, so if you have not had a chance to make a gift, now is the perfect time! Our donor was overwhelmed with the outpouring of kindness again this year. We all cannot thank you enough for your thoughtfulness in keeping our post-service monkeys healthy, happy, and loved.



As we move into October our focus moves to the work of our Innovative Technology Initiative. We are excited and fortunate to have two new staff members joining Envisioning Access to be part of this work. Welcome to Amir Ameli, business development manager, and Jenni-Rose DiCecco, outreach coordinator. We hope you enjoy getting to know them below and we are thrilled that they have joined the team!

Finally, as always, we are posting one article on the advancing world of AI, VR, AR or robotics. I saw this article regarding AI and football. Very timely for the season and something I thought many of you may find interesting. Amazon brings new AI-driven features to Thursday Night Football

TODAY is the last day to double your Impact!



The BEST time to make a gift is TODAY!

A generous donor has once again issued a challenge—they will MATCH every donation made in September, dollar for dollar, up to \$18,000! Your gift makes TWICE the impact today.

Throughout the month of September, we have been telling the story of Melanie—a very smart and wise monkey who had been placed many times in her lifetime. Now 39-years old, Melanie is enjoying her golden years at the Monkey Living Center.

Melanie and the other service monkeys cared so much for their recipients—now it is our turn to care for them. Don't wait—today is the LAST DAY TO DOUBLE YOUR IMPACT!



Welcome to the Team!

Amir Ameli and Jenni-Rose DiCecco



Amir Ameli Business Development Manager

Amir is a dedicated advocate for positive change, with a rich and diverse background that showcases his versatility and commitment to making a difference. Holding a Masters in Global Public Policy from Suffolk University, Amir possesses a profound understanding of global issues and the capacity to tackle intricate challenges on a global scale.

Amir derives immense satisfaction from building bridges of understanding among diverse stakeholders, a skill that is increasingly vital in today's interconnected world.

Meet Amir



Jenni-Rose DiCecco Outreach Coordinator

Jenni-Rose graduated from Suffolk University with her Masters in Crime and Justice Studies in 2022, after also earning her Bachelor's degree in Sociology with a minor in Government from Suffolk University.

With her background in restorative justice, nonprofits, and athletics Jenni-Rose was thrilled to join the team at Envisioning Access because of her passion for helping others.

Meet Jenni-Rose

Birthday Round-up at the Monkey Living Center!

We have focused on Melanie all month, but we cannot forget to say Happy Birthday to Dorothy and Penny - the 2 monkeys at the Monkey Living Center who have birthdays in September!

Whether you want to honor a person or pet for their birthday, a holiday, or some other occasion...your "In Honor of" gift to our organization will show them how much you care for them. And if you give us their address, we will send them a card!



Dorothy



Penny

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