Helping Their Community

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Jayden White (center) visits with the Joe 15 Team Club of Brentsville High School, after the team collected $700 toward the training of a special dog for Jayden.

The Joe 15 Team helps local boy

It all started with an e-mail which had the subject "Community Child Needs Your Help." After The Joe 15 Team Club of Brentsville High School learned that Jayden White, a 5-year-old Bristow resident with fetal alcohol syndrome, was in need of an assistance dog, they chose "4 Paws For Ability" as their club charity.

Jayden's family needed to raise money for the specialized training needed for the dog. The club worked over a two-month period to earn money. They held bake sales at school, sold bracelets, collected donations at The Joe 15 Team sponsored blood drive and held a spirit night at Chick-fil-A. A total of $700 was raised. At a recent club meeting Jayden and his sister, Morgan, made a surprise visit to say thank you. Jayden has earned enough money to get his assistance dog and will be traveling to Ohio in October to meet his new friend.

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