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Mom Shares Tender Moment with Puppy Before Adoption

Two-year-old dog transported to ARL with litter of seven puppies

On this Mother's Day, the Animal Rescue League of Boston (ARL) wanted to share a special moment between a mother and her offspring at the organization's Boston Animal Care & Adoption Center.

Trixie, a two-year-old Border Collie-mix, was transported to ARL from an overcrowded shelter in Mississippi, along with her seven, eight-week-old puppies. The puppies had already been weaned from Trixie, but, when one of her puppies, named Ducky, was brought into Boston by his foster parent, it was the perfect opportunity to reunite mom and son.

The pair met up in Boston's spacious play yard, paused for a tender moment, and then enjoyed some play time together!

While Trixie and Ducky have both been adopted, several of Trixie's puppies are still awaiting their new homes and are currently available for adoption at ARL's Dedham and Brewster Animal Care & Adoption Centers.

For photos of Trixie and Ducky's mother and son play time, click the Dropbox link below: https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/le0hzu0p7uasmrg8tqwg2/ANtlb_0PUXFG1D4ACUXGuZU?rlke y=g5nivybbys92am4zazf3rbxeq&st=s1mw7wyi&dl=0

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Pets are family. This belief is at the heart of everything we do at the Animal Rescue League of Boston. ARL is the first female-founded animal welfare organization in Massachusetts and is proud to carry on a legacy of kindness and compassion, helping more than 20,000 animals annually since 1899. Recognized for innovative, award-

winning programs that go beyond sheltering, ARL addresses the root causes of the issues facing animals and the people who love them. By partnering with communities, ARL helps animals heal and thrive, keeps pets and people together, and protects animals from harm. Because there is no government funding for this important work, animals must rely on people like you to get the care they need, when they need it most, 365 days a year. For more information, visit <u>arlboston.org</u> and follow ARL on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>LinkedIn</u>, and <u>Instagram</u>.

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