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Military Order Of Devil Dogs

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THE BARK, BITE & HOWL OF THE KENNEL!

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MADAME CHIEF SEZ - - - - - I wish you all a happy, healthy, New YEAR. Six months have passed since elected Chief. I have tried to include all elected and appointed officers into a working team. Input has been received from 70% and no response from 30% from officers. I consider this better than average but still want that 30%. I have received newsletters and minutes from many states and this keeps me informed on many areas. Woof-O-Grams are sent to all Pack and Pound Dog Robbers, elected and appointed Kennel officers, strays, and Past Chief

Dog Robbers. Many Dogs report they never see this publication. Procedure when received DD is to copy and send along with meeting notice to each DD in the Pound. Plans are to send one Woof-O-Gram to every paid 1988-1989 DD. This will cost between \$500.-\$800. depending on the weight. It will contain pre registration form for Dallas, necessary things to do if you are advancing a degree, rules for the Supreme Growl and all data on our 50th Anniversary events. Mid-Winter Kennel Growl will be held Friday February 17th immediately after the adjournment of the League Meeting. A luncheon meeting during lunch break of the League will be held for elected and appointed officers of the Kennel. (League Mid-Winter February 16th to 18th at the Rosslyn Westpark Hotel in Arlington, Va. (703) 527-4814.) Kennel Quartermaster Jim Powell will be aboard with gear so bring your bones. Kennel Dog Robber will be there to answer any and all questions about dues cards and transmittals - I will also be there to bring you up to date on Kennel doings and to answer any questions you may have. God Bless. Semper Woof Woof, *Mae Krauss*

THE QUARTERMASTER REPORTS- The price list in this issue can be duplicated and used as an order form. The lead time for purchasing "Pound and Pack, Dog of the Year Awards is 6 months, so get your orders in now. The Quartermaster's supply of Jackets, "T"Shirts, Sweatshirts, Caps, etc, is abundant, so get those orders in now.

The next page will list the items available and the prices for each. (Page-7)

Honorable Dog Robber regretfully informs us the passing of our Past Kennel Chief PDD William W. Hurrell of McKeesport, Pa. He was a member of Pound 24, Pack of Pa, and served as Kennel Chief for the year of 1960-61. He also served as Kennel Dog Robber for the year of 1953-54 under Chief Jorgenson.

There were other PDD's that have passed away this past year. They were PDD R. Lawless and PDD Sam Jacobus of the Pack of New York. Kennel stray PDD Allen D. Coppinger Jr from Bluefield, WV also received his eternal orders. "Rest In Peace"



MILITARY ORDER OF
The Honor Society of
MINUTES

THE DEVIL DOGS
the Marine Corps League
49th Supreme Growl

FOUNDED 1939 — Boston, Massachusetts

OFFICE OF National Executive Secretary

DATE 4 August 1988

The 49th Supreme Growl of the Military Order of Devil Dogs was called to order at the Clarion Hotel, Cincinnati, Ohio on 4 August 1988, by the Honorable National Chief Devil Dog PDD Thomas A. Banks. 225 registered for the Supreme Growl.

The Body was led in the Pledge of Allegiance and salute to the Colors by the Honorable Kennel Police Dog PDD Paul F. Hastings. The opening prayer was read by the Honorable Kennel Dog Trainer PDD Michael Macera

The National Executive Secretary PCDD Kenneth E. Farris called the Roll of the Kennel Board of Trustees:

Chief Devil Dog	PDD Thomas A. Banks	Present
Sr Vice Chief Devil Dog	PDD Mary B. Krauss	Present
Jr Vice Chief Devil Dog	PKDR Hyman Rosen	Present
Kennel Smart Dog	PDD Lamar Golden	Present
Kennel Dog Trainer	PDD Michael F. Macera	Present
Kennel Police Dog	PDD Paul F. Hastings	Present
Kennel Mad Dog	PDD Constance L. Barrick	Present
Junior Past Chief Devil Dog	PCDD Donald L. Frost	Present

Roll Call of the appointed Staff was then held

Kennel Executive Secretary & Dog Robber	PCDD Kenneth E. Farris	Present
Kennel Watch Dog	PDD Louis E. Hollier	Present
Kennel Barking Dog	PDD George M. Barrows Sr	Present
Kennel Liaison Officer to MCL	PDD James Powell	Present
Kennel Liaison Officer (Fleas)	PDD William Saman	Present
Kennel Quartermaster	PDD Robert Bond Sr	Present
Kennel Historian	PCDD J. P. Kacsan	Present
Deputy Kennel Quartermaster	PDD Gary O. Chartrand	Present
Deputy Kennel Police Dog	PDD Frank Goodman	Present
Deputy Kennel Mad Dog (1)	PDD PDD Gordon Carlson	Present
Deputy Kennel Mad Dog (2)	PDD Howard W. Skinner	ABSENT

Chairman, 50th Anniversary Committee, PCDD Edwin F. Gallagher Present

KENNEL DIVISION AIDES:

Northeast Division	PDD Jack Nash	Present
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"IT'S AN HONOR TO BE A DEVIL DOG"

KENNEL DIVISION AIDES (Continued)

New England Division	PDD Joseph Callahan Sr	Present
Mideast Division	PDD William Taylor	Present
Southeast Division	PDD Robert Pitcher	Present
Central Division	PDD Marvin Rombach	Present
Southern Division	PDD Clifton Williams	Present
Southwest Division	PDD William F. King	Present
Rocky Mountain Division	PDD James N. Lugg	ABSENT
Northwest Division	PDD Michael P. Kneefe	Present
Midwest Division	PDD S. Johanna Glasrud	Present

The following Past National Chief Devil Dogs answered the Roll Call:

PCDD J. P. Kacsan	PCDD C. A. Boedigheimer
PCDD William H. Brooks	PCDD Kenneth E. Farris
PCDD Edwin F. Gallagher	PCDD Paul L. Sutton
PCDD Gilbert E. Gray	PCDD Francis A. English
PCDD Donald L. Frost	

The following Past Kennel Dog Robbers answered the Roll Call:

PKDR Hyman Rosen	PKDR C. A. Beodigheimer
PKDR Kenneth E. Farris	PKDR Paul L. Sutton
PKDR Edwin F. Gallagher	PKDR Francis A. English

MOTION by PDD Golden to approve the Minutes of the 1987 Supreme Growl in Phoenix, Arizona, as mailed. Motion was APPROVED.

Honorable Kennel Dog Trainer PDD Macera led the Assembly in a memorial service to the deceased of the past year.

PCDD Farris read the annual Kennel Financial Report for the past year. Assets of \$19,386.54 were declared.

MOTION by PDD Catuzza to accept the Financial Report, subject to audit, was APPROVED.

The Chairman of the Audit Committee, PCDD Kacsan, gave his report on the audit of the Kennel Books. He stated they were in excellent condition, and balanced.

MOTION by PCDD Kacsan to accept audit report was APPROVED.

The National Executive Secretary, PCDD Farris, gave a membership report. The Kennel closed out the Fiscal Year with 1906 members in good standing. Awards were given to the top three Pounds in the Kennel.

PDD Krauss obligated the Devil Dogs and Pups who were initiated and they were dismissed.

Honorable Kennel Smart Dog, PDD Golden, presented changes to the Kennel By-Laws (Attached). MOTION by PDD Colebrook to accept changes was APPROVED.

MOTION by PCDD Sutton to establish a Past Chiefs Society which would establish awards for various purposes - Motion APPROVED.

MOTION by PDD Spears to increase registration fee for the 1989 Supreme Growl to twelve dollars in advance and fifteen dollars at Dallas. This money to be used to help defray cost of 50th Anniversary events. Motion DEFEATED.

The Chairman of the 50th Anniversary Committee, PCDD Gallagher gave an extensive detailed report on the plans for the celebration. (Report on file). Additional plans will be discussed at Mid-Winter Staff.

PDD King reported on his Passport Project. \$1675.00 has been raised for the Childrens Hospital Fund. This is in addition to the \$175.50 from last year.

PKDR Rosen reported that the Annual Kennel Fund Raiser had brought in \$2385.00 of which \$576.00 was carried forward from last Fiscal Year.

Honorable Chief Devil Dog, PDD Thomas A. Banks presented awards to his Staff.

The New Pedigree Devil Dogs were obligated by Honorable Chief Devil Dog PDD Thomas A. Banks.

MOTION by PDD Hastings was APPROVED that the Kennel make the following donations:

Marine Corps League Scholarship Fund	\$ 2500.00
Marine Corps League Physical Fitness Program	500.00

The Election of the Officers for 1988-89 was held and the results are as follows:

Chief Devil Dog	PDD Mary B. Krauss	Pound 136 - NJ
Sr Vice Chief Devil Dog	PKDR Hyman Rosen	Pound 2 - MA
Jr Vice Chief Devil Dog	PDD William J. O'Brien	Pound 93 - NJ
Kennel Smart Dog	PDD Lamar Golden	Pound 19 - PA
Kennel Dog Trainer	PDD Michael F. Macera	Pound 96 - NJ
Kennel Police Dog	PDD Paul F. Hastings	Pound 31 - PA
Kennel Mad Dog	PDD Constance L. Barrick	Pound 6 - MI

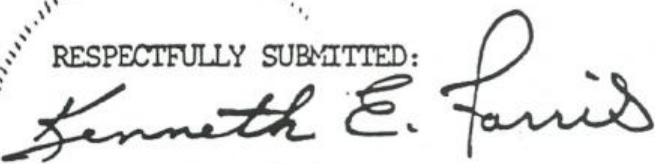
The new Kennel Officers were obligated by PCDD Thomas A. Banks.

The new Chief Devil Dog will announce the appointed Staff at the Kennel Staff Meeting before leaving the Convention.

The Kennel Dog of the Year was PDD Bennett Bard of Pound 132 - Pennsylvania.

Honorable Chief Devil Dog adjourned the 49th Supreme Growl to reassemble at the 50th Supreme Growl in August 1989 at Dallas, Texas.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:



KENNETH E. FARRIS, PDD, PCDD, PKDR

AMENDMENTS TO THE KENNEL BY-LAWS APPROVED AT CINCINNATI, OHIO, 4 August 1988

ARTICLE VII - UNIFORM

Section 702, Change following paragraphs to read as follows;

(A) An embroidered official insignia may be worn on the right sleeve of the shirt with the top of the insignia one-half (1/2) inch below the shoulder seam.

(C) Small official insignia sewn on the right side of the overseas cap in such a manner as not to cover any lettering, and such indentifying lettering on the right side of the cap as will be in good taste. No pins stars, medals, or devices should be worn on the cap without the official approval of the Kennel. Gold caps may be worn by Kennel Officers, but, they must revert to the red cap after their term of office. Only Past Chief Devil Dogs may wear the gold cap after their term of office, and dates of tenure must be shown on cap.

Add new paragraph;

(J) Marine Corps Dress Blue w/red stripe or black trousers may be worn with the Devil Dog uniform.

JUSTIFICATION: To bring the uniform regulations for the Kennel up to date and reinsert those provisions that are needed to clarify the Devil Dog uniform.

SECTION 703, Add new paragraph to read as follows

(E) The fiftieth anniversary medalion issued to all present and registered at the Supreme Growl in Dallas, Texas, in 1989, may be worn with, or in lieu of, the official identification disc (Dog Tag) of the Order.

ARTICLE XII - GENERAL

SECTION 1209 - Life Memberships, following paragraph changed to read as follows;

(E) - 1. The member shall be a Pedigree Devil Dog, shall be a Life Member of the Marine Corps League, and shall have maintained at least five (5) years continuous membership in the Marine Corps League, and shall have no outstanding obligations to either the Order or the League.

JUSTIFICATION: To create more realistic qualifications for Life Membership.

AT THE SUPREME GROWL, IN CINCINNATI, LAST YEAR, THERE WERE 88 Devil Dogs, elevated to PDD, 2 DD's elevated to that rank, and there were two Pups initiated.

DOG DROPPINGS RECEIVED FROM AROUND THE STATES, PACKS, POUNDS, ETC. THERE SHOULD HAVE BEEN MORE FOR THIS ISSUE, BUT HOPEFULLY AFTER THIS WOOF-O-GRAM, THERE WILL BE MUCH MORE. PLEASE SEE THAT THEY ARE SENT TO THE KENNEL BARKING DOG, PDD GEORGE M. BARROWS Sr, 41 DIXIE TRAIL, JACKSONVILLE, N.C. 28546.

 Pound # 132, of Pack of Pennsylvania reports that PDD Ben Bard, was honored at the Supreme Growl, in Cincinnati, Ohio, as the Kennel "Dog of the Year," and by their comments, it was an award that was very much justified by his continuing performances. Their Pound also inaugurated a new scholarship award, which will be awarded yearly by their Pound to a local recipient. The award this year was to Miss Vonda Walls- daughter of Carl & Quetta Walls.

 Pack Dog Robber PDD Jack Nash, of the Pack of New York Pound # 149, has issued to their Pound the following communique. To be elevated to the next degree, they will have had to attend at least 50% of the Pound Growls, and/or have offered to assist in the Pounds' ventures.

 OPEN LETTER FROM PKC PDD GIL GRAY--

I wish to personally thank all Dogs, that have sent cards, letters, and called in my recent illness due to an accident. These little acknowledgments are magnanimous in their support to any person ill or in distress. They are probably the most important thing that can happen in a persons recovery. Just the feeling that you are being thought of, is a main factor. Thanks again. My address for the next four months, or until 1 May 1989, will be Audubon Village, Lot 17, 7639 Towhee Trail, Orlando, Fla 32810 and telephone # is (407) 299-7704.

I WOULD LIKE AT THIS TIME TO ASK YOUR HELP IN THE KENNELS' PROJECT FOR OUR NEXT SUPREME GROWL AT DALLAS, TX.

Kennel has instituted a program, for employment at each Convention City, to present to a hospital, in that city, a gift from the National Kennel. I would like to ask, each member of the Honor Society of the MODD, to please make a gift to this project, and also ask that they contact their Pound, Pack officers, and ask for their support, in this noble venture. This will also bring acclaim to the Society, for years to come. Thanks again for your efforts, in this matter. SEND DONATIONS, CHECKS. MADE OUT TO KENNEL HOSPITAL FUND, EITHER TO MYSELF OR THE KENNEL DOG ROBBER PDD KEN FARRIS. Thanks again
 Gil

 Pound # 113, of the Pack of New York, has again reported that they have collected toys for the needy and foods for the hungry, and has presented the same in the area of Syracuse-Cortland, and Binghamton, in New York.

 THAT'S ALL THR DROPPINGS FOR THIS TIME, AND IF YOU WANT YOUR POUND, OR PACK PUBLISHED IN THIS WOOF-O-GRAM, PLEASE SEND IN YOUR DOG DROPPINGS, ASAP.

George

In the event anyone tries to call me, and are answered by an answering device, please justify the expense, and let me know who you are, and what I can do for you. That's why I got it, so I can do mainly League and MODD business.

George

FOR RELEASE TO MARINE CORPS LEAGUE NEWS

KENNEL PASSPORTS and VISA STAMPS

by

PDD Bill King

Kennel Aide DeCamp

They are colorful, of odd sizes and shapes, most all are humorous in some degree and each has a very useful and designed purpose. They are the passports and passport visa stamps of the National Kennel, the Packs, the Pounds and other main gatherings of the Military Order of Devil Dogs.



At the Grand Growl of the Kennel in 1987 in Phoenix, it was passed on the floor of the Grand Growl of the Kennel, for a Passport to be designed and issued at cost to all members of the Military Order of Devil Dogs, regardless of his rank or degree held in the Devil Dogs. It was further agreed that all monies over and above the actual costs to be used for our annual childrens charity project. Further "All bones (monies) over acutal costs of procuring the passport and printed seal or visa stamps shall be given to the National Kennel's "Children's Ward Hospital Fund".



Failure to carry the Kennel Passport to any Kennel, Pack Pound or other designated event or growl shall result in a fine. The bones raised shall be used each year to obtain some item for a "Childrens Ward" in the city where the Grand Growl of the Kennel shall take place.

The Passport project has been in operation since the 1988 Grand Growl and already has raised \$700 dollars and there is still half a year to go and many of the Devil Dogs are still unaware of the Passport. The Mid-Winter National Staff meeting will have a good count of the funds raised as well what the Devil Dogs will be able to give to the Childrens Ward in Dallas during our Golden 50th Anniversary of the Devil Dogs.



All Devil Dogs are urged to obtain their passport from their Pound Dog Robber. The Passports are brillant in color and serve a very worthy project of the Military Order of Devil Dogs. The Fun and Honor Society of the Marine Corps League.



-SEMPER WOOF WOOF-



MILITARY ORDER OF DEVIL DOGS, INC.

PRICE LIST &
ORDER FORM

Eff. Jan. 1, 1989

<u>Qty.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Total Amt.</u>
	<u>Devil Dog T-Shirt</u>	<u>\$10.00</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Sweatshirts</u>	<u>\$14.00</u>	
	<u>Pack Dog of the Year Award</u>	<u>\$60.00</u>	
	<u>Pound Dog of the year Award</u>	<u>\$35.00</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Jackets</u>	<u>\$25.00</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Shoulder Patch</u>	<u>\$ 3.50</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Tags</u>	<u>\$ 1.50</u>	
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	<u>Devil Dog Window Decals (Inside and Out)</u>	<u>\$.65</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Citations</u>	<u>\$ 2.00</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Ribbons (Gold, Red, Black)</u>	<u>\$ 1.00</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Lapel Pin (\$2.75 if a dozen or more)</u>	<u>\$ 3.00</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Ritual (1985 Edition)</u>	<u>\$ 2.00</u>	
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	<u>Past Worthy Pack Leader Medal</u>	<u>\$ 7.00</u>	
	<u>Past Pound Keeper Medal</u>	<u>\$ 7.00</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Cap</u>	<u>\$ 6.00</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Passport Book</u>	<u>\$ 5.00</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Pin (Colored Eyes-Red, Blue, Green)</u>	<u>\$ 2.00</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Pin (Plain Small</u>	<u>\$ 1.00</u>	
	<u>Paid Life Member Label Pin</u>	<u>\$ 3.50</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Hot Mugs</u>	<u>\$ 5.00</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Desk Set</u>	<u>\$17.00</u>	
	<u>Devil Dog Belt Buckles</u>	<u>\$12.00</u>	
	<u>Subtotal</u>		
	<u>10 % Shipping and Handling Fees</u>		
	<u>Total</u>		

All Forms: Transmittals, Membership Applications, Degree Advancement, Installation Reports, Charter Applications are Available at no Charge From
PCDD KENNETH FARRIS
11245 EAST 14 MILE ROAD
STERLING HEIGHTS, MI. 48077

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PDD James F. Powell
Hon. Kennel Quartermaster
1071 Overlook Drive
Toms River, N.J. 08753
Make checks payable to;
M.O.D.D. Kennel Quatermaster Acct.

TO

50th Anniversary Committee
PCDD Paul L. Sutton
P.O. Box 273
Thorofare, N. J. 08086



Military Order Of Devil Dogs



THE BARK, BITE & HOWL OF THE KENNEL!

FROM: HONORABLE CHIEF DEVIL DOG, PDD MARY B. KRAUSS,
5 CAMROSE ST. PO BOX 3264, TOMS RIVER, N.J. 08756

Dear Dogs:

As we go our seperate ways, with our petty gripes; let us never, ever forget the two Marines that are HOSTAGES, somewhere in the Middle East. Colonel Higgins and Terry Anderson. Colonel Higgins as a result of his U.N. assignment, and former Marine Terry Anderson's employment for a news service, and is the longest held hostage.

...They have something to yelp and bark about and they should be in all our prayers...THEY ARE OUR BROTHERS, even though they are not members of the MODD...They are Marines!...Ask the big pedigree in the sky for his help, in their release...SOON!

Pound leaders are urged to copy this news letter and distribute at your pound growls...GET YOUR DOGS INVOLVED... YOU MAY HEAR-LESS GROWLING AND BARKING IF THEY KNOW WHATS GOING ON.