

WOOF~O~GRAM

MILITARY ORDER OF THE DEVIL DOGS

FALL 2018

"It's an HONOR to be a DEVIL DOG!"

A RECIPE FOR SUCCESS BY THE 58TH CHIEF DEVIL DOG



Woof, Woof to all Dogs of the Order,

If you missed the 2018 National Convention and 79th Supreme Growl in Buffalo, you missed an outstanding event. There were 124 DDs that traveled to the edge of Niagara Falls for their advancement as PDDs, and they entertained us every step of the way. We had an action-packed Supreme Growl that nearly set a record for the longest Growl in MODD history, but in the end, we accomplished all we set out to do AND we had fun doing it. I want to personally thank all the Dogs who attended the Supreme Growl and chose me to be your Chief for another year. It is an honor to serve in this capacity, and I assure you, with everyone working together we will continue to improve the Kennel, the Packs, and the Pounds.

As always, one of the highlights of Convention week was our annual donation to a local children's hospital. We were not able to top last year's benchmark donation, but thanks to every Pup, Dog, and PDD, the MODD was able to donate 40,000 big bones to the John R. Oishei Children's Hospital of Buffalo, NY. Woof, woof to all who donated to this great charity. In addition, I presented a check for 3750 big bones to the MCL Foundation and another for 1250 big bones to the Ladies Auxiliary on behalf of the MODD.

Congratulations are in order for PDD Rick Thomason of Pound 210, North Carolina Pack, who was selected as Kennel Dog of the Year. In addition, congrats to PCDD Leanna Dietrich as our new Kennel Executive Director, succeeding PCDD Doug Fisk. I also want to congratulate all those who received Past Chief Awards and were honored at the luncheon. Let's remember to recognize the hard-working Dogs in the Pounds and the Packs and submit their names for consideration in 2019.

There were several bylaw amendments approved during the Growl, and these, along with the newly re-elected and appointed Kennel Staff Officers are posted on the Kennel website. Thank you to PCDD Leanna Dietrich for her hard work in keeping the website current and fresh.

As we move forward from this Supreme Growl, there are still issues that need to be addressed, as well as day-to-day operations that need some tweaking. Let me break it down ...

- 1. Increase membership:** Our numbers are dwindling, and we are not gaining new members as we should. All we need to do is to ask those motivated MCL members in our Detachments to join us. Isn't that how you were recruited into a Pound? The more Dogs we can enlist, the stronger our Pounds and Packs will become.

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PLEASE CONTACT
YOUR
POUND
DOG ROBBER
WHEN YOU MOVE!!!

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1. (cont.) I have suggested to MCL members that if they have not been asked to become a Dog, they should seek out an MODD member and let them know they are interested. Look at your Detachment roster and be sure that you have not overlooked a worthy candidate. Let's work together and grow.

2. Keep our Growls interesting and fun: We advertise ourselves as the FUN and HONOR SOCIETY of the MCL. Work on making this happen at your Growls. Try not to "over-fine" Dogs lest they lose interest in attending future Growls. This will help us keep the Dogs we already have, and word will get out that we are a FUN organization. Other Marine Corps Leaguers will be chomping at the bit to join.

3. Maximize social events: Social events sponsored by your Pound are great ways to build camaraderie and have fun. BBQs, Trivia nights, Poker nights, or Show and Tells - there are many forms your social events can take. The results might surprise you!

4. Collect Big Bones: for our donation to the children in Billings, Montana next year. Put a container on your registration table at every Growl and mark it "For the Kids". If every Dog donates one or two extra big bones, we will be able to exceed this year's donation.

5. Recognition of our hard-working Dogs: Each Pound and Pack has many dedicated and tireless Dogs working to make their Pound or Pack the very best it can be. We need to take time to recognize them for their efforts. I urge you to appoint an awards Dog who can recommend certificates of appreciation or commendations for these individuals. Be sure to select a Pound Dog of the Year, and then advance that selection to Pack and Kennel. Every Dog likes to get a pat on the back now and then - so make the effort to do it often!

Let's see how far we can go to achieve each of these. Woof Woof!
Most of you know that there were some problems with the publishing of the Woof-O-Gram this past year. (cont. pg. 3)

(cont. from pg. 2) There wasn't a Winter WOG, and the Spring WOG did not get to your mailboxes until after the 4th of July. I apologize for the inconveniences this caused. Changes have been made so that this will not happen again. PDD Lewis W. Rice III has been appointed as Deputy Barking Dog to assist in getting the WOG ready for publication. I have instructed the Barking Dog to have firm publication dates, so that every Dog will know when to look for each issue online. The Spring WOG will continue to be sent by snail mail.

Finally, remember that each Pound must hold one annual assembly during the three months following the month of the Supreme Growl of the Kennel. At this annual Growl of the Pound, the full order of business shall be called and acted upon, including the nomination, election and installation of Officers, and at which Growl, the outgoing Officers shall make full and proper reports and accounting to the Pound. The Installation Report for the new Officers shall be submitted to the Honorable Kennel Dog Robber no later than the end of the month immediately following the Growl.

The Installation Report must be submitted via the Worthy Pack Dog Robber, if there is such, and a copy shall be sent to the respective Division Vice Chief Devil Dog (Refer to MODD Bylaws, Article II- POUNDS, Section 205-GROWLS-Regular, Annual, Special and Staff).

If you have not been on point, and have not yet made your reservations for Billings, MT, you may be out of luck. The convention hotel is already sold out, and you will need to seek reservations at the designated overflow hotels. Our 80th Supreme Growl in 2019 will be outstanding!

In closing, I urge you to remember that we are the FUN and Honor Society of the Marine Corps League, and to embrace your commitment to holding the title of Devil Dog. When MCL members observe us having fun and see the motivation we have to do good things, they will want to be a part of our team. Keep up the fine work!

Thanks again for giving me the opportunity to serve as your Chief.

It is an HONOR to be a DEVIL DOG!

Semper Woofing,

Leonard Spicer

CDD Leonard Spicer, 58th Chief Devil Dog

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HCDD Jack Severn presenting PDD Leonard Stielper, winner of HCDD Severn's original artwork for the Past Chief Devil Dogs Society raffle, at the Supreme Growl.

Mad Dog created some new PDDs in Buffalo...

Woof Woof Devil Dogs,

First off I want to Congratulate all 124 of our new PDD's that advanced at the Supreme Growl in Buffalo, you all did a great job and we had a great time and made some lasting friendships and memories.

Congratulations to Platoon Handlers Barbara Vanner & Joe Pollock from Platoon #9 for being selected as the Past Chiefs Honor Platoon, you and your Dogs did an outstanding job. I also want to thank My Deputy Mad Dogs and all of the Platoon Handlers and Station Monitors for stepping up and making this initiation a success.



Now that summer has come and gone it's time to start thinking about and preparing for the 2019 Mid-Winter Growl in Fredericksburg, VA which will be held on March 1st. This is the Only Kennel Growl that all Dogs can attend regardless of their degree, so round up all of your PUP's, DD's and PDD's and come Join us for a Howling good time.

For those DD's who are planning to advance to PDD in Billings MT in 2019 you need to make sure that your paperwork is properly filled out and turned into your Pound Dog Robber in enough time for them to get it processed and sent to your Pack Dog robber so that they have plenty of time to get it sent in to the Kennel Dog Robber before the July 1st Deadline and remember All Dogs who are planning on advancing to PDD need to be registered with the MCL and the MODD by 1700 on Monday August 5th.

Semper Woofing

PDD Charles Minton

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Smart Dog will be Da Judge of that...

Woof, Woof Devil Dogs of the Kingdom;

As I return from the National Convention and Supreme Growl, I would like to take this opportunity to say "Thank You" for reelecting as Kennel Smart Dog. The Bylaw amendments have been voted on, updated and sent to the Web Master and Quartermaster for publication. After talking with many Dogs of the Kingdom, I heard loudly that the Bylaws needed to be looked at for spacing. I went through the Bylaws and corrected what I saw. If anyone sees something "Please" let me know. If anyone has questions, "Please" contact me via phone or email. I take all calls or emails. I'd like to "Thank" the Department of New York and New York Pack for their great hospitality. I would also like to take this time to say Congratulations to all Dogs who advanced to Pedigreed Devil Dog as well. As we moved forward to date, I have received three sets of Bylaws, from one Pound and two Packs. I would like to hear of any Packs holding their Grand Growls (Dates / Time) and see if my schedule would allow me to come and visit. Thank you once again and I'm looking forward to Mid-Winter and next year's National Convention.

PDD Tom Krueger

Kennel Smart Dog

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Jr. Past Chief Smith

WOOF, WOOF to all Dogs of the Order,

Another National Convention and Supreme Growl are in the history books. I had a great time visiting with Dogs from all around the country while in Buffalo. The Supreme Growl was a lengthy affair with so many bylaw proposals, some of which were unnecessarily redundant and, in my humble opinion, unnecessary in the first place. Isn't democracy great???

Kudos to Chief Spicer for doing his best to get the business out of the way and allow for a little fun. That's why most of our members attend growls...to do a little howling! Congratulations to all Dogs who stepped up and contributed to the Children's Hospital Fund. Due to a few glitches throughout the year, some Pounds, Packs, and individuals may not have contributed by the end of the fiscal year to count for this year's bone box, but I think a donation of 40,000 Big Bones was very much appreciated in Buffalo!

Thanks to all who let loose of some bones for the good of the cause while in Buffalo. Let's start right now and help surprise the designated children's hospital in Billings, Montana with a huge donation next August!

It is truly an HONOR to be a DEVIL DOG!

Semper Woof,

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PCDD C.O. Smith

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Police Dog hunted d'em bones at the Supreme Growl like a Champ!

WOOF WOOF!

As your Kennel Police Dog, I value your continued belief in my ability to fill this office. I would like to thank all those Dogs who stepped up to assist me at the Supreme Growl as Deputy Police Dogs. As the Devil Dogs are the "Fun and Honor Society" of the Marine Corps League, I am happy to relate that a copious amount of FUN, with honor, was had by all the Dogs in Buffalo. Those of you with pictures, please, please, please, hit "delete" on your phones.

A Great Big "WOOF WOOF" to Mad Dog Minton for his creativity and energy displayed during the initiation process of the Kennel's newest Pedigreed Devil Dogs; an event the new PDD's will surely remember with smiles and a few chagrins.

Congratulations to Chief Devil Dog, Leonard Spicer! During his first year as Chief, the pounds and packs stepped up their contributions under his leadership which allowed for a very sizeable donation to be made to the local Children's Hospital in Buffalo, NY.

I'm an extremely proud of my own Pound for receiving the Passport Challenge Award (again). Way to go...Landis-McCleafe, Pound It up Yours #132 (PA Pack)! Hope to see lots of Dogs at the 2019 Mid-Winter Conference's Mini-Growl in Fredericksburg, VA. Make your reservations now. (:

PDD Rodney Hoffman

Kennel Police Dog



Kennel Executive Director has a few barks for you...

Woof Woof to all Dogs,

Congratulations to the 124 new PDDs of the Order. As the ritual states for some of you this has been a long journey, other just a few years. You all have earned the degree of Pedigreed Devil Dog. Be very proud of your accomplishment, not all Dogs earn this high degree.

Now down to business. The Kennel 990 has been filed with the IRS and as required by the Marine Corps League Bylaws / Administrative Procedures a complete copy of the first page has been forwarded to Marine Corps League National Headquarters. All Packs and Pounds need to file a complete copy of the first page of their 990 or a copy of your Acceptance Receipt to the Kennel Dog Robber. He has to report to these to Marine Corps League National Headquarters in January. Please help us fully comply with the IRS reporting requirements.

Forms! Following the Supreme Growl in Buffalo the hard copy forms in the Kennel Dog House and on the Convention floor were destroyed. Please use the forms on the Kennel website.

<http://moddkennel.org/Publications/Forms/tabid/239/Default.aspx> Remember Internet Explorer does not play well with Adobe. Please use Google or Firefox when using these forms.

As always I am standing by on ALL paws to assist the Kennel Staff and Dogs of the Order.

Leanna L. Dietrich

PCDD Leanna L. Dietrich

The 56th Chief Devil Dog ~ Kennel Executive Director



The children, families and staff of the John R. Oishei Children's Hospital in Buffalo were all smiles after receiving our **\$40,000** Passport donation. INCREDIBLE! Thank you Dogs!

All is well in the New England Division...

New England Division Vice Chief Cherie Monnell-September 4, 2018

Attended the MCL National in Buffalo NY- due to Mother Nature causing problems I missed the first 2 days of watching the New England Devil Dogs running around. Caught up with some of them on Tuesday afternoon.

Worked with Honorable Kennel Dog Robber Joppa to get 2 pups back into the Mass Pack with an advancement to Devil Dog. They were infused with energy to get back with their Pack. After spending some time with those two I can see them racking up the fines, hope they have their bones ready.

New England had quite a few advancing to PDD and attending their first National. We also have some Special Growls coming up to advance some DD to PDD with the approval of the Kennel & Chief.

Just a quick note that Past New England Division VCDD Frank Diekmann has had a relapse, is now out of ICU and has a long recovery time. He cannot receive visitors or phone calls at this time as he needs his rest. Will put out a message when he is able to receive both visitors & phone calls.

Woof-Woof

PDD Cherie Monnell

New England Vice Chief Devil Dog

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Members of the Cpl Reynolds Det of the MCL and Tazmanian Devil Dog, Pound 227 of Freehold NJ gathered to surprise 92 Yr Old PDD John Meziekien with a 2018 Past Chiefs Award. Members present are:
Sitting is PDD Meziekien;
Standing from left to right are:
PDD Ray Ries Jr.,
PDD Jim Donechie,
51st Chief Devil Dog Don Garland presenting the award
and PDD Tim Rohan.
CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Southern Division is busy so leave a message...



WOOF, WOOF! A barking great time was had at the Supreme Growl in Buffalo, New York. Forty thousand big bones were given to the Children's Hospital in Buffalo. Great job done by all pounds and packs of the Southern Division.

Some changes were made to the by-laws and will require the Dogs of the Southern Division to change their mind-set as all reports are now due in March rather than June. A reminder that the Dog Robber needs the reports, installation of officers, IRS 990N form, and the yearly verification of incorporation documents. Again, they are all due in March.

Chief Spicer brought up some good points at the Staff Growl, mentioning that the Pound can only be as strong as the detachment. We need to support both activities and ensure the detachment is in good shape prior to creating a Pound. If we make the growls fun and interesting, more league members will want to join the Devil Dogs and remain participating members.

PDD Ken Price

SDVCDD

North West Division barks and howls at the moon...

NW Division had 3 advancements at the Supreme Growl this year in Buffalo. During my travels this year to Grand Growls for Washington, Idaho, Montana and Oregon there are many who will be going to Billings Montana next year to advance.

I was able to attend the Grand Growls in all states except Alaska, who does not currently have any Pounds.

Great time was had by all and the new Officers have been installed and ROI's have been submitted to Kennel.

Keep recruiting the Marine Corps League members when they are eligible to join the Pounds and contact the members you have not seen for awhile. Sometimes they just need a friendly reminder that it has been awhile since they have attended.

Semper Woof

PDD Bonnie Holden

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We have a new Ops Dog

Woof-Woof to all Dogs. The Supreme Growl and National Convention are now behind us. If you came I know you all had a great time and if you missed it, next year we have the mini growl at Mid-Winter (early March) that all Dogs can enjoy and then off to Montana in August. We had a total of 402 Dogs register and 124 Devil Dogs advanced to Pedigreed. There were also 3 PUPs that advanced to Devil Dog, thanks to the Chief. There were also a few Dogs that came in late that wanted to go up but were not able to. Remember Dogs, it's up to you to know when you need to be registered. Ask your Dog Robbers but always double check for yourselves. All Dogs advancing need to be registered in the Dog House by 5:00 pm on Monday (of the week of Convention).

I would like to thank the prior Kennel Operations Dog Ray Carrier for having the confidence in me to become your current Kennel Operations Dog. I have some big shoes to fill to keep the Dog House running smooth for the Convention and Conference.

Woof-Woof,

PDD Lynn F Sabel

Kennel Operations Dog



Barking Dog needs your input & assistance...

Please put the following date in your calendar for the deadline for input to the WOG:

December 15th, 2018

This will ensure that it is published online by Dec 31st.

Many thanks to all dogs who shared stories and pictures for the Summer WOG. Your stories are interesting proof of the great work we do for children. Some of the ideas I see for raising bones are crazy and over the top funny. Keep it up! This year's Supreme Growl was a tribute to the 100th Anniversary of our naming from the Battles in Belleau Wood.

A friendly reminder for those dogs who wish to receive the quarterly WOGs via the post office, then you have to let your Pound Dog Robber know so that a request can be sent to the Kennel Dog Robber's mailing list. It costs nothing and you get the WOGs delivered right to your doghouse.

I wish to welcome aboard all the new Kennel Officers who raised their paws in Buffalo to be a part of the Leadership. Luckily, we now have a few more Honorable Deputy Dogs to support and to assist us in our many duties. With that being said, a hearty paw pat on the back to our new Deputy Barking Dog, PDD Lewis Rice from the NC Pack. That means we have the country covered from coast to coast for the barks of the Kennel.

Well, until the next WOG, happy trails and dry tails to all dogs of the KENNEL!

Woofingly submitted,

PDD Otter

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PDD Lewis Rice III

Deputy Barking Dog

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Pictured above: Louis Levi Oakes during the 95th National Convention held at the Buffalo Niagara Convention Center, Buffalo, NY on 12-18 August 2018. Currently 95 years young, he is the sole-surviving Akwesasne Mohawk WWII Code Talker to receive recognition for valor while engaged in military operations, and with the National Youth Physical Fitness Chairman Sgt. Major Devell Durham (retired) and Kennel Deputy Barking Dog, PDD Lewis Rice III. OHHRAH!

Mile high barks sound better in the Rocky Mountain Division

"Retreat, Hell! We just got here!"

Woof! Woof!

Hope everyone has had a chance to clear the cobwebs from their dog houses after being at convention for a week! It was great being in Buffalo again seeing some old friends and avoiding others! I'm looking forward to seeing everyone again at the Mid-Winter conference in 2019, back in Fredericksburg, VA again this year, February 28-March 2. If you can attend, it's a great sight to see. And you get to see how a Mini-Supreme growl works if you are not a PDD!

I will be visiting as many Pack and Pound growls of the RMDIV as possible the next few months, and I'm looking forward to all those Installation reports! Take pictures of the elections, it's a high honor to be elected to the pound/pack! Please keep me informed of the dates ahead of time and I'll RSVP when I can and I'll take pictures! I'm here to help, just let me know how!

Devil Dogs, start working on your paperwork for promotion to PDD in beautiful Billings, Montana! Make sure it's in on time, and if you are NOT part of a Pack, i.e. Utah and Wyoming, you can get promoted to DD in Billings as well. Look around at your next staff meeting and see who isn't part of the MODD and invite them to a growl! (Check with your Pound Keeper first and make sure it's a fun time!)

Here's to getting BIG things done this year for the kennel! **If you're not having fun, you're not doing it right! WOOF WOOF!**

PDD Phil Price

VCDD Rocky Mountain Division

Kennel Dog Robber's Report

The Supreme Growl is over and it is time for elections to take place in the Pounds across the Kennel. The bylaws require them to occur within 3 months following the Supreme Growl. Some Pounds are holding elections in the spring when the League holds their elections. This is **wrong**, our bylaws are different and must be followed. Installation reports need to be sent to me so the Kennel records can be updated and the Pack and Division Vice for your area know who to contact and how to do it. Please note that the installation form has been updated and may be found on the Kennel web site in an interactive format. Please use it.

The bylaws now require that all Pounds and Packs be incorporated in their state as a non-profit corporation. If you have not done this please get on it. There is a fine and possible suspension of your charter if it is not done.

The IRS form 990 must be filed annually, if your filing is not up to date make sure it is taken care of. If it is not the IRS will revoke your non-profit status and it is very expensive and a lot of trouble to gain reinstatement. Check the installation report in the Scratchings to check on your Pound or Packs status.

Passport fees should be sent in after each growl as required by the bylaws. These fees should not be held as they belong to the children's hospital fund and Kennel can get a little bit of interest off them if they are deposited in our account. It also lets us know that you are holding growls and being active.

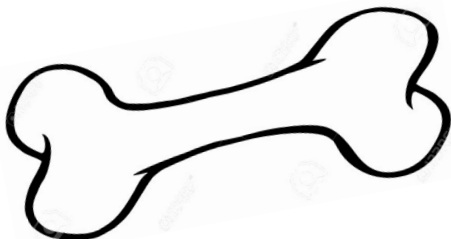
It is also time to get your dues paid. The membership year ended on Aug 31. If you are not a life member you need to pay dues for 2019. Please get with your Dog Robber and take care of this vital matter. Some members have not paid dues for some time and were dropped from the rolls on Sept 1. **Dropped members totaled 451.** This dropped our membership down to 5547. If you are in this status you may not wear MODD insignia or ribbons. To be reinstated, Kennel back dues for a maximum of 3 years and reinstatement fees for a maximum of 3 years must be paid along with dues for the current year.

The Supreme Growl was well attended and 124 DD's were elevated to PDD status. In past years we have never had a way to let those who plan to advance know that their paperwork had been received. I now post that list to the Kennel Web Site.

So look there and if you are not listed contact your Dog Robber or Pack Dog Robber to make sure it is sent in by July 1.

Congratulations to all the new PDDs.

Please see the scratchings for more information on what took place in Buffalo.



WOOF WOOF
Respectfully submitted,
Stephen C. Joppa
Stephen C. Joppa
Kennel Dog Robber

South East Division needs some help after Hurricane Flo...

Woof Woof to all Dawgs from SED:

I did not make it to Buffalo because of my ticker problem which a pacemaker resolved! Also, my wife had major surgery the same day I had my pacemaker put in. I'm sure that all Dawgs of the Order had a barking good time as usual! I will be at Mid-Winter and working to make the magnificent seven live up to its name! Please help keep the Pound and Pack Officer installation reports up to date as we need to know who without sniffing around so much!

Please keep everyone in your thoughts and prayers as Hurricane Florence comes ashore. Feel free to call if there is anything we need to bark at or about.

SEDVCDD

PDD Randy Barnes

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Kennel Lucky Dog had some incredible prizes!!!

Woof! Woof!

I hope everyone who attended the Convention in Buffalo, NY had a great time! I hadn't been to that area since I was a child, so it was exciting to go back. Some of us went on the Maid of the Mist and I'll have to say, it was so breathtaking to be right below the falls! I highly recommend it to anyone who is up that way!

Now that the Supreme Growl is over, I want to congratulate all who moved up to Pedigreed. I hope that you had a great time, and that you're happy that you don't have to do it again! I'm already looking forward to Billings, Montana next year. It's another place I've never been and I always enjoy seeing everyone.

I don't have much to report at this time. Be sure to sign up and attend the Mid-Winter Conference! I'll be hanging around as always!

Respectively yours,

PDD Evie Remines

Kennel Lucky Dog

The Mounted Police of Buffalo kept an eye on all of us during the National Convention.



Our Dog Trainer is a breath of fresh air...From above...

am*bi*tion NOUN

A strong desire to do or to achieve something, typically requiring determination and hard work

Synonyms: aim, aspiration, design, dream, goal, intent, intention, object, objective, plan, target, wish

Desire and determination to achieve success

Synonyms: a sense of purpose, commitment, determination, drive, eagerness, enterprise, enthusiasm, get-up-and-go, hunger, initiative, motivation, zeal

What ambitions do YOU have? I am not talking about, as an example, successfully putting on another Toys for Tots campaign. The ambition I am talking about is the one that gets you out of bed on days when you do not want to face the day and the challenges that it will bring you, when all you want to do is roll over and wish it will all be gone when you opened your eyes again.

"Harley", my service dog turns seven (7) on the 7th of May. I will have at that point, if I am blessed with them, have another three (3) to four (4) more years with her by my side. We joined the Marine Corps League, Inc., shortly before she turned two (2), and the Military Order of the Devil Dogs, Inc., shortly before she was three (3). That means very simply, my entire time I have been amongst you Dogs, I have had her. Eventually, as age catches up with her, as it does us all, it will be too much for her to come with me. Whether it is the travel from our home Pack of California to another Pack across our magnificent Nation, or the sleepless hours she spends taking care of me when I cannot sleep in my hotel room or in our dog house back home.

My ambition, the thing that burns inside of me that refuses to let me not face the challenges of the day, on days when I wish the world would disappear from existence is to arrive at point in time when her time as my service dog is over, I will not need to seek out the aide of another service dog. I realize that is an incredibly lofty goal, and maybe I reach it. Maybe I do not. Either way, I know that I much rather would miss it by 100 yards, than never tried aiming for it.

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South West Division is still on fire!!!

SEMPER WOOFING TO ALL THE DOGS OF THE ORDER FROM THE SOUTHWEST DIVISION!

It's starting to cool off out here-fall is finally coming! There are still a couple of fires burning but no hurricanes or floods, thank the good Lord. This ol' cur didn't make the Supreme Growl this year because my leash had a knot in it that I couldn't untie, but I certainly intend to bring some bones to Mid-winter for the Mini-Growl, which is usually a howl.

Having said that let's see if I can update all on what's been going on around these parts. Since the last WOG I've had the unique pleasure of being robbed of my meager bone stash at one Grand Growl of the Pack at least four Pound Growls. Believe me, all the Pups, Devil Dogs & Pedigrees I've met have lived up to the "fun" part of the "Fun and Honor" tradition. A howling good time was had by all.

As far as I can tell we're finally getting a handle on the many fires burning in this great state. Our dogs send their best wishes to everyone in a state of emergency of any kind.

Woofing,

SWD VCDD PDD Villalobos

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Quartermaster brought new stuff to Buffalo!

Woof Woof all you DOGS,

The Supreme Growl in Buffalo, NY was a great success for the Quartermaster Store. We had huge sales and are currently out of numerous items, but have them on order or we have received them and shipping them out now. A few things that will take some time are Large Vests, both embroidered and plain. We do have fabric on order so be patient and we will get them to you soon.

All of our new items were a HUGE success in Buffalo, from the FREEDOM POLO's (sold out), Jersey's, Wind shirts to the 100th anniversary of Belleau Wood patch's, coins and polo's; we sold lots of them. (See Merchandise Page 18)

Check out the Kennel website at www.moddkennel.org and then click on the Quartermaster link to see all the new items this year. If you have a suggestion call or email at kennelquartermaster@gmail.com and give us those suggestions.

Semper Barking!!!

PDD Wendy Zamora

Our Kennel Vet knows what the heck he's barking about...Go Doc Ware!

We can all look back with fond memories of the Supreme Growl in Buffalo. I am sure those Devil Dogs who moved up to Pedigreed Devil Dog enjoyed their experience. The Kennel staff and all the troop handlers made it fun and that's exactly what the Dogs are all about. Anytime you travel to a Marine Corps League or MODD event it's just like a reunion of friends, and the fun and camaraderie make it that much more meaningful. You know you had a good time while traveling back home as that smile keeps coming back and drives you to come back again and again. Make . Making new friendships and seeing old friends makes it hard to stay away and we plan on attending our next meeting or convention. Many of us are climbing those steps up that age ladder, and sharing some humor, wit and stories of our adventures keeps us young and alive. It's hard to just live in the moment as many of us have multiple medical problems and can't get around like our days of yesteryear. Among us are Marines who made history, yet they did not write a book or star in a movie, but they did those deeds that one could be written about. PTSD and depression effect many of our members because Marines are trained to close with the enemy, kick ass and take names. One of the best remedies for dealing with PTSD is humor, so let's continue making our Growls fun as this keeps our dogs coming back for more and more. You owe it to all your dogs, so make each Growl meaningful as they should be way more than just business as usual. Plan your skits, create that fun, and like they say in Vegas, "What happens in Vegas stays in Vegas." Your Growls should be the same. If they don't have any fun, folks will not come. So get on the stick, and make things fun so your members will brag about the fun they had and will look forward to the next Growl. Bring your fun just in case no one else brings theirs. Be active, get famous and send in those bones to the Kennel. Start making your plans to attend the Mid Winter Staff Conference, February 28 through March 2, 2019 in Fredericksburg, VA. Billings, Montana will be the host city for the 2019 National Convention so go ahead and make your hotel arrangements. Take care of yourself, your family and the dogs you love.

Woof,

Roger "Doc" Ware

Kennel Vet



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SUPREME GROWL 2018

AUGUST 16, 2018

The Growl was opened at 1300 by Chief Spicer with the usual ceremony.

Dignitaries in attendance included Past Chiefs: Williams, Taylor, Lent, Fisk, Garland, Smith and Dietrich along with HCDD Severn. National Commandant Webb was introduced.

Kennel Dogs of the Year PCDD Lent, PCDD Williams, PDD Terry, HPCD Severn, PCDD C. O. Smith, PCDD Dietrich, PDD Hazlett, PDD McClain, PDD Remines and PDD Jones.

A Montford Point Marine was recognized.

CDD Spicer stated that there is a thin line between having a good time and being disruptive.

The growl was dedicated to PDD Munson and all others that have passed this year.

Sickness and Distress:

A memorial service was held for all who have passed.

Scratchings were published on the web and in the WOG. Move to accept PDD Terry, 2nd PCDD Garland; Passed.

Reports:

Chief In book. Welcomed all the new PDD's. The hospital donation was \$40,000. Donations were accepted from Pound 350, \$2000, Pound 062, \$250, Pound 330, \$500, Pound 204, \$500 and Pound 333 \$500.

Sr. Vice In report book. We are losing a lot of members, go out and get fresh blood. Congratulation to all of the new PDD's.

Jr. Vice In report book. Stated that the sweepstakes income goes to the general fund not the passport account.

Smart Dog In book.

Mad Dog In book. 124 new PDD's today. Platoon 10 won 1st place.

Dog Trainer In book.

Police Dog The patch on your cover needs to be sewn on correctly.

Jr. Past Chief In report book.

Dog Robber In report book.

Exec Director PCDD Douglas Fisk: The P&L statement is available on the back table. He announced that PCDD Leanna Dietrich is the new Executive Director to take his place. Approved by Chief Spicer.

Operations Dog He is retiring. PDD Sable will take over the position.

The PDD's that won honors within their platoon were: 1st Platoon, PDD Dick Jennings, 2nd PDD Rust, 3rd PDD Jabr, 4th PDD Benner, 5th PDD Francis, 6th PDD Manchester, 7th PDD Kozerow, 8th PDD Rendell, 9th PDD Porter, 10th PDD Westervelt. The honor platoon went to Platoon 9.

Legal Beagle No report her work is confidential.

Awards: Pounds 3rd place 001 NJ, 2nd 289 SD, 1st 180 CO Packs 3rd TN, 2nd SD, 1st MT

Divisions 3rd NW, 2nd SW, 1st MDW.

Pack Dog Robber of the year PDD Stephen Fleming from ME.

Pound Dog Robber of the year PDD Michael Black NC.

Passport bones: Pounds: 3rd 333 MD, 2nd 370 NC, 1st 132 PA; Packs: 3rd MO, 2nd PA, 1st IL

A passport was auctioned for \$50.

Bylaws: Note that the proposed bylaws are attached to this document.

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No 1: Section 203 to ensure the proper chain of command. Accept PDD Reeling, 2nd PDD Hazlett; Passed.

Sr. Vice Chief Devil Dog thanks you for your support...

Woof, woof to all Dogs of the Order,

I had a great time at the National Convention and Supreme Growl in Buffalo and it was great to see all of you who attended. I know that we managed to do some walking, but the 40,000 Big Bones we donated to the kids did the talking. My many thanks to all who made that donation possible; I am sure the kids will benefit greatly from your continued kindness, hard work, and donations to the Children's Hospital.

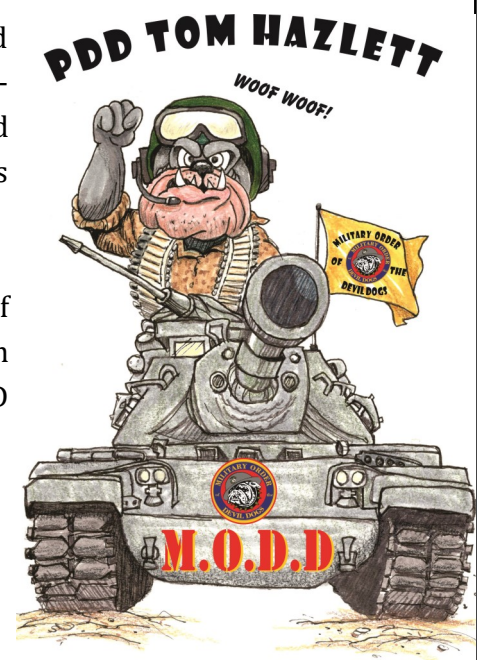
Because of the problems faced by some of the Devil Dogs who sought advancement to PDD but were not able to do so because of their inability to be checked into the Dog House by 1700 on Monday prior to the Supreme Growl, I encourage all Dog Robbers to read the requirements for Dogs wishing to advance to PDD. It was a shame that we had several Dogs turned away because they failed to report in when required. Dog Robbers, as stated in the Kennel Bylaws, it is your responsibility to make your Dogs aware of the requirements necessary to obligate to any level as well as providing "correct" information pertaining to the Bylaws covering those requirements. Dogs of the Order, you should also read the Bylaws or other information available that pertains to advancement to Devil Dog or Pedigreed Devil Dog. To the Pack Dog Robbers, shame on this for taking place; please keep your Dogs aware of all requirements pertaining to advancements and stay on top of your jobs. We do so many awesome things and this places a blemish on the desire of Dogs to continue as members of the Order.

Since I am barking about membership; I recently was provided the 452 names of Dogs that were dropped off the Kennel Roster. There are so many Pups that have failed to renew their memberships. This to me is a shame because it makes me believe that their expectations about being a Dog have not been met. I will check the Drops with the list of Dogs reporting into our Heavenly Father; once that is done, I will be contacting the Pounds and Packs of the Order to whom these Dogs belong to as well as contacting each individual Dog to see why they dropped out. Please, contact each of your Dogs who failed to pay their dues and find out why they dropped out. Also remember, if you keep it fun, they will come!

My best wishes to all Dogs of the Order, have fun in your Growls; Pack Leaders and Pound Keepers, be creative in having fun. We should be bringing in new members because our current Dogs are inviting members of their Detachments who work hard to support their Detachments and who want to belong to the Fun and Honor Society of the Marine Corps League. Again, the key is to have fun, and if you do, we will see a decrease in our drops and an increase in our membership.

Keep our Sick and In Distress Dogs in thought and please pray for our Deployed Military members, especially those who are deployed in Harm's Way. I look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at the Mid-Winter Conference and hopefully some of you at the Modern Day Marine event in Quantico later this September.

Semper Woof
Tom
Sr. Vice Chief DD



Jr. Vice CDD has been travelling to & fro...

I'll call this my mea culpa article as I correct a couple of mistakes on my part, one from my article in the Summer WOG and the other from my report for the 79th Supreme Growl Kennel Reports Book.

Accordingly, I would like to throw BIG BARKS out to PDD Ralph Bruno who spotted my error in the Summer WOG and took the time to email me to insure I was aware of my error. As I responded to PDD Bruno, it was gratifying to receive confirmation that Dogs of the Order are actually reading the WOG. For all the years I have been writing various articles or reports for Detachment, Pound, Pack and Kennel publications, I believe this is the first time I have received a comment on any of them. So again, thank you to PDD Bruno and all of the other Dogs out there who take the time to peruse our WOG and keep me on my paws while also keeping up on the latest happenings in the Order, WOOF, WOOF!

Now, time for my sheepish grin and first correction. In the Summer WOG while reflecting on my trip to Belleau Wood I wrote, "...as compared to what it must have been like a 100 years ago while our brothers were making the ultimate sacrifice as they stopped the Allies advance on Paris." Obviously, I should have written "...Central Powers advance on Paris."

In the 79th Supreme Growl Kennel Reports Book I wrote of funds from the annual Sweepstakes being used for the Children's Hospital fund which is incorrect, the funds from the annual Sweepstakes go to the Kennel's general fund and are utilized for various purposes in the operation of the Kennel. Passport fees continue to be the primary source of funds for the annual charity which, as stated in the Kennel Bylaws, "...will be presented first, to a Children's Hospital in the convention city..." Subsequently, the more Growls we all attend, the greater positive impact we have on the annual Kennel charity. Now that takes care of my mea culpa's and hopefully clears up any confusion I may have caused.

I should point out that many Pounds and Packs around the country also continue to utilize other fundraising ideas to come up with additional bones which they send in specifically designated for the selected annual charity. During the Supreme Growl alone, Southern Crescent Pound donated \$2,000, SEMO Devil Dogs gave \$500 and another Pound, who's name I did not catch, (sorry Dogs), gave \$250 all designated for the annual charity. Central MO Pound, to which I belong, always rounds up what we send in for passport fees, so, if we have 21 Dogs at a Growl we send in 30 big bones. Every little bit helps and I know there are many other Pounds and Packs out there with other great ideas they use to come up with additional bones to add to their contribution. Which probably had a lot to do with the 40,000 BIG BONES given to the selected Children's Hospital this year – GREAT JOB DOGS, WOOF, WOOF!

Now, Big Barks to all the Dogs who had a paw in making the 79th Supreme Growl a howling success. Buffalo and other New York Dogs pulled out all the stops and it showed and was greatly appreciated! Congratulation to our 124 new Pedigreed Devil Dogs who came and proved their mettle throughout their initiation process with energy and esprit de corps!

K-9 kudos to all the Dogs who participated in the Kennel's various fund-raisers associated with the Supreme Growl. It appeared that you kept the Kennel Lucky Dog and her deputies as busy as you kept me. If you were not able to attend the Supreme Growl or otherwise did not have a chance to pick up the great looking challenge coin commemorating the 100th Anniversary of the Battle of Belleau Wood, the remaining coins are now in the paws of our Quartermaster and available for purchase at www.moddkennel.org, you won't want to miss this one.

Take care Dogs and keep up all of your great work! I look forward to seeing you at the all dogs Kennel Mini-Growl on March 2, 2018 at the Mid-Winter National Conference in Fredericksburg, VA.

Semper Latratus!
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Jr. Vice Chief Devil Dog
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79th Supreme Growl Fun & Games had by all new PDDs



Above: Platoons at the ready for their initiation games.

Right: Kennel Lucky Dog PDD Evie Remines cheers on Plt 3 with their guidon.

Below: Jr. VCDD PDD Sanning & Sr. VCDD PDD Hazlett ae all about having fun and making the Supreme Growl FUN!!!





Above: The MCLA smiles and laughs as they wait for the fun to begin in Buffalo. Thank you Ladies for all that you do!

Right: PDDs Jones & Thomason from NC Pack were awarded the National Marine of the Year & Kennel Dog of the Year respectfully. Way to Go!!!

Below: Speaking of the NC Pack, they had a great showing at the Supreme Growl & National Convention. They have a lot of work to do when they get home after Florence wrecked havoc on their dens. You are in our thoughts as you recover from this.



(cont. from pg. 15) No 2: Same as No 1 but for Pack Section 303. Move to accept PDD Reeling, 2nd PDD Miller; Passed
 No 3: Add new section requiring EIN. Move to accept PDD Laskey, 2nd PDD Miller; Passed.
 No 4: Changes to uniform. Move to accept PDD Jones, 2nd PDD Schneider, Failed. The change is rejected.
 No 5: To put past chiefs in charge of selecting the Exc. Dir. Move to reject PCDD Williams, 2nd PDD Gill passed. The change is rejected.
 No 6: Change to the Dog Trainer duties to reflect what is actually done. Adopt PDD Schneider, 2nd PCDD Garland; Passed.
 No 7: Describes Pound default. Move to adopt PDD Miller, 2nd PDD Hazlett; Passed.
 No 8: Pack default. Move to adopt PDD Laskey, 2nd PDD Bledsoe. Failed. The change is rejected.
 No 9: Require EIN with charter application. Move to reject PDD Schneider, 2nd PDD Hartley passed. The change is rejected.
 No 10: Require the fiscal year to be same as Kennel. Move to adopt PDD Bledsoe, 2nd PDD Hightower failed. The change is rejected.
 No 11: Require incorporation with the charter application. Move to reject PDD Schneider, 2nd PDD Hartley; Passed. The change is rejected.
 No 12: Require reports of 990 to go to paymaster of Dept. Move to reject PDD Reeling, 2nd PDD Hackbarth; Passed. The change is rejected.
 No 13: Withdrawn by the maker.
 PCDD Williams read a history of Belleau Wood.
 PDD Hazlett moved to accept all reports, 2nd PDD Hackbarth; Passed.

Election:

Chief: CDD Spicer	Sr Vice: PDD Hazlett	Jr Vice: PDD Sanning
Smart Dog: PDD Krueger	Dog Trainer: PDD Rowell	Mad Dog: PDD Minton
Police Dog: PDD Hoffman		

There being no opposition all were elected and sworn in by PCDD Smith.

Raffles:

50/50 won by PDD Pfister \$457	Sunday initiate winner PDD Michael Vernon
K-bar won by PDD Ken Parker	Silver \$ won by PDD Robert Sundling

Sweepstake winners: \$5 tickets, 1st Leonard Stepler, 2nd Kurt Kurandt of AZ, 3rd H Detering

\$1 tickets, 1st PDD Joe Balint, 2nd Tim Magee, 3rd PCDD Taylor

Shadow box was won by PCDD Dietrich

Commendations:

PDD Carrier	PDD Ware	PDD Hightower	PCDD Fisk	Jimmie Winder
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Appreciation:

Barrett Hinkel	Jamey Richardson	The growl was closed with the usual ceremony.
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Past Chiefs Awards:

PDD Allen Ferguson	PDD John Maziekien Jr	PDD Warren Griffen	PDD Alan Sanning
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At the banquet, the Dog of the Year was revealed to be PDD Rick Thomason of PD 210, NC Pack.

WOOF WOOF

Respectfully submitted,	<i>Stephen C. Joppa</i>	Stephen C. Joppa	Kennel Dog Robber
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Merchandise Price List



EFFECTIVE AUGUST 2018

Code	Description	Price	Code	Description	Price
App 01	Golf Shirt; Blk, Red, White, Grn, Blue	\$ 36.00	AWD 23	MODD Cert w/Foil Logo Black	\$ 2.00
App 03	MODD Baseball Cap, Black,Red,Wh	\$ 12.00	AWD 24	MODD Cert w/Foil Logo Color	\$ 2.00
App 04	Mock Turtleneck, Jersey White Only	\$ 32.00	AWD 25	Pack DOY Certificate	\$ 2.00
App 05	Sweat Shirt Navy w/EGA "USMC"	\$ 30.00	AWD 26	Pound DOY Certificate	\$ 2.00
App 07	T-Shirt Red or Gold	\$ 11.00	AWD 27	Pack DOY Large Medal	\$ 15.00
App 12	Vest, Red size S to 4xl	\$ 46.00	AWD 28	Pound DOY Large Medal	\$ 15.00
App 13	Blue Denim Shirt w/MODD S/S	\$ 35.00	AWD 29	Award Presentation Folder	\$ 2.00
App 16	Black Denim Shirt w/MODD S/S	\$ 35.00	AWD 30	MODD Life Membership Certificate	\$ 2.00
App 17	Vest, Red w/MODD Logo on Back	\$ 78.00	AWD 31	MODD Cert w/foil logo only - color	\$ 2.00
App 18	Jacket Black w/MODD on Back	\$ 80.00	BUC 1	Buckle, These Colors Don't Run	\$ 13.00
App 20	MODD Beret, Black,Red, Gold, Camo	\$ 25.00	BUC 2	Buckle, USMC w/M-16	\$ 13.00
App 24	Jacket Red w/MODD on Back	\$ 80.00	BUC 3	Buckle, Onyx w/Bulldog Head	\$ 30.00
App 31	Misc Baseball Caps	\$ 12.00	Flag 2	Flag, USMC w/Bulldog 3' x 5'	\$ 7.50
App 39	Shirt, White w/MODD Logo on Back	\$ 42.00	Flag 6	Flag, USMC 3' x 5'	\$ 7.50
App 40	Jacket, Gold Heavy w/MODD Logo	\$ 80.00	Flag 10	Flag, MIA/POW 3' x 5'	\$ 7.50
App 42	Windshirt Black or Red w/MODD	\$ 35.00	Flag 11	Flag, USN 3'x 5'	\$ 7.50
App 43	Jersey Red or Black w/MODD	\$ 30.00	Flag 12	Flag, USA 3'x 5'	\$ 7.50
App 44	MODD Baseball Cap, Blk w/Gld Brim	\$ 15.00	MAS 2	Magnet, "I Love My Marine Bulldog"	\$ 3.00
App 45	Red Shirt w/100th Anniv. Patch	\$ 30.00	MAS 22	Magnet, MODD Logo 6" Square	\$ 7.50
App 46	Black Skull Cap w/MODD	\$ 12.00	MAS 26	Magnet, 12" Round USMC Logo	\$ 10.00
App 47	Black Knit Cap w/MODD	\$ 12.00	MAS 27	Magnet, USMC Emblem 3 1/2"	\$ 5.00
App 49	Freedom Polo w/MODD	\$ 40.00	MAS 43	MODD Blazer Crest w/Pins	\$ 18.00
AWD 01	Disc w/MODD Pk/Pd Awards	\$ 18.00	MAS 44	MODD Blazer Crest w/o Pins	\$ 17.00
AWD 02	Pack Dog of the Year Plaque	\$ 30.00	MAS 46	Marine Brat Dog Tag	\$ 12.00
AWD 03	Pound Dog of the Year Plaque	\$ 30.00	MAS 56	Hitch Cover	\$ 10.00
AWD 04	Pack DOY Lapel Pin	\$ 3.50	MAS 57	Spring Assisted Knife	\$ 12.00
AWD 05	Pound DOY Lapel Pin	\$ 3.50	MAS 58	Knife w/tactile pen set	\$ 30.00
AWD 06	Pack DOY Mini Medal	\$ 12.50	MAS 59	Dog Tag Knife	\$ 5.00
AWD 07	Pound DOY Mini Medal	\$ 12.50	MAS 60	Camo Knife Blade	\$ 12.00
AWD 08	Pack DOY Ribbon	\$ 5.00	MAS 61	Oklahoma Challenge Coin	\$ 10.00
AWD 09	Pound DOY Ribbon	\$ 5.00	MAS 62	USMC Fixed Blade w/sheath	\$ 25.00
AWD 10	Pack Leader Comm Ribbon	\$ 2.00	MAS 64	Devil Dog Challenge Coin	\$ 10.00
AWD 11	Pack Leader Comm Certificate	\$ 2.00	MAS 65	Kansas Challenge Coin	\$ 10.00
AWD 12	Pound Keeper Comm Ribbon	\$ 2.00	MAS 66	100th Anniversary Challenge Coin	\$ 12.00
AWD 13	Pound Keeper Comm Certificate	\$ 2.00	MAS 69	New York Challenge Coin	\$ 12.00
AWD 14	Past Pack Leader Large Medal	\$ 15.00	MAS 70	Bulldog Stress Reliever	\$ 6.00
AWD 15	Past Pack Leader Mini Medal	\$ 12.50	NPK 1	New Pup Kit (****)	\$ 20.00
AWD 16	Past Pound Keeper Large Medal	\$ 15.00	Pass	MODD Passport	\$ 5.00
AWD 17	Past Pound Keeper Mini Medal	\$ 12.50	Pat 1	MODD Cap Patch (Official)	\$ 3.00
AWD 18	MODD Certificate of Appreciation	\$ 2.00	Pat 2	MODD Shoulder Patch (Official)	\$ 4.00
AWD 19	Past Pack Leader Ribbon	\$ 2.00	Pat 3	Patch White w/Bulldog Head	\$ 3.00
AWD 20	Past Pound Keeper Ribbon	\$ 2.00	Pat 4	Patch Red w/Bulldog Head	\$ 3.00
AWD 21	MODD Distinguished Service Award	\$ 2.00	Pat 5	Patch "DEVIL DOG" Letters Only	\$ 3.00
AWD 22	MODD Certificate f/All Occasion	\$ 2.00	Pat 6	MODD 8 1/2" Cap Patch Design	\$ 30.00

Code	Description	Price	Code	Description	Price
Pat 7	Bulldog w/Green Helmet	\$ 3.50	Pin 8	Rubber Back t/Pins (30 per pack)	\$ 2.50
Pat 11	MODD Patch 10" w/Letters	\$ 35.00	Pub 1	Kennel By Laws w/changes	\$ 6.00
Pat 12	Hollywood Marine Patch	\$ 5.00	Pub 2	Kennel Ritual (Large Edition)	\$ 3.00
Pat 13	Parris Island Patch	\$ 5.00	Pub 4	Dog Robbers Manual	\$ 3.50
Pat 14	Patch, USMC Emblem 9 1/2 Round	\$ 12.00	Pub 5	Bulldog Sketch 8 1/2" x 11"	\$ 2.00
Pat 15	Patch USMC Emblem 6" x 8"	\$ 12.00	Pub 6	MODD Logo Inside Decal	\$ 2.00
Pat 16	USMC Bulldog 1775 x 10"	\$ 13.00	Pub 7	MODD Logo Outside Decal	\$ 2.00
Pat 17	Patch MODD 11 1/2" w/Letters	\$ 45.00	Pub 8	MODD Logo Sticker Sheet 24	\$ 1.50
Pat 18	Patch Bulldog Head Small	\$ 3.00	Pub 9	MODD Ribbon Chart	\$ 2.00
Pat 19	Patch Bulldog Head Lg	\$ 10.00	Pub 17	MODD Collar (Ribbon) Chart	\$ 2.00
Pat 20	Pack Leader	\$ 7.00	Pub 18	Kennel Ritual (Small Edition)	\$ 2.00
Pat 21	Pound Keeper	\$ 7.00	Pub 19	Handbook, t/New Pups (Large)	\$ 1.50
Pat 22	Dog Robber	\$ 6.00	Pub 20	Handbook, t/New Pups (Small Ed)	\$ 1.00
Pat 23	Sr Vice Pack Leader	\$ 8.50	Pub 22	MODD Get Well Cards	\$ 5.00
Pat 24	Sr Vice Pound Keeper	\$ 8.50	Pub 23	1" MODD Rubber Stamp Self Ink	\$ 27.00
Pat 25	Jr Vice Pack Leader	\$ 8.50	Pub 24	2" MODD Rubber Stamp Self Ink	\$ 30.00
Pat 26	Jr Vice Pound Keeper	\$ 8.50	Pub 25	Note Pad 5 1/2 x 8 1/2	\$ 2.00
Pat 27	Smart Dog	\$ 6.00	Pub 26	MODD Stationary 8 1/2 x 11	\$ 6.00
Pat 28	Watch Dog	\$ 6.00	Pub 27	MODD Sympathy Cards	\$ 5.00
Pat 29	Dog Trainer	\$ 7.00	Pub 75	75th Annv MODD Book	\$ 5.00
Pat 30	Barking Dog	\$ 7.00	Rib-DD	Collar, Red t/Pedigree	\$ 1.00
Pat 31	Police Dog	\$ 6.00	Rib-DD-G	Collar, Red w/grommet	\$ 1.50
Pat 32	Mad Dog	\$ 6.00	RIB-PDD	Collar, Gold t/Pedigree	\$ 1.00
Pat 33	I rec'd my PDD at the 75th	\$ 3.00	RIB-PDD-G	Collar, Gold w/grommet	\$ 1.50
Pat Conv	AL, FL, ID, KS, MA, MI, MN, NM, NC, NY, WA, WV, AZ	\$ 4.00	Rib-Pup	Collar, Black t/Pup	\$ 1.00
Pat 34	100th Anniversary Patch	\$ 7.00	Rib-Pup-G	Collar, Black w/grommet	\$ 1.50
Pin 1	MODD Lapel Pin (Pat 2 Design)	\$ 3.00	Tag 1	MODD Dog Tag	\$ 3.50
Pin 2	Pin, Small Dog Standing	\$ 1.50			
Pin 3	Bulldog in Globe and Anchor	\$ 3.00			
Pin 4	MODD Life Membership Pin	\$ 3.00			
Pin 5	Pin, USMC w/Bulldog Head	\$ 3.00			
Pin 6	PIN, USMC as above w/Wreath	\$ 3.00			
Pin 8	Pin, Bulldog w/White Blanket	\$ 3.00			
Pin 9	Pin, Bulldog Running Front	\$ 3.00			
Pin 10	Pin, Bulldog w/Helmet	\$ 3.00			
Pin 11	Pin, Bulldog w/Barracks Cover	\$ 3.00			
Pin 12	PIA Medal and Ribbon	\$ 13.50			
Pin 13	Pin, Yellow Footprints	\$ 3.00			
Pin 14	Pin, These Colors Don't Run	\$ 3.00			
Pin 15	Pin, USMC Air, Land and Sea	\$ 3.00			
Pin 16	Pin, Medium Bulldog Standing	\$ 3.00			
Pin 18	Pin, Cross Flags	\$ 3.00			
Pin 20	Pin, Retiree's Unofficial	\$ 3.00			
Pin 21	Pin Iwo Jima	\$ 3.00			
Pin 24	I rec'd my PDD at the 75th	\$ 3.00			
Pin 26	Arizona 76th Growl Pin	\$ 5.00			
Pin 27	Lest We Forget Pin	\$ 3.00			
Pin 28	MODD 1" Pin	\$ 3.00			
Pin 29	2017 Supreme Growl Pin	\$ 3.00			
Pin 30	2017 Convention Pin	\$ 3.00			
Pin 75	75th Annv Lapel Pin	\$ 3.00			

All apparel comes in S to 3XL

**** NPK 1 The New Pup Kit contains the following items: Black Collar w/ grommet, Dog Tag, Lapel Pin #1, Passport, Cap Patch, Shoulder Patch, and Small Handbook

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PDD Wendy Zamora

Kennel Quartermaster





Military Order of the Devil Dogs



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Merchandise Price List / Order Form
Effective Aug 2017

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 Charlotte, MI 48813-1437
 Tel: (517) 541-1501

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The Final Roll Call 2018

Arizona Pack

Desert Dog Pound 065

Pup Daniel "Mike" O'Rourke 17-253

California Pack

Folsom Bulldogs Pound 071

PDD William D. Cathcart 97-041

PDD Nick A. DeZaparkanszky 00-162

Florida Pack

Ocala Pound 183

PDD Richard H. Delap 91-013

PDD David C. Heckman 06-279

PDD Les C. Homan 99-130

PDD William E. Isaly 06-217

Col. Bud Peck Pound 297

Pup Scott R. Blair 16-126

Georgia Pack

Makin Island Raiders Pound 364

DD Robert A. Kotz 15-254

Idaho Pack

Reuben E. Gill Pound 291

PDD Eugene "Tommy" Thompson 09-189

Illinois Pack

Third District Pound 117

PDD Dale R. Munson 98-015

Indiana Pack

Hoosier Pound 121

Pup Wade Smith 13-001

Maine Pack

Lobster Pound 119

PDD Raymond Lemieux 93-229

Moose Pound 255

Pup Frances Mitchell 09-289

DD Richard Dekoschak 10-144

PDD Paul A. Lucey 12-278

PDD Paul Wilhur 13-102

Massachusetts Pack

Worcester-West Pound 064

DD Keith A. Krewson 12-142

Missouri Pack

Saint Charles County Dogs Pound 086

DD Wayne M. Schimmel 11-375

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Montana Pack

Tom C. Mather Pound 290

DD William M. Evans 02-186

New Hampshire Pack

Chinook Pound 159

PDD Gilles Laramee 03-237

PDD Joseph L. Shea 94-030

PDD Delphis J. Vermette 92-320

Sea Devil Dogs Pound 349

DD Ann Marie Horne 83-074

New Mexico Pack

Triple RRR Pound 342

PDD Ronald W. Maul 02-101

New York Pack

WENY Pound 37

DD Roger J. Weld 04-028

SYR-COR-BIN Pound 113

PDD Ernest F. Lombardo 91-322

Oregon Pack

Webfoot Pound 104

PDD Jeanine A. Gray

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Lancaster County Pound 022

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Twin Cities Pound 067

DD Joseph F. Flynn 14-401

Landis-McCleaf Pound 132

PDD Ron Hoover 11-386

PDD Allan R. Pomeroy 84-125

PDD James "Jim" R. Washington 99-180

Russell M. Butterwick Pound 169

PDD Paul A. Waselewski 82-124

Bantam Jeep Pound 213

PDD Hal Foss 97-336

Virginia Pack

Tidewater Pound 126

PDD Raymond C. Kinney 80-117

West Virginia Pack

Minutemen Pound 215

Pup Carl E. Lowe, II 00-009

PDD Benjamin L. Fetty 08-221

PDD Larry P. Shreve 93-335



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(cont. from pg. 15) From my point of view, I would much rather come up short, versus never have tried, and I will give you for an instance.

For an instance: The National Mid-Winter Staff Conference of 2019 will be the third (3) time I have made that trip. The National Convention of 2019 is the fourth (4) straight National Convention I have attended. Compare that to how it took "Harley" and I a week to put gas in the car. A week. Now I wonder if I packed enough bones for "Harley" to munch on during our Growl, and whether or not I brought enough to fill the bowl to give the Honorable Kennel Police Dog, PDD Rodney Hoffman or one his many Deputies...

I hereby challenge all who read this have an ambition this year and see how close you reach it. You never know, you just might surprise yourself.

Take care of yourself and each other.

PDD Jason S. Rowell

Honorable Kennel Dog Trainer

~ ~ Thoughts to Ponder ~ ~

Anniversary, as defined by Webster: the date in which an event took place in a previous year.

As a Nation, we remember many anniversaries. Memorial Day. The 4th of July. The terrorist attack on 9-11. Veteran's Day. Storming the beaches of Normandy. The surprise attack on Pearl Harbor.

How about the many we have forgot? The start and end of the wars in Korea, Vietnam, Persian Gulf, and the conflicts between.

Then there are the more individual and personal ones. Wedding anniversaries, when we each stood on the "Yellow Footprints", first deployment, rank promotions, and retirement.

For those of us who made decision to end our lives, and yet lived, our "Alive Day". The purpose is remind us yearly of where we were, and how far we have come that point in our lives. By looking back, we become encouraged to keeping taking one moment, one step at a time.

My "Alive Day" occurred at the end of 2010. The problem is while I kept on being alive, I was not really living. In order to prevent me from being in that place again, I constricted my life down to going to and from my VA doctor's appointments.

Harley's and my first homework assignment as a service dog team in training was to put gas in my Camaro on 10 August of 2012.

It took me a week to complete it.

I know what it is like to struggle to muster up the courage and strength to attend Pack and Pound Growls.

I know what it is like to be offered by your wife to travel with her to the states of California, Hawaii, Oregon, and Washington, paid for by her work, and I turned it down because it would require me to leave the house and the chance would exist my PTSD might be triggered. There are times currently, such as last Christmas, I stayed home, rather than travel.

I know what it is like to tune in to podcasts to sermons of my chosen faith and wonder where God is in my life, while I see miracles in others.

I know what it is like to spend over a decade missing out on many family gatherings, various celebrations, and times of grief because it would require me to leave the house.

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I know what it is like to want to board a jet plane and have it carry me far from where our Mini Growl was being held, because I had decided if I cannot care for my buddies, whom many have chosen to not get help, I have zero place serving as the Kennel Dog Trainer.

I know what it is like to get on an elevator, have a Past Chief Devil Dog get in with you and say, "Jason, since I saw you last in Overland Park, Kansas, you seem to be headed in the wrong direction." "Chief, I am not sure I can help anyone when I cannot reach my friends." "Jason, we all have that in common; do not quit on yourself."

I got through it, and remained to attend the Mini Growl by finding the comfort in playing with "Harley", as it helps brings my focus to the fact I have her, a wonderful wife, whose only a phone call away, a faithful God, and many Dogs of the Order I can turn to, when I need help.

Because of them I got through the Memorial Service because they quickly jumped in to make sure I held my baring long enough to read the script for it, even though I had practiced it so many times I memorized, yet couldn't recall it as I struggled with emotions I had been avoiding.

I am at my most peaceful when I am helping and serving others. As a result, many come forward to be there to help and serve me when I need it.

I do not know how your Pound and Pack is. I do know if you keep searching for someone to have your "six" when you need it, you will find them. Otherwise, give me a call, 916.474.5686. I maybe a few hundred or even thousand miles away, I can however listen.

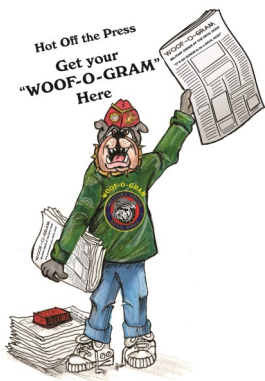
Take care of yourself and each other.

PDD Jason S. Rowell

Kennel Dog Trainer & PDD "Harley D. Rowell"

(names of working dogs, including service dogs, and often in ")





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I am an American, I was born in France. I hold the title of United States Marine, and understand the commitment of holding the title, Devil Dog. It is a tradition born at Belleau Wood in the year 1918, of a force in readiness and the "First to Fight." As a Devil Dog, I ask no quarter and give no quarter. I will do everything in my power to uphold the objectives of the Military Order of Devil Dogs and to carry out my duties to a swift and satisfactory completion.

Good night, Chesty & Gunny Ermey wherever you are!

