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**PLEASE SUBMIT CHANGES OF
ADDRESS TO YOUR POUND
DOG ROBBER!**

WOOF-O-GRAM

It's an HONOR to be a DEVIL DOG!

PDD Phil Ruhmshottel

53rd Chief Devil Dog



Many woofs and a few snarls from the 53rd Chief

Woof Woof and greetings to all!

As I sit down to write this missive, I am looking at several negative reports that we need to work on correcting in order to keep the Military Order of the Devil Dogs strong and growing.

At the close of the 87th Marine Corps League Convention, I stated that I cannot successfully run this great organization by myself; it takes a dedicated hard working staff which we have. It also takes a great many officers in the 40+ Packs and well over 200 Pounds. There are reports to be filed, dues paid, funds sent to Pack and Kennel. ,I can't think of one job from the pound level to the pack level to the kennel level that doesn't require some degree of devotion to do the job right. Unfortunately, there are a great many officers at the pound and pack levels that are not doing the job they signed on to do. A sampling of the data on Officer Installation Reports shows 11 packs that are not current in filing their report. Pack elections should be held during the Grand Growl of the Pack, which are normally held in conjunction with the Marine Corps League Department convention with the installation report being filed soon thereafter. By this time, every pack should have a report on file, as should the pounds. Pound elections are to occur within the three months following the Supreme Growl. The competency in filing pack reports is not good, and the pounds are even worse. Division Vice Chiefs, Pack Leaders, Worthy Dog Robbers, Sir Pound Keepers and Sir Dog Robbers, you must follow up and get these reports filed in a timely manner.

Kennel Bylaws state that funds from passport stamping are to be sent to the Kennel Dog Robber in January and June; however, it is requested that the pounds and packs send the funds to kennel as they are collected, especially as we approach the month of June. Funds used in the donation must be deposited in the passport account no later than 30 June. At every growl every member is to have their passport stamped at a cost of one big bone (\$1); these bones are not for the pound or pack; they are to be sent to kennel and are to be used for nothing other than the annual hospital donation.

Membership dues are payable on or before 1 September for every member of the Order. A member must have a current membership card to be admitted to a Growl. If dues remain unpaid following the Supreme Growl, the member is dropped from the membership roster until dues and reinstatement fees are paid. As of the 1 December kennel roster, there are 1478 annual members who are in a delinquent status. This is unacceptable! Dog Robbers, it is your job to find out why so many have not renewed.

We are rapidly moving towards the 72nd Supreme Growl. Now is the time to file requests for advancement and make your travel plans. Don't forget last year's change in the bylaws that requires all candidates for advancement to report **NO LATER THAN 1700 MONDAY 1 AUGUST**. The Idaho Dogs are working hard to make certain you enjoy your trip to Boise. They are working with Kennel Staff Artist PDD Severn to produce a memorable growl shirt and patch; be sure to get there early and get yours.

Hopefully Mother Nature will let us get to Washington, DC this year without too much ice between the pads of our feet. I look forward to seeing many of you in

attendance. Pups and Devil Dogs, this is the only Kennel level Growl that you can attend. Plan to learn a little and have some fun. Bring bones.

Have you paid current dues and done the job you swore to do?

It is an honor to be a Devil Dog.

Woof woof,

Phil Ruhmshottel, 53rd Chief Devil Dog

SENIOR VICE CHIEF

Woof, Woof from Sr Vice Chief Devil Dog

I hope all this cold weather is finding all you dogs in warm quarters and under comfortable blankets. I just returned from a Cruise, and there was nothing but sunshine. Now, after being stuck in airports and hotels for two extra days, (too much snow in MN to allow us to land), I return to a snow blower and await another storm. Hopefully, we will not have another storm at Midwinter like we did last year. Hopefully, it is all coming in earlier this year. I have much, much work to do around my dog house here real soon, so my paws are keeping very busy. I think I need to retire again.....

I would like to say that I have some great words of wisdom for you; however, it just has been a fast and moving year. We continue to stay strong as a Kennel, and there have been minimal issues that the Chief has passed on to me. I know by now all of the pounds have held their elections of their leaders and turned the names into the Kennel Dog Robber. I am sure with the growls being held, many of you are sending in your passport bones quickly (not holding onto them thinking you will do it all at one time), so the Dog Robber can build our donation for this coming year. We are looking forward to Idaho and burying some bones there to help the local children.

I look forward to seeing those of you coming to Midwinter this year. As always, we will have a good time and tell some more stories. We might even be able to share a bowl of water or something. Remember to be working on our donation programs with the Jr Vice Chief; I know he will be looking for some business/organizational donations coming in from many of you. The Midwest Division has a good start, and I think we are going to get to our goal early this year, anyway I'm hoping.

Semper Fi and Woof, Woof

PDD Mike English, Sr Vice Chief Devil Dog

JUNIOR VICE CHIEF



FROM THE JR.VICE CHIEF DEVIL DOG IN THE FROZEN SOUTH

I really don't want a White Christmas. I had my share when I was younger. Then I moved to Southern Florida. Any now I am writing this to you from what used to be the Sunny South. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! I hope that Thanksgiving was bountiful, filling you full enough to get you through this little cold snap. Speaking of which, we need a moment of silence for the Sr. Vice's loss of the Vikings sports dome (can you believe that!). Hey it wasn't even a year ago we were going through all this snow stuff. I know it really makes summer even more appreciated.

You will be receiving your Sweepstake Tickets in the mail with your Spring Woof-O-Gram. The tickets will be included with your copy. I hope you will be happy with the new look. So happy that you'll be wagging your tail all the way to the mail box with your filled in tickets and donation to send into the Kennel. You too can be a winner... hey you're all winners by helping out the MODD!

Now would be a good time to be thinking about the Supreme Growl in Idaho next August. Actually, now would be a great time to be thinking about August! All DDs should be getting their paper work ready for advancement (yeah and sent in). Those of you in the Idaho area should especially be making plans. (Idaho area: west of the Mississippi River). If you can make it, this is a beautiful area of the US.

Well before that, we need to be getting ready for Mid-Winter in Falls Church, VA. It is close enough to call it the D.C. (District of Columbus) area. This is a great time for us all to get together and howl. Sort of a half- way to National picker upper. Last year was a little subdued due to a slight snow problem, but it was still a great Flea Scratching time. Now it is time for the 2nd Annual Cover Contest. Bring your craziest, wildest, outa sight Cover (hat, lid, p.c., topper) and wear it to the Mini-Growl. We will have a contest, so you can show off your best and the Past Chiefs can pick a winner. We will have some more super prizes.

The Mid-Winter mini-growl also marks the start of many Division Conferences. I was able to make several last year and would like to make more this year. As much fun as it can be looking for times and places, I would appreciate you all letting me know how to find details on your Conference.

Remember to be thinking of the coming Supreme Growl in August, it comes on us sooner than you think. Get your doggie self ready. It is also a good time to find some active candidates for the League. Bring them into the Detachment, mentor them and in a year you will have a viable prospect for the Pound. Almost like growing a garden without the weeding.

Semper Woofing

Junior Vice Chief Devil Dog PDD Ken Travis

JUNIOR PAST CHIEF DEVIL DOG

Woof woof to all you fabulous furballs! Hope Santa Paws was good to you and brought you all the chew toys and treats you wanted. Now to get rested up for the Midwinter Growl in Virginia in February! Remember this is the only Kennel-level Growl that all degrees can attend! What fun! It's a great way to see what lies in store for those who rise to the exalted Pedigreed Devil Dog.

I must say things out here in the Rocky Mountains have been downright dull, so I am looking forward to seeing you all at the Midwinter Growl. Those of you who are thinking about doing the work to become a Pedigreed Devil Dog should already have space reserved at the Doubletree in Boise, Idaho. Plan to get there on Sunday or Saturday at the latest. Give yourself the time to enjoy your LAST initiation. It is a time of fun and celebration and not to be missed, especially by those Devil Dogs prowling west of the Mississippi. So make your plans now to come and enjoy the fun.

Make sure that you have submitted your Degree Advancement paperwork and that you have a copy. Don't wait until the last minute! This paperwork must be in the paws of the Honorable Kennel Dog Robber by 1 July. Do it now!!! Even if you're not sure you're going to the Supreme Growl, send in your papers. There's no penalty if you don't show up. If you show up without papers, then that is a BAD THING.

So, looking forward to seeing you in the New Year. Hope you were all good and nobody took a bite out of Santa!

Semper woof,

PCDD Laurel Hull, Junior Past Chief Devil Dog

KENNEL SMART DOG

Woof Woof all you great dogs of the Kennel!

Proposed Kennel Bylaws Changes: The deadline for submission is 1 March. To date I have received one proposed change to the Kennel Bylaws. If you think there is an issue with an Article, Section or Paragraph in the Kennel Bylaws, submit a proposed change. You may not be the only dog who thinks it is not quite right. Don't violate the bylaw or complain about it; propose a change! Remember, "One dog, One vote!" If you want to bark your approval/disapproval to a proposal, plan to attend the 2011 Supreme Growl.

Pound Bylaws are the rules / laws of your Pound. They cannot conflict with the Kennel or Pack Bylaws, nor should they copy them. Pound Bylaws should be rules which are specific to your Pound. Items such as Pound Dues, Pound Quorum or addition requirements for degree advancement should be in the Pound's bylaws.

There is one question that comes up on a regular basis. Re-instatement in the League and re-instatement in the Order; if a Marine comes back to the Marine Corps League and is issued a new number they must wait one year to be eligible for the membership in the Order. Prior time in the League does not count because MCL National Headquarters issued a "new" membership number.

I look forward to seeing you all in Growl assembled in a few weeks at Falls Church.

Woof Woof,

PDD Leanna L. Dietrich, Honorable Smart Dog

KENNEL EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Woof Woof to all you Karnivorous Kanines;

At the 2010 Convention Grand Banquet, the Chief Devil Dog drew the winning tickets for the Chief's Raffle and the

Past Chief Devil Dog Raffle. One prize was not claimed: the first prize of the Past Chief's raffle, which was the statue. I hope you saved your tickets as I am still looking for this winner. It was a red ticket drawn, but the stub we have is the one that does not have the name or address of the winner. The winning number was 364284. If you kept your stub and have that number, contact me. I will be requesting proof via the stub you have. My telephone information is on the cover of the Woof-O-Gram and on the website. If this prize is not claimed, it will be raffled again at the 2011 Convention in Boise, ID. STILL NO CLAIMANT YET!

January 1 will mark the first distribution of Paid Life Member rebates from the Order for this fiscal year. As a reminder, PLM payments are a one-time activity and are done during the fiscal year the payment was received. Unlike the Marine Corps League, we do not send out any payments for a Life Member after the first year. We distribute \$30.00 to that Life Member's Pound (and Pack where applicable).

If you need forms, you can e-mail me or call. I would like to remind all dogs that I distribute blank forms. All completed forms need to go to the Kennel Dog Robber, Steve Joppa.

The holidays are quickly approaching. I hope that Santa Dog is good to you all and brings you lots of bones to help keep you warm. I am looking forward to Midwinter, and hope the Chief can make it this year!

**Semper Woofing,
49th CDD Doug Fisk, Kennel Executive Secretary**

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Dues transmittals continue to come in at a moderate pace. The bylaws say that all renewals are due on September 1. If you have not renewed your dues for the 2011 year, you may not legally attend any growls or participate in any MODD activities. Please get your renewals to your Dog Robber, so they may be transmitted to Kennel, and you can hold a current membership card.

Dog Robbers: please contact your members and get the transmittals in promptly.

Elections and Installation Reports are required to be completed by mid-November. Passport stamp bones are to be collected from each member in attendance at every growl. You will find on pages 5 and 6 a list of Installation reports for each Pound and Pack. If your Pound or Pack does not show 2011 in the date field, please get a copy of your Installation Report submitted right away.

Included in the list are the bones received so far this fiscal year. If your Pound does not appear on the list, it means that no bones have been received. Please collect the bones at each growl and submit them promptly. The bylaws require the bones to be sent in twice a year, but I would prefer to get them after each growl so the bones can be deposited and draw a little bit of interest.

IRS 990's were to be submitted to them by the middle of November also. If your Pound or Pack has not done so, you need to get it done right away. You stand to lose your nonprofit status if you do not comply with the IRS regulations.

We are all looking forward to the Mid-Winter Growl in Virginia in February. I hope to see many of you in attendance. Maybe this year the weather will cooperate and allow flights to get in.

After you have made sure that you have complied with all of the above, you can go back to your nap by the fireplace and make sure the food and water bowl are close by so that you do not have to exert yourself too much.

Have a Merry Christmas, and I wish each and every one a joyous and prosperous New Year.

WOOF WOOF

**Stephen C. Joppa,
Kennel Dog Robber**

Inst Report

Pack	Number	State	Div	FY	Inst Date	Report Dat	990N	Pass S
Alabama	184	AL	SE	2009	11/9/2008	10/23/200		
	233	AL	SE	2008	8/18/2007			
	301	AL	SE	2009	9/20/2008	1/25/2005		\$8
	Pack	AL	SE	2007	6/7/2008	7/11/2005		
Arizona	112	AZ	SW	2011	6/4/2010	6/18/2004		\$39
Arizona	112	AZ	SW	2010	10/11/2009	10/16/200		\$21
	244	AZ	SW	2010	4/9/2009	3/11/2004		
	245	AZ	SW	2010	9/15/2009	9/11/2005		
	274	AZ	SW	2006	11/10/2005	9/24/2004		
	293	AZ	SW	2010	9/26/2009	9/24/2005		
	310	AZ	SW	2011	9/18/2010	9/10/2005		\$18
	332	AZ	SW	2011	9/25/2010	6/1/2010		\$44
	65	AZ	SW	2011	9/18/2010	2/18/2006		
	99	AZ	SW	2008	1/27/2008			
ARKANS	346	AR	SOU	2010	10/17/2009	7/24/2010		
Californi	129	CA	SW	2008	3/21/2008	5/10/2010		
	240	CA	SW	2011	9/23/2010	9/22/2005		\$12
	257	CA	SW	2010	1/19/2010	5/4/2009		
	272	CA	SW	2011	4/17/2010	10/23/200		
	323	CA	SW	2011	10/13/2010	4/28/2067		
	325	CA	SW	2011	9/14/2010	7/8/2010		\$16
	47	CA	SW	2009	4/4/2009	8/14/2009		\$25
	49	CA	SW	2010	1/2/2010	10/8/2005		
	71	CA	SW	2011	9/18/2010			\$22
	Pack	CA	SW	2011	6/4/2010	7/10/2010		\$25
Colorad	128	CO	RMT	2011	10/16/2010	11/20/200		
	150	CO	RMT			CLOSED		
	180	CO	RMT	2011	9/25/2010	10/13/200		
	281	CO	RMT	2010	9/19/2009	8/7/2008		\$17
	Pack	CO	RMT	2011	4/30/2010	5/6/2006		\$44
Connecti	131	CT	NEW	2011	9/14/2010	9/25/2005		
	141	CT	NEW	2011	10/20/2010	11/15/200		
	142	CT	NEW	2010	10/19/2009			
	163	CT	NEW	2010	12/15/2009	1/26/2009		
	Pack	CT	NEW	2011	6/18/2010	7/8/2005		\$117
Delawar	222	DE	MDE	2009	3/9/2009	6/21/2003		
	237	DE	MDE	2010	8/30/2009	10/25/200		
Delawar	307	DE	MDE	2005	10/16/2004			
	Pack			2009	3/7/2009	6/21/2003		
Florida	115	FL	SE	2010	1/17/2010	7/8/2010		
	116	FL	SE	2010	3/1/2010			\$8
	124	FL	SE	2010	9/12/2009	9/25/2009		\$23
	125	FL	SE	2003	8/2/2002	CLOSED		
	160	FL	SE	2009	9/4/2008	6/24/2009		\$30
	175	FL	SE	2011	6/14/2010			
	183	FL	SE	2011	9/20/2010	6/27/2009		\$18
	192	FL	SE	2010	10/8/2009	11/20/200	9/23/2010	
	198	FL	SE	2007	10/8/2006	INACTIVE		
	230	FL	SE	2011	10/17/2010	7/6/2010	9/23/2010	\$37
	232	FL	SE	2010	12/9/2009	12/20/200		
	258	FL	SE	2011	9/19/2010	7/28/2009		
	263	FL	SE	2011	8/24/2010	7/23/2010		\$55
	267	FL	SE	2011	9/28/2010	7/1/2009		\$12
	273	FL	SE	2010	10/15/2009	1/26/2005		
	278	FL	SE	2011	9/8/2010	6/26/2009	9/23/2010	\$33
	297	FL	SE	2011	4/1/2010	7/3/2010		\$43
	298	FL	SE	2010	9/28/2009	7/15/2009		
	299	FL	SE	2010	10/14/2009	6/26/2009		
	335	FL	SE	2011	9/8/2010	7/6/2010	8/26/2010	\$16
	336	FL	SE	2010	1/24/2010			
	58	FL	SE	2011	10/4/2010	7/6/2010		
	79	FL	SE	2011	10/20/2010	7/13/2010		
	Pack			2011	6/18/2010	6/2/2006	8/2010	\$67
Georgia	206	GA	SE	2011	8/20/2010	8/14/2005		\$24
	295	GA	SE	2010	11/30/2009	8/27/2005		
	317	GA	SE	2011	9/20/2010	3/20/2006		\$38
	320	GA	SE	2009	4/19/2008	INACTIVE		
	322	GA	SE	2011	10/21/2010	7/24/2006		\$19
	Pack			2011	5/1/2010	5/12/2006		
Gerogia	212	GA	SE	2009	8/26/2008	8/1/2004		
Idaho	291	ID	NW	2011	11/18/2010	9/10/2005		
	305	ID	NW	2011	10/16/2010	10/15/200		\$22
	Pack	ID	NW	2011	5/22/2010	6/4/2009		
Illinois	1000	IL	CEN	2010	10/7/2009			
	1000	IL	CEN	2008	1/20/2008	9/7/2005		
	117	IL	CEN	2011	7/10/2010	6/16/2005		
	12	IL	CEN	2009	9/19/2008	3/22/2009		

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Illinois	226	IL	CEN	2011	9/19/2010	6/22/2010		\$39
	243	IL	CEN	2010	9/13/2009	11/13/200		
	309	IL	CEN	2009	10/6/2008			
	351	IL	CEN	2011	11/21/2010			
	Pack			2010	6/19/2009	6/30/2006		
Indiana	111	IN	CEN	2011	9/23/2010			
	121	IN	CEN	2011	8/17/2010	6/5/2010		\$12
	208	IN	CEN	2010	1/23/2010			
	260	IN	CEN	2011	9/23/2010	6/5/2010		\$21
	269	IN	CEN	2011	10/27/2010	6/5/2010		
	285	IN	CEN	2011	9/24/2010	6/5/2010		\$33
	294	IN	CEN	2011	10/25/2010	6/5/2010		\$35
	Pack			2011	6/18/2010	6/5/2010		\$56
Iowa	122	IA	MW	2011	9/25/2010	10/1/2005		\$19
	186	IA	MW	2011	9/5/2010	8/4/2005		\$5
	217	IA	MW	2009	1/13/2009	11/14/200		
	235	IA	MW	2007	9/5/2006	CLOSED		
	97	IA	MW	2004	8/3/2003	3/21/2003		
	Pack			2011	6/5/2010	5/21/2005		
Kansas	196	KS	MDW	2011	9/19/2010	CLOSED		
	94	KS	MDW	2011	9/18/2010	9/14/2004		
	Pack			2011	6/5/2010	6/24/2006		
Kentuck	303	KY	CEN	2011	9/15/2010	7/10/2010		
	304	KY	CEN	2009	11/13/2008	4/1/2005		
	341	KY	CEN	2010	5/2/2009			
	341	KY	CEN					
	Pack	KY	CEN	2011	6/12/2010	7/10/2010		
Louisian	148	LA	SE	2010	6/10/2009	1/15/2005		
	168	LA	SE	2011	6/12/2010	1/28/2006		
	172	LA	SE	2010	9/19/2009	5/22/2010		\$42
	207	LA	SE	2010	7/27/2009	10/28/200		
	261	LA	SE	2010	12/12/2009	10/29/200		\$9
	Pack			2011	6/12/2010	6/4/2005		
Maine	119	ME	NEW	2011	11/21/2010	12/8/2002		\$1
	255	ME	NEW	2011	10/3/2010	11/6/2005		
	Pack			2010	4/11/2010	4/1/2005	9/12/2010	\$28
Marylan	154	MD	MDE	2010	11/11/2009	6/21/2006		
	204	MD	MDE	2010	8/16/2009	4/28/2008		\$305
	279	MD	MDE	2010	9/1/2009	10/6/2004		\$16
	302	MD	MDE	2011	10/19/2010	1/27/2010		
Marylan	316	MD	MDE	2010	10/14/2009	4/13/2006		
	333	MD	MDE	2010	10/24/2009			\$58
	344	MD	MDE	2010	5/18/2009			
	Pack			2011	4/30/2010	6/3/2008		
Massach	2	MA	NEW	2010	12/27/2009	1/30/2010		
	219	MA	NEW	2011	10/4/2010	11/20/200		
	276	MA	NEW	2011	10/17/2010	9/25/2005		
	318	MA	NEW	2011	10/3/2010	7/16/2009		\$100
	338	MA	NEW	2011	9/11/2010			
	62	MA	NEW	2011	11/3/2010	11/2/2005		\$18
	64	MA	NEW	2010	1/31/2010	8/27/2005		\$49
	Pack			2011	6/11/2010	6/2/2006		
Michiga	138	MI	CEN	2010	1/29/2010			
	174	MI	CEN	2010	9/26/2009			\$35
	288	MI	CEN	2011	11/16/2010	5/17/2005		\$100
	314	MI	CEN	2010	9/26/2009			
	345	MI	CEN	2010	10/1/2009			\$49
	35	MI	CEN	2003	10/6/2002			
	6	MI	CEN	2010	9/15/2009	10/21/200		
	Pack			2011	6/25/2010	6/9/2006		\$46
Minneso	280	MN	MDW	2011	9/7/2010	9/22/2010		
	711	MN	MDW	2011	11/6/2010	11/8/2006		\$16
	Pack			2010	6/28/2010	6/10/2006		\$100
Missouri	110	MO	MDW	2010	10/13/2009	7/6/2010		
	231	MO	MDW	2006	11/29/2005	11/30/200		
	239	MO	MDW	2010	11/21/2009	10/22/200		
	277	MO	MDW					
	330	MO	MDW	2011	11/16/2010	7/10/2010		\$11
	66	MO	MDW	2010	5/10/2010	10/2/2005		\$31
	77	MO	MDW	2011	9/18/2010	6/28/2010	9/29/2010	
	86	MO	MDW	2011	8/21/2010	CLOSED		
	Pack			2011	6/5/2010	6/26/2010		
Montan	290	MT	NW	2011	10/2/2010	7/9/2010		
	329	MT	NW	2011	10/3/2010			\$27
	Pack	MT	NW	2011	5/15/2010	7/16/2009		\$40
Nevada	176	NV	SW	2011	10/20/2010	7/19/2005		
	7	NV	SW	2010	3/8/2010	1/14/2006		\$10
	Pack	NV	SW	2011	5/21/2010	8/16/2008		
New Ha	159	NH	NEW	2011	9/26/2010	11/20/200		
	254	NH	NEW	2008	4/18/2008	CLOSED		

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Ohio	156	OH	CE	2011	10/1/2010	12/2/2005		
	164	OH	CE	2011	9/19/2010	7/19/2008		
	190	OH	CE	2010	2/17/2010	9/17/2003		
	241	OH	CE	2010	3/4/2010	1/4/2007		
	256	OH	CE	2007	9/13/2006	CLOSED		
	282	OH	CE	2010	10/25/2009	7/30/2005		
	Pack			2011	6/19/2010	6/25/2009		
Oklaho		OK	SOU	2010	6/20/2009			
	178	OK	SOU	2005	10/16/2004	11/16/200		
	308	OK	SOU	2010	9/30/2009			\$100
Oregon	104	OR	NW	2010	1/25/2009	1/31/2005		\$25
	218	OR	NW	2011	8/22/2010	8/20/2005		\$10
	223	OR	NW	2011	10/8/2010	10/14/200		\$11
	315	OR	NW	2011	11/1/2010			
	Pack			2011	6/13/2010	6/19/2005		
Pennsylv	107	PA	NE	2011	11/1/2010	11/3/2005		\$10
	109	PA	NE	2011	10/24/2010	8/5/2010		
	132	PA	NE	2011	9/9/2010	9/8/2005		\$28
	133	PA	NE	2011	10/24/2010	10/22/200		\$36
	169	PA	NE	2011	9/26/2010	10/23/200		\$12
	179	PA	NE	2011	9/12/2010	12/11/200		\$29
	188	PA	NE	2011	9/11/2010	7/10/2010		\$13
	19	PA	NE	2011	11/3/2010	1/5/2009		
	20	PA	NE	2011	11/16/2010	12/4/2008		\$20
	213	PA	NE	2011	9/9/2010	10/11/200		\$23
	22	PA	NE	2010	9/24/2009	2/22/2010		
	229	PA	NE	2011	9/12/2010	9/11/2005		
	275	PA	NE	2011	9/11/2010	9/10/2005		\$18
	31	PA	NE	2011	3/25/2010	2/8/2006		\$28
	38	PA	NE	2011	11/28/2010	9/25/2005		\$21
	67	PA	NE	2011	10/11/2010	10/12/200		
	Pack			2011	6/24/2010	7/7/2010		\$106
South C	228	SC	SE	2011	10/11/2010	10/21/200		\$20
	246	SC	SE	2011	9/18/2010	6/9/2010		\$21
	312	SC	SE	2011	9/18/2010	1/28/2006		\$76
	313	SC	SE	2010	11/21/2009	7/9/2010		\$40
	328	SC	SE	2011	9/28/2010	7/8/2010		
	340	SC	SE	2011	9/18/2010	6/25/2010		\$16
	340	SC	SE					\$16
	Pack			2010	6/12/2009	8/2/2010		\$41
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New Ha	321	NH	NEW	2011	10/5/2010			\$13
	349	NH	NEW	2011	9/13/2010			
	Pack			2011	4/16/2010	4/1/2005		
New Jer	1	NJ	NE	2010	1/28/2010	7/23/2008		
	136	NJ	NE	2010	10/21/2009	7/23/2008		\$68
	227	NJ	NE	2011	10/19/2010	7/23/2008		
	292	NJ	NE	2011	10/20/2010	7/23/2008		
	326	NJ	NE	2011	10/3/2010	7/23/2008		
	96	NJ	NE	2011	9/12/2010	CLOSED		
	Pack			2011	6/18/2010	7/23/2008		\$114
New Me	181	NM	RMT	2011	9/9/2010	9/8/2005		\$11
	203	NM	RMT	2011	8/28/2010	9/17/2005		\$23
	286	NM	RMT	2008	10/13/2007	CLOSED		
	342	NM	RMT	2011	9/8/2010			
	Pack			2010	6/12/2009	8/18/2008		\$33
New Yor	11	NY	NE	2010	6/5/2009	9/9/2005		
	113	NY	NE	2011	10/15/2010	11/18/200		\$47
	120	NY	NE	2011	11/2/2010	12/5/2008		\$10
	134	NY	NE	2011	10/3/2010	1/23/2009		\$21
	137	NY	NE	2011	10/24/2010	10/23/200		\$29
	140	NY	NE	2006	11/3/2005	CLOSED		
	149	NY	NE	2011	9/16/2010	10/6/2004		
	259	NY	NE	2003	12/11/2002	CLOSED		
	283	NY	NE	2011	9/26/2010	9/23/2005		
	37	NY	NE	2011	11/20/2010	10/7/2005		
	69	NY	NE	2011	10/21/2010	9/21/2005		\$41
	70	NY	NE	2004	2/18/2004	CLOSED		
	92	NY	NE	2004	9/9/2004	CLOSED		
	Pack			2011	6/18/2010	7/15/2005		\$25
None	101	NE	MDW	2009	1/31/2009	10/29/200		\$13
	158	NE	MDW	2005	11/12/2004	CLOSED		
	167	RI	NEW	2010	8/31/2009	11/12/200		
	200	AK	NW					
	249	VT	NEW	2010	9/13/2009	9/18/2005		
North C	143	NC	MDE	2011	10/9/2010	9/9/2005		\$20
	210	NC	MDE	2010	10/10/2009	10/24/200		\$39
	306	NC	MDE	2010	9/21/2009	9/19/2005		\$79
	319	NC	MDE	2011	6/26/2010	6/2/2006		\$9
	327	NC	MDE	2010	9/26/2009			
	Pack			2011	6/11/2010	6/2/2006		

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South D	252	SD	MDW	2011	6/22/2010	7/11/2006		
	289	SD	MDW	2011	10/28/2010	9/21/2002		\$10
	334	SD	MDW	2010	8/17/2009			
	Pack			2011	6/12/2010	6/14/2003		\$33
Tenness	155	TN	SE	2010	11/21/2009	8/2/2010		
	209	TN	SE	2010	9/21/2009	2/24/2009		
	271	TN	SE	2011	9/13/2010	8/2/2010		
	300	TN	SE	2011	11/2/2010	8/2/2010		\$47
	337	TN	SE	2011	8/21/2010	8/2/2010		\$12
	Pack			2010	6/25/2010	8/2/2010		\$34
Texas	145	TX	SOU	2011	7/10/2010	9/25/2004		\$27
	152	TX	SOU	2011	10/2/2010	7/17/2008		
	177	TX	SOU	2011	10/17/2010	10/30/200		\$33
	199	TX	SOU	2010	2/6/2010	10/1/2005		
	268	TX	SOU	2011	9/11/2010	7/17/2008		\$50
	296	TX	SOU	2010	7/29/2009			
	311	TX	SOU	2011	9/18/2010	7/17/2010		
	87	TX	SOU	2011	8/23/2010	9/7/2010		\$19
	98	TX	SOU	2008	9/15/2007	8/1/2004		
	Pack			2011	6/5/2010	8/2/2010		\$11
UTAH	324	UT	RMT	2010	9/25/2009	7/19/2008		
	339	UT	RMT	2011	11/7/2010			\$6
	PACK	UT	RMT	2011	6/4/2010			\$10
Virginia	126	VA	MDE	2011	10/12/2010	8/23/2005		\$50
	127	VA	MDE	2011	10/23/2010	11/5/2005		
	139	VA	MDE	2011	10/23/2010	9/11/2004		\$31
	214	VA	MDE	2011	9/25/2010	11/27/200		\$118
	247	VA	MDE	2010	1/16/2010	11/19/200		\$144
	264	VA	MDE	2010	6/21/2010	9/20/2004		
	90	VA	MDE	2009	10/23/2008	9/25/2005		
	Pack			2010	5/16/2009	6/3/2006		\$37
Washing	118	WA	NW	2010	11/21/2009	6/18/2009		\$6
	146	WA	NW	2009	6/28/2008	CLOSED		
	185	WA	NW	2011	11/13/2010	11/5/2005		\$30
	211	WA	NW					
	225	WA	NW	2011	10/2/2010	7/12/2010		\$30
	262	WA	NW	2008	4/8/2008	12/3/2002		
	284	WA	NW	2008	12/8/2007	12/11/200		
	287	WA	NW	2011	11/6/2010	8/22/2009		\$30
	Pack	WA	NW	2011	6/26/2010	7/5/2009		\$48
Pack	Number	State	Div	FY	Inst Date	Report Dat	990N	Pass \$
West Vir	153	WV	MDE	2010	3/27/2010	3/11/2006		\$42
	215	WV	MDE	2010	11/21/2009	1/15/2005		\$115
	331	WV	MDE	2010	2/23/2010			
	Pack			2011	7/31/2010	5/5/2006		\$74
Wiscons	100	WI	CE	2010	9/14/2009	10/3/2005		
	123	WI	CE	2010	8/24/2009	10/30/201		
	130	WI	CE	2009	9/4/2008	9/15/2003		
	14	WI	CE	2010	3/2/2010	10/25/200		
	170	WI	CE	2010	10/26/2009	10/30/201		\$31
	44	WI	CE	2009	5/13/2008	8/2/2003		\$20
	Pack			2010	6/26/2009	6/16/2006		\$40
Wyomin	250	WY	RM	2011	5/23/2010	6/26/2003		\$10
	251	WY	RM	2010	10/5/2009	CLOSED		
	Pack			2006	5/21/2005			

KENNEL POLICE DOG



A big WOOF, WOOF to all you Dogs:

It has been a busy and fun fall. I'm getting ready to do our last weekend for Toys for Tots. I attended the MCL Marine Expo in Quantico, VA. As always, I had a good time helping out with the cookouts at Bethesda Naval Hospital. The Marines Helping Marines will be having their annual Christmas dinner on December 25.

I had the honor of carrying our MCL National Colors on Veteran's Day at Arlington Cemetery. I attended a few Birthday Balls which I like forward to every year. I also attended several pack and pound growls.

I helped work on my detachment's 1st Annual Golf tournament, highway trash cleanup, and putting together our 20th detachment anniversary dinner next June.

I had the honor of visiting with an Iwo Jima survivor, Sgt. Gordon Ward, in a nursing home. He is very sick but could still tell some good sea stories like it was yesterday.

On a sad note, I attended funerals as part of the Rifle Detail for three Marines. One was from my Detachment and Pound. I had the honor as Pound Keeper to swear DD Jack Hettchen from Pup to DD. It meant so much to him. He showed up even though he was weak and knew he didn't have much time left. He died two weeks later. What a brave Marine and Devil Dog. He landed at Inchon Korea in 1950. He was a good hard worker; he will be missed.

I hope you dogs and your families have a wonderful, safe, and Happy Holiday. I'm looking forward to seeing all you dogs at Mid-Winter. Let's hope for better weather this year. Remember, all dogs can attend this Growl; it will be lots of fun. Bring BONES.

If I can help any of you dogs, or if you have any questions, please let me know. Continued prayers for our military and their families.

**Semper Woof,
PDD Jack Severn, Kennel Police Dog/Staff Artist**

KENNEL MAD DOG

Merry Woof,

As the winter of 2010 comes around the Dog House, let us all be thankful for our blessings. The New Year Pup will be here before you know it, so it is never too late to plan for 2011. Do those plans involve advancement? Do those plans involve assistance to the Kennel for the 2011 upgrade? If so, it's never too early to get a jump upon the planning and the fun. Boise will give a great chance for the dogs on the west side to advance, SO get your papers in and don't forget to keep a copy to bring with you! If you want to help around the Dog House, we are always looking for The Few, The Proud, The PDDs! I have already received one PDD to work as a Handler, and there is a need for more. Wishing all the best for 2011.

**Semper Woof,
PDD Wayne J. Sarapata, Honorable Kennel Mad Dog**

KENNEL DOG TRAINER



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This is supposed to be the season to be jolly, but I have received over 125 notices of death so far this year. Jolly is not a word I would use today. We have a lot fewer Dogs to enjoy the season with us and their family members.

Dog Trainers of the Order: by reporting to me and the Kennel Dog Robber in a timely manner, you have shown your dedication to the Order and to all the deceased members' families.

The Mid-Winter Mini Growl in Falls Church is just around the corner. Get ready for a great Mini Growl with the 53rd CDD. Bring those Bones to donate to the kids.

Remember, Jesus is the reason for the season! Pray for our Marines and service members in harm's way. To all, have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. My prayer is for you to be spiritually lifted, financially secure, and as

healthy as you can be throughout 2011. Ask it in His name, and He will do it.

Semper Fidelis and Woof Woof!

Bill Nelson hillbillycuz@yahoo.com, HC 71, Box 35, Ellamore, WV 26287

KENNEL BARKING DOG



Woof, Woof from the Kennel Barking Dog!

We Dogs in west central Illinois had a spectacular fall season. The weather was perfect for romping around and sniffing out new members. Unfortunately for my pound, we lost seven dogs to a new pound, Untamed Dogs Pound 351. I had the honor of presiding during their Charter presentation and Installation of Officers. I congratulate them and wish them well. Now, that winter has set in and my paws are frozen, it's back out in the elements to find good replacements for my own pound!

Don't forget to send your articles for the Winter Woof-O-Gram no later than 15 March 2010. I continue to receive address change requests. I do not maintain the Kennel roster and am unable to make these changes. Please be good dogs and give address changes to your Pound Dog Robber. He/she will send them to your Pack Dog Robber, and your Pack Dog Robber will forward them to PDD Steve Joppa, Kennel Dog Robber.

I look forward to barking with lots of dogs in Falls Church in February.

WOOF!

PDD C.O. Smith, Kennel Barking Dog, carolnco@mchsi.com

CENTRAL DIVISION

Woof, Woof to all you dogs of the Central Division. I hope you have enough blankets in your dog houses to keep warm this winter. It looks like it is going to be a bad winter. Of course this is coming from a Kentucky dog.

Installation reports for all packs should have been sent in by now and, if not, let's get them done. Worthy Pack Leaders, listed below are the Pounds in your Packs that have not sent in an installation report in a long time. If they are not functioning any longer, then let's get those charters and send them to me. If they are still functioning, then let's get an installation report into the Kennel Dog Robber.

Michigan: Pd 35 Western Michigan 10/06/02

Illinois: Pd 12 Chicago 9/08, Pd 309 Dog with Attitude 10/06/08

Indiana: Pd 111 Hiram Bears 9/28/08

Ohio: Pd 256 Herman Hesselschwa 9/13/06

Kentucky: Pd 304 Daniel Boone 11/13/08.

To all the newly elected officers of our Packs and Pounds, congratulations on being elected by your peers.

We presented Charters to our two newest Pounds. I want to take this opportunity to thank PDD Lynn Sabel for presenting the Charter to the 'North Shore, Pound # 348 (WI) and PDD C. O. Smith for presenting the Charter to the 'Untamed Dogs, Pound # 351 (IL). A big Woof, Woof to these two dogs for representing me.

May all you Dogs have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Don't forget, if you need help/information, please do not hesitate to call.

PDD Ron Bricking, Central Division Vice Chief (859) 554-5041

MIDEAST DIVISION

Woof-Woof -

Happy Holidays to all you well-groomed and good looking dogs in the Kennel and Mideast Division!

I hope all you dogs have had time to make necessary repairs to your dog houses. As I bark, the weather is wet and cold.

I barked at all my pack leaders and advised them that all packs and pounds should have been installed by now. But, unfortunately, there are still a few pounds and packs that haven't! Also, please don't forget our kids in Boise - hold your growls and collect a ton of bones.

I attended several Marine Corps birthday ceremonies. I also continue to visit our brave devil dogs at Bethesda Naval Hospital. I attended ceremonies at Arlington National Cemetery on Veterans Day. My paws have been busy collecting Toys for Tots.

Hope to see you all you well-groomed dogs at the Midwinter Conference in Falls Church, VA. I just hope we don't get another 53 inches of snow again this year!

**Woof-Woof,
PDD Jerry Fay, Mideast Division VCDD, sargeusmcl@verizon.net, 410-531-3816**

NEW ENGLAND DIVISION



ME. On 3 October I had the privilege of attending a growl of Moose Pound #255, Maine Pack, at the Veterans Home in Bangor, ME. I started the day by going to the wrong location. I went to the state psychiatric hospital and was then directed to the Veterans Home, but when I stated that I was going to a Devil Dogs Growl I was told that they had heard of the organization and maybe we needed to change our meeting location to their facility. During the growl I was introduced and immediately fined for failure to address the Pound Keeper in the prescribed manner. I briefly reviewed the importance of the few reports required by the Devil Dogs. I also discussed the importance of each Pound having an EIN and being incorporated. After passing through the order of business, the Police Dog was fined for failure to collect sufficient fines during the growl from the 18 dogs in attendance. I was once again fined for leaving the growl to use the hydrant, and when Sir Pound Keeper Richard Vargas asked why I left and I told him that the Pound had failed to provide a hydrant in the room, he stated that wasn't true as there was a box of flowers in the room. The fines which are collected by the Pound are used to make a sizeable donation to the Eastern Maine Medical Center which I think is outstanding. Pound #255 covers seven Detachments so they are planning to rotate where their donations go each year. At the conclusion of the growl, two new pups were inducted into the dogs and then were promptly sold to the highest bidder. During the initiation, the NE VCDD, in an effort to bring attention to himself, knocked over a large stack of bingo boxes sending bingo covers all over the area. At the conclusion of the growl, the election of the dogs for the coming year took place. A bowling fund raiser is planned for the last growl of the year, but they first have to find out if paws fit into the bowling ball holes.

NH. On 26 Sept. a growl was conducted by Brian Hipwell, (AKA Dumb Dog), the Pound Keeper for Pound 321. Brian started the growl by becoming confused and immediately fined all dogs in attendance for pointing out that he was screwed up. There were about 15 dogs in attendance. During the growl Bob Goulette, who recently transferred from North Carolina, was introduced. Bob attended the Supreme Growl in NC but due to an injury, couldn't participate in all of the activities. It was learned that the injury Bob incurred was due to his sticking his paw into a running lawnmower. He was immediately awarded a Dumb Dog award.

The honorable NH Pack Leader Joe Shea continues to represent the dogs, along with the Pack Smart Dog, on the VAVS committee at the VA Medical Center in Manchester and establishes MCL/DD sponsored bingos for the veterans once or twice a month. In addition to the bingos, DD members represent the organizations on the State Veterans Advisory Council, and the Pease Greeters, who welcome troops going to or returning from Iraq or Afghanistan. The NE- VCDD represented the DD at a meeting of the VISN 1, which is all of the veteran facilities in New England, regarding conditions and areas for attention.

On 13 September, I had the privilege of representing the Chief Devil Dog in presenting a Charter to the Sea Devil Dog Pound in Portsmouth, NH. Dogs were very active in supporting and attending a number of Marine Corps events in November. Birthday balls were held on 6 Nov in Portsmouth, and 13 Nov in Meredith, NH. On the greatest day of the year, 10 Nov., Dogs were out in force at 08:00 to raise the USMC flag over the state capital in Concord followed by a breakfast. At 11:00, a luncheon was conducted by the Expeditionary Brigade. During the luncheon, I read the Navy Cross citation that was being presented to a NH Marine for his actions in saving the lives of members of his platoon in Afghanistan that unfortunately cost him his life.

MA. On 3 Nov I had the privilege of attending the growl of Pound 62 in Peebeddy, (that's how I heard them say the name of the town) aka, Peabody, MA with 21 other dogs including the 45th PCDD PDD Bill Taylor and the Worthy MA Pack Leader PDD Fran Curnow. The first thing that Sir Pound Keeper Larry Rice did was fine a number of dogs for various real and imagined infractions of the doggy code. I was unjustly fined for not remembering my last name. PCDD Taylor was fined for anything that Pound Keeper Rice could think of. Also fined a number of times during the growl was the Pound Smart Dog PDD White. During the growl two Marines were initiated and then sworn in as PUPs.

Time then was spent figuring out which dog held what position in the Pound. After it was determined who held what position for the current year, nominations were accepted for the various Pound Positions for 2010-2011. Since it took the current Pound officers a year or more to learn what position they held, most were nominated and elected for the same position for the coming year. Before dismissal, Sir Pound Keeper Rice fined some of the dogs that had tried to avoid being noticed during the growl so they could keep their bones to themselves including PDD Boutin. The fines from this Pound are given as a donation to a local children's hospital which is outstanding.

By now I hope that most, if not all Pounds and Packs in New England have submitted their officer's installation forms to the Kennel Dog Robber along with their 990 forms to the IRS so I don't have to be nipping at anyone's heels. Don't forget to get the paper work submitted for any DD that wants to advance to PDD in Boise, ID. **It's not too early.**

Pack/Pound Dog Robbers, there are still a number of dogs that haven't paid their dues which were to be submitted prior to 1 September 2010 please nip at these dogs heels and get the dues submitted ASAP. Thanks to NH and ME for submitting 95% or better of their 2011 dues.

**WOOF, WOOF,
PDD Frank Diekmann, New England VCDD**

NORTHEAST DIVISION

Woof Woof to all you Dogs of the Northeast!

I hope all you dogs are having a great holiday season. The cold weather is starting to set in, so we all should have our dues paid and our elections and installations completed. If not, please don't delay any longer, we would like to see all of our Pounds in compliance with the Kennel Bylaws.

I'd like to remind all Northeast Dogs you that we have the National Mid-Winter Staff Conference and the Northeast Division Conference coming up soon. The Mid-Winter Conference will be held February 10th thru 12th at the Fairview Park Marriott in Falls Church, VA. Information for this conference can be found on the National website. The Northeast Conference will take place in Woodbridge, New Jersey on March 25th and 26th at the Hampton Inn. Information for this Conference can be found on the Northeast Division website. Each Conference hosts a Growl for the Dogs, so to show our strength let's get as many Dogs out as we can. Besides the informative conference sessions, the Growls are always a fun time.

Well, I can't think of anything else to ramble on about, so that's it for now. Hoping for all Dogs to have a happy and prosperous new year.....

**Woof Woof,
PDD Jim Powell, Northeast Division VCDD**

NORTHWEST DIVISION

WOOF WOOF to the Dogs of the Northwest!

Now that you have elected your new Pound and Pack Leaders, help them in their duties and make your pounds and pack continue to be strong.

Help your new dogs in the ways of being a good PUP and guide them along the way.

Now then the dogs of Idaho are gearing up to make the 72nd Supreme Growl a howling success and are looking forward to all the dogs in the Kennel to have a good time in Boise, ID.

If any Dogs haven't made reservations for the 88th Convention, you need to be thinking of doing it soon. Check out the hosting Detachment's web page for the latest information.

The dogs in Montana are working on getting a new pound in NW Montana. All the pounds participated in the Marine Corps Birthday. All pounds are 100%.

All of the Packs in the Northwest are involved in the Toys-for-Tots and are busy filling bags with toys.

As I look outside, it is still winter (been three weeks already), and there are some dogs who buried their bones and are having trouble finding them. Don't despair; it will soon warm up, and the snow will be gone so that you can go out and romp around and join other dogs in a Growl assembled.

**Woof, Woof!
PDD Paul Sullivan, Northwest Division VCDD**

ROCKY MOUNTAIN DIVISION

Dogs:

A lot of times everyone expects things to change if they do nothing and hope the others will. The doers ask for help, but the lookers and hoppers figure that things have been getting done without them and that's ok. "WRONG!!!" When the officers are sworn in, they obligate themselves to assist one another but are required to get the membership involved. Without a new mission, only the same ol' stuff gets done. The Pack Leaders should contact the Pound Keepers on a regular basis. Once a year is not often enough. The Pounds struggle to recruit new Dogs, have a quorum at their Growls, and wonder if the leadership cares about anything else but "Bones." They do. I'm positive a bunch of community service is being performed. I'm just as sure the Pack Leaders aren't getting that information. We all know communication is supposed to go two ways.

Even if you do the same ol' things all the time, every time, and everyone should know that, nobody can. Pound Keepers should know Pack Leaders and visa versa and how to get in contact with each other. The "They can go to the website" is not acceptable. The telephone is still the best way to find out about someone.

The Rocky Mountain Division is hosting the Quin Conference in Denver. Each Pack Leader has been personally contacted. A "Growl" is listed on the itinerary. The Pack Leader of Colorado assures me a lot of Dogs will attend, and I am looking forward to visiting with a bunch of you. It will be my pleasure. The dates are the 21st and 22nd of January, 2011 at the Red Lion Inn. All the Pack Leaders have the information and passed it on to all their Dogs.

Keep Barking, Keep Yelping, Keep Helping

PDD Bob Cowan, RMDVCDD

SOUTHEAST DIVISION

Woof Woof from the sunny Southeast Division. This time of year I usually make some wisecrack about all my dog friends who have to go out in the cold and snow while we sit on the beach, but right now we are freezing our tails off. So much for global warming! What does warm my heart is the response I've gotten recently from the Pack Leaders of the Southeast. Three Packs are perfect in timely reporting of elections and membership. The other three are on top of things and getting up to date as we speak. I have had the privilege of being the Installation Officer for several Pounds and also recently presented the Charter to our newest Pound, The Southern Crescent Pound #350 of Griffin, Georgia, where we had a great Growl as well. Georgia Pack Leader Mike Clark also reports there will be another new Pound in the Gainesville, Ga. area after Mid-Winter. Way to go, Georgia Dogs!

Keep warm and continue to work hard for your Pounds and the Devil Dogs. NOTE THE CHANGE OF EMAIL BELOW!

Semper Woofing,

PDD "Lt. Dan" Hoffman, SE Division Vice Chief, kohtangdan@gmail.com, 803-422-6842

SOUTHWEST DIVISION

Woof-Woof to all Dogs of the Southwest Division

I want to wish all of our Wonderful Dogs a Merry Christmas and a Very Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year!! I am looking forward to seeing many of you at the Marine Expo West at Camp Pendleton where we will once again be "Meeting and Greeting" thousands of Active Duty Marines from the Division and Air Wing in addition to the students at the Navy Corpsman School. For those Dogs that are always "Curious" about our Corps and what kind of Marines are carrying on our Legacy, this is the real deal for talking one-on-one with the Warriors that we so often support in thoughts and prayers. Not only will you be able to meet with Marines, but you will also have the opportunity to lay hands on the latest in military equipment and talk directly with the Defense Contractors who design and produce these weapons and equipment. If that is not enough to get you headed toward Camp Pendleton then you should know that you will also receive access to MCB Camp Pendleton and the Exchanges, etc without need for an Active Duty or Retired ID Card. I highly encourage you all to come on out, help at the booths, meet other Dogs and enjoy the beautiful Southern California Weather!!

There will be a Growl sponsored by California Pack and all Dogs present are encouraged to attend. If you have questions, please feel free to contact me. Good Luck to Devil Dog Bill Haney from Hawaii. He is forwarding a Degree Advancement to Pedigree based upon his Medical Condition Waiver. He is very interested in establishing a Pound in the Oahu area, and I will assist him in any way possible. Thanks to all the Dogs of the Southwest Division who continue to provide support to their Pounds, Packs and the Kennel and especially the Marines and their families that

we provide care packages and letters while deployed and then counseling and help to those returning from Iraq and Afghanistan.

I am going to ask once again that you look at the MCL Members that are not currently Dogs and when you see the dedicated and worthy few, bring them into the world of DogDom.

**Semper Barking from Arizona.
PDD Double Aught 112, SWDVCDD**

SOUTHERN DIVISION

Woof! Woof! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all you Devil Dogs. I hope you have all been good dogs and have been out on the streets gathering up lots of toys for the Toys for Tots Campaigns in your area.

It was my pleasure to attend the Department of Arkansas Fall Staff Meeting and to present a class on Toys for Tots. Mena, Arkansas, is a wonderful place to spend a few days in the fall. The mountains are beautiful and when you add Marines who are good friends doing great things it just doesn't get better than that. Thanks to all you Arkansas Dogs for all you do.

We then attended the Department of Texas Fall Staff Meeting in Granbury, Texas, where I once again did a class on Toys for Tots. We had a Pack Growl and I did my best to get fined. We had a good time and the growl was a success. Congratulations to the newly advanced Devil Dogs.

As we look forward to 2011 let's resolve to send our passport bones in after each growl and get all the Dogs in our Pounds to pay their dues. Just remember the job is not done until the paperwork is done.

Oh yes... please don't forget those Officer Installation Reports. Completions of these tasks are known to prevent tick fever and worms in all Devil Dogs. Trust me... I am a Vet.

**Semper Woofing,
PDD Bernie O'Dell, Southern Division VCDD**

KENNEL QUARTERMASTER

I do not have much to report at this time. Things have settled down around here. The cost on the material to make our Vests has increased; however, I am going to hold the line for a while. As you also know, the price for shipping is also increasing, and I understand that it will possibly increase sometime after the 1st of the year.

I do have a good supply of vests, both with and without the embroidery on them. They are \$43 for the plain vests, (APP 12) from Small to 3XL and, if you want a size or two larger, I will have to re-calculated the cost and go from there.

The price for the Vest with the embroidered MODD Logo on the reverse side of it, (APP 17) is \$72 from small to 3XL.

I look forward to meeting you all again at the Mid-Winter in February. God Bless and Here's wishing all of your Devil Dogs out there a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from Clif and Marie Williams.

**Semper Fidelis and Woof Woof,
Clifton Williams, 43rd Chief Devil Dog, Hon. Kennel Quartermaster**

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR UPCOMING EVENTS

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| 10-12 February 2011 | Mid-Winter Conference, Fairview Park Marriott, Falls Church, VA. Info: www.mcleague.org . |
| 25-26 March 2011 | Northeast Conference, Hampton Inn, Woodbridge, New Jersey. Info: www.NortheastDivMCL.org . Conference can be found on the Northeast Division website. |
| 15-17 April 2011 | New Eng. Div. Conf. - Quad State Convention, Wynwood Hotel and Suites, Portsmouth, NH. Reservations: Call 603-436-7600. Room rates: \$81.75 per night. Additional information at: www.northeastdivmcleague.org . |
| 31 July – 6 Aug. 2011 | National Convention and Supreme Growl, Boise-Riverside DoubleTree Hotel, Boise, ID. Room rates: \$86.00 plus tax (Marine Corps League group rate). Reservations: 208-343-1871. |
| 3 August 2011 | 72 nd Supreme Growl. Advancing dogs must register no later than 1700 on 1 August 2011! |

HEY, DEVIL DOGS! ARE YOU READY TO GET NOISY IN BOISE???



Merchandise Price List



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<i>Code</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Price</i>	<i>Code</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Price</i>
Pub 1	Kennel By Laws w/changes	\$6.00	App 01	Golf Shirt, Black, Red, White	\$36.00
Pub 1A	Changes to By-Laws	\$2.00	App 03	MODD Baseball Cap, Black	\$12.00
Pub 2	Kennel Ritual (Large Edition)	\$3.00	App 04	Mock Turtleneck, Jersey Red or White	\$32.00
Pub 4	Dog Robbers Manual	\$3.50	App 05	Sweat Shirt Navy w/EGA "USMC"	\$30.00
Pub 5	Bulldog Sketch 8 1/2" x 11"	\$2.00	App 07	T-Shirt Red or Gold	\$11.00
Pub 6	MODD Logo Inside Decal	\$2.00	App 12	Vest, Red size S to 3XL	\$43.00
Pub 7	MODD Logo Outside Decal	\$2.00	App 13	Blue Denim Shirt w/MODD S/S	\$35.00
Pub 8	MODD Logo Sticker Sheet 24	\$1.50	App 16	Black Denim Shirt w/MODD S/S	\$35.00
Pub 9	MODD Ribbon Chart	\$2.00	App 17	Vest, Red w/MODD Logo on Back	\$72.00
Pub 11	MODD Logo Rubber Stamp 1"	\$14.00	App 18	Jacket, Black w/MODD on back	\$80.00
Pub 12	MODD Logo Rubber Stamp 2"	\$17.00	App 20	MODD Beret, Black, Red, Gold	\$25.00
Pub 14	MODD Logo Disc Enameled	\$10.00	App 24	Jacket Red w/MODD on back	\$80.00
Pub 17	MODD Collar (Ribbon) Chart	\$2.00	App 25	Shirt, Dress Maroon w/MODD L/S	\$35.00
Pub 18	Kennel Ritual (Small Edition)	\$2.00	App 26	Shirt Dress Maroon w/USMC L/S	\$35.00
Pub 19	Handbook f/New Pups)(Large)	\$1.50	App 27	Shirt Dress Forest Green L/S w/MODD Logo	\$35.00
Pub 20	Handbook f/New Pups) Small Ed.	\$1.00	App 28	Shirt Dress Forest Green L/S w/USMC	\$35.00
Pub 21	Bumper Sticker "Not As Lean"	\$1.50	App 29	Belt Black w/Bulldog Gold/Silver	\$35.00
Awd 01	Disc f/MODD Pk/Pd Award Antique	\$18.00	App 31	Misc Baseball Caps	\$12.00
Awd 02	Pack Dog of the Year Plaque	\$50.00	App 33	Shirt, Maroon w/MODD S/S	\$35.00
Awd 03	Pound Dog of the Year Plaque	\$50.00	App 34	Shirt, Maroon w/USMC S/S	\$35.00
Awd 04	Pack DOY Lapel Pin	\$3.50	App 35	Shirt, Green w/MODD S/S	\$35.00
Awd 05	Pound DOY Lapel Pin	\$3.50	App 36	Shirt, Green w/USMC S/S	\$35.00
Awd 06	Pack DOY Mini-Medal	\$12.50	App 37	Old Style Devil Dog Baseball Cap	\$12.00
Awd 07	Pound DOY Mini-Medal	\$12.50	App 38	MODD Watch Standers Cap	\$10.00
Awd 08	Pack DOY Ribbon	\$5.00	App 39 *	White Shirt w/MODD Logo on Back	\$48.00
Awd 09	Pound DOY Ribbon	\$5.00	Pat 1	MODD Cap Patch (Official)	\$3.00
Awd 10	Pack Leader Comm. Ribbon	\$2.00	Pat 2	MODD Shoulder Patch (Official)	\$4.00
Awd 11	Pack Leader Comm. Certificate	\$2.00	Pat 3	Patch White w/Bulldog Head	\$3.00
Awd 12	Pound Keeper Comm. Ribbon	\$2.00	Pat 4	Patch Red w/Bulldog Head	\$3.00
Awd 13	Pound Keeper Comm. Certificate	\$2.00	Pat 5	Patch "DEVIL DOG: Letters Only	\$3.00
Awd 14	Past Pack Leader Large Medal	\$10.00	Pat 6	MODD 8 1/2" Cap Patch Design	\$30.00
Awd 15	Past Pack Leader Mini-Medal	\$10.00	Pat 7	Bulldog w/Green Helmet	\$3.50
Awd 16	Past Pound Keeper Large Medal	\$10.00	Pat 8	White Bulldog w/Helmet Standing	\$3.50
Awd 17	Past Pound Keeper Mini-Medal	\$10.00	Pat 9	Black Bulldog w/Helmet Standing	\$3.50
Awd 18	MODD Certificate of Appreciation	\$2.00	Pat 11	MODD Patch 10" w/Letters	\$35.00
Awd 19	Past Pack Leader Ribbon	\$2.00	Pat 12	Hollywood Marine Patch	\$5.00
Awd 20	Past Pound Keeper Ribbon	\$2.00	Pat 13	Parris Island Patch	\$5.00
Awd 21	MODD Distinguished Service Award	\$2.00	Pat 14	Patch, USMC Emblem 9 1/2" Round	\$12.00
Awd 22	MODD Certificate f/All Occasion	\$1.50	TAG 1	MODD Dog Tag	\$3.50
Awd 23	MODD Cert. w/Foil Logo Black	\$1.50	Pass	MODD Passport	\$5.00
Awd 24	MODD Cert.w/Foil Logo Color	\$1.50	NPK 1	New Pup Kit (****)	\$20.00
Awd 25	Pack DOY Certificate	\$2.00			
Awd 26	Pound DOY Certificate	\$2.00			

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Awd 27	Pack DOY Large Medal	\$15.00	Pat Conv	La, Wa, Ma, NM, Fl, Mn, NC., Covn.	\$4.00
Awd 28	Pound DOY Large Medal	\$15.00	Pat 15	Patch USMC Emblem 6" X 8"	\$12.00
Awd 29	Award Presentation Folder	\$2.00	Pat 16	USMC Bulldog 1775 X 10"	\$13.00
Rib-PDD	Collar, Gold f/Pedigree	\$1.00	Pat 17	Patch MODD 11 1/2: w/Letters	\$45.00
Rib-DD	Collar, Red f/Devil Dog	\$1.00	PAT 18	Patch, Bulldog Head	\$3.00
Rib-Pup	Collar, Black f/Pup	\$1.00	MAS 1	MODD Walking Cane 36"	\$190.00
Rib-PDD-G	Collar, Gold w/Grommet	\$1.50	MAS 1A	MODD Walking Cane 42"	\$200.00
Rib-DD-G	Collar, Red w/Grommet	\$1.50	MAS 2	Magnet, "I Love My Marine Bulldog	\$3.00
Rib-Pup-G	Collar, Black w/Grommet	\$1.50	MAS 16	Yellow Footprints Floor Matt	\$45.00
Pin 1	MODD Lapel Pin (Pat 2 Design)	\$3.00	MAS 17	MODD Logo Wood Cutout	\$35.00
Pin 2	Pin, Small Dog Standing	\$1.50	MAS 20	MCL Logo Wood Cutout	\$35.00
Pin 3	Bulldog in Globe and Anchor	\$3.00	MAS 21	Car Magnets, Support our Marines,	\$1.00
Pin 4	MODD Life Membership Pin	\$3.00	MAS 22	Magnet, MODD Logo 6" (Round)	\$5.00
Pin 5	Pin, USMC w/Bulldog Head	\$3.00	MAS 22	Magnet, MODD Logo 6" Square	\$7.50
Pin 6	Pin, USMC as above w/Wreath	\$3.00	MAS 26	MAGNET 12" Round USMC Logo	\$10.00
Pin 8	Pin, Bulldog w/White Blanket	\$3.00	MAS 27	MAGNET, USMC Emblem 5 1/2"	\$5.00
Pin 9	Pin, Bulldog Running Front	\$3.00	MAS 37	MODD Night Stick w/Laser Cut	\$40.00
Pin 10	Pin, Bulldog w/Helmet	\$3.00	MAS 38	Devil Dog Bottle Topper Stone	\$11.00
Pin 11	Pin, Bulldog w/Barracks Cover	\$3.00	MAS 39	Devil Dog Bottle Topper Stone	\$8.00
Pin 12	PIA Medal and Ribbon	\$13.50	MAS 40	MODD Bones Bag	\$2.00
Pin 13	Pin, Yellow Footprints	\$3.00	MAS 41 **	USMC Swagger Stick	\$40.00
Pin 14	Pin, These Colors Don't Run	\$3.00	MAS 42	MAGNET MODD Logo 12"	\$15.00
Pin 15	Pin, USMC, Air, Land and Sea	\$3.00	MAS 43	MODD Blazier Crest w/Pins	\$18.00
Pin 16	Pin, Medium Bulldog Standing	\$3.00	MAS 44	MODD Blazier Crest w/o Pins	\$17.00
Pin 18	Pin, Cross Flags	\$3.00	MAS 45	MODD Blazier Crest w/Safty Pins	\$17.00
Pin 19	Pin, USMC Retiree's (Official)	\$7.50		The above three items are not	
Pin 20	Pin Retiree's Unofficial	\$3.00		Official Uniform items.	
Pin 21	Pin Iwo Jima	\$3.00	MAS 46	Marine Brat Dog Tag	\$7.00
Pin B	Rubber Back f/Pins (50_	\$2.50	MAS 47 *	Minn. Challenge Coin	\$10.00
Mold 1	MCL Candy Mold	\$3.00	MAS 48 *	NC Challenge Coin	\$10.00
Mold 2	MODD Logo Candy Mold	\$3.00	Buc 1	Buckle, These Colors Don't Run	\$13.00
Flag 2	Flag USMC w/Bulldog 3' X 5'	\$7.50	Buc 2	Buckle, USMC w/M-16	\$13.00
Flag 6	Flag, USMC 3' X 5'	\$7.50	Buc 3	Buckle, Pewter Iwo Jima	\$13.00
Flag 7	MODD Flag 3' X 5' Yellow and Black	\$40.00	Buc 5	Buckle, Onyx w/Bulldoghead	\$30.00
Flag 8	Flag, USMC Embroidered 3' X 5"	\$30.00	Cup *	71st Supreme Growl Cup ceramic	\$10.00
Flag 9 **	Flag, USA Embroidered 3'X5'	\$25.00			

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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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Star denotes a new item
2* denotes price change

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And, now, the rest of the story...

Sniffing Around the Packs and Pounds



If your Pack or Pound is doing some good work or has an interesting story to share, please submit it to the Kennel Barking Dog at the following email address: carolnco@mchsi.com. It will appear in the "Complete" edition of the Woof-O-Gram only. Photos may also be submitted. Please remember that the newsletter will be out there in cyberspace for the whole world to see. The Kennel Barking Dog reserves the right to omit or edit anything deemed inappropriate for viewing.

NEWLY FORMED UNTAMED DOGS POUND 351 WITH NEW CHARTER



Congratulations and a big WOOF, WOOF to the members of **Untamed Dogs Pound #351!** It was an honor to present these fine Dogs with their charter on behalf of Chief Ruhmshottel and Central Division Vice Chief Bricking, to initiate one of their new members, Pup John McAdams, and to install their first officers. The Charter Ceremony and Installation took place following our regular Pound 226 Growl in Jacksonville, IL in November. They saved this old dog a lot of miles on his paws since they chose to attend one last growl with us. Although we will miss these dogs, who have now permanently strayed from our pound, I wish them the greatest success as they begin their new journey.

Above: Members of **Untamed Dogs Pound 351** proudly pose for a photo with their newly signed Charter. L to R: Pup Herb Knobloch, DD Jimmy Price (Watch Dog), PDD Ray Hughes (Pound Keeper), DD Randy Weber (Smart Dog), DD Ron Burns (Mad Dog).

IT'S AN HONOR TO BE A DEVIL DOG!!!

CENTRAL ILLINOIS POUND 226 AND UNTAMED DOGS POUND 351



Left: Dogs attending **Central Illinois Pound 226** growl and **Untamed Dogs Pound 351** Charter Presentation and Installation of Officers in Jacksonville, IL posed for a group photo following the proceedings. Front row (L to R): DD Bill Woollen, DD Randy Weber, Pup John McAdams, Pup Herb Knobloch, DD Ron Burns, PDD Ray Hughes, DD Jimmy Price, DD John Waltrip, PDD Ralph Timpe, PDD Warren Musch. Back row (L to R): Pup Daphine Kappos, DD Tony Bingham, PDD Jim Carleton, Pup Phil Lott, Pup Alex Applebee, PDD C.O. Smith, Pup Angelos Kappos, PDD Dave Edwards, PDD Bob Komnick, DD Jerry Lowe. PDD Edwards serves as IL Pack Dog Robber. This was his first visit to a Pound 226 growl, and the local dogs were quite pleased to have him join us.

Pound 351 and Pound 226 information and photos submitted by PDD C.O. Smith, IL Pack Leader and Pound 226 Pound Keeper

The Honorable Kennel Quartermaster, PCDD Clif Williams, invites you to do your shopping for your Pack and Pound during the Mid-Winter Conference.

Quartermaster Schedule:

Thursday, February 10	1200 – 1700
Friday, February 11	0800 – 1700
Saturday, February 12	0800 - 1300

MOOSE POUND 255 INITIATION



The photo is dogs in Pound 255 being initiated into the order. L to R: DD Don Polk (auctioning the pups), Reggie Earley, Steve Fleming.

(Photo submitted by PDD Frank Diekmann, New England Division Vice Chief Devil Dog)

CALLING ALL DOGS!!!

**Plan to attend the MODD Mini-Growl
on Friday, 11 February at 2000
during the National Mid-Winter
Conference!**

POUND 184 ALABAMA GROWL

This Growl was at Sid Phillips' home. He is the Marine in the royal blue shirt and the Marine that the HBO miniseries "The Pacific" was based on. Note his Honorable Discharge was signed by Chesty Puller. Great guy and he was initiated into the Devil Dogs as a pup at this growl. He also wrote the book "You'll Be Sor-ree!" *A Guadalcanal Marine Remembers The Pacific War.*

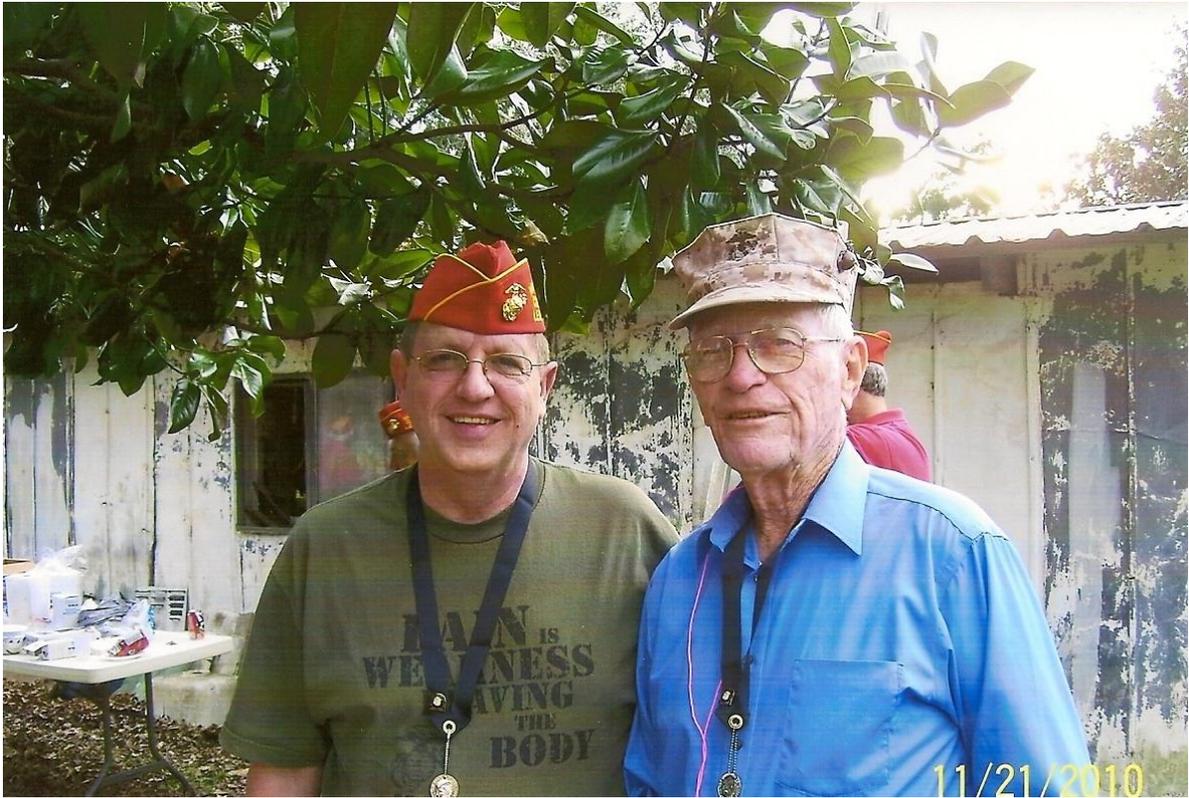
Chuck Miller, Marine Corps League, Cpl. J. R. Spears Det. #066



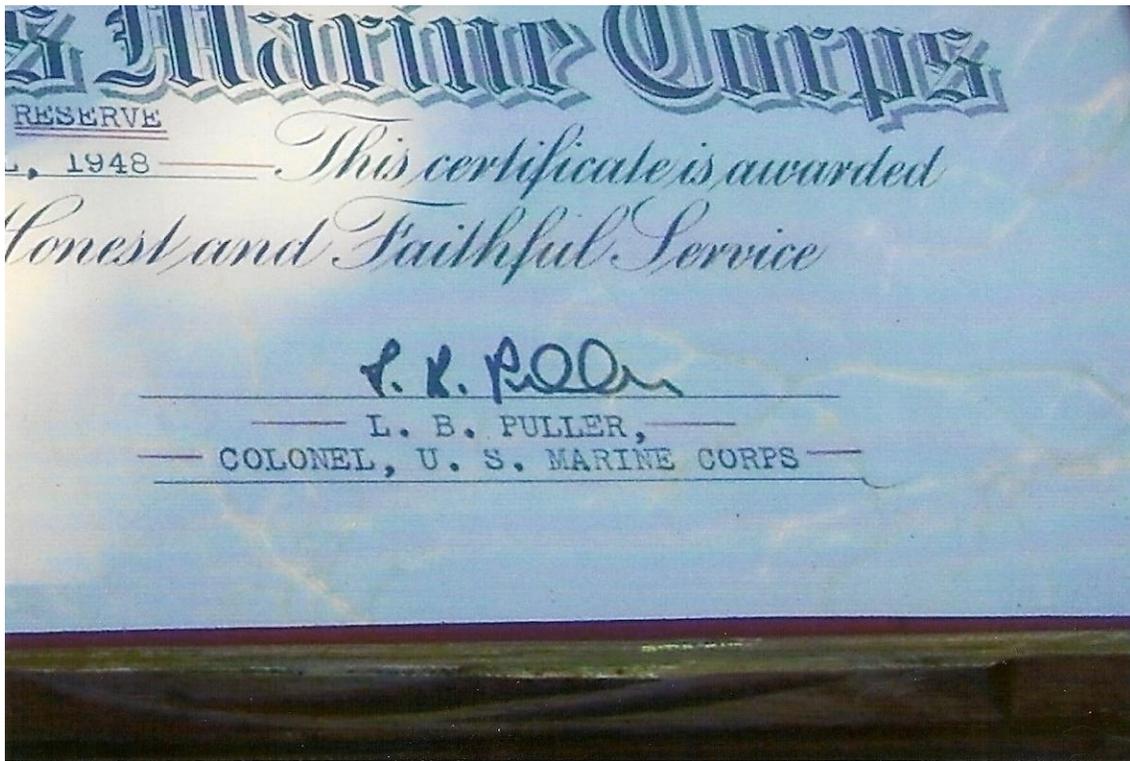
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Pound 184 (continued)



POUND 184 GROWL (continued)



Editor's Note: Thanks to PCDD Bill Taylor for submitting the photos from Pound 184.

A FINAL SALUTE

It is with a heavy heart that I render a final salute to my brother and my friend, PDD Roy Weaver. Roy has been featured in several issues of the Woof-O-Gram; most recently, he was shown hoisting the Colors on the USS Constitution in the Fall issue of the Woof-O-Gram. Roy passed away peacefully. To his wife, Caroline, I offer my deepest condolences. I know of no finer Marine guarding Heaven's gates.

C.O.

GYSGT ROY M. WEAVER, USMC RETIRED



19 July 1919 – 16 October 2010



Good night, Chesty, wherever you are!