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Information that every Dog should know!

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HOW TO PLACE COVER PATCH



HOW TO FILL IN YOUR PASSPORT INFORMATION

IMPORTANT: This passport must be signed by the bearer. Unofficial changes are prohibited.

NAME Last: <u>SMITH</u> First: <u>ALBERT</u> Initial: <u>E</u>		M.C.L. NO. <u>123456</u> M.C.L. PL. NO. <u>12345</u> D.D.L.M. NO. <u>1234</u>
SEX (Check one) B <input type="checkbox"/> M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BIRTHPLACE <u>Boston, MA</u>	
BIRTHDATE <u>12 2 99</u> <small>Day / Month / Year</small>	ISSUE DOG TAG NO. <u>99-800</u>	
HOME POUND NAME <u>Margy Mutts</u>	NO. <u>999</u>	PACK OF <u>PA</u>
Present Devil Dog Office Kennel <u>Dep Police Dog</u> Year <u>05-06</u>	Pack <u>Mad Dog</u> Year <u>05-06</u>	<i>Albert E. Smith</i> SIGNATURE OF DOG
Pound <u>Smart Dog</u> Year <u>05-06</u>		

- NAME** your legal name
- MCL No.** your number
- MCL PLM No.** your number
- DDL M No.** your number
- SEX: B M**
- BIRTHPLACE:** Place you became a Devil Dog.
- BIRTH DATE:** Date you became a Devil Dog.
- ISSUE DOG TAG No.** 00-000 (Issued by Kennel)
- HOME POUND NAME:** your pound name
- NO.** your pound number
- PACK OF:** your pack name
- Present Devil Dog Office** list those that apply
- SIGNATURE OF DOG:** yours

DOGS,

We are the Fun and Honor Society of the Marine Corps League. Unlike some other organizations, all members of the Military Order of the Devil Dogs are created equal. Only Regulars members in good standing in the Marine Corps League, with one continuous year may be "asked" to apply for membership.

LEARNING ABOUT THE DEVIL DOGS

The rules and regulations of the Military Order of the Devil Dogs are contained in the By-Laws and Ritual. Members should become familiar with each publication but should not try to absorb everything at once.

The By-Laws contain the basic rules. The Ritual has further details and tells how to conduct Growls and other ceremonial functions of the Pound.

Show your pride by wearing your MODD cover patch correctly!

Your passport identifies you as a MODD member. Its information should correctly identify your doggie particulars. Think of it as your Devil Dog birth certificate.

Keep in mind, we are here to have FUN! Keep business light and your enjoyment heavy.

Woof Woof

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MODD Life Membership Rates

For those Devil Dogs who wish to "Go Life" with their membership, saving money over the years, eliminating having to remember to renew each year, and saving your overworked Dog Robbers much paperwork and time, these are the rates, depending on your age:

Paid Life Memberships shall be made available at a cost of \$150.00 each for those Members of the ORDER who are up to and including age 60 years, and for \$125.00 for those Members who are age 61 years and above. All applicants shall meet the following criteria.



1. The member shall be a Pedigreed Devil Dog, shall be a Life Member of the Marine Corps League, Inc., and shall have maintained at least five (5) years continuous membership in the Marine Corps League, Inc., and shall have no outstanding obligations to either the Order or the League.
2. Once Life Memberships in the Order are transmitted to the Honorable Kennel Dog Robber; the Honorable Kennel Dog Robber shall remit \$30.00 to the Pound, and \$30.00 to the Pack in which the Pound is located. The Kennel shall retain the balance. In the case of a Dog belonging to a Pound in a State where there is no established Pack, the Kennel shall retain the amount allocated for a Pack. In the case of Kennel Strays purchasing Life Memberships, the Kennel Dog Robber shall make no distribution.
3. The transmittal of Paid Life Memberships shall be the responsibility of the Pound, via the Pack, to the Honorable Kennel Dog Robber. Pounds in States having no established Pack shall transmit directly to the Kennel.
4. Permanent metal Paid Life Member plates and cardboard type membership cards will be issued to the Pedigreed Devil Dog only at the time of their original transmittal.
5. Pedigreed Devil Dogs holding Paid Life Membership Status in the Order are exempt from future Kennel, Pack and Pound Membership Dues.

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Pennsylvania Pack, Officers Roster, 2008–2009

Pack Leader: PDD Gordon Sheriff, (H) 717-755-8108, (E) SDdeputyDog@aol.com

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Dog Robber: PDD James J. Powell, (H) 215-801-0432, (E) usmc80@comcast.net

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Marine Corps League License Plates ————— \$30.00



PENNSYLVANIA MARINE CORPS LEAGUE SPECIALTY LICENSE PLATES.

MAKE YOUR CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$30.00 PAYABLE TO "MCL of PA, Inc.".

SEND APPLICATION TO: PAUL F. HASTINGS, PNC
1631 BRIDGE STREET
NEW CUMBERLAND, PA 17070-1174

Application Form MV-904SO (09-04) can be downloaded from the Department of PA Website

APPLICATIONS SENT (directly) TO THE COMMONWEALTH WILL BE RETURNED TO THE SENDER AND NOT PROCESSED. CHECKS MADE PAYABLE TO THE "PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION" WILL ALSO BE RETURNED NOT PROCESSED.

ASK QUESTIONS BY PHONE: CALL PNC Hastings at 800-747-1420 or email to: Phasti4321@aol.com

Remember, only the new application *Form MV-904SO (09-04)* can be used. This is the **ONLY** form that will be acceptable. Do Not Use the Old Form MV-904SO (02-04)

The following persons are eligible to apply for Marine Corps League Pennsylvania license plate:

- a. Individuals who are members in good standing of one of the Department's chartered detachments.
- b. Active duty Marines belonging to an out-of-state Marine Corps League detachment who have Pennsylvania as their home of record.
- c. Marine Corps League Auxiliary Members.

POUNDNEWSLETTER EDITORS

TAKE NOTE

Send a Copy of Your Pound Newsletter to
the Pack Barking Dog.

PDD Hal Foss
106 Iroquois Drive
Butler, PA 16001-0520

Copies can be sent electronically to the Worthy Barking
Dog's email address:

E-Mail: det743@zoominternet.net

Downloading & Printing

Downloading: Display the newsletter you wish to save on your own computer. Click the save *icon*. Follow the instructions to save the .pdf file on your computer.

Printing: Display the newsletter you wish to print. Go to the file menu, print, Follow the instructions. If you do not wish to print in color, go to your printer's properties, color, and set the print mode to grayscale.

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Military Order of Devil Dogs



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DEVIL DOGS CREED

I am an American. I was born in France.

I have held 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

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Phone: 724 822-5636

For E-Mail submissions, please attach computer files in Windows Notepad , Microsoft Word, or plain text formats, or cut and paste into an E-Mail message.

If hand written, please print.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

If you change your address, tell your Pound Dog Robber. Your Pound Dog Robber must transmit your old and new addresses to Kennel through the Pack Dog Robber. Paw Prints is not distributed through the mail any longer. It is available electronically on the web site of the Department of Pennsylvania, Marine Corps League.

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The***

***Pack of Pennsylvania
M.O.D.D.***

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Early GROWL Schedule

Winter 2009 Growl

9 January, 2009

MCL PA Hq., Indiantown Gap



Spring 2009 Growl

20 March, 2009

MCL PA Hq., Indiantown Gap

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