

SCRATCHINGS OF THE PACK OF PENNSYLVANIA

Headquarters, Marine Corps League

Ft. Indiantown Gap, Pa

March 28, 2008

Worthy Pack Leader PDD Gary German called the Pack Growl to order at 1820 and the opening ceremonies were conducted.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: PDD's German, Sheriff, Tanner, Brown, Hollon Jr, Farole, Corley, Harper, DD Wells.
Absent were PDD Foss, PPL Dietrich and DD White.

ROLL CALL OF POUNDS: Present 19, 22, 38, 67, 96(NJ), 109, 132, 169, 179, 188, 229 and 1 Stray.

DIGNATARY RECOGNITION: Bobbie Swain, NE Div. Vice Chief Devil Dog and Kennel Dog of the Year. Insurance Advisor PDD D. Brown.

PAST DOGS OF THE YEAR: PDDs Doty, Hollon, Simmons, Dominico and Sheriff

PAST PACK LEADERS: PDDs Doty, Asensi

PREVIOUS SCRATCHINGS: Were read and PDD Sheriff made a motion to approve. PDD Hollon Jr. 2nd, motion passed.

MEMORIAL SERVICE: None

SICK AND DISTRESSED: Reports were made on PDD Don Kohler, PDD Ralph Yoder and PDD John Lazar.

SR VICE REPORT: PDD Sheriff reported that poster was waiting for authority to use emblem and once approved they will be posted.

JR. VICE REPORT: PDD Tanner report that Raffle was not done.

SMART DOG REPORT: PDD Brown spoke on incorporating all all Pounds of the Pack as required by National. PDD Sheriff added information on obtaining a lawyer to incorporate all Pounds and Packs.

POLICE DOG REPORT: Nothing to report at this time.

DOG TRAINER: There were 28 death notices in the League, but none for the Devil Dogs.

MAD DOG REPORT: Nothing to report at this time.

WATCH DOG REPORT: PDD Hollon JR was acting Watch Dog and had no report.

DOG ROBBERS REPORT: Presented in written form. PDD Brown made a motion to accept and PDD Sheriff seconded. Motion passed. Reported on EIN numbers and having to register with both MCL National and IRS and must do a 990 report with the IRS.

BARKING DOG REPORT: Nothing to report at this time.

QUARTERMASTER REPORT: PDD Harper provided report in written form.

OLD BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS: PDD Doty made a motion to put a 1/2 page ad in the Ad Book for National and seconded by PDD Hollon Jr. Motion Passed.
PDD Sheriff made a motion to put a 1/2 page ad in the Ad Book for Department and seconded by PDD Doty. Motion Passed.

GOOD OF THE ORDER: PDD Farloe brought up fund raiser for Grand Growl.
NE Div Vice CDD Swain address membership about Leadership School Class at NE Division Conference and making sure that Pounds submit Passport Stamp Fees to Kennel. Many have not.
Pack Jr. Vice, PDD Tanner brought up need for donations for the raffle at Department Convention for Scholarship Fund.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Following Dogs announced intentions to run for office at Grand Growl in June:
Pack Leader – PDD Gordy Sheriff
Sr. Vice Pack Leader – PDD Chuck Hollon Jr.
Jr. Vice Pack Leader – DD J.R. Wells
Pack Police Dog – PDD Dan Doty
Pack Dog Robber – PDD Jim Powell

Worthy Pack Leader PDD Gary German conducted closing of the Pack Growl 1930.

Respectfully,

Neil B. Corley

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Worthy Dog Robber
94-399, Pound #67