

WORTHY DOG ROBBER
SCRATCHINGS OF THE PACK OF PENNSYLVANIA

PA Department HQ Building
Fort Indiantown Gap, PA
October 23, 2009

Worthy Pack Leader PDD Tom Tanner called the Pack Growl to order at 1905 and the opening ceremonies were conducted. Motion was made by PDD Minchin and seconded by PDD Powell to dedicate this Growl to PDD Chuck Hollon Jr. Motion was carried and Charter was draped in his name.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: PDD's Tanner, Wells, Evangelista, Miller, Minchin, McCann, German, Powell, Chamberlain, Harper and Sheriff. All Officers were present and/or accounted for.

ROLL CALL OF POUNDS: Present were 19, 22, 31, 67, 109, 132, 169, 179, 188, 229 and 2 Strays.

DIGNATARY RECOGNITION: Northeast Division Vice Chief Devil Dogs, PDD Jim Powell.

PAST PACK LEADERS: PDD's Ascensi, German and Junior Past Pack Leader Sheriff.

DOGS OF THE YEAR: PDD's Chamberlain, McCann, Sheriff and Ascensi.

MEMORIAL SERVICE: Was performed by Worthy Dog Trainer Minchin and assisted by DD Johnny Gill for Dogs for PDD Hollon (PD 019), DD Ralph Yoder (PD 067) and all Dogs that have passed on since the Grand Growl.

PREVIOUS SCRATCHINGS: Motion to accept the scratchings of the Pack Spring Growl was made by PDD McCann and seconded by PDD Sheriff. Motion was approved by the body.

SICK AND DISTRESSED: PDD Sheriff report that Past Pack Leader Kohler was still holding on, doing 2/3 days of dialysis per week. PDD Ascensi report that May Hensley is still bed ridden and asked for a card to be sent. PDD Brown reported on Mary Diaminano was in bad shape and on a respirator. PDD Tanner reported that Bill Siebel, National Chairman of the Youth Physical Fitness had passed away.

PACK LEADER REPORT: PDD Tanner reported that we are in a new year and that dues should be paid up. He also iterated that Pound elections and installations should be completed by the middle of November.

SR. VICE REPORT: PDD Wells reported that new members should be recruited by all Dogs of the Pack. He put out a challenge to all Pounds and Dogs; The Pound with the most new Pups by the next Grand Growl will receive an award and the Dog that recruits the most new Pups will also receive an award.

JR. VICE REPORT: PDD Evangelista proposed several fund raising programs. They were all discussed and a Calendar Fund Raiser for July of 2010 was decided on. A motion was made by PDD Wells and seconded by PDD Van Gorder on the Calendar Fund Raiser. It was approved by the body and will consist of three (3) numbers of four (4) digits per ticket with a total of 1333 tickets printed. We will be using the PA evening daily number. They will be priced at \$5 big bones with daily payouts of \$25 on Monday thru Friday, \$50 on weekends and \$150 on the 4th of July. If all tickets are sold the Pack stands to make approximately \$5400 big bones.

SMART DOG REPORT: Presented the rewrite of the Pack Bylaws to the body. Motion to accept the rewrite was made by DD Greene and seconded by PDD McCann. Motion was carried and a copy of the new Pack Bylaws will be sent to each Pound.

POLICE DOG REPORT: No Report.

DOG TRAINER: No Report.

MAD DOG REPORT: No Report.

WATCH DOG REPORT: Reported 22 Dogs on board.

DOG ROBBERS REPORT: Presented both Financial and Quarterly Reports in written form. Reminded the body that EIN's must be secured by all Pounds and that they should also be filing their IRS 990 form to avoid losing their exempt status.

BARKING DOG REPORT: Reported that the Fall E-edition of the Pack "Paw Prints" was out on the Pack website.

QTRMASTER REPORT: PDD Harper read his quarterly report and reported it was delivered to the Pack Dog Robber.

OLD BUSINESS: None

INITIATIONS: None

NEW BUSINESS: None

GOOD OF THE ORDER: None

ANNOUNCEMENTS: None

CLOSING: Closing Ceremony conducted by Pack Leader Tanner at 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,



PDD James J Powell
Worthy Dog Robber
05-366, Pound #179