

***FLORIDA PACK, MILITARY ORDER OF DEVIL DOGS INC.  
15900 SAUSALITO CIRCLE Clermont FL, 34711  
GRAND GROWL 6/24/2022***

*Worthy Pack Leader: PDD: Tom Newton*

*Called the Grand Growl of the Pack, to order @ 1900*

*Opening Ceremony was held.*

*Roll Call: All Officers present.*

*Dignitaries:*

*SEDV ASST. Honorable Chief Devil Dog. Randy Barnes*

*Past Pack Leaders: PDD Tom Heron, PDD Dale Condry, PDD Charlie Smith, PDD Lou Calleja, PDD Dave Sargent.*

*MODD Florida Pack Dog of Year: PDD Dale Condry, PDD Robin Barker. PDD Lou Calleja, PDD Mike Stewart, PDD Richard Pirrwitz PDD Tom Newton.*

*Motion to accept the past growl scathing as posted, Motion Accepted.*

*Sick and Distress, PDD Bob Beale's wife, DD /Jim Flower, Rudy Fontaine, other Devil Dogss were mention but due to the noise level unable to hear. Moment of silence was observed.*

*Report of Officers:*

*Worthy Pack Leader PDD Tom Newton reports on the upcoming DOF Fall conference hosted by the Pack at Lake Buena Vista Holiday Resort October 20 / 23 -2022 @ 99\$ a night. Requesting volunteers for the event. Worthy Dog Robber PDD Andy Smith Reported Bank status of funds. A detailed reports of our funding status will be upon request.*

Worthy Smart Dog PDD John Gionet:

*Update on Pack By- Laws* Worthy Smart Dog reported on the changes of By Laws that were sent out to all the Packs Pound keepers and received no response of any disagreement of such changes Motion to accepted the Update of the By- Laws Motion was accepted.

Worthy Smart Dog also reported on the new Patrol Dog SOP.

*The Pack would have 6 Dogs Shelters, The Pounds within the assign shelters would elect a PDD Patrol dog. The Patrol dog would be able to claim reimbursement of one night at Department conference and convention for the purpose of attending the Growl of the Pack. A copy of the assigned shelters is included as addendum Enclosure 1.*

*A motion was called by PDD Robin Barker and a second by PDD Mike Stewart. Pack Leader PDD Tom Newton called for the discussion of cost for the Patrol Dog to visit his Pounds of the shelters and to stay one night at convention Grand Growl. PDD Dale Condy spoke on the issues of cost of the travel and hotel stay with our budget line. PDD Dave Sargent spoke on the reason of such Patrol dog, and question of whether we needed it.*

Pack Leader PDD Tom Newton explained the problems he has found and the new orders of the Chief DD to take the charter of unperforming Pounds and Packs. Patrol Dog would be able to alert the Pack of Pounds that are not following the requirements of the MODD Kennel. I.e.: not holding growls and passport collections.

Sr Vice PDD Mike Stewart spoke in favor of the motion along with Smart Dog PDD John Gionet. After discussion with serval dogs speaking pro and con, A motion was brought and a SOP program test for a year approved.

*Sr Vice Pack Leader PDD Mike Stewart reported on the budget and Income and it's debit with the Supreme Growl. A motion to accept his report was brought forth and passed.*

*Nomination and Election of Officers of the Florida Pack, was conducted by PPL PDD Lou Calleja. The following pack officers were nominated and elected: Pack Leader PDD Tom Newton, Sr Vice PDD Mike Stewart, Jr Vice PDD Mike Ambrosino, Smart Dog, PDD John Gionet. Pack Mad Dog, PDD Lori Dashiell, Pack Police Dog, DD now PDD Patrick Joynt, Dog Trainer PDD Ron Ashley, by a cast of one vote by the Worthy Dog Robber.*

*Pack Dog Robber, PDD Andy Smith, Pack Barking Dog DD, Now PDD Luis Cambal, Pack QM DD Bard Sokoly, Pack Show Dog PDD Lou Calleja, Pack Happy Dog PDD Bob Back and Pack Happy-Happy Dog PDD Steve Mercier were appointed by the Worthy Pack Leader with the approval of the Pack staff.*

*PPL PDD Lou Calleja called for a caucus for the appointment of Patrol Dogs by their respected Pound of their shelters. 5 minutes were allotted for this. Robert Back. Patrol Dogs PDD Antonio Gutierrez, PDD Dick Pirrwitz, and PDD Steve Mercier were installed as Patrol Dogs for shelters 6,3, and 2 respectively. Pack Leader PDD Tom Newton will announce the names in future of Patrol Dogs not yet appointed.*

*SEDV, Honorable Vice Chief Devil Dog Randy Barnes installed the Pack Board and appointees in to the Office of the Florida Pack MODD.*

*Mad Dog PDD Lori Dashiell assembled the Pups for the oath of Devil Dog, Pack Leader PDD Tom Newton conducted the obligation of the Pups to Devil Dogs. Pack Leader PDD Tom Newton presented to each new DD their new RED collar. And call for a 5-minute break for all to welcome the new DD'S*

Pack Leader PDD Tom Newton then called for all newly elected and appointed officer to front of the podium for a congratulation from the Dogs of the Florida Pack.

For the Good of the Pack:

Worthy Past pack Leader, PDD Dave Sergeant, requested that a Past Packers Growl be established. The Worthy Pack Leader agreed and a Past Pack Leaders Growl will be established during the Department June Convention.

PDD Vinnie Howard who spoke of a book written by Danny Garcia a Vietnam Era Veteran [Maines Don't Cry,]

PDD Gil Shepard Spoke of the Program of Pasco County veteran's groups of supplying under garments to Veterans in the VA Hospitals in Florida and thanked the Pack for contributing to it.

PDD John Gionet stated a pledge of 20 Big Bones for the MODD Kennel Children hospital drive. PDD Gil Shepard pledge 50 bones and total contribute was 600+ \$.

PDD Mike Stewart stole and then raffled off the Worthy Dog Robbers Passport stamp and attained 400 bones for it. Also donated to the children's hospital kennel fund.

Mad Dog PDD Lori Dashiell held the 50/50 drawing and PDD Mike Stewart won and donated the winning to the hospital fund of the Kennel.

PDD Nathen Platt was roasted for wrongly listing PDD Tom Newton as Senior Pack Leader on a registration form and a fine was imposed on him.

Pack Leader PDD Tom Newton then ordered the Grand Growl to close. The Closing ritual was performed and the closing prayer was offered by the Worthy Dog Trainer Ron Asley. Pack Leader PDD Tom Newton then declare the Grand Growl Closed till Fall DOF Conference October 21 / 2022 for Growl of the Pack.

PDD 08-070 Andy Smith

Worthy Dog Robber, Florida Pack MODD



## Pounds of the Florida Pack Proposed Dog Shelters



24 June 2022

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| <p><b>Pack Dog Shelter 1 -- 37 Devil Dogs</b><br/><b>Patrol Dog PDD XXXXX</b></p> <p>Pound 232 CHESTY PULLER/Punta Gorda<br/>Pound 336 FLORIDA MAD DOGS/ Venice<br/>Pound 377 DESOTO/Bradenton<br/>Pound 387 E.T BRISSON/Naples</p>                        | <p><b>Pack Dog Shelter 4 -- 53 Devil Dogs</b><br/><b>Patrol Dog PDD XXXXX</b></p> <p>Pound 263 FIRST COAST/St Augustine<br/>Pound 299 SALTY SWAMP DOGS/Lake City<br/>Pound 362 TALLAHASSEE</p> |
| <p><b>Pack Dog Shelter 2 -- 102 Devil Dogs</b><br/><b>Patrol Dog PDD Steve Mercier</b></p> <p>Pound 79 MORRIS DIXON/Clearwater<br/>Pound 183 HOLIDAY/New Port Richey<br/>Pound 230 SPRING HILL<br/>Pound 258 SWAMP GATORS/Zephyrhills</p>                  | <p><b>Pack Dog Shelter 5 -- 47 Devil Dogs</b><br/><b>Patrol Dog PDD XXXXX</b></p> <p>Pound 115 VERO BEACH<br/>Pound 273 BAREFOOT BAY<br/>Pound 297 COL WILSON S. PECK/Port St. Lucie</p>       |
| <p><b>Pack Dog Shelter 3 -- 103 Devil Dogs</b><br/><b>Patrol Dog PDD Dick Pirwitz</b></p> <p>Pound 124 SGT G. B. REASNER JR./Orlando<br/>Pound 175 BEST OF BREED/Marion County<br/>Pound 298 THE WARRIORS/Clermont<br/>Pound 335 MGYSGT RALPH HOFFMANN</p> | <p><b>Pack Dog Shelter 6 -- 31 Devil Dogs</b><br/><b>Patrol Dog PDD Antonio Gutierrez</b></p> <p>Pound 192 BROWARD COUNTY<br/>Pound 278 WEST PALM BEACH</p>                                    |