Introduction

-To the future monarchs, Corbin being the immediate next monarch. When I became king, the kindom was attempting to find land for the first time, and was rather involved with that. For various reasons, most of my reign was a bit of a scavenger hunt, having to find the Regent's crown, award templates, records, EH corpora, and in general, who qualified for what.

Simply put, there was not very much known. :)

My hope is to pass on what has been found so that you can spend more of your time improving the kingdom, and less hunting for things just to get things done. Help out the monarchs that follow you, and with the collective knowledge we pass on, we will help the kingdom run smoother in the long run.

You've got a great kingdom. We're a little crude, but contrary to popular belief, we have traditions of our own. All and all, I can think of no kingdom that I would rather be a part of, if nothing else, for the family togetherness feel that we have within our kingdom.

It's been said by Cabal, and I have to agree: Treat EVERYONE as bros, put your own affiliations aside, remember the kingdom first... no matter how much it hurts at times. There are enemies you may have to praise for the better of the kingdom, and friends you may have to confront. People you may not want to talk to or have difficulty understanding you'll have to give a chance... and sometimes you'll be surprised by the unexpected help from the most unlikely of places.

Underestimate no one, listen to everyone. Give everyone a chance to not come through on promises, and another time or two to make it up. Guilt does wonders. (grin) Forgive... forgive.. You have to put up with so much crap you'll learn to breathe it. But by keeping a cool head, you will prevail and become legendary.

Good luck to you the future kings of the Hills.

King Goodwyn Clu Da'Bard

(Amtgard Dallas rulers)

-- The Free Emerald Hills / The Freehills --

1988 Lord M'Deth----Sir Reyna Crown June 1988

-- Kingdom of the Emerald Hills--

Queen Reyna ----- First Queen Sir Nevron Sword July Delphoss Flame July Alesandra Serpent Dec Landolf Flame Dec

1989 King Landolf Taz Serpent Feb

Queen Alesandra Reinholt Flame Sept. Garath Sword Dec

1990 King Nevron Alessandra Crown Dec

King Gareth
Nevron Crown July
Caloem Sword Sept
Selka Flame Dec
Avatar Flame Dec
Zyphus Flame Dec
Gwindon Serpent Dec

1991 King Ivan & Nevron Selka Crown March

King Lorn

1992 King Aron/Regent Kaz Lorn Crown Dec Xenos Sword March Ivar ? ?

King Kaz Aron Crown June

1993 Astynn & Thorin Kaz Crown Dec Aislinn Serpent Dec Nevron Serpent Dec

King Cabal Cabal Serpent July Thorin Serpent? Tunear Sword?

1994 King Wolverine Cabal Crown Dec

Queen Selka Nevron Flame July Kindrik Sword Sept Zantikali Sword Sept

1995 Pharoah Taldak/Regent Falamar Mosher Sword March

King Cabal/Regent Infinity

Taldak Flame June Infinity Serpent Dec

1996 Queen Squeak / Odo Kalxen Flame June

Czar Forest Evergreen/ Kalxen Squeak Crown June Dog Sword Dec Wolverine Flame Dec

1997 Ayatollah Dog / Wings Kira Serpent June

King Infinity / Forest Evergreen

1998 King Clu Da'Bard/ Prince Falamar Infinity Sword February Spring War Corbin Sword March Midreign

King Corbin/ Regent Leif

OUTLINE OF THE EMERALD HILLS CROWN

-- The Free Emerald Hills / The Freehills -- 1988 Lord M'Deth----

-- Kingdom of the Emerald Hills--

Queen Reyna / Rhys Ap Gordon ----- First Queen

Ryhs Ap Gordon made the king and regent crown from lamp decoration.

1989

King Landolf

Original King's crown was crumpled by Landolf in the second reign after the populas voted to have his knighthood removed. After crumpling the crown into a ball, Landolf threw the crown into the back of his truck and drove off.

Later the crown would be carefully unfolded by Landolf's brother, Alexander, and returned to the kingdom.

Queen Alesandra

1990

King Nevron

King Gareth

1991

King Ivan & Nevron

King Lorn/Tyranny

1992

King Aron/Regent Kaz

King Aron took some sheet metal and tin snips and made a truly tacky looking crown. Fitting for a barbarian king. It would seem that he had the sheet metal crown, and a leather coronet. Since both were Aron's, one of the crowns he still has.

King Kaz

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king's crown of added comfort. (The next king was thankful...)

During Clu's reign, Infinity would do the same for the regent's crown.

1998

King Clu Da'Bard/ Prince Falamar

A kingdom wide search was done for the regent's crown after Forest admitted that the crown was no where to be found. After various people checked around, Forest followed up with another more positive report, saying that the crown had been found.

As the story goes, the regent's crown was found in a open field down in the Wetlands. (Forest did quite a lot of travelling to other kingdom events). A common populas member was wearing it around when Cabal found the guy walking around with the crown on. Cabal promptly took the crown back. Cabal returned the crownto the kingdom at Spring war, and Falamar finally had a regent's crown to wear.

Gavvin Quinn did some minor sodder work on a placement for a stone on the left hand side on the king's crown.

King Clu liked to wear the crown over his leather hat, which had a hat band with seven studs on it. On the inside of the crown you might still see noticable demples from the studs

King Corbin/ Regent Leif

1993

Astynn & Thorin

King Cabal/Tyranny

1994

King Wolverine

Queen Selka/Aislyn

Used Leather and silver crowns made by Thorin.

1995

Pharoah Taldak/Regent Falamar

Falamar mentions that the crowns used using Taldak's reign were lended to the kingdom by Tyranny. Cabal invested in the current crowns, and when the new crowns were used in the stepping up ceremony of King Cabal, the other set of crowns were returned back to Tyranny.

King Cabal/Regent Infinity

At the stepping up of King Cabal, the new metal and tin crowns were first put into used for their first reign. Both crowns together cost nearly \$300 (roughly \$160 for the king's crown, and \$140 for the Regent's crown.) Both were bought from a metal smith named Morgana, the wife of Charles Inman. (Both are legendary in the Texas SCA chapter. At last check, Inman, who also had a hand in the crowns, had been their king six times.)

1996

Queen Squeak / Odo

Czar Forest Evergreen/ Kalxen

Forest loved to wear the kingly crown upsidedown, in par withe age old tradition of EagleShire dukes who wear their leather coronets in a similar fashion.

1997

Ayatollah Dog / Wings

King Infinity / Forest Evergreen

During his reign, Infinity had a soft pig-skin leather band added to the inside of the

List of the people who won the relics at Midreign XX

Homestone - Down Forthes
Shield of Reflection - Mithril Talons
Gauntlet of Oger Power- The Changling
Ring of Power- Nerkum - Sarcean
Orb of Healing- Forest - Green Dragons
Odin's Hammer - Cannibus - Sarcean

Ratio of groups that need monster manuals

Midnight Sun			19
Tear Glen		ii iiii iiii iiii ii	16
Misty Meadows	ii		2
Cuiviedor Amarth	iiiiii		6
Shadow Haven	iiii		4
Eagle Shire		iii iii iii iii iii iii ii	17
Raven's Loft	iiii		4
Lockshire	iii		3
Tanglewood	iiiii		5
Crimson Cascades	ii		2
Emerald Hills	iiiii		5
Borderlands i			1 84
Iron Cloud			17

Rulebooks needed (Per midreign XX sign in sheets)

Midnight Sun		111111 1111111	13	
Tear Glen		iiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiii	13	
Misty Meadows	ii		2	
Cuivied or Amarth	ii		2	
Shadow Haven	iiii		4	
Eagle Shire			14	
Raven's Loft	iiii		4	
Lockshire	ii		2	
Tanglewood	iiii		4	
Crimson Cascades	ii		2	
Emerald Hills	iii		3 6	3
Iron Cloud			12	

List of Corporas needed (per midreign XX sign in sheets)

Midnight Sun	1 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 1	23
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Misty Meadows	ii	2
Cuiviedor Amarth	iii i	4
Shadow Haven	iiii	4
Eagle Shire		16
Raven's Loft	iiii	4
Lockshire	iii	3
Tanglewood		7
Crimson Cascades	; iiii	4
Emerald Hills	iii	3
Borderlands	ii	2 87
Iron Cloud	1111111111111111111	17

Possible Emergency Site:

I realize that these days we have a event site provided by McFaddin. However, one thing that I realized with Midreign is that it is always good to have a backup plan. If for any reason the property with McFaddin falls through, this could be a option.

For several reigns we have used the site out at Hawkwood. We used it during the reigns of Forest, Dog, and Clu to name a few. Through time, Hawkwood has lowered the rates from \$800 to \$600, and finally to \$450 with a \$200 deposit during my reign.

The good news is, we left the site in good standing. We cleaned up the place, and they liked us from beginning to end, and any problems with any things were handled quickly behind the scenes. They let us use and camp out on the structures, gave us lights, water, and electrical outlets. They even gave us use of one of three buildings the park itself owned (all others owned by vendors) which we used as a "King's Palace".

When Natas damaged a building, we were upfront, and they were alright with it, only requiring \$20 of the \$200 deposit. The remaining \$180 was returned.

Mary, the manager of Hawkwood, was pleased with us, and encouraged that we could use the place again, but just needed to give plenty of notice.

Last contact in April, I let her know we had property and that we were not going to need the Hawkwood site, but thanked her. The invitation seems open for as long as Hawkwood exists (or many current management at least).

Hawkwood
1-800-782-3629
817-430-4102
Marry Lou Gilmore - Management
Gordon Gilmore - On-site live in
James Echals - Head management

--- KING'S TRAVEL LOGS ---

Throughout the history of the Hills, there have been two kings that been deposed, they were Landolf and Ivan. Both were removed due to political reasons, and the people manuevering to remove them got the needed 2/3rd votes of the populace on the grounds of "lack of attendence".

In an ever expanding kingdom it is practically impossible to visit all the parks every weekend. The common complaint of the populace is they never see their king, even when you visit three parks a weekend. A travel log is good just in case a counter arguement is needed.

-- XX Crown Qualifications --

November 8- Midnight Sun (A-Frame)

November 9- Tear Glen

November 15- Shadow Haven (voting weekend)

November 16- Newsletter Meeting

(November 19 - Visited Infinity & Falamar)

November 22 Shadow Haven

November 23- Tear Glen

November 29 Shadow Haven

December 6 & 7 - CORONATION XX

December 13 - Arlington (Mystic Ridge / Lockshire)

December 21- Eagle Shire - "Non-Food Tourney"

December 27&28 (Took the Weekend off)

January 3 - Shadow Haven/Midnight Sun

January 4- Eagle Shire "Non-Food Tourney II"

January 10 - Borderland raid on Midnight Sun

January 17- Shadow Haven

January 18- Mystic Ridge/LockShire

January 23- Shadow Haven

January 24- Tear Glen

January 31- Borderland qualifications/court

February 1 - Lockshire

February 8- Midnight Sun raid on Tear Glen

February 12-15 Spring War

February 21 Ironcloud

February 22 Tear Glen / Eagleshire

Feb 28, 29 Shadow Haven

Mar 7,8 Midnight Sun / Cuievador Amarth

Mar 14,15 Iron Cloud / Shadow Haven

Tear Glen (Dragon master)

March 20-22 Midreign

March 28 -29 (took weekend off)

April 4, 5 Foncloud

Trip to new land/Borderlands

April 11 BOD meeting / Ironcloud

April 18 Six Mile Bridge Concert video filming

(Slipped Kingdom banner in the video)

19 Borderlands

April 25-26 Trip to El Paso - Quadricential

May 2 Midnight Sun
3 Mystic Morning Wood/ Lockshire

May 9 Shadow Haven (no one) 10 Tear Glen (Basically no one)

May 16 (Shadow Haven Dollar Tourney)
17 (trip to Misty Meadows/car trouble)

May 23 Midnight Sun (Crown Quals) 24 Eagleshire 25 Working on Event Site

May 30 Midnight Sun, Iron Cloud
31 Visiting Event Site / Borderlands

June 6 Cuievador Amarth

June 13 CORONATION XXI

Weekends off / missed = 3

<< King Sir Father Thomas,

Greetings! I would like to thank you for wanting to be part of the upcoming war. My people over here are really looking forward to it!

Up till that time you and I probably need to start planning the war event, and

we could run suggestions by each other and so forth.

The first thing brought to my attention was from one of my populas members who helped bring this together. When I heard about the "Smack Wars" - More-

being between the brag of our fighters and yours, I recently backed up the notion that the fight only be between our fighters.

However, it might diffuse any bad feelings between the two kingdoms if we let others join the fight. That way other kingdoms can attend and enjoy the war event as well. Perhaps we could allow mercenaries, Pirates, and so forth to join. If we let people, rather than whole kingdoms to join our ranks, it should be fine. In the end, we will have the reeves make sure the numbers on both sides are equal before the battle.

Anyway, let me know what you think. You and I are the Lords of this battle, and we have ultimate say one way or the other.

Personally I say .. the more the merrier! ;)

Take care and talk soon.

King Clu Da'Bard of the Emerald Hills @>-->-----

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Your Most Noble Majesty,

I have read your words and your opinion on the upcoming battle to be held hopefully at Our Mid-Reign Celebration this coming July 4th. However,..with no offense intended to your or yours,... I would rather see the battle to be fought between our two Kingdoms. Irrespective of who else attends to view or

cheerlead the war. I have spoken with His Majesty King Margul of the Wetlands and He concurs with this idea. However,..He and His Kingdom do plan to come in force to offer their assistance as Reeves for the Battle.

I have been talking with two of your loyal subjects,...Kalhanth and Sirrakis,...and they both seem to be of the same mind of letting Our two Kingdoms slug it out together with no outside interference at all. Of course,..ALL other peoples and Kingdoms are more than welcome to attend the event and view the War. And maybe after the dust settles and the bodies counted,..We all can have another Grand battle, so as to sate their bloodlusts as well.

As a matter of fact,...! have welcomed both Kahlanth and Sirrakis to break open a bottle or two,...and share a cigar or two with me prior to the commencement of said festivities/battling. I would also like to invite You to sit down and share some camradery prior to the bloodletting. It would be pleasant to meet You in good spirit and as friends before our forces must do battle tween each other.

Now, as it is still several weeks before said War,...ideas and opinions may of course change somewhat. I am a very open minded individual and welcome any input from My populace. If they decide that they would desire to see other forces than the Emerald Hills across the battle Field,...then I shall of course take this matter into serious consideration. And then maybe, I would agree to allow the signing on of various Mercenaries to either side. However, before I see this happening,...I will have to see and hear it from My populace.

We are but servants to Our peoples,..We lead,..and We Proclaim,..but We do it the names of our repective kingdoms and thier respective Wills.

In Friendship and Camradery, Respectfully Yours,

Sir Father Thomas von Draken, Rex Caelestis Regnum, DarkLord

CELESTRIAL KINGDOM --- Versus --- EMERALD HILLS
WAR MESSAGE

[First off, we've gone from smack talking to cruel talking. Reel it back in... we have a war to build up here....] ;)

We've had so many things go on here lately in regards to the CK vs. EH war, that perhaps we should take some comments and 'll address them one at a time.

First Comment...

HOLD, THIS WAR IS JUST THE CK AND EH.

AHZIR OF ANNIHALUS
- More-



Uhh... you know, it is one thing when one KINGDOM calls another KINGDOM a coward. In that case, you get about a hundred and so against a hundred and so.

One PERSON calling a KINGDOM cowardly... well in all truth since you don't speak for CK but rather yourself, I think in this case it would instigate a "Fox Hunt" rather than a "War". (grin)

WARNING: WAR INFORMATION.. WAKE UP....!!!

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For the king, and all the people of Celestrial Kingdom, I will have it known that this war is still between your folk and our folk. You want to test your warriors against ours, and I'm all for it.

I said name the time and place, and you said your midreign.

Have I said anything different? I declared war with your king, and unless I say anything different, or your king, that is that.

As so decreed,

King Goodwyn Clu Da'Bard of the Emerald Hills

Next comment....

On a sidenote, and this is assuming wetlands is still both an amtgard group and a kingdom come June, I hear from the rumour mill that both Celestial Kingdom and Wetlands wants to attack Emerald Hills in a war?

That being the case, I know which fellow Monarch supported the Quadracentennial Renfaire which made Amtgard rock for the next five years but the provincials either refuse to or don't see it.

King Clu of the Emerald Hills, you are the second oldest kingdom, and I think your borders are both earned and secure. Be it Clan or some other event where your enemies can muster their forces, you know the swords of the Burning Lands are determined, skilled, and loyal.

King Clu, I offer you alliance in this war, and I have talked to my counselers, they agree, Burning Lands will support Emerald Hills.

-by my hand, Aramithris, King of the Burning Lands.
- More-

King Aramithris Rex VI and the Burning Lands,

I am truly flattered, and it would seem that your offer has made many aware that this battle is TRULY between CK and EH. Any attempt at this point for CK to draw out of kingdom help would not only ruin what honor they have as a kingdom, but would cheat them of the BARELY POSSIBLE chance of victory over us. :)

True victory will be if they win with their own people. If they have anyone help them, by principle, we win.

So I believe first of all that if CK wants to defeat us with a definate win, they will come alone. If they bring the Wetlands or anyone else into this, we automatically win.

So since the Wetlands will not be there, having you as a counterforce for their "re-enforcements" will not be neccessary.

Can't tell you how much fun it would be to trash a battlefield with our two kingdoms fighting together. (Sigh!) What can be said? I found many of you to be an enjoyable lot at the Quadricentenial. Perhaps we'll meet on the battlefield, either side by side or opposing. One way or the other, I look forward to that day. :)

-More-

-all for a fun war with ck and wetlands, and yes, with our allies in the emerald hills. -J

@>--->

So was I. A large interkingdom war would be fun. Another time or place besides the CK midreign where the CK/EH war is occuring would be a blast. Personally I would love to get all 10 kingdoms in a HUGE war someday. Maybe at 20th year perhaps....:)

Actually, to be blunt, you _can't_ make it a "CK and EH-only" event.

Page 19 of the Corpora reminds us that Amtgard events are to be open to members of other Amtgard chapters, as well.

Actually, I'd like to know when this war is, as well. I don't know what side I'd fight on yet -- not being familiar with many people from either kingdom -- but it'd still be fun to see. I remember when VSR smeared the reps from CK all over the forest when they came to visit several years - More-

ago. And we've been getting better since then...

Lord Ian Shadowvale of Shrouded Valley, under Valley of the Silver Rains Scribe and Guildmaster of Reeves of VSR

@>--->

Some VSR comments, not bad.

True, we can not turn you away from an event. However, battlegames and scenarios can have set guildlines and stipulations enforced by the Reeves.

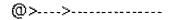
Now if it's a war you want, one thing I always thought would be cool is a war done in TOURNAMENT STYLE! Get a few kingdoms together, and like a tourney, have them fighting one on one... kingdom on kingdom, until you narrow it down to the last two kingdoms. The winner of that final "match" would of course be determined to be the best fighter kingdom of all the kingdoms who enter the tournament.

Now THAT would be a tiring war event! :)

-More-

Please do NOT include the Wetlands in your smack talk, Aramithris. As our new King, Margul the Terrible has declared that the ONLY official stance of the Wetlands will be as Reeves. Wetlanders are free to choose a side if they wish, but officially, the Kingdom will be represented by Reeving, fairly and justly.

In Service, Snicker Furfoot, Esq.



Now we have the Wetland's comment...

Tell your new King, Margul, first of all congratulations. And let him know he is wise to remain out of all this. Again, a good fight with CK and their allies and EH and our allies would have been a blast, but may be another time.

Please do attend and help reevel

And that concludes the press conference with the King of the Emerald Hills. Feel free to bombard me with any whines or mundane complaints at

King@gotohell.com

To all in CK, we look forward to trashing you on the field! (Followed by partying, singing, and the usual revelry...)

Anyone else not in the previous two categories can attend CK's midreign and watch a good fight and cheer us on, and STILL enjoy the partying, singing, and usual revelry.

But before you do all that at their midreign, stop off in the Hills for our coronation June 12-14. It will be on our own property for the FIRST TIME. Write Greg.Goodwin@Chrysalis.org for more directions and information.

See you at our coronation, at the war, and have fun at clan!

King Goodwyn Clu Da'Bard of the Emerald Hills

Msg#:26275 *Internet* 05-26-98 08:29:18

From: Chaucesque@hotmail.com

To: Greg Goodwin

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From: "Seth Thompson" <chaucesque@hotmail.com>

To: Greg.Goodwin@Chrysalis.org

Subject: Re: CK vs. EH: King Clu's reply

Content-Type: text/plain

Date: Tue, 26 May 1998 06:27:27 PDT

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> See you at our coronation, at the war, and have fun at clan!

Well, first let me congratulate you on keeping your head clear and calm

during this screaming match. It's highly appreciated by we poor and poorly peasants. :)

Second, I hope you guys have a great war. Hell with who ends up victorious; I hope that the fight's so close that only one member of one side is left standing to bellow out "HAH! WE... uh... I W IN!!!"

King Goodwyn Clu Da'Bard of the Emerald Hills

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Msg#:26245 *Internet*

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From: Legern@toysrus.com

To: Greg Goodwin

Subj: RE: CK VS. EH: KING CLU'S

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To: "Greg.Goodwin@Chrysalis.org" <Greg.Goodwin@Chrysalis.org>

Subject: RE: CK vs. EH: King Clu's reply Date: Tue, 26 May 1998 09:00:11 -0400

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Ha ha ha:)

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King@gotohell.com

Shaylen

Date: Tue, 26 May 1998 16:00:00 +0930

From: "DeWolfe, Todd" <DeWolfeT@Woomera.af.mil>

Subject: Bickering of War

Many kingdoms were blowing off steam,
It got uglier by day. It did seem.
They were yelling of war,
While egos got tore,
And everyone lost hold of the Dream
Lyceaon de Wolf Hunter
Free Bard

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Date: Tue, 12 May 1998 15:58:26 -0700
From: "Joseph Hunt (Lincoln Technical)" <a-joseph@microsoft.com>
> Previously....
> > To make it an Offical Challenge,...it would take the Word of either
> Myself
-More-
>>OR
>> the Emporer of the EH. And I don't even know if He knows what's going
> on
> > right now pertaining to this online smacking.
> Now,...if and when He does peak up,...either for or against his
> troops,...l
> > shall immediately step up and toss out the gauntlet.
>>
> > *IC*
>> And to the Kingdom,...My Kingdom,...I KNOW that We can wall all over
>> anybody
> > who raises swords against us. I don't need to be given proof. The
> > Celestial
> > Kingdom IS the mightiest Kingdom ever seen in the World,...need I say
> > more?
>
          (0)>-->-----
>
> Sir Father Thomas von Draken,
>
         You are correct, my young king. Fighters and warriors talk and
>
> they
-More-
> brag around the camp fires, but that's all it is until the monarchs decide
> clear the air and determine the fiction.. from the fact. :)
>
         The message you wrote was honorably written, and so I too, will
➣
> respond
> in kind. My kingdom has been itching for a fight. We are a kingdom of
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> warriors and fighters, and we prepared and trained for the Spring War, but

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> no fault of Sir Arion, the druids were against us.
         But now I'm delighted to hear a war challenge bravely coming from
> our
> neighbor who, time after time, we have made an effort to stomp in the
> ground.
> We have defeated you so often that we figured we'd let you lick your
> wounds and
> heal. We were looking at a new target, but if you are feeling left out
> and
> need more new wounds to keep you busy for a while, I'm sure I speak for
> the
> Kingdom of the Emerald Hills when I say we'd gladly "pay you and your
> kingdom a
> visit."
        So unless you need more time to heal, I'm sure we could arrange a
> considerable party, a war party, for you. Name the time and the place...
> and
> this time... no hiding behind the druids to change the weather. :)
        Yours in service,
        King Goodwyn Clu Da'Bard of the Emerald Hills
                @>-->-----
> To the Celestial Kingdom:
> Greetings to the Celestial Kingdom;
> As the above reads,..the gauntlet has now been officially and Royally
> thrown.
> I have stayed out of this dialogue until the time when His Royal Majesty
> Clu of the Emerald Hills decided to speak, and make this dialogue official
>
> Well,...it has become official.
> The Mighty Monarch of the Emerald Hills has decided to make his peoples
> challenge real,...and has decided to pay us a visit,..in force,..with
> swords
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> to

- > unsheathed.
- > This cannot and will not be allowed to happen,..in MY Lands.
- > I hereby welcome HRM King Clu, Rex Emerald Hills, and his forces to parlay
- > with my legions upon the fields of the Celestial Kingdom. With luck, this
- > may
- > be accomplished at My Mid-Reign this coming July.
- > So Prepare thineselves Celestial Kingdom,...War is approaching,..and the
- > victors shall be naught but My Warriors. I insist,..and I proclaim it the
- > Law.
- > Sir Father Thomas von Draken, Rex Celestium, DarkLord

I have read this carefully, and I totally admire the stance of King Clu on this issue. Knights should act as such, not embarrass or humiliate their sponsor kingdoms.

I owe one apology here, didn't realize the idaho issue went through so quickly. Sir Squeak, I did not read email for a week, I apologize, I did not see the email until tonight, if you can forgive?

On a sidenote, and this is assuming wetlands is still both an amtgard group and a kingdom come June, I hear from the rumour mill that both Celestial Kingdom and Wetlands wants to attack Emerald Hills in a war?

That being the case, I know which fellow Monarch supported the Quadracentennial Renfaire which made Amtgard rock for the next five years but the provincials either refuse to or don't see it.

King Clu of the Emerald Hills, you are the second oldest kingdom, and I think your borders are both earned and secure. Be it Clan or some other event where your enemies can muster their forces, you know the swords of the Burning Lands are determined, skilled, and loyal.

King Clu, I offer you alliance in this war, and I have talked to my counselers, they agree, Burning Lands will support Emerald Hills.

-by my hand, Aramithris, King of the Burning Lands.

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My Lord,

To serve is best in all thing. To serve one's self for the benefit of others is noble. You have honor that is yours, no belt will give you that. The respect of your people and those around you is worth far more. Belts come in there own time for reasons I have yet to fathom. But they do come to those worthy. Yours will come of this