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Artus Pass turns one year old! Huzzah kiddos!

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Get to know your kingdom officers!

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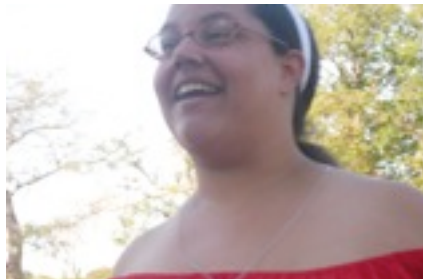
BOD MINUTES FOR 7.17.10

Check out the BOD minutes for July!

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Mertag and Aria - Artus Pass' newest officers!



Lucinda enjoys the warm summer AP breeze!

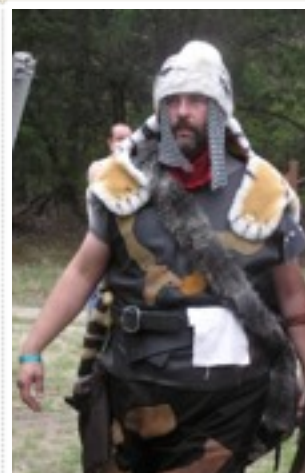


Birthday Spankings for all!

“Unifying citizens of the EH under
one common banner since 1988.”



Sheriff Aria awarding PM Eniad for his hard work!



Torgas - Artus Pass Champion

EMERALD HILLS REIGN 44 OFFICERS

MONARCH: Baron Darktigger

REGENT: Cynisca

CHAMPION: Sir Darkangel

PRIME MINISTER: Lady Carmony Uziel

TREASURER: Duchess Reine Von Doom

The Class Guildmasters

Anti-Paladins Sir Nevron

Archers Lord Asmodius

Assassins Duke Sutra Bahuas

Barbarians Master Seal

Bards Master Seal

Color Tuk!

Druids Sir Kenta Redhawk

Healers Tuk!

Knights Sir Forest Evergreen

Monks Lady Crimson Witch

Monsters Duke Elder Vermilion

Paladins Sir Forest Evergreen

Scouts Sir Kenta Redhawk

Warriors Connor Sleight

Wizards Cynisca

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KINGDOM CALENDAR

REIGN 45

July 2010

- 3 Sat Kingdom Officer Visit at [Red Storm](#)
- 4 Sun Kingdom Officer Visit at [Riverstone](#)
- 4 Sun [Artus Pass Coronation](#) at [Artus Pass](#)
- 10 Sat [Ballad of Warriors](#) at [Riverstone](#)
- 10 Sat RGK work Weekend at [Tanglewood Forest](#)
- 10 Sat MWG Dollar Tourney / Kingdom Officer Visit at [MWG](#)
- 11 Sun Kingdom Officer Visit at [Artus Pass](#)
- 17 Sat [Midnight Sun 20 year Event and Coronation](#) at [Midnight Sun](#)
- 18 Sun Kingdom Officer Visit at [Kings Point](#)
- 21-25 Wed-Sun [Gathering of the Clans](#)

August 2010

- 20-22 Fri-Sun CK Midreign TBA
- 28 Sat Weapon Master/Dragon Master at [Five Banners](#)
- 29 Sun Dragon Master at [Riverstone](#)

September 2010

- 4 Sat Prime Minister Elections/Weapon Master/Dragon Master at [Mourningwood Glen](#)
- 5 Sun Prime Minister Elections/Dragon Master at [Artus Pass](#)
- 10-12 Fri-Sun Midreign XLV at [Tanglewood Forest](#)
- 17-19 Fri-Sun Tal Dagore Coronation at Tal Dagore
- 18-19 Sat-Sun Kingdom Althing Kingdom
- 24-26 Fri-Sun Wetlands Midreign TBA

October 2010

- 14-17 Thurs-Sun [World Banner Wars XI](#) at [Tanglewood Forest](#)
- 30 Sat Monster Bash at [Midnight Sun](#)

November 2010

- 12-14 Fri-Sun [Park Battles](#) at Atoka OK
- TBA Sat Kingdom Crown Quals TBA
- TBA Sun Kingdom Crown Quals TBA

December 2010

- TBA Sat-Sun Crown Elections Kingdom
- TBA Fri-Sun EH End Reign/Coronation XLVI at [Tanglewood Forest](#)

See something that's not accurate? Let us know!

FOCUS ON: YOUR PARK

VISIT A PARK NEAR YOU

Shire of Midnight Sun:

Baron: Darkangel
Regent: AlleyCat
Prime Minister: Elder
Champion: Rayel

Duchy of Eagleshire:

Duke: Sir Forest Evergreen
Regent: TuK! Uziel
Champion: Squire Lint
Chancellor: Famous

Shire of Finders Keep:

Duke: Shades
Prime Minister: Kelldor
Dragonspawn

Barony of Mourningwood Glen:

Baron: Virgil Veneficus
Prime Minister: Lady Crimson Witch
Champion: Silvertooth

Shire of Storm Grove:

Sheriff: Derek Halfhand
Prime Minister: Siobhan Elnarra

Shire of Riverstone:

Sheriff: Docsi
Regent: Cava
Prime Minister: Blazeirene
Champion: Coitus

Shire of King's Point:

Sheriff: Draquonious
Prime Minister: Cynisca

Shire of Midnight Rain:

Sheriff: Jasum Edge
Prime Minister: Jack Nayr
Regent: Zenhei

Shire of Five Banners:

Chief: Alby Kazan
Speaker: Connor Sleight
Shaman: Karasu
War Chief: Kaiden

Shire of Soul's Crossing:

Monarch: Crunchu Head-Taker
Regent: Valandar of the Empty
Tankard
Prime Minister:
Champion: Lighthawk

Shire of Red Storm

Sheriff: TigerHawke
Prime Minister: Ghosttiger
Champion: Dragonfire

Shire of Sequoyah Thunder:

Sheriff: Swagga
Prime Minister: Hisui

Shire of Artus Pass:

Sheriff: Aria
Regent: Mertag
Prime Minister: Eniad Norreh
Champion: Torgas McGregor

Shire of Razor Hills:

Sheriff: Colwarn
Regent: Derek Bross
Prime Minister: Moose



Sir Delphos and Malran spotted in the Artusian Woods during a battlegame...



King Darktigger

BOD Minutes for 8.7.10

Board of Directors Meeting

Members Present:

Kala Schmitto (Corporation Treasurer)
John Elder (Secretary)
David Lessman (Corporation President)
Paul Barnett II (Member)

Members Absent:

Aria (Member)
Susan Stimmel (Member)
Misty Stevens (Vice President)

Old Business:

1) Approving previous meeting minutes: after minor adjustments to wording the minutes were Approved 4-0-0

2) Dreadmoor addendum: The final draft was reviewed, John Elder motioned to approve the contract addendum, Paul Barnett seconds. Approved 4-0-0

Park Update:

1) New park Recopolis, in Nowata, OK. Petitioning Park contract received and signed.

New Business:

1) Reviewed Treasury report. Treasurer is awesome.
2) Next meeting Scheduled for 2pm on Sept. 11th at Midreign.

1:15 PM John Elder motioned to Adjourn, Paul Barnett seconds. 4-0-0

Meeting Adjourned.

Sutra and Shadowhawk strike heroic poses.



To Kill a Gypsy King

by Sir Delphos Darkheart

The eye of Ra sent it's burning hot gaze down upon the realm of the Emerald Hills. The air was thick and the trees held the moisture in a tight grip, knowing it would soon be turned into sweet life-giving rain. The sound of a thousand unseen insects buzzing gloriously in a natural state of disharmony spread through the many trees of the vast green canopy known as Tanglewood Forest. The hum was followed closely by the slightest of cool breezes, just strong enough to carry a bit of reprisal from such a sweltering afternoon

The two friends stood for a moment, taking in the all too brief feeling of comfort before making their way to the royal procession which was already in progress. By the time they reached the clearing where the high court had gathered for the transfer of the crown, the new king had ascended and was well into his opening ceremony.

Another Green Dragon on the thrown... for better or worse.

"I'm going to kill him" said the Dark Saint with a certain tone of finality in his voice.

This was no idle threat, nor was it in any way vindictive or malicious, just a simple fact.

His companion had heard this tone from Nevron many times before and did not doubt it's inevitability. As with all Cats, the Dark Saint was known for his persistence.

Immediately after accepting the course of events laid out by his fellow Cat, the Master Assassin set to work keeping the Gypsy King within his sights, while at the same time maintaining a quite distance as not to trip the trap too early and spoil the prize.

The evening waned on and the darkness brought no comfort from the waves of heat ebbing from the sun baked earthen floor of Tanglewood Forest. The companions sat at one of the tables near the paths leading to the edge of the woods, while they enjoyed a pleasant repast consisting of meat and cheese folded in flatbread. A simple feast, yet fitting for such summer courts.

Though distracted by troublesome business from the belted circle, Delphos had remained vigilant and kept the king in check all evening. Then at last the moment of opportunity presented itself as all perfect moments do. He circled once to mark the exact locations...

Circled again to make all the corrections and computations in his mind's eye...
Then he went in for the Kill...!!!

Stepping up beside the unsuspecting monarch, he laid the dagger lightly upon his back...

"Congratulations your majesty" said Delphos with a smile.

"Where are your guards?" he asked, stabbing twice with the dagger.

Smiling at the Assassin, the King called out...

"Well...isn't anyone going to protect me?"

Pie in the Face Fundraiser

BY SIR FOREST EVERGREEN

Pie in the face has begun! Tell me who you want your money on and I will add it to the totals. This is a fun way to help raise money for the kingdom.

Current totals:

Brennon.....	4000 points
Alby.....	3487 points
Darkson.....	1500 points
Nevron.....	1300 points
Forest.....	700 points
Docsi.....	500 points
Turtle.....	500 points
Vargus.....	347 points
Sutra.....	314 points
Cynisca.....	100 points
Darkangel.....	100 points
Torgier.....	100 points
Exile.....	25 points

Come on guys, get your favorite amtgardian on the list. Where are my southern parks at?

Rules: 1 penny = 1 point to add to someone's total. 2 pennies = 1 point to remove from someone's total. The top 5 people will get pied at WBW. You can make a "pledge" towards someone and I will add it to the totals, but the money must be received in a reasonable time frame (we can discuss this via PM).

Pies will be auctioned off at the event. High bid (payment due at time of bidding) gets the joy of sharing the goodness of gooey pie with the person they bid on.

Also, as a bonus, if any pie auction goes for \$100 or more, we will have a selection of "bonus" pies that may be substituted in place of the jello pudding pie.

(i.e. Guacamole pie, bean dip pie, cream of mushroom pie, peanut butter pie, etc.)

Have fun and happy bidding.

Forest Evergreen

SUBMISSIONS FOR THE EH ECHOES

SEND US YOUR BEST STUFF!

Ideas of things you can submit:

- * Written entries (stories, poems, etc...)
- * Photos of Amtgarders at play
- * Original drawings
- * Information on your particular park (planned tourneys and A/S events, Park Court, etc)
- * Recipes
- * Advertisements for your stores
- * Information about upcoming Demos
- * Announcements of scores of your Park Quals
- * Possibly a feature specifically on the new and petitioning parks

Be creative and let's get this thing off the ground again!

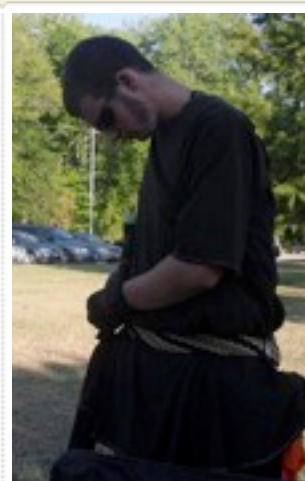
Kingdom Officers - if you would like to make any statements in the newsletter, please send that to me as well.

Park Officers - if you want to submit the results of any tourneys or announce any happenings at your park in the coming months, please send that to me and it can be added as well.

Basically, if you want to see something in the newsletter, put it together and send it over. Maybe we'll use it, maybe not, maybe we'll use it in a future publication.



Sir Nevron Dreadstar and Duke Elder Vermilion in a kingdom battlegame



Flint gearing up for war.