

The Whispering Runes

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President's Column

Well, another month and another game have gone by. Thank you to everyone who showed up for We Have Only Just Begun, the continuation of the Sevin series. A big thank you to Baron and Nicole for playing the happy couple and also to Tom Paul for keeping his sermon short; we know how difficult that can be ③.

On the 16th there will be a mini game at the Triad's house to allow everyone to pick up any last needed magic items or to earn that last bit of gold before the next three major games happen. Speaking of games, if you are not PCing in Thulcandra's, Shadow, or Into the Woods please get in contact with the GPs, they can always use more NPC's. Besides, what is more fun than beating up on your friends!

We really could use some of the more experienced people to come out too. In shadow we have three full teams of novices going through with only 1 experienced PC, Rich Adkisson.

Let's not forget that the newsletter now has a comment section for info from one PC to another. It is also a great place to put things up for sale or advertise. That will do it for this column; I hope to see everyone at the next few games. Good luck and don't check your brain at the table.....

David Spence
Dallas Chapter President

He's Casting!!!



We Have Only Just Begun Ratings

Game: We've Only

Just Begun

Date: 19-JUL-2008

Game ID: 2008-04-03

Overall: 8.0

Design: 8.0

Logistics: 8.2

Mental: 6.5

Physical: 5.4

Fighting: 6.7

Risk: 5.6

Comments:

Olan Knight

Registry Rep

1. This game was a lot of

fun! Good work!

2. Great game! Thank

you!

3. Baron & Nicole were an awesome dead no-so-

married!

Thanks, Producers &

Staff!

The Lucky Couple!



Honey, what type of entertainment

did you arrange?



We would like to thank everyone who helped with "We've Only Just Begun," especially Nicole Berry and Baron Grissom who were the excellent bride and groom, Tom Paul as the cleric Fritz the Dove and Sarah Smith for the beautiful wedding cake!
Thanks again to John
Jones for bringing the
props and to Olan Knight
for running the draft.
Lastly thanks to everyone
who came out to play!

David & Tina



Board Minutes

Minutes for July 19, 2008 Meeting of Dallas IFGS Board

Board members: David Spence, Tina Cox, Olan Knight, Lloyd Macman, Rich Adkisson, Patrick McGehearty, and John Jones (John arrived late). Members present: estimated at 26 total (sign in list was kept) Minutes approved.

Confirmed Sarah Smith as History Chair 6-0 Confirmed Taryn Cox as Newsletter Editor 6-0

Committee Reports:

Newsletter: Taryn asks that PCs send messages to other PCs in the newsletter.

Registry: Olan reports registry is up to date, but he needs Jeff Parsley's contact info Society has an online Registry in testing. Contact Olan for details if you want to help test the online registry. [Note: we should test it as it is likely to become official relatively soon. Better to fix problems now than later.]

Safety: Rich will pick up the safety gear from Andy Moon. It was confirmed that \$150 was voted to buy necessary safety supplies at the June meeting.

SC: Several games are being prepared. We hope to run Thulcander's Wizards by Olan Knight in Sept (2nd-4th level, rewritten for 7.0 rules). Into the Woods by Courtney Miller has a high risk, high fighting, high mental two day (14hr) game in the works for 3rd-5th levels that might be ready for an Oct or Nov run date. Shadow of the Witch by Dave Spence and Knightshade by John Jones are in preparation. Tom Paul Grissom is working on a world course Thief game. Please contact these producers to volunteer to help them put their games into action.

QM: Shed prepared for Tower, 2 flats need to be fixed. Treasury: no report.

New Business:

AnimeFest is LaborDay Weekend. We could put on possible events for recruitment purposes. General support was expressed and Olan will look into what might be accomplished.

Patrick called for volunteers to help sanction the games we have in preparation. Olan Knight, David Spence, Tina Cox, Chris Washington, Sarah Cox, Sarah Smith, and John Dorman volunteered.

Patrick McGehearty acing Secretary





Next Game

The Lock Challenge

Saturday, 16-AUG-2008

This is the August Board Meeting/Bar game.

The Board will be meeting at 11:00 am, or as close to that time as possible.

Remember that people who attend the Board meetings get CAP.!

The game starts at noon and runs until about 4:00 pm.

The bar game will be indoors and will include:

Casino Night

Hosted by Sir Aminor Gyles.

Poker, Hold-em, Dice

Gaming Competitions

Lock Picking Contest - 2 levels - open to anyone

Magic Shoppe

For each contest::

1st place wins 500 gp 2nd place wins 400 gp 3rd place wins 300 gp

The house also has a swimming pool, so bring your suit and towel if you want to get wet.

Game is at Greg, Tina & David's house.

Contact: tashlin@[REMOVE THIS]charter.net

Another Game! Woot!

Thulcandra's Wizards III

PCs:: LMs for the game Thulcandra's Wizards will be selected after the bar game. TW3 is a serious, heroic, line course game sanctioned for 7 hours; it is not a "dark" game.

Number of local teams: 2 Total PCs per team: 8 Levels: 2 - 4 Total levels per team: 24

Mental: 6 Fighting: 8 Physical: 6 Risk: 7

A Cleric of GOOD alignment is required.

A Monk is suggested.

PC Fairness is NOT in effect.

The Pursuit Rules are NOT in effect.

Rules version 7.0 will be used.

PCs of 1st level will be allowed to play UP at 2nd level.

Game Producer: Olan Knight

Targeted Game Date: September 13, 2008

(NOTE: This date is a target ONLY. We will NOT have a firm game date until the game has been sanctioned. But that is the date I'm shooting for.)

Those of you who remember the game will hopefully recall that every role can be a heck of a lot of fun as this is not exactly a "dark" game. :) I also need staff for the game, so if you want to bring your kids and/or the dogs and settle down for a nice day outdoors in September, PLEASE consider helping with the staff positions!

Thank You.

Olan

Dallas Registry Chair



"Shadow of the Witch"

A Runelore game

Art work by Sarah Smith

Shadow of the Witch

A Runelore game

Levels 2-5 Rules 7.0

Fighting: High Mental: High Physical: Medium Risk: Medium

Saturday, October 18, 2008

NPC Check-in: 8am

Team 1: 9am
Team 2: 9:45 AM
Team 3: 10:30 AM

Tentative Location: Winters Park in Dallas

PC Fee: \$15.00 NPC Fee: \$5.00

The Lore Masters for the game are:
Chris Washington - ccdub89@gremove this]hotmail.com
Rich Adkisson - adkisson@gremove this]rsn.hp.com
Nathan Tryon - ntryon@gremove this]tx.rr.com

"Shadow of the Witch" is the third game in the 'Sevin' series of games set on the island of Runelore. Lore is in the picture above; further lore will be given to the LM's prior to game day.

Producer: David and Tina Contact: <u>Tashlin@[REMOVE THIS]charter.net</u>

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Classifieds

To the cleric of Hermes,

I saw you run away when I mentioned that all clerics will die. All running away did was make you the FIRST on the list. Sleep well...

Sevin

To Glimmer Knightwind

I will always adore you for as long as there is wind upon the waves. I will be setting out shortly to travel to a dry land kelp forest. Hope to see you there.

Seadawn Tempest

Wanted:

Any of Vlad Goodheart's markers. Crispin



Last night Lord Lyle was seen in a romantic embrace with a common serving wench.

The Gossiping Ghost Writer

Ummm...How many of you do we reallly know?



WANTED!!

Adventurous men and women to secure the protection of Good King Whendalthorpe And his guests at his privates estates.

Those interested please conduct yourselves to his majesties estates and apply in person.

All persons successful in this undertaking shall be compensated for their efforts.

This is a mini-game sanctioned for 6 hours for PCs of levels 1-8 with a maximum of 14 levels per team.

Teams may consist of as few as two players or as many as fourteen. PC fairness and fate point cloning will be in effect.

Run date: Sept. 27

Game Site: Purcell – Wild West Paintballth, Saturday Only

Physical: 4 Mental: 6 Fighting: 5 Risk: 5

LMs: Ray Chambers and others to be announced.

Game Producer:
Jeremy Storm
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It's a Good Day to Die!

Needed:

NPCs & Staff
for
Thucandra's Wizards III
Shadow of the Witch
Into the Woods

Earn CAP, get to play powerful characters, use all your SAS in one encounter, beat up your friends and earn the everlasting gratitude of the Game Producer!

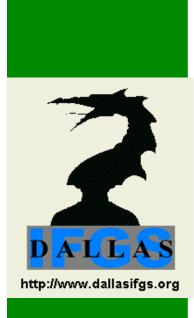
Board Meeting

Date: Saturday August 16, 2008

Time: 11:00 AM

Place: Greg and Tina Cox's Home 909 W. Russell St., Weatherford TX

Everyone who attends gets CAP!



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Dallas Sanctioning Committee Game Status

Game	Writer/Producer	Level	Run Date	Status
Into The Woods	Courtney Miller	3-5	October 2008	In Sanctioning
Knightshade	John Jones	**		In Process
Shadow of the Witch	David/Tina	2-5	18 Oct 08	In Sanctioning
The Lock Challenge	David Spence	1-10	16 Aug 08	Sanctioned
Thief Game	Tom Paul Grissom	**	**	In Process
Thulcandra's Wizards	Olan Knight	2-4	13 Sept 08	Written

IFGS EVENTS

Date Game	Chapter	Author/Producer	Levels	Type
August 16 The Lock Challenge	Dallas	David Spence	1-10	Bar
September 13 Thulcandra's Wizards III 27 Good King Whendelthorpe	Dallas Norman	Olan Knight Jeremy Storm	2-4 1-8	Major Mini
October 18 Shadow of the Witch	Dallas	David Spence/ Tina Cox	2-5	Major

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