

Club News

*Newsletter of the SASRA
Roleplaying and Wargames Club*



Inside this new Christmas Bumper Service Pack:

- WIN WIN WIN in the LRP Scenario writing competition.
- The new revised Bumper Song Book
- Six Go Madde in Spring
- Next Sessions Games

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CLUB NEWS

SASRA Roleplaying & Wargames Club

The Club holds regular meetings in the function room of the Calder Club, Whitehaven Starting at 7:30 pm on Thursday evenings.

Anyone is welcome to turn up and play. If you want to, you can just watch, but be warned: Roleplaying is a participation hobby and makes dull viewing.

The Clubs Activities Include:

Table top Roleplaying

Fantasy, Futuristic, Comic Book Super-Heroes, Gothic and Personal Horror.

Live Role Playing

Using the Clubs own FADGES LRP rules High Fantasy (KRYMSWORLD), Dark Fantasy (TREGARON) and Horror (HATCHET)

Wargaming

Table Top battle re-enactments featuring Ancient Britons, Romans, Napolionic and Wild West, to name but a few!



NEXT SESSION

Don't forget that Club doesn't start back at the Calder Club until Thursday 7th January.

See you all there....

Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year to Everyone...

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THE EDITORIAL TEAM

THE ANCIENT ENEMY HAS RETURNED:

THE SHADOWS ARE BACK...

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Arrrrgggghhh! *thud*
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secret of the Black Magic
Box?

Club News is
Best Viewed with
Cyber-Enhanced
Vision..



EDITORIAL



Just a quick word or three... It's been a strange year, and now that we seem to have broken the (alleged) curse that has surrounded all of the editors since the great Chris Darwin passed the editorship into new hands, and we've actually managed to get TWO Issues out in a single year (just!!!), we can only hope that we'll be back to strength with an issue every session packed full of wonderful and bizare items [if we can get anyone to write them of course].

With luck and a good plotline, we may survive for another issue in spring, when we'll have the AGM and supposed end of the millenium to look forward to.. so from us, the Shadows, we'd like to wish you all a very happy xmas and a new year full of strange and interesting plotlines...

THE SHADOWS

*PS. Dan Mathews, who most of you should remember has asked us to print his new address (he's moved yet again), so here it is: **Dan Mathews, 16 Main Road, Portskewett, NP6 4SA** - so all of you have to write to him now...*



SASRA Roleplaying and Wargames Club - AGM

The AGM will be on Thursday 4th March 1999. If you want to stand for any of the committee posts (Chairbeing, Scribe, Treasure Horder, Rumour Monger, Guardian of the Black Library, or Master of Chaos), or if you would like for propose any motions, you should start thinking about it now. Formal Notification of the AGM will be sent out in January.

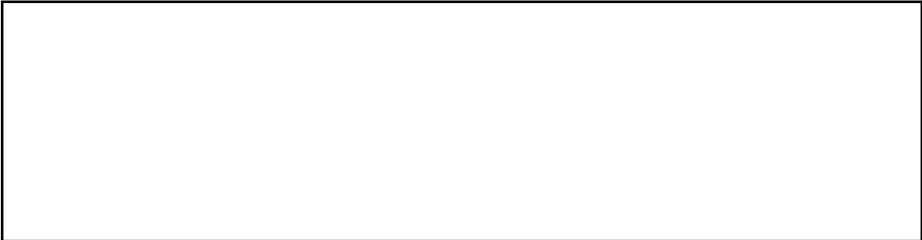
Steve Hastewell - Chairbeing

THE SHADOWS CHALLENGE...

And now for a little devilish cunning. As this is Christmas, we that Shadows challenge all to find the role-playing related words that 'we' have berried deep within this cunning puzzle. As an

incentive to beat us, we'll buy the person who finds them all, a drink. Of course this offer closes at about

ELGE 10pm at the
 TVGX
 HGLZ party
 FFKUUYXWSW (1999).
 HWCABOAHNMOEWU
 TLOVTGWMXWVOAEGG So over to you
 LDUGCVRFYMHPTPTIXQE 'orible lot to
 APFBRUECVUDUTRWTTYRH 'try' and beat
 ZUKFRMVGPEFALLUWNAMTVK us...
 TJETNJMVTRCEWNGQHTDYWN
 EDJYDNYHUHMTGFEVNI LUTSQY
 ZLQLLSI HJDA FSFPSBP
 OATVZYDP CGEJ XKYNEUDA
 SVXVXJYQ JMDV VLNKPJHR
 GJBRWIOTWJSMOOLJGUCVALTUWOIW
 XXWJMASVLOOKHBSVTXLVONXMGYBR
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 MVFSSEEKGUHXRUFIZUGYGPEEPGKJ
 IBTARBUMUWOFFKGHMRQIJNSOPQ
 CETOMT V G V U A B S ZYFED
 ZEXHH KAJ S
 RKKKSIAIPIGTPIXZZLUODWHXC
 VEQZILCGBFAKXHFXPYLB CS
 FBXERVOZCHCEHKKJFGVVA
 NZBYNCXNBMAHFTTDRYR
 BVKYSNIVDWRCHJLIQ
 WZDEKROTYDJRBN
 LKFPWFSYKB
 XCECYU



THE LRP PAGES



Storm
Chihuahua

CLUB LRP Competition:

It's Competition Time again, so here's your chance to get behind the scenes and "Write an LRP Scenario" for BIG PRIZES....



Entrants need to write the basis for an LRP scenario that may be run by the club.

The submission should include at least the following:

1. Statement of rough type/location of event (eg. Linear, Interactive, Combination)
2. Basic plot outline
3. Background reasoning for where the plot sits in the game world (Note that any game world can be used, eg. Cyberpunk, Krym, Concrete Dreaming.... Etc...)
4. Outlines for the key incidents/encounters.
5. Outlines for major NPC's.
6. Outline of major props.



The competition will be judged by the members of the committee.

Prizes:

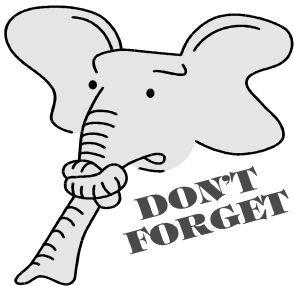
1st Prize – £50 towards any 'Kin Cheap' LRP purchases.

2nd Prize – £25 towards any 'Kin Cheap' LRP purchase.

Note, purchases to be made through LRP co-ordinator. Also note that with club membership of Kin Cheap, these prizes could have effective values of £62.50 and £31.25 if the 20% discount available on club months is included.



Last but not least, the closing date for the competition is the 18th Feb 1999 (two weeks before the AGM), after which they will be judged by the committee. Announcements of the winners will take place at the AGM on the 4th of March.



Don't forget though... no entries... no prizes... So get writing and get those scenarios in...

The competition is open to any Club Member. The decision of the Judges is Final.

CLUB NEWS

THE NEW SONGBOOK

Thanks to Howard for the Old Songs... we just had to dig them up again... they're that good... and of course the news ones from messrs' Proud and Brown.

TO THE TUNE OF "TWELVE DAYS OF CHRISTMAS"

On The First Day Of Christmas, SASRA Gave
To Me,
An All Night Game Of AD&D (Lucky Me !)

Five Gold Pieces (Excessive Treasure Award)
Six People A (Role) Playing (Unlikely)

On The Second Day Of Christmas, SASRA
Gave To Me,
Two Turgid Plotlines (Nothing New There)
And An All Night Game Of AD&D (Lucky
Me !)

Seven Refs A Swimming (Well More A
Floundering)

Eight Players A Milking (It)

On The Third Day Of Christmas, SASRA
Gave To Me,
Three Naff French Accents (For Johnny's
NPC'S)
Two Turgid Plotlines (Nothing New There)
And An All Night Game Of AD&D (Lucky
Me !)

Nine Prussians A Lancing (Token Gestures For
Derek)

Ten Villains A Drumming (On The
Superheroes)

Eleven Azathoths A Piping (And A Gibbering
And A Fluting)

On The Fourth Day Of Christmas, SASRA
Gave To Me,
Four Stalling GM'S (Typical)
Three Naff French Accents (For Johnny's
NPC'S)
Two Turgid Plotlines (Nothing New There)
And An All Night Game Of AD&D (Lucky
Me !)

Twelve Lurpers A Lurping (Sad Bastards)

TO THE TUNE OF "WHEN A CHILD IS BORN"

A Set Of Stats, For Which Most Players Would Die,
A Hit Point Roll, That's Really Very High,
This PC's So Rock Hard, The Others Look Forlorn,
This Comes To Pass,
When Fudges Characters Are Born

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TO THE TUNE OF "BOHEMIAN RHAPSODY"

Is This Your Real Life ? It's Very Sad You
See,

Look At Your Beer Glass, Filled To Capacity,
Focus Your Eyes, Unfasten Your Flies And
Pee

Now That Your Bladders Low, You Need
More Alcohol,
(Because It's Quickly In, Quickly Out, Don't
Sit Down, It's Your Shout)

Anyway Your Wind Blows, Glasses Tend To
Shatter You See, You See

(Hic, Burp, Vomit, Belch, Fart, - Hic, Burp,
Vomit, Belch, Fart)

Landlord,
I'll Have A Pint,
Also A G & T, A Coke With Bacardi,
Landlord,
This Orders Just Begun,
But I'm So Drunk I've Forgotten What Else I
Want

Landlord, Oh Oh Oh Oh,
I'll Drink Until I Die,
At Least That's How I'll Feel This Time
Tomorrow,
Very Ill, Very Ill,
But Right Now That Doesn't Matter

(Hic, Burp, Vomit, Belch, Fart, - Hic, Burp,
Vomit, Belch, Fart)

Too Late, Times Been Called,
For More Ale And Lager, We Must Go To
Gallachers,
"Bood Gye, Evryb'dy, Ish Got Oo Go,
Cos Although The Lights Are On, Nobody's
Home"

Landlord, Oh Oh Oh Oh,
Just One More For The Road,

I Don't Care If I Wind Up In The Gutter,

I See A Little Herd Of Pink Elephants,
Oh My God Oh My God, I'm Feeling Pretty
Pissed Now

Guinness And White Lightning
Very Very Frightening Me

Galiano (Galiano) Galiano Whisky - O

My Glass Is Empty, I Must Go Home Now,
(His Glass Is Empty, Think About His Family,
Spare His Wife From This Monstrosity)

Very Drunk, Feeling Sick, Will You Let Me
Throw ?

(The Carpets) No ! We Will Not Let You
Throw !

Let Me Throw ?
(They're Brand New) No ! We Will Not Let
You Throw !

Let Me Throw ?
(They'll Never Clean) No ! We Will Not Let
You Throw !

Will Not Let You Throw !
Will Not Let You, Will Not Let You Throw
(Throw Throw Throw Throw Throw Throw)

Mama Mia Mama Mia Mama Mia Let Me
Throw

Sean Hopkins Has A Gallon Set Aside For Me,
For Me, For Me !

So You Think I'm Plastered ? Well My Round
I'm Still Going To Buy !

So You Think You'll Out Drink Me ? Come
On Then Just Give It A Try Oh Baby,
I Can Manage One More Maybe,
Just Gotta Get Your, Just Gotta Get Your
Round In Next

Any Way The Wind Blows!

CLUB NEWS

TO THE TUNE OF "AWAY IN A MANGER"

A Mage And A Ranger Went Out On A Quest
To See Which One Of Them Was Really The
Best
The Ranger Was Lawful And His Rival
Wouldn't Slay
But The Mage Was Chaotic Evil And Blew
Him Away

So What Is The Morale What Lesson Can We
Learn ?
Always Cast 'Detect Alignment' Unless You
Want To Burn
Even With Such A Precaution You Still Might
Get Trashed
As The Lessons Very Simple "Nice Guys
Finish Last"

TO THE TUNE OF "HARK THE HERALD ANGELS SING"

Hark The Herald Porace Sings,
Glory To The Mimbrian King,
Peace With Elves And Barbarians Wild,
Knights And Grey Ravens Reconciled

Joyful All Ye Stormbulls Drink,
Till Your No Longer Able To Think,
See The Consequence Of The Ale You Scoff,
Sloth Takes Over While Your Sleeping It Off,

Hark The Herald Death Knights Sing,
Glory To The Undead King

TO THE TUNE OF "LOVE IS ALL AROUND"

I Can't Feel My Fingers, I Can't Feel My
Toes,
The Booze Is All Around Me, Till Down My
Throat It Goes,
Watch Out Here's My Wind, It's Pretty Sour
You Know,
The Last Time I Was Sober, Was A Long Time
Ago

I See Your Face Before Me, An Out Of Focus
Head,
And Though This Time Tomorrow, I'll Wish
That I Was Dead,
If I'm Not Too Hungover, I'll Get Out Of Bed,
And Rather Than Get Sober, I'll Come Down
Here Instead

CHORUS
You Know I Drink Here, I Always Will,
The Price Is Right Although The Beer Tastes
Like Swill,
To My Beer Drinking, There'll Be No End,
And On My Custom You Can Depend

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TO THE TUNE OF "TWELVE DAYS OF CHRISTMAS"

On the first day of Christmas the runners gave
to me,
A loud shirt from Hawaii.

Five Foreign Trips

On the second day of Christmas the runners
gave to me,
Two Physical Adept's
And a loud shirt from Hawaii.

Six Cars a'wreckng

Seven Elves a'duelling

On the third day of Christmas the runners
gave to me,
Three ladies 'shifting
Two Physical Adept's
And a loud shirt from Hawaii.

Eight Gameboys playing

Nine Watchers Watching

Ten Enemies Plotting

Eleven Goons a'dying

On the fourth day of Christmas the runners
gave to me,
Four PC's from Barry
Three ladies 'shifting
Two Physical Adept's
And a loud shirt from Hawaii.

Twelve Runners Running

TO THE TUNE OF "HARK THE HERALD ANGELS SING"

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing,
Beechams Pills are just the thing.

The dose you take's eleven.

They are gentle, meek and mild,
Two for an adult, one for a child.

If You want to go to hell,
Take another packet as well.

If you want to go to heaven,

Hark! The herald Angels sing,
Beechams Pills are just the thing.

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GAMES NEXT SESSION

STARWARS

**GM: Mark T
Scoot, Reggsy, Carl
Geoff B, Steve Tu**

M.I.B

**GM: Reg
Mark D, Steve H, John W
Jacqui, Ricki, Barney**

Werewolf

**GM: Andrew
Jane D, Liz, Fudge,
Paul C, Steve P**

Agency

**GM: Barry
Mike R, Jim
Paul Lace**

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a Happy New Year to you all...