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At Home in Outlands

Story by Okwaho Redwood June 27, 2021

The Tribes meet in Zabra'Jin, where the Trolls of Redwood have found a home, and journey to Nagrand.

For some it was their first visit to the spacious and lush land of the Mag'har, but for others, they had been working with the Mag'har, taking care of the numerous orphans, and some were even helping Nesingwary, the hunter, set up his camp.

Speaking to several leaders, the Tribes were

accepted amongst the Mag'har, though it was clear there was more work to be done and the Tribes were expected to help as needed.

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Rag'tagar or Rag'gosh Flarefang?

Story by Okwaho Redwood June 26, 2021

Meeting Flarefang at Garadar, the Sage amongst others, saw an opportunity to not only help Rag'tagar Flarefang track down a Mag'har Orc but also a chance to assist

This particular Mag'har was said to have information about Flarefang's lineage, though this tip came from a Draenai shaman tracked down on the beaches of



The Mag'har was not in Garadar, however. It was captive in Sunspring Village. This posed an invconvenience, however the group took up the quest and made their way through Halaa and to the overrun village.

Flarefang guessed that they were rescuing the fourth Lightning Brother and he ended up being correct. Some timely heals from the Chieftain's twin sister, Zeahe Brightmane, helped them survive the murkblood's poisonous attacks and





There Flarefang was given some information about his father, a shaman of the Shadowmoon Clan, who refused the fel and even went so far against the other orcs to help free Draenei from their grasp... which is when his father fell in love with a Draenei.

Hantada was indeed his aunt and godmother, his brothers now cousins, and Rag'tagar now had a new name Rag'gosh from the other side of his parentage. Fraught with worry that as a half-blood he would be turned out, the Sage and Zeahe both gave him hope and raised his spirits.

Hantada, though deceased by the hand of Flarefang, himself, still darkens the young Orc's steps to this day.

But for now, Flarefang now searches for his mother, Ephaun Flarebright.

Weekly Highlights

Gom Kuu'Jak Shouts Heard Across Outlands!

Associated Press - Shattrath Afternoon Edition June 25, 2021

From Nagrand to Terrokar Forest, Gom Kuu'Jak pact members launched a campaign to control objectives and proclaim the presence of the Horde. Even the outpost of Telaar came under siege, with a raid on the barracks and the larder.

Said one member of the Pact, "We were not sure if the town was a military target, but as soon as we were close, the guards attacked, so we fought back. Our initial scouting of the interior leads one to believe it is a holding or prison type area, though converted to that use, no doubt, as the



barracks looked more like a place to rest and relax and possibly was an Inn in times past.'

Sage Okwaho Redwood commented, "You can see the original structures of Telaar are still intact and withstood the





devastation that created many issues in the rest of Outland. No doubt this is due to the Furies and the elements, which maintain a foothold in Nagrand, while the rest of Outlands continues to turn to Fel energies or other methods of attempting to fight against the Legion.

"In fact, having seen more of Area 52 as part of the Gom Kuu'Jak expeditionary force late yestermoon," The Sage continues, "you can see the abysmal condition of that landscape as they seek to protect themselves through technological or otherworldly means. The comparison of how devastated the other



grander of Nagrand under the watch of the Furies, can not be understated. We must study the elements of this world if we wish to save this land and help others!"





Conjecture aside, Gom Kuu'Jak's warband expeditionary force assisted in maintaining a hold on Halaa and holding Zangarmarsh until the Horde could muster a force to take command of the central region.





Finally some Alliance took a stand in the center of Auchindoun and weary pact members withdrew for the night.

Skybreaker Healing in Shattrath

Story by Okwaho Redwood June 24, 2021

Branharak Skybreaker, Council of Redwood Tribes arrives in Shattrath.

Gratefully, the Sage watched as Skybreaker drained fel green poison from the Chieftain's wound, as reported in another story in the Times a wound sustained protecting young Horde fighters in Hellfire Peninsula. Both shaman whispering words of comfort to Ayashe Brightmane as Skybreaker used his shamanic powers to bring healing to the wounds, as well as cleansing.

The two spoke quietly above the Lower



about the Tribes, the plans to move to Garadar, and the upcoming Rites of Passage. Somewhere in the conversation, the Sage admitted to the pressures he was facing on all sides, from the Troll's move to Zabra'Jin separate from the rest of the Tribes to the politics of Gom Kuu'Jak.

For now, it appeared the Sage had someone to help shoulder the burdens, but it was clear he was ready for the Chieftain's return.

Redwood Tribes Members Land in Jail!

Reprinted from Thrallmar Express Times June 23, 2021

Redwood Tribes returns to Hellfire peninsula and enters Gruul's Lair.

And a few members land in jail, despite the Tribes handily taking on the rest of the minions.



Picture Courtesy of Saura Grimtotem

Picture Courtesy of Roh'vok

But was it Gruul that placed the warriors in jail? NO... the Tribes said stay back and came close to a victory, need just another healer or two to finish off the behemoth.

Sage Okwaho Redwood on hearing how close the fight was, promised more resources immediately to the cause!

LATE BREAKING NEWS OUT OF DEADWIND PASS

Redwood Doubles up at Karazhan; Prince Faces Danger on Two Fronts

United Horde Wire June 22, 2021

Not one, but two frontal assaults on the decrepit and ruinous tower of Karazhan.

Redwood Tribes members claim victory for both teams as the forays prove successful and each claim spoils.

Shown here, Team Thunder led by the Warmaster, Krip'yup! The other team, Team Shark, led by Warlord Gin'jojo also had little issue.

Now Back to Outlands for a combined assault on Gruul!



Picture Courtesy of Chepi Plainwinds

Late News from the Wailing Caverns Pond Sage Wins Fishing Tournament?

Thunder Bluff Associated Press June 21, 2021

Finally after months of fishing, the Sage of Redwood Times lands a 19 pound whopper and wins his first fishing contest. Standing near Lakerunner, a previous winner, the Sage appeared to be studying the technique of the veteran fisherman.

While others began to complain of the bad fish puns and sore forearms of endless casting, the Sage continued to cast and concentrate until landing the prize trophy fish.

Additionally, the Sage received some apo advice to seek out a new trainer in the marshes of Outland.



Every Sunday Gather for Fishing and Prizes with Branharak Skybreaker at "Fishing and Friends"

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Tall Tales & Epic Fables on the Bluffs

Story by Okwaho Redwood June 21, 2021

Tall Tales & Epic Fables goes on, despite the horrors we face in Draenor.

It rained, and we listened to some very tall tales, especially from Boris, and got to know others like Clawhoof, new to the Tribes, but if you have ever been to Bloodhoof, you would know her kin, those that raise and train the mighty Kodo.

It was good to see the watch seller and



listen to his tale, as well as several others that had not been seen since crossing the portal.

From beardless dwarves, to finding and training Kodo, it was nice to laugh and relax in front of the High Chieftain's tent, but in the end, we will have to return to the front lines when all is said and done.

Spirit of the Earth Mother Hosts Thunder Bluff Debate Society or Have Some Spiced Mulgore Wine

Written by Okwaho Redwood June 20, 2021

Debate night often brings out the most dangerous topics on the Bluffs, ranging from Forsaken and Sin'dorei being part of the Horde to whether the Peacechief is, well, too peaceful. Threats, daggers drawn, and longbeard attacks are all part and parcel when the Debate Society stomps into the Amphitheater.

However, in between the more serious debates are the mini-debates that sometimes occur at the Spirits of the Earth Mother tavern on lower-rise.



The owner of the establishment, namely myself, would like to keep it that way!

The debates started in a well-intentioned way, "How best to start helping the refugees and poorer sect of society in Shattrath, notably those forced to eke out an existence in Lower City." From helping the orphans find homes, all gathered deciding that was a noble task suited to that most noble of Shu'h'alo, Branharak Skybreaker to supplying hot meals the topic showed the well-meaning of those gathered.

Then talk turned to the war veterans and how to appropriately assist them acclimating to society and celebrating their sacrifice in what is almost a lost cause against the Legion and the forces that confront them daily. Again, all well and good, but then the topic heated up thanks to Polemarch Trissian Goldfist of the Bulwark and her assistant Lanthenn, who brought up innocent killing and unquestioning assassinations as a response to war.

These topics may come up at a regular debate, but are hardly light hearted drinking debates, and certainly not something the Shu'halo are comfortable condoning. However, since the topic was brought up, the Tribes are proud of the outreach they have done that has changed some of the outlook of their current allies and mention again that the Blacktooth Grin have stepped away from their Reaving, a.k.a. the killing of innocents on purpose.

As always moderating is essential in these circumstances and all were able to find common ground letting a long established society to mediate these matters.

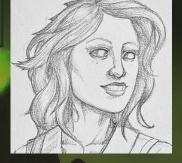
Don't miss the next Thunder Bluff Debate Society Monday, July 12, 2021 at 5:00 PM

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Comedy Crossroads

With Kathley Roe Vock of Hand of Lordaeron

I'm starting to think that as a whole, the sentient races of Azeroth might be abusing magic. Sure, it's nice to have something to defend yourself with if a rampaging crazed centaur is running you down, but I think we could be a lot better off if we used magic in more practical ways than just burning everyone we see.



Every now and then, I'll come across some starving Hordie out in the middle of nowhere, INSIDE a village or camp, begging for someone to go out and bring back gigantic lobster claws from murderous crustaceans or something. Then when you bring it to them, they pay you! Obviously the solution is to just conjure food for everyone, right? No! There is magic that raises your intelligence, ironically it is the mages who can perform it. Use that spell to make this idiot Orc remember that he has currency in his pocket, and can just go BUY THEIR OWN FOOD.

Another situation you may have encountered, "Hey there adventurer, I need you to go down into this innocuous looking cavern that will somehow snake it's way to the core of the planet, where demons have been plotting to rip us all to shreds. You see, my family has always passed down my great great great great grandmother's stamp collection, and in my haste to escape from literal hell, I went and oopsy woopsy dropped it!"

I got a spell for you too, jerk! It's part of a school of magic called Geomancy, and I'll use it to first: cave in that entire damn structure, burying the demons and your dumb stamps so you can move on with your life. Second: and this spell doesn't even use mana, pick up a rock and blast you in the face with it for wasting my time.

Isn't magic awesome?

Rumors and Tall Tales

As overheard at Spirits of the Earth Mother Tavern

"Tal' Rokh"

That is the name of the Blacktooth Grin's base... and a vicious bird apparently has mistaken one of the thatched buts for it's nest...

Rumor is it fed the Grin for that night. Maybe the rest of the birds will learn to stay away!



Blacktooth Grin unleash death incarnate upon the world once more. 'have fun storming the castle!'





And when it does, expect the Chieftain to stomp... or perhaps toss one of these new moons we see in the skies over Draenor.



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Trellin Waitin' on the Show



The Calm of Home

The Sage has his sights on those Furies

Returning home while the Earth Mother's tears fall

New Feature: Caption Contest

Caption this screenshot and send to Okwaho on discord at:

Winter#3381

Entries must be received by Sunday June 27 at midnight pacific (server time)



Chosen entry will receive 25 gold, so please add your in game name to your entry.

Have a Screenshot that fits a caption contest, send those in, too!

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Calendar of Events - contact editor to be added

- June 28 5pm Spoken Spirits Share words of Morale, Encouragement, Honesty at Garadar
- June 30 6pm An'she's Warmth Tawahne Duskhoof leads an effort to help those in need
- July 01 5nm Earthen Ring The Fast and The Furies with Okwaho Redwood leading

For Weekly events, see the Grobbulus Calendar posted in the Horde RP Discord

- Thursdays 6pm Homeland Relief hosted by Bulwark Azeroth different locations each week
- Fridays 6pm Weekly Circle RP with Redwood open to all. (most fridays)
- Sat 4pm -Face your Demons with Gabriel and Father Ross, weekly therapy group Tarren Mill (see advertisements)
- Sun 4pm Fishing with Friends with Branharak Skybreaker Pond outside of WC Fishing for Prizes
- Sun 6pm Redwood Roadhouse unless noted otherwise
- Saturday and Monday at 7pm Triffy D'argentine leads new and old activities with The Lighthouse

Many events have an advertisement, see link at the top of the page, and if you have an event you would like to see listed here or advertised msg. Okwaho in game, on Discord: Winter#3381 or email to Lohkawaswildmane@gmail.com

On the Homefront

Legal Aid on The Bluffs?

Submitted by an Anonymous Source June 21, 2021

If you have not been on the Bluffs lately, or if you are new to some of the behind the scene politics of Thunder Bluff, you may have missed some of the recent drama.

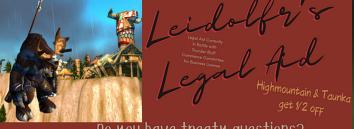
Here is the breakdown:

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There is a council of Chieftains that advises Cairne Bloodhoof, who makes the final decisions.

But the day to day business is not run by Chieftains. That is the function of the Thunder Bluff Commerce Committee. You have not heard of it?

"No surprise. You would think the Bluffs have little time for red tape, but there is no exception, even here," says Sura Wildmane from her leather harness shop. "I have had to file paperwork for a license to have meeting space, thanks to the Council of the Redwood always using my



Do you have treaty questions?
Or Fel Demon Pact Problem?
Is Bluff Council try take your business?
You not know what future bring but
Leidolfr know you need Legal Representation!

More than you will ever guess

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workspace. And a seasonal renewal at that, which they say will fund more fruit trees around the Bluffs, but currently how many new trees have you seen?"

The Brewery, Spirits of the Earth Mother, has also been thrown into the firepit, as owner Okwaho Redwood, has opened the doors to first a Comedy Club and now Debate Facility. Something about appropriate commercial licenses was seen on a scroll tacked to the front of the tipi before Leidolfr began setting up for business on mini-debate night.

Seems like entrepreneur, Leidolfr Redwood has found another reason to start a new venture. We wish him well against the TBCC, who right now acts as if they have no one to answer to.

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