



## Telantiwar: Throne of the Empire

You've heard the name Telantiwar a lot recently. Since Tathal was made Regent it has become a focal point for the Empires endeavours, but for most of us it is a relatively unknown city.

Founded in the earliest days of our life in the Underdark, Telantiwar was the new centre of our civilisation. We had our own council that met there, and it served as the Capital and Throne of our great Empire.

That was until the later end of the second age. In fighting was rife, with individual houses constantly vying for control of their clan and even the Empire. With each of these houses having some representation within Telantiwar, the fighting would often spill over. In the end the fighting began tearing the city apart, metaphorically and literally.

It was at this time that Triel Cruentatus enacted a ritual within the city and deliberately detonated the circle within. The resulting magic has made the area uninhabitable ever since, to all except the Bealnorn who keep this sacred place secured.

The Throne of Telantiwar is a phrase that's used often, at least in certain circles. The Paladin Order of Lolth has always sworn their oath to the Throne, rather than to any individual Val'sharess. A tradition they continue even with the Throne out of reach. Perhaps that is why the Lord Regent is so interested in restoring the city, as his own oath is to the Throne .

## In Brief: Ergosal

Ergosal Eclavadraar, leader of the Illythiiri Clan Eclavadraar.

He is commonly known as The Bloody handed

When it comes to war, few are so feared and revered as Ergosal. It is not for his skill in arms, nor his tactical prowess. His true power is in the unbridled joy he takes from war and death.



Those that worship Ergosal will always be found at the very forefront of war. Relishing in the scent on blood and death around them, making the kill as personal as possible. They have little interest in ranged warfare, or defensive tactics.

Whilst passion for war may be his driving force, he and his followers are far from mindless beasts. Training in a wide range of close quarter combat techniques make him unusually similar to his sister-in-law, Skiasca Aryvandaar in her role as a teacher.

Ergosal appears to his followers as a bald obsidian skinned elf with silver talons as finger nails. The talons on his left hand continuously drip blood and his eyes burn with fury.

Join us next time as we have a brief look at Kiransalee.

The Throne itself is a made of Wychwood, a gift from Skiasca. This incredibly rare and remarkably potent material is renowned for its ability to naturally contain vast amounts of power. Power that in this case bolstered the power of whomever was sat upon it.

Few other records exist about Telantiwar, most lost through the many centuries of war, turmoil and neglect. However should the Lord Regent manage to overcome these challenges, perhaps he will be able to lead the Empire to recover this lost part of our history?

If you wish to brave the fury of the Baelnorn, you can attempt to visit Telantiwar by heading East from Dark Haven.

## By Order of the Inquisitor

By order the Lord Inquisitor, the following entities have been declared heretics. Dealings with them is a capital offence. Any information on their whereabouts should be reported to the Inquisitor at once.

- The Cube
- Any Gorgon of the Underdark
- Prince Clearwater of the Aquillari
- Sarya Kenafin
- Any worshipper or servant of The Betrayer.

## Eye on the Underdark

### New Faction Appointments

**Master Sorcere**  
Solitaire

**Lord Seneschal**  
Cypher

**High Incantor**  
Zansas V'rinn

**High Ambassador**  
Corren Morghun

**Master Channeller**  
Marcus Lehn

Lord Regent Tathal Maelthra has announced that he wishes Solitaire to serve as the new Master of the Sorcere academies, taking responsibility for all matters of a magical nature. The Lord Regent has also asked Cypher to step up from her duties as High Ambassador to manage the workings of the nation as Seneschal.

With Solitaire and Cypher stepping up, Zansas V'rinn has been instructed to take over as High Incantor and Corren Morghun is being entrusted with external contacts as High Ambassador.

As of the Great Erdrejan Fayre Elspeth elected to step down from Master Channeller, and Marcus was tasked with leading that particular band of roughnecks until he dies or finds somebody better.

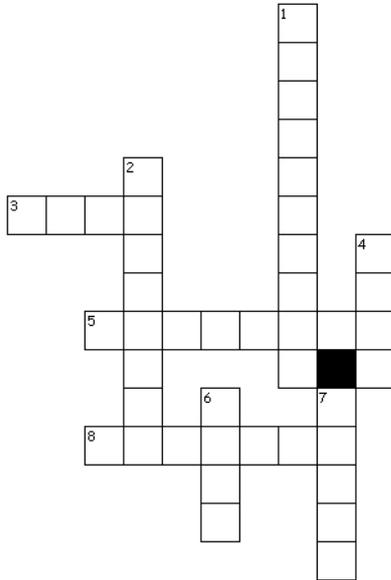
## The Underdark Puzzler

### Across

3. Lolth's greatest gift to Erdreja
5. The place of Maediir's down fall
8. Lord of our latest Allies

### Down

1. Winners of the 1119 GEF
2. The prettiest House in the Underdark
4. Brokered a treaty with the Harts
6. A crafter of unmatched skill
7. Former leader of the Demonfey



## Champions of the Fayre

Business as usual at the Great Erdrejan Fayre as the Tarantulas fulfil the commands of the Lord Regent to once again prove to the Heartlands that no other can put as much determination and effort into these simple contests.

Whilst the Faction lost the Jugger contest to the Jackals, the determined effort across the wider games allowed us to bring in success.

The Lord Regent is reported to be mildly pleased with the nations success, particular at the great skill the faction deployed to gaining an incredible number of tokens and as such prizes from the Demons of the Court of Endless Mirth.

The Lord Regent reportedly expects the faction to improve on this poor effort at next year's Great Erdrejan Fayre.

## "The Cube Stole My Baby!"

Can you imagine the horror? You've gone through all the rites, your newborn child is prepared and ready to be sacrificed upon an altar to Lolth. The priestesses incantations begin, your child wails in joy at the great honour it is about to receive, when in an instant a giant Cube appears around the altar. In a matter of moments your dear beloved sacrifice has been consumed by the Cube, and it disappears as abruptly as it appeared.

That is just what happened to one of our dear readers from Nuur Throth and without more information, it could happen to you!

As rumours grow that the Cube may be an envoy of Lolth, we at The Web have been assured by the High Incantor that this is not the case.

*If you've been affected by The Cube, we want to hear from you!*

## Unicorns Alliance

The Great Erdrejan Fayre marked an important day for both the Tarantulas and the Unicorns, the official signing of the alliance between our two great factions. This is an endeavour that the Lord Regent has been working towards since his own days in the ambassadorial office and has finally been able to see to fruition.

On the Saturday of the Great Erdrejan Fayre of 1119, Lord Regent Tathal Maelthra invited the entirety of the Unicorns Faction led by their Lord Unicorn Tabitha. In recognition of the significance of this event the Lord Regent summoned many of the houses and races of the Underdark that are pledged to the throne to attend.

We look forward to the exciting future between our two great factions.

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1. Tables may have experienced light to extreme flipping

## Strands of Fate

### Ineluki – The Golden Twin

(21 March-20 April)

New responsibilities will present exciting new opportunities to right old wrongs.

### Eilistraee - The Great Bard

(20 April-21 May)

Not every hunt is a chase, eventually your quarry will come to you.

### Vhaerun - The Thief

(21 May-21 June)

Comfort can be found in the darkest shadows, but none are so comfortable as the thrones you can claim.

### Kiransalee - The Vengeful Child

(21 June-22 July)

They're watching you. They're judging you. You can trust your enemies more than your friends.

### Selvetarm - The Champion

(22 July-22 August)

Great champions will arise.

### Ergosal - The Bloody Handed

(22 August-22 September)

The personal touch is always appreciated, but nothing says Love like a great-axe to the face.

### Kanchelsis - The Dark Father

(22 September-23 October)

There is no power without risk, but power is only gained through care. Solving this conundrum will take you far.

### Forbeo – The Traveller

(23 October-22 November)

If you wander far enough you can forget where you started. Sometimes its worth returning home to remember what the journey is for.

### J'Imasro – Master of Excess

(22 November-22 December)

Existence is experience, denying an experience could well lead to the lack of existence.

### Skiasca - The Lady Of The Moon

(22 December-20 January)

Revel in the glory of the magics you can create, but remember that seeking truth is the only way we master this power.

### Schandalun - The Crafter

(20 January-19 February)

We can all create, even if all we create is destruction. Revel in what you bring to Erdreja, and its importance to her.

### Neeloc Raye - The Rememberancer

(19 February-21 March)

People will argue to move on, to forget past wrongs. Don't ever allow those to slip away.