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Du contenu pour Kill Team !



Annoncé sur le site communautaire le 4 juillet dernier, le sommaire du magazine White Dwarf du mois de juillet 2019 a de quoi retenir l'attention des fans de Kill Team...entre autres. Le menu semble assez complet puis que ce numéro proposera pour Kill Team spécifiquement des règles qui

permettront de jouer du côté des [démons du chaos](#) mais aussi l'arrivée de Eisenhorn ! Cet inquisiteur est le héros de la célèbre trilogie (Xénos, Malleus, Hereticus) écrite par Dan Abnett, dont le charisme est légendaire. Il sera donc, normalement, proposé dans ce numéro les règles permettant de le jouer à Kill Team (sans doute au travers de l'extension Commanders vu les statistiques W40k du personnage !). Mais cette arrivée est peut-être aussi un moyen d'introduire dans le jeu celles que beaucoup de fans de W40k attendent : les sœurs de l'adepta sororitas. Ces dernières font actuellement l'objet de nombre de news et autres sneak peek (notamment avec les [premières sculptures 3D](#) dévoilées le 8 juillet dernier). **Qui sait, peut-être que Kill Team sera enrichi d'une extension dédiée ?**

Outre Kill Team, ce numéro devrait aussi offrir un autre morceau de choix : l'**index Blood Raven**. On sait assez peu de choses sur ce chapitre qui pourrait être lié à la Légion des Thousand Sons, et pour cause : il s'agit du chapitre

qu'incarne le joueur dans la célèbre série des Dawn of War dont il a rarement été question « officiellement » côté fluff. Il a, pour autant, bel et bien été [« implémentée comme chapitre officiel »](#).

Dès qu'il aura été lu et décrypté, je partagerai au travers d'un petit article dédié quelques informations sur ces 3 points ayant retenus toute ma curiosité !

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The origins of the secretive Blood Ravens are as much a mystery to themselves as to the Imperium at large. Yet none can dispute their devotion to the Emperor nor the glory of their battle record. The Chapter's Librarians hold a high status amongst the Blood Ravens, and they lead them to crashing victories with almost impossible efficiency.

BLOOD RAVENS

NONE SHALL FIND US WANTING

By Calkun Davis, James Gallagher & Graham McNeill

Their origins shrouded in mystery, the Blood Ravens Chapter are ever drawn to the pursuit of knowledge and the acquisition of ancient lore. Guided by their powerful Librarians, they fight with precision and calculated fury, able to read an enemy's plans and thwart them before they come to fruition. These powers have led to great speculation about the Chapter, not all of it favourable.

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Though the Blood Ravens have a long and glorious history fighting in the name of the Emperor, their exact origins and earliest days are clouded and ambiguous. Not even the mightiest Chapter Masters or revered Librarians can say with any certainty where the origin of their Chapter lies. They are a proud and secretive order, obsessed with ritual, history, and the acquisition of knowledge – especially for the truth of their beginnings. The majority of the records on the Chapter date back no further than early M37, though references to their service in the battles of other Chapters and Imperial organisations prove that they existed and fought the enemies of the Emperor for centuries before this. This gap in speculation as to their origin and what could have happened to expunge such a large and important portion of their history from the Chapter's records.

Rumours persist that details of the Blood Ravens' origins were discovered and later destroyed by Captain Davian Thule or Kronus, though with his apparent loss during the Third Aurelian Crusade, this is now impossible to substantiate. As a result, the Blood Ravens' core lore from which their identity and Chapter they are descended, and so revered to one as much as the Imperial Emperor, Master of Mankind.

The current organisation of the Blood Ravens owes much to a Space Marine named Azechan Vidya, known to the members of the Chapter, though an ancient legend as the Father Librarian, or Great Father. The Legend of the Great Father tells that Vidya was the master of the Blood Ravens' Chapter Librarian at a time when the Chapter was still in its infancy. It states that the Blood Ravens suffered terrible losses in campaigns fought against a series of war-torn rebel worlds said to have taken place in the Gothic Sector – though no corroborating records exist to confirm this.

It is told that in the early days of the campaign, the foul servants of Chaos were widespread and disorganised, with no hope of standing before the Blood Ravens' might, but the machinations of Chaos are manifold, and his impression proved to be fortuitously false. The cult forces were far more organised than they at first appeared, and

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