Session/Game: Thranconia Blueholme 2 Date: July 30 2023

The Cat's Back Episode 50: Mammoths and Death Worms

Campaign Date: January 6, 2024 YOR—February 6

#### Characters:

Giggles, gnoll, fighter-11, N (Pete)
Shump, half-orc, cleric-fighter-8, L (Craig J)
Mr. Ow, catter, magic-user-12, L (Bob L)--Absent
Renly Faire, half-elf, cleric/thief-8, N (Quinton L)
Zerkwad, human, cleric-12, L (Andrew S)

#### NPC'S

Red Jim the Pirate, human, fighter/thief-7, N (henchman to Shump) Cat Astrofee, catter, thief-9, N (henchcat to Mr. Giggles) Creepo, lizardo, XC, neutral, (henchman to Mrow) Bud Skifferson, dwarf, F3, Lawful (henchman to Renly) Guy Cunning, dwarf F/Th-1, Neutral (henchman to Renly)

# **Mercenary Support**

The Ratburg Chuckers, F2 x6, half-orc, neutral, light foot (Giggles) Captain Hendrick(Giggles), human, F3, neutral, Captain (Giggles)) Steady Bolters. Human F1 x10. neutral, heavy crossbow (Shump) Chet's Demons, human, F2 x10, Longbow, Neutral (Shump) Portburg New Pike, human, XC, lawful, Pikemen (Shump) Death Crushers, half-orc, XC, neutral, Heavy foot (Shump) Lucky Stiffs, human, XC, neutral, heavy crossbow (Shump) Bullet Squad, huamn, F1, Lawful, slingers (Shump) Super Action Squad half elf, XCx10, longbow archers Neutral(Mrow) Team Miller human, XCx10, crossbow, neutral(Mrow) Faithful Five Times 2, human F-1 x10, crossbow, lawful (Mrow)

#### Judge: Dave N.

January 6, 2024 YOR—January 10 Mountains to Emporion Most of the party, less Mrow, travel to Emporion.

January 11, 2024—January 18, Emporion

While Zerkwad hangs with good old Chuggins in the Frat House, Renly recruits Guy Cunning. Shump hires the Lucky Stiffs and the Death Crushers.

January 19-25—Emporion

Giggles and Shump look for mercenaries. Shump recruits the Bullet Squad and Portburg New Pike. Giggles fails to recruit.

January 26-31 Travel

Group returns to Shumphold and drops off the new mercenaries.

#### February 1—Ostkrags

They Travel to base of Mt. Gaxto. Zerkwad casts a spell of Commune to find the location of the lost Silver Guard Armor, worn by the mercenary who fell off the cliff during the solstice battle. The silver regalia was necessary for proper completion of Shump's coronation as Lawful King of the Mountains. Isis (and Osiris) reveaked that the body was in an evil pit at the base of the mountain. The party came to the cliff hole which the gods had revealed and realized that hadn't brought sufficient rope to climb down.

#### February 2—Shumphold

They scour the castle for rope.

### February 3—Cliff Hole

They climb down into the cliff hole onto the bone pile. The pile gathered itself together into 10 undead mammoths who attacked the party by surprise. Many of the team took a lot of wounds, but Shump stiffened the resistance by summoning 16 berserkers from his magic horn. Eventually, they destroyed the mammoths and set out to search the complex. Giggles destroyed 3 white puddings, after having cold protection put on him by Zerkwad. They explored the dungeon, avoiding several potential dangers. Finally, they reached the chamber where the silver guard regalia had been taken and they fought through 50 blind poison death worms to retrieve it. Unfortunately, the worms killed and devoured Renly's new henchman Guy Cunning.

#### February 4-5—Ostkrags

After they retrieve the guard armor and other treasure from the Cliff Hole, they also haul up 20 mammoth tusks. While some team members guard the haul, others return to the castle for a wagon.

## February 6—Shumphold

They complete the retrieval and settle in for a rest.