

THE AQUILA



Thought for the day: A weak mind is a blessed one

Arenxis Minoris Campaign Turn 3 Status Report

Chaos Controlled Hexes
40

Imperial Controlled Hexes
36



Edicts Imperialis

All Class IV and VII tech-adepts are hereby ordered to ignore the order to return to Port Hubris. Failure to do so will result in total forfeitures of tech sanction as well as Level 2 Excruciatu. Hail the Ommissiah!

By edict of Lord Commander Faizal, all citizens are hereby ordered to cease attacks on xenos 'Eldar' persons. If you see any of them, avoid them and report their presence to the nearest Adeptus Arbites or Imperial Guard station.

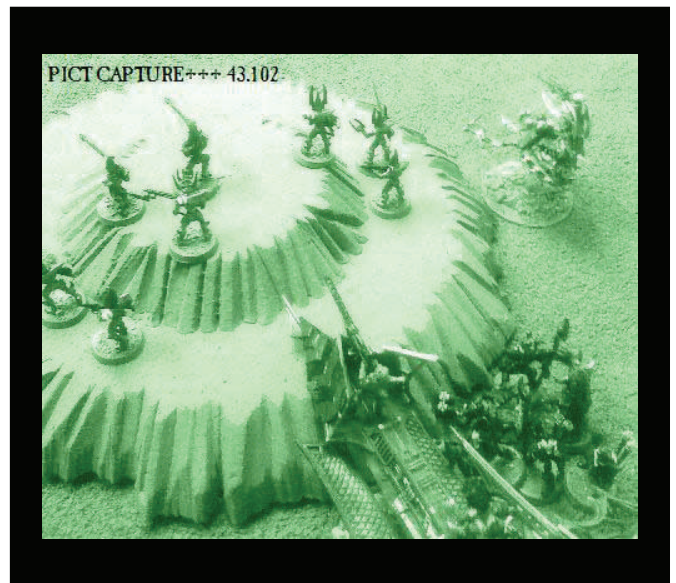
If you notice anyone near you coughing, wheezing, or otherwise showing symptoms of illness, please notify the nearest medicae for immediate treatment and quarantine. All Imperial persons are ordered to be watchful for plague—only through vigilance and faith shall we remain pure.

INQUISITION DEFEATS CHAOS AND XENOS IN TWO GLORIOUS BATTLES!

Proving without any doubt that nothing can stop the Imperial Inquisition, Lord Arzmi brought 'Dark Eldar raiders and traitorous Red Corsairs to battle, and defeated them both in turn. What makes these victories even sweeter is the fact that Lord Arzmi is the only Imperial commander who has not suffered a defeat against the Chaos invaders!

"Let none question the mettle or wisdom of the Imperial Inquisition", Adept Barcolys of the Officio Inquisitorum said during a pict-cast news conference. "Lord Arzmi is one of our finest ground commanders, and speaks with the voice of the Ordos in all matters related to the defense of Arenxis Minoris."

Imperial positions have been fortified along the Placido del Rio with the occupation of Odallus Cantons and Perixis village by Inquisition forces. Further gains were stopped by heavily entrenched Chaos Astartes of the Red Corsairs and the foul Unclean.



Foul Eldar Xenos Raiders Pictured Moments Before Their Destruction. Praise Be the Name of Lord Inquisitor Arzmi!

INN reporter Maximus Proboscis was able to get a moment with Adept Barcolys after the news conference. Proboscis asked him what's next for Inquisition forces.

"We cannot comment on current combat operations along the Placido Del Rio. Forces of the World Eaters, Red Corsairs, and Unclean

still hold most of the ground east of the river. Much remains to be done, but Imperial victory is within our grasp."

Truly, Arenxis Minoris is blessed to have Lord Arzmi leading the fight to clean our world of evil. Raise your cup or flask! Ave Imperium!

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Aul'thavon Eldar Attack Gorgolus Forge, Defeating The Unclean

Too fearful to venture from his accursed warship *Pallida Mors*, Lord Minthras left "Eulikules the Black" in command of Unclean ground forces occupying Gorgolus Forge. Eldar of the "Aul'thavon" craftworld took advantage and gained a decisive victory over the invasion's architect.

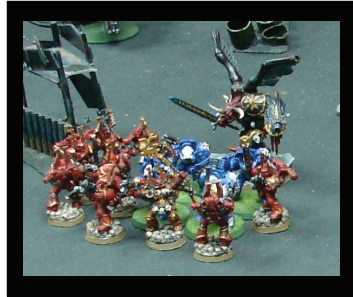
There has been no comment from Imperial Strategos regarding the Eldar control of Gorgolus Forge. However, INN reporters have learned that cogitator engines and promethium regulators formerly produced at the forge have started appearing in Imperial hands once again in

large exports across the Glenmarie sub-sector. Is this evidence of Imperial/Xenos collusion, or is it something else? What will the Eldar do now? What is their purpose here? These questions and many more occupy the minds of our people, and only ultimate victory will provide the answers we seek...

WORLD EATERS DEFEAT ELDAR AND ULTRAMARINES – WHO WILL STOP THEM?

A dark day indeed has fallen for the citizens and plebeians living along the banks of the despoiled Placido Del Rio, as the relentless World Eaters launched a two pronged attack into “No Man’s Land”. Led by a horrific +++MALLEUS CENSOR 2AΣ+++, the Chaos Marines defeated a detachment of Ultramarines from the 5th Company as well as xenos Eldar from the “Saim-Hann” craftworld.

While the cleansing of the filthy Eldar from Horga Fields is a thing to be celebrated, the loss of brave Astartes from the Ultramarines Chapter is a terrible loss to both the Imperium and Arenxis Minoris. These brave warri-



Unholy Berzerkers of the World Eaters destroy their Ultramarine foes

ors gave their noble lives in defense of Femar Junction. Why can no one stop them? Where is Lord Commander Faizal in all this? Is he not our noble defender and overall commander? What is he doing to stop this? We pray the Emperor delivers the answer to Lord Faizal...

PORT CASTIGUS LIBERATED BY DARK ANGELS

In a daring assault under cover of smog blackened skies, a Dark Angels Ravenwing detachment led by Lord Sammael penetrated deep into Chaos lines and secured Port Castigus from loathsome traitors of the Alpha Legion. In a plan that was classified from even his allies, Lord Sammael *intentionally* allowed Chogoris Field to fall earlier in the war. After careful Scouting the crafty Astartes Lord discovered where the attack originated from, and commenced his daring assault. The Alpha Legion stood no chance!

While no representatives from the Dark Angels were available for comment, we at

INN know that the Alpha Legion has suffered a crippling blow. Their as yet unidentified commander was present, and was slain. Without his infernal leadership, the Alpha Legion will certainly be unable to continue the fight against the noble forces defending Arenxis Minoris. There is certainly no evidence that they are anything but demoralized!

While much remains to be done, it is clear that the war has taken a favorable turn for the Imperium. With brave heroes such as Lord Sammael defending us, the future for the Imperium and Arenxis Minoris looks bright indeed...

SAIM-HANN ELDAR DEFEATS ALPHA LEGION, BUT FAILS TO HOLD GROUND

More evidence of possible Imperial malfeasance has come to light in the aftermath of a battle between Chaos Space Marines of the Alpha Legion and Eldar of the Saim-Hann craftworld. The circumstances of the battle were rather unremarkable, fought in the ash wastes of Thessalonicus. The Eldar quickly outmaneuvered

the Alpha Legion, and defeated them in short order. However, rather than capturing the ground and turning it over to Imperial control, the Eldar instead quit the field and returned to their hearthen base.

What does this mean? Are the Eldar in collusion with the dread forces of Chaos? Does this in turn mean that

Lord Commander Faizal is also in league with them? Could this explain Lord Faizal’s failure to assist the defense of Horga Fields?

With “allies” such as these, the noble defenders of Arenxis Minoris are doing themselves no favors. We must follow the words of Lord Sammael and purge the xenos, lest something like this happen again...

CADIAN 7TH UTTERLY CRUSHED BY WARBOSS GRIMFANG AND HIS MADZ MOB

Port Hubris is once again under the control of invading forces as Warboss Grimfang consolidates his hold, and the Cadian 7th return to base to lick their wounds. Once thought to be invincible, even Lord Faizal was unable to withstand the ferocious assault from the “Madz Mob.”

While the loss of Port Hubris is lamentable, all is not lost for the Imperial cause. With the retaking of Port Castigus

in northern Thessalonicus, imports and exports are thankfully able to continue. However, with three space-travel ports under the control of Orks, Grimfang has the capability to attack any part of Arenxis Minoris at will.

“Port Hubris will be retaken”, Major Shiraz recently told reporters at a news conference. “The tactical withdrawal from Port Hubris is only temporary, and was done with the long term in-



Abandoned wreckage of Cadian tanks lie in the outskirts of Hubris

terests of Arenxis Minoris in mind. We shall not rest until this world is free from alien and Chaos domination!”



Departmento Munitorum Supplemental Work Detail (SWoD) Ration Enhancement Program

All able bodied Imperial plebeians and citizens between the ages of 7 and 70 are hereby ordered to report to their nearest SWoD Induction Center for work assignment. This order is effective on the Thessalonicus and Haides continents, with SWoD options available on Thessaly Maximus and all Geomagnetic Subcores. Additional ration cards will be issued to all active SWoD auxiliaries for meat and grain subsidies. All eligible persons who fail to report for SWoD duty will be summarily executed under Wartime Treason Act provisions 137 and 208



Conscriptio Evasion Is A Crime!
Report offenders to your nearest Commissariat Office. Do not allow your fellow man to shirk his duty to Arenxis Minoris and the Imperium!

Death Notices

Rest For the Honored Dead

Ezekyle Eumentis, Colonel, AMPDF

Beloved father and honored commander, Col Eumentis perished during the Ork assault on Port Hubris. Remaining long after the Cadian 7th fled the field, Col Eumentis and his volunteer PDF detachment fought to the bitter end. Giving his blood for the Imperial cause, Col Eumentis will be long remembered. Ave Imperium!

Noble Lord Baron Commitus Flatulus III

Noble lord and Imperial scion, Baron Flatulus passed away whilst attending to one of his poor female factory workers in need. Ever thoughtful for production and profit, the Baron fulfilled Imperial production quotas and graced those in his presence with his wit, vision, and effervescence. Mourn, O Imperial Brothers!