

Game: Greyhawk Campaign, D&D 5e

Date: August 18, 2019

Episode 0: "The Long Night"

Campaign Date: Goodmonth 11th, CY 579

Characters:

Lord Kurt Gunderson the Merciless, Human Paladin - 1 (Dave Nelson)

Puma Man, Human Monk - 1 (Jason Leibert)

Sparkle Rainbright - Half-Elf Fighter - 1 (Bob LaForge)

Dingus Wetface - Tiefling Sorcerer - 1 (Miles Trout)

Atreyu Codori, Wood Elf Druid - 1 (Quinton Laughman)

Newt Bladesgrimm, Human Bard - 1 (Andrew Smith)

DM: Dave Hanley

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The long night, a day where both moons of Oerth are dark falls over Keoland. While travelling, a group of adventurers with varied motivations and destinations happen to meet in a small village named Ulm along the Javen River, just North of the Good Hills in the nation of Keoland. It is fortunate that they are available to rally to the defense of this small village as a mob of goblins backed by hobgoblin elites attack the village slaying what little militia is on hand.

All civilians immediately scatter for safety, leaving Puma Man, Sparkle Rainbright, Dingus Wetface, Atreyu Codori, Newt Bladesgrimm and his lord Kurt Gunderson the Merciless to fight them off. A defensive line is formed anchored by Puma Man, Sparkle Rainbright, and Lord Gunderson. Behind them, Newt, Dingus and Atreyu support the defense of the line.

Newt puts two goblins to sleep, and Atreyu slows the attack using an entangle spell. Dingus slings several icy projectiles like knives that rip through the massed goblins. Sparkle and Kurt give as good as they get, hewing down goblins with abandon. Puma Man finds himself flanked after karate kicking two goblins to death and falls, only to rise once again - like a puma! Atreyu bolsters the monk's vigor with a timely healing spell. Eventually, the party manages to break the goblins' resolve and they flee Ulm. The heroes have saved the village!

All members of the newly formed party are able to acquire 80 gold in salvage from the goblin attack and reward from the villagers of Ulm. After the conflict, a noblewoman named Brianna hires the party to escort her back to Nirole Dra, the capital of Keoland. The party agrees to her terms.