Wishing everyone a happy New Year 2023 – I hope you all had a great Christmas season this past year – WOW can you believe it is 2023! We here at Lone Star Historical Miniatures are looking forward to a great hobby year.



Looking back at 2022 it was great to be back to "normal" and collecting, painting and playing a lot more games. We had a VERY SUCCESSFUL MillenniumCon – thanks to all who attended and participated.

We will hold our annual Membership and Business meeting in January. This year we plan to have an in-person and Zoom meeting – more info to follow.

Lots of great events going on around Texas – visit the Events calendar inside the newsletter.

Charlie Torok

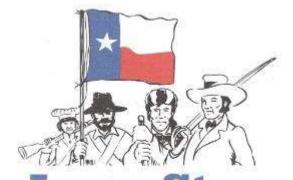
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Lone Star Historical Miniatures 2023 Membership Meeting





Join us in person or via Zoom for our annual membership meeting. We will recap 2022 and look ahead to 2023 – we would love to get your input and ideas on how to make LSHM better.

22 January 2023 1pm – 3pm Dragon's Lair Medical Center Room #6

Also, on ZOOM (details below)

Join Zoom Meeting https://us04web.zoom.us/j/75753550834?pw d=amhLSWtpTmlMbWFFYkZkcWFtblBUQT09

Meeting ID: 757 5355 0834

Passcode: FgQS7r

When Sunday Jan 22, 2023 · 1pm – 3pm

January 2023 membership report

Welcome to our newest members in LSHM



Membership Matters!

Members 1,250+

New this month to LSHM

Michele Mauro-Hone Pittsburgh, TX

Wade Wilson Waco, TX

Eric Lopez

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Dewayne Hartman Lawton, OK

Richard Toth Houston

You can renew your membership at www.millenniumcon.info under the membership tab.

Membership is only \$5 per year and goes to help us promote wargaming around Texas!



Conventions and Events Calendar

Updated - 29 December, 2022

Events are sorted by date

7 Jan 2023 TOUGH 'OMBRES LVO WARMUP - As Scheduled

> The Forge - Hobbies and Games - Houston, TX Contact: Brian Koches - toughombres@outlook.com

Notes: Flames of War

13-15 Jan 2023 BATTLETEX - As Scheduled

SpringHill Suites by Marriott Hwy, 290/NW Cypress - Houston, TX

Contact: Tom - BattleTexII@gmail.com

https://battletex.com/

Notes: Tabletop wargames

26-29 Jan 2023 LAS VEGAS OPEN 2023 - As Scheduled

Rio All-Suites Hotel & Casino - Las Vegas, NV

Contact: Frontline Gaming - Contact@FrontlineGaming.org

https://www.lasvegasopen.net/

Notes: FoW Tournament: Bolt Action Tournament: 40K

February 2023

18-19 Feb 2023 OWLCON 2023 - As Scheduled

Rice University - Houston, TX

Contact: -

http://www.owlcon.com/ Notes: RPGs: tabletop games

March 2023

9-12 Mar 2023 COLD WARS 2023 - As Scheduled

Valley Forge Casino Resort - King of Prussia.PA

Contact: -

https://www.hmgs.org/page/CWHome Notes: HMGS winter convention

22-26 Mar 2023 ADEPTICON 2023 - As Scheduled

Renaissance Schaumburg Convention Center Hotel - Schaumburg, L.

Contact: Adepticon - info@adepticon.org

https://www.adepticon.org/

Notes:

31 Mar-2 Apr 2023 ALAMO CITY GAME CON - As Scheduled

La Quinta Inn and Suites-SA Medical Ctr - San Antonio.TX Contact: Andrew Hartwell - ajhartwell@acgamecon.net

http://www.acgamecon.net

Notes: New convention

April 2023

MINI RECON V3 - As Scheduled 22-23 Apr 2023

The Leander VFW - Leander TX

Contact: Jay Casper - theminirecon@gmail.com

Notes: Bolt Action and historicals





July 2023

19-23 Jul 2023 HISTORICON 2023 - As Scheduled

Lancaster County Convention Center - Lancaster.PA

Contact: Joby Miller - director@historicon.org https://www.hmgs.org/mpage/HconHome

Notes: HMGS national convention

August 2023

3-6 Aug 2023 GENCON 2023 - As Scheduled

Indiana Convention Center - Indianapolis, IN

Contact: -

http://www.gencon.com/

Notes: Largest game convention in US; FoW, BattleTech, Historicals

October 2023

21-22 Oct 2023 TEAM YANKEE WORLD SERIES - NORTH AMERICA - As Scheduled

The Adventure Begins - Conroe.TX

Contact: Chris Jackson -

https://www.facebook.com/groups/460228095892158/

Notes: Open Team Yankee tournament

No Date

TBA FALL-IN 2023 - No Update

TBA - TBA.

Contact: HMGS - director@fall-in.org https://www.hmgs.org/page/FIHome Notes: HMGS autumn convention

If you would like to add your event to this calendar, please send an email to mlerouxtx@gmail.com. Please be aware, this newsletter is published at the beginning of each month.

We need your event / convention info here!!

2023 is going to be a great year



The Württemberg Light Infantry 1st (von Bünau/von Wolff) battalion circa 1809. This one is actually done as there are no flags that I'm waiting for in the post.



Member projects

Paul Kuykendall







Warlord Games Live broadcast

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Day: Every Wednesday

Time: 1100

See you there!!

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Attended MillenniumCon in November





Napoleonic Naval Battle Report

By James McNease

The action of 25 September 1806 was a naval battle fought during the Napoleonic Wars off the French Biscay port of Rochefort.



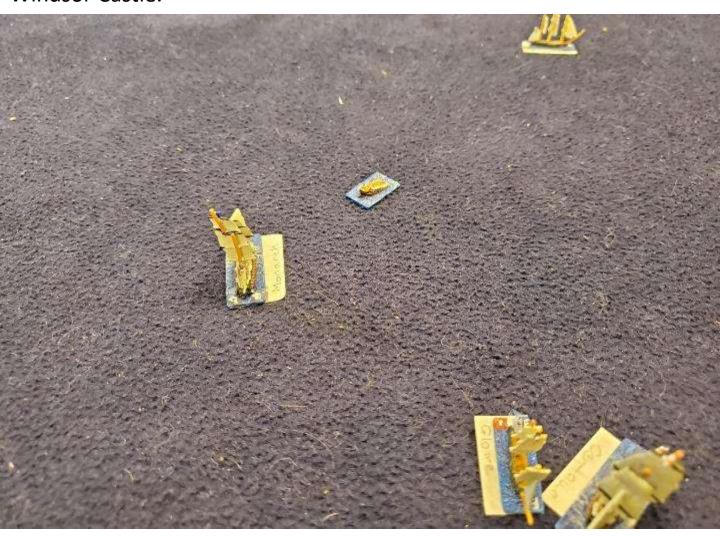
Countries Ship's Name Commander

British HMS Centaur – 74 guns 3rd Rate Post Captain James Mallory British HMS Monarch – 74 guns 3rd Rate Post Capt Lance Hardaway French Minerve- 40 guns 5th Rate Commodore Adam Rios French Glorie – 40 guns 5th Rate Captain Randy Lee French Armide – 40 guns 5th Rate Commander Jean-Jacques – Adam Rios A French squadron comprising five frigates and two corvettes, sailing to the French West Indies with supplies and reinforcements, was intercepted by a British squadron of six ships of the line that was keeping a close blockade of the port as part of the Atlantic campaign of 1806. The British ships, under the command of Commodore Sir Samuel Hood, spotted the French convoy early in the morning of 25 September, just a few hours after the French had left port, and immediately gave general chase.

Although the French ships tried to escape, they were heavily laden with troops and stores, and the strong winds favored the larger ships of the line, which caught the French convoy after a five-hour pursuit, although they had become separated from one another during the chase.



At 05:00 the leading British ship, HMS Centaur, was within range and opened fire on the French squadron, which divided. One frigate went north and was intercepted by HMS Mars, while another, accompanied by the two corvettes, turned south and managed to outrun HMS Windsor Castle.

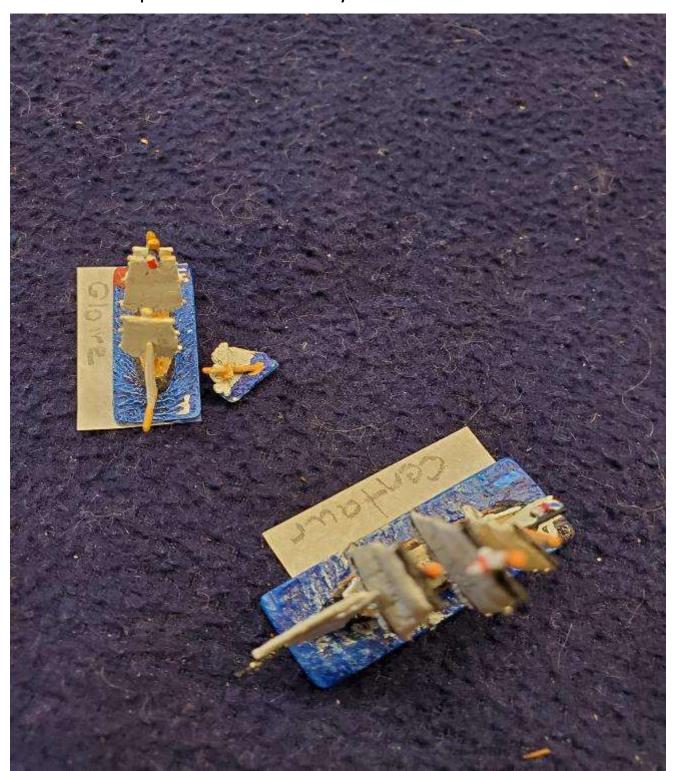


The main body of the French force – Minerve, Gloire, and Armide – remained together and met the attack of Centaur and Monarch and the British flagship HMS Centaur with their broadsides.

With the wind coming from the northeast, Captain James Mallory and Captain Lance Hardaway found themselves at a disadvantage with the heavy swell that had suited his ship during the chase also prevented him from opening his lower gunports in case of flooding. This halved their available cannon

Although outnumbered and outclassed by the British squadron the French ships fought hard, inflicting damage on the leading British ships and severely wounding Commodore Hood. Eventually the strength of the British squadron told, and despite a fierce resistance the French ships surrendered one by one, the British capturing four of the seven vessels in the squadron.

By James McNease



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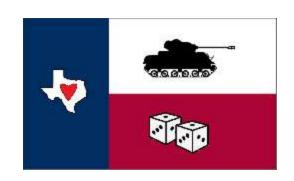
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Contact:

Alan Spencer – Admin & Moderator



Member projects

Adam Baldwin

Finishing up this board for a 2v2 game on Saturday.

Fences

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Paint some scatter terrain Many lessons learned with foam though and will be redoing it eventually.



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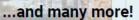
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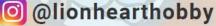




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Contact Josh Atchley

Or Game Kastle for more information









by Josh Atchley

A couple of photos from Flames of War Friday at Game Kastle - Austin, the last mission of our eastern front campaign! The German defenses were too much for the Soviet attackers, and in the final mission they were able to counterattack and keep the Soviets from seizing the key objectives in Operation Bagration. Thanks to everyone who participated, keep an eye out for what we'll be doing next year!

















I finished up 2022 with a box of US GI's last week and then realized I actually got a lot of shit painted this year! Here are some pics of my 2022:

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Tyler Wallace



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All Things Wargaming!

"The Rat Palace" Red Oak TX,

By Steve Miller

Seven Days
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Battle Report

We had a great game of 7 Days. Played an encounter battle between elements of the Warsaw Pact and a scratch NATO force of UK and US.





The WP had to move quickly as the NATO position was breaking down and rumors of Lance missile deployment in expectation of a rupture in NATO lines.





7 Days is fast and furious. One definitely has to pay attention as the system is action/reaction from start to finish.





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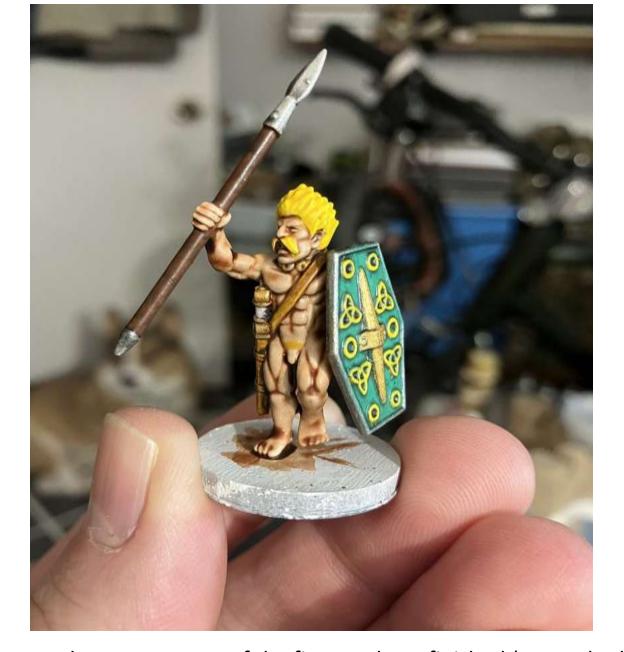
I've been working on a small ancient's skirmish project lately. I am intrigued by Slaine by Warlord Games but wanted to give it a more historical twist. I am working on two warbands - Celts in keeping with the theme of the game, and the logical baddies to square off against them,











Romans! Here are some of the figures I have finished (yet to do the basing). I tried to give the Romans an "evil" color palette. If I feel motivated after playing a few games with these guys, I may paint up some undead legionnaires that I found 3D printing files for. Hoping to have these completely done in the next few days for the November painting challenge.

Figures are 3D printed from files from the March to Hell line and tweaked to make them 32mm scale and slimmer than the kinda chunky original proportions.

Join now! San Antonio, DFW, Houston-Katy, Austin, and College Station Middle Earth Strategy Battle Game Communities



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https://www.facebook.com/groups/962549661177040/members

Contact Charlie Torok: torokc@hotmail.com





The San Antonio MESBG group finished up 2022 with a mini-two game tournament on Friday 30 December.







Total of 6 players with 2 x Mordor, 2 x Elven Kingdoms, 1 x Army of the Dead, and 1 x Isengard. We divided into Good & Evil teams.

Team EVIL: Greg Salvador – Mordor, Charlie Torok – Mordor and Mark Leroux – Isengard.



San Antonio group:

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Team GOOD: Tyler Halcomb – Elves, Juli McBrayer – Elves, and Grant Johnson – Army of the Dead.





Some great play and nice armies - and some great friendly competition. Thanks to Greg Salvador for organizing and running the event, and Battle Pub for hosting. Looking forward to many more MESBG games in 2023.

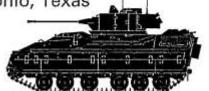




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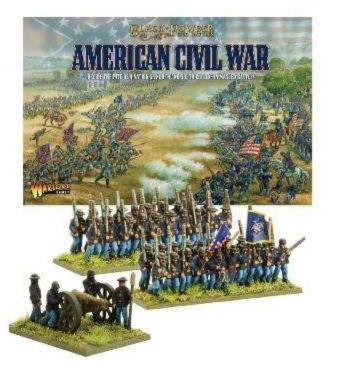
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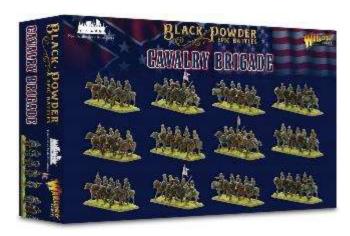
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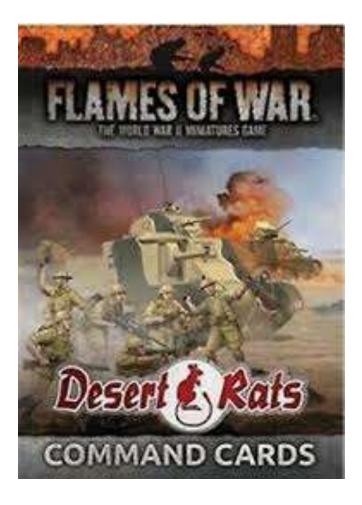
Thursday Nights 6pm





Join Chris Lisanti and the Thursday Night Battlefront Group at Heroes Retreat San Antonio







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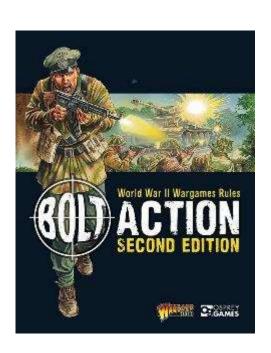
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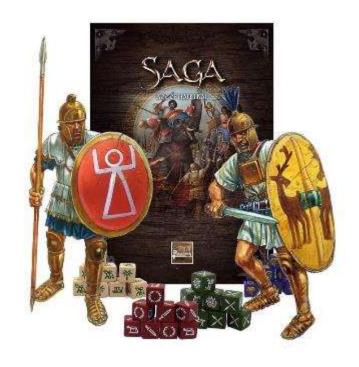
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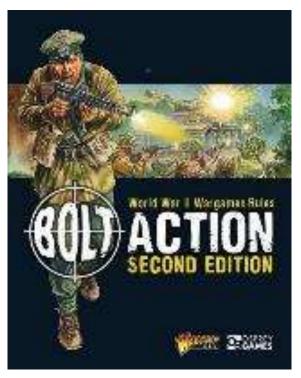


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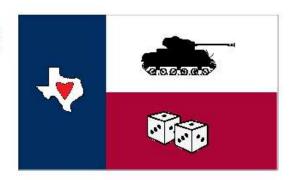
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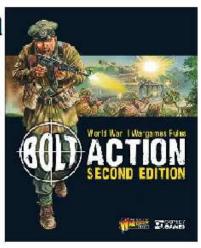
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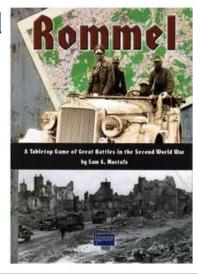
Games of the Year

Below is a list of the games the club will be running at least once a month. Look for event notices on our Facebook page for dates, times and locations!

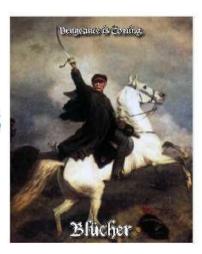
Bolt Action 28mm WWII



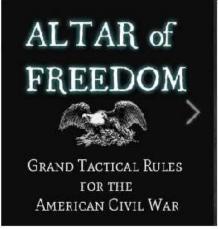
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Steve Miller

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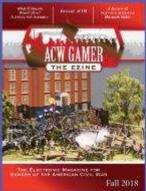
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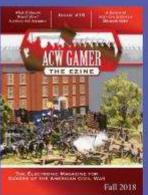
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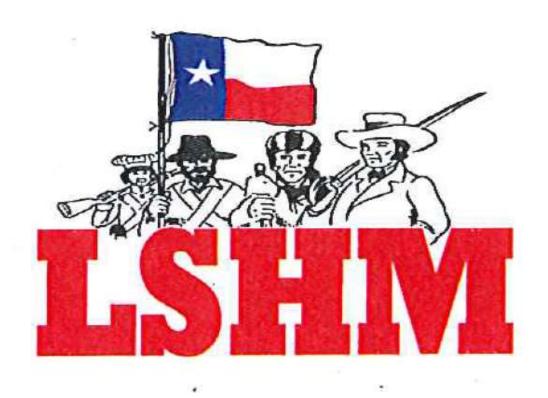
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