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:::: (1) Welcome back! ::::

The Battle Lust eZine has been dormant for far too long. The last issue was published in August of 2008 so it has been a little over two years since the last publication. I've been on a complete hiatus from gaming over the last eight months due to coming down with Carpal Tunnel Syndrome in my right wrist but now I'm ready to start slowly getting back into the swing. Recently, I've started painting again and hope to make some time over the upcoming holidays to knock the cobwebs off my minis and get some games in. I've got a lot of ground to make up and need to refresh my knowledge of Flames of War rules and even play some 40K with the 5th Edition rules! I plan to start regular publication of the Battle Lust eZine but probably won't be able to make it a weekly thing so look for it to come out about once a month. If anyone is interested in submitting an article for a future issue, please contact me via the forums.

:::: (2) Iron Cross IV Campaign ::::

It's hard to believe that Iron Cross III was held in 2007 and it has been three years since the last Iron Cross Campaign. After some minor rules modifications and tinkering with a new unit activation system, Iron Cross IV looks to be a truly unique version of the in-house campaign system. Watch the forums and the Battle Lust eZine for more information about Iron Cross IV. Plans are underway to run test games of the new IC4 system in early 2011.

Although Ricardo has moved to Texas, he has left all the campaign materials with me so I'll be looking to some people for help in organizing and running the campaign.

:::: (3) MSC28 moves to Memphis ::::

If you've been paying attention to the web site for Mid South Con, you've probably noticed that next year's Mid South Con 29 (held in March of 2011) is moving back to Memphis. The last two years saw the annual con held in Olive Branch, MS but this year MSC is moving "back home" to Memphis. The new location will be at the Hilton Hotel located at 939 Ridge Lake Boulevard. The new hotel should be a much nicer atmosphere and the surrounding area should be a lot more secure than the previous Memphis hotel locations. Registration is open and they are taking submissions for GameMasters.

:::: (4) State of the club ::::

The state of the club: 2010 has been a slow year for Adeptus Memphis. With my wrist issue I've been totally inactive and we've had some members drop off and even some long time members have moved away. The club is in a bit of a slump due to several factors. A lack of leadership (primarily my fault) and the death of the forums earlier this year have caused some issues with communications and participation.

I'm happy to report that I'll be getting more active in the gaming scene after the Christmas holidays and hope to gear up for a fun MSC29 and then move right into Iron Cross IV!

The focus for January will be to begin rebuilding the membership and get the regular weekly game nights back on an organized track.

:::: (5) eZine Subscription ::::

If you don't want to receive the Battle Lust eZine, you can unsubscribe by sending an email with "unsubscribe" in the subject line to me at TechPriest@AdeptuMemphis.org

:::: (6) Online Forums Update ::::

Due to some unfriendly attacks on the hosting account, the Adeptus Memphis forum crashed in October 2009 and then again in early 2010. On June 7, 2010 the forum was rebuilt and has been operational since then. Unfortunately all the previous post history and member accounts were lost so the forums started again from scratch but have been slowly building back up over the summer and fall.

The forum is once again available for you to post RSVPs about attending our weekly Game Night. You can post a reply to the forum to let everyone know where you'll be gaming and at what location. In the RSVPs section there has also been a "Call for Open Games" board added so you can post to find an opponent for a game or lay down a challenge to other players.

As a best practice, just be sure to indicate the game system and how many points in addition to where you will be playing since some members frequent both the GW World of Battle and the Gamerz Depot.

:::: (7) JOIN Adeptus Memphis ::::

Simple! Just visit the Adeptus Memphis web site at <http://www.adeptusmemphis.org> and SIGN UP! You can submit your membership application online and even pay your membership dues online using PayPal.

If you'd prefer to mail in your membership dues, you can still submit the application online and then mail in your dues. All the information you need is on the web site. If you'd rather apply and pay in person, meet us at one of our regular Thursday game nights and you can fill out an application and pay your dues right on the spot.

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