

### The Scroll

#### Greetings, Pellow Adventurers! comments from Guildmaster Brett

Gadzooks: Spring weather is finally here (in Iowa, that is). I hope it has come to the rest of you, as well. Spring is for Swordtag, and we've come up with some new products for Swordtag. Above all, we now have a line of lightweight, durable molded plastic armor. Inexpensive, tool Check it out...

To those of you who indicated interest in playtesting the AG Roleplaying System, thanks! We've got your names down and we'll be in contact with you... Sometime. It's all a matter of getting test copies typed and printed.

The contest is back! I know some of you missed the contest in the last Crier, so we decided to run another one, and a fun and fairly easy one at that. It's a Magical Item Contest... check the ad for details on how you can win big with The Adventurers' Guild.

The AG Chapters around the country gearing up... David Mitchell of are really Chaptermaster Chapter The Quinlan, TX, 4. Shadowspawn, now has about 15 membersthey are working on a companion book to Swordtag... Chaptermaster William Coonradt of Schenectady, NY, Chapter 3, The Gamers' Fellowship, now has about 6 members... Chaptermaster Jeremy Broeme of APO, Germany, Chapter 6, has about 6 members- all young adults whose fathers are in the army, Chaptermaster Jeff believe... Maxwell of the Detroit, MI area, Chapter 5, has about 5 confirmed Swordtaggers as members- I look for this chapter to get big ... Chaptermaster Kenneth Swanson of APO, Germany, Chapter 7, The Brotherhood of Dryden's Keep, has about 12 membersthey're starting a newsletter called "Taggers' Guild" which I assume is about Swordtag, but I'm not sure ... that's all for now on the chapters front.

I have a bit of disappointing news to relay. Some of you had better sit down for this.. the AG Festival has been postponed until next year. I sincerely regret this move, since we have been promoting it heavily. It would have been fun- but, you see, not fun enough. We came to the realization that with our limited resources and time there is simply no way at this time that we could pull

off a festival worthy of our valued Guildmembers, especially considering the distances some would travel. So, again, my apologies.

We must have a shy bunch out there. In the last Crier, I asked for pictures of guildmembers to make our next sheet of 20 random NPC's in the upcoming GRIFFON 5. Thus far, we've received around 10. So if you still want to get in on this, there is still time, but not much!

In the upcoming months you will notice that GRIFFON is going to a more or less quarterly schedule (it will come out 4-6 times a year). This is so that we can make sure top-notch material goes into each issue, with no filler. The AG Roleplaying System project also takes a lot of time, believe me!

That's all for now, my friends, bountiful adventures!

Guidmaster Brott

# Hear PelHear Pel Cash Prize Contest

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