

# **LEAGUES OF VOTANN**

**FACTION PACK: VERSION 1.0** 

On the following pages you will find additional rules and clarifications that supplement your Codex, from extra Detachments and datasheets to FAQs and errata.

The FAQs and Errata section logs changes to printed products. New or revised text is presented in red, with a text highlight applied to revisions made previously (excluding passages that were added or replaced in full).

Points values for your faction are presented in the Munitorum Field Manual, and wider improvements to the balance of Warhammer 40,000 (which may include changes to your faction's rules) are presented in the Balance Dataslate. All such points values and rules changes are also updated live in the Warhammer 40,000 app.

#### WHAT'S NEW?

This is the first iteration of this Faction Pack, collecting pre-existing documents into one convenient place. The next time it is updated, this box will summarise what has been added or changed.

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# **HEARTHBAND**

When the Eye of the Ancestors has been cast and the worth of some site or resource deemed vital, the Kin may form a hearthband to ensure its swift conquest. Typically led by one or more of the kindred's most courageous and strategically cunning Kâhls, such forces are painstakingly forged to complete the precise mission for which they are assembled. Einhyr elites lead the charge, exo-armoured forms advancing like the Ancestors come to life, contemptuous of the enemy's pitiful attempts to cut them down with gunfire or stagger their charge. Hand-picked Hearthkyn support their advance, no mere citizen soldiers but instead the finest warriors of the kinhost assembled for this one crucial mission. Driving inexorably into the teeth of the foe, the hearthband does not stop until their task is complete and the battle is won.

# **DETACHMENT RULE**



#### **METHODICAL ANNIHILATION**

With their minds entirely focused on the singular mission with which they have been charged, the Kin work to blast a path through the enemy lines with the same tenacity as a Brôkhyr beating metal or a Cthonian miner splitting bedrock.

Each time a **LEAGUES OF VOTANN** model from your army makes an attack with a weapon that targets the closest eligible target or a target that is within Engagement Range of that model's unit:

- Re-roll a Wound roll of 1.
- If your unit is a Kâhl, EINHYR

  HEARTHGUARD OR ÛTHAR THE DESTINED

  unit, improve the Armour Penetration

  characteristic of that attack by 1.

#### **ENHANCEMENTS**



# BASTION SHIELD

The technologies contained within this heraldic crest radiate a dome of ablative weavewerke shielding that robs the force from enemy projectiles.

**LEAGUES OF VOTANN** model only. Each time a ranged attack targets the bearer's unit, if the attacking model is within 12" of the bearer's unit, worsen the Armour Penetration characteristic of that attack by 1. If you spend 1YP, until the end of the phase, if the attacking model is within 18" of the bearer's unit, worsen the Armour Penetration characteristic of that attack by 1 instead

#### **QUAKE MULTIGENERATOR**

Extremely rare and costly to manufacture, this darkstar-powered coil enables a weapon to initiate tremendously powerful reverberations.

KÂHL model only. In your Shooting phase, after the bearer has shot, select one enemy unit (excluding TITANIC units) hit by one or more of those attacks. Until the start of your next turn, that enemy unit is suppressed. While a unit is suppressed, each time a model in that unit makes an attack, subtract 1 from the Hit roll.

#### **IRONSKEIN**

A rare cloneskein threads this warrior's bone structure and epidermis with metallic fibres.

**LEAGUES OF VOTANN** model only. Add 2 to the bearer's Wounds characteristic.

### HIGH KÂHL

This warrior's value is only too well known by their comrades. Those Kin sworn to defend them will fight to their last breath rather than fail in this duty.

**KÂHL** model only. Each time a model in the bearer's unit is destroyed by a melee attack, if it has not fought this phase, roll one D6: on a 4+, do not remove it from play. The destroyed model can fight after the attacking unit has finished making its attacks, and is then removed from play.





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#### **BRËKKEKNOTS**

HEARTHBAND - BATTLE TACTIC STRATAGEM

These micro shield generators, worked into warrior jewellery or armour crests, trigger on command to provide short-lived boosted protection.

**WHEN:** Your opponent's Shooting phase or the Fight phase, just after an enemy unit has selected its targets.

TARGET: One KÂHL, ÛTHAR THE DESTINED OF EINHYR
HEARTHGUARD unit from your army that was
selected as the target of one or more of the attacking
unit's attacks

**EFFECT:** Until the end of the phase, models in your unit have a 4+ invulnerable save.



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#### **SURE OF PURPOSE**

HEARTHBAND - STRATEGIC PLOY STRATAGEM

The single-minded advance of the Kin rolls over collapsing enemy lines and exploits every fault and weakness, driving on towards the objective.

WHEN: Fight phase.

TARGET: One LEAGUES OF VOTANN unit from your army that has not been selected to fight this phase.

EFFECT: Until the end of the phase, each time a model in your unit makes a Pile-in or Consolidation move, it can move up to 6" instead of up to 3".



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#### SUPERIOR CRAFTSMANSHIP

HEARTHBAND - BATTLE TACTIC STRATAGEM

Not only are the finest of the Kindred's warriors selected for this duty, but they are also equipped with the best weaponry and wargear the Brôkhyr can produce.

WHEN: Fight phase.

TARGET: One LEAGUES OF VOTANN unit from your army that has not been selected to fight this phase.

EFFECT: Until the end of the phase, each time a model in your unit makes an attack that targets a MONSTER or VEHICLE unit, add 1 to the Damage characteristic of that attack.



#### **UNYIELDING AGGRESSION**

HEARTHBAND- STRATEGIC PLOY STRATAGEM

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Even should they be compelled to pull back momentarily, the warriors of the Hearthband maintain a punishing curtain of fire to erode the enemy further or rally swiftly and drive back into the fight.

WHEN: Your Movement phase, just after a LEAGUES
OF VOTANN INFANTRY unit from your army Falls Back.

TARGET: That LEAGUES OF VOTANN INFANTRY unit.

EFFECT: Until the end of the turn, your unit is eligible to shoot and declare a charge in a turn in which it



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#### MATERIALISATION MATRICES

HEARTHBAND-STRATEGIC PLOY STRATAGEM

Built to a superior standard using secrets imparted by the Votann, the teleporters employed by this Hearthband can stabilise rematerialisation fields remarkably close to the foe.

**WHEN:** The Reinforcements step of your Movement phase.

TARGET: One LEAGUES OF VOTANN unit from your army that is in Reserves and has the Deep Strike ability.

EFFECT: Until the end of the phase, when your unit is set up on the battlefield using the Deep Strike ability, it can be set up anywhere on the battlefield that is more than 6" horizontally away from all enemy units.

**RESTRICTIONS:** Until the end of the turn, your unit is not eligible to declare a charge.



#### **FURY OF THE HEARTH**

HEARTHBAND - BATTLE TACTIC STRATAGEM

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As though they unleash the raging flames of their kindred's hearth upon the enemy, the Einhyr all but drown their enemies in fire.

WHEN: Your Shooting phase.

**TARGET:** One **EINHYR HEARTHGUARD** unit from your army that has not been selected to shoot this phase.

EFFECT: Until the end of the phase, improve the Strength characteristic of ranged weapons equipped by models in your unit by 1. If you spend 1YP, until the end of the phase, ranged weapons equipped by models in that unit have the [SUSTAINED HITS 1] ability as well.





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# **UPDATES & ERRATA**

## Page 100 — Needgaârd Oathband, Reactive Reprisal, Effect

Change to:

'EFFECT: Your unit can shoot as if it were your Shooting phase, can only target that enemy unit when doing so, and can only do so if that enemy unit is an eligible target.'

#### Page 107 - Brandfast Oathband, Secure Positions

Change to:

"WHEN: End of any of your phases, if units from your army have Hostile Acquisition.

TARGET: One **LEAGUES OF VOTANN TRANSPORT** unit from your army. EFFECT: One **LEAGUES OF VOTANN** unit embarked within your **TRANSPORT** can disembark. When doing so, models in that unit can be set up anywhere on the battlefield wholly within 6" of your **TRANSPORT**. That unit cannot declare a charge in the same turn, but can otherwise act normally in the remainder of the turn.'

### Page 112 – Ûthar the Destined, Ancestral Fortune ability

Change to

'Ancestral Fortune: Once per turn, you can spend 1YP to change one Hit roll, one Wound roll or one saving throw made for this model to an unmodified 6.'

#### Page 128 – Sagitaur, Transport section, 1st paragraph

Change to:

'This model has a transport capacity of 6 Leagues of Votann Infantry models. It cannot transport ARTILLERY, EXOARMOUR, EXOFRAME or IRONKIN STEELJACKS models.'

## Page 129 – Hekaton Land Fortress, Transport section

Change to:

'This model has a transport capacity of 14 LEAGUES OF VOTANN INFANTRY models. Each EXOARMOUR, EXOFRAME or IRONKIN
STEELJACKS model takes up the space of 2 models. It cannot transport ARTILLERY models.'