PAASL NEWSLETTER #2

Welcome to the second edition of the newsletter. It has been decided that we will keep the PAASL title for our newsletter since nobody voiced an opinion on it one way or the other. The first order of business is the to post the dates for the next two months. **Mark your calendars now!**

July 23 (Tuesday) This date was selected to work around the Tuesday conflicts of Jim P. and Dave T. (Youth stuff). Jim actually OK'ed the date first so if he forgets to come like he did that one time he'll probably feel real guilty. These Tuesday conflicts should no longer be an issue. See next item.

August 14 (Wednesday) Yes, Squad Leader Wednesdays are actually on Wednesdays again. This is because Chris W. is now finished with Confirmation (and grad classes for that matter). Also Dan S. can't usually make Tuesdays.

What's that you say? Who's Dan S.? Why that's Dan Sullivan our newest PAASL member! Welcome aboard Dan! And now your thinking "What? That makes nine members. What if everybody showed up for a session? That means I might have to play one of those stupid scenarios when I have to split the forces with somebody else and then they'll always tell me what to do. I hate that!" Well have no fear because we still are a group of eight members. Unfortunately Matt Ramsey has moved to California and can no longer come out to play. Good luck to Matt.

Our **April session** saw Dave K. beat Matt in his final game. Sorry Matt, I tried to let you win. I really did! Larry S.'s Russians defeated Dave T.'s Germans in a sloppily played game of "The Guards Counterattack". Larry moved out of that dead heat he was in with Greg. In **May** the two Dave's beat up on Jim P. **June** saw a miracle happen. Chris and Greg defeated Dave K.!!! Unbelievable! It was an exciting game that went back and forth but Chris' Gurkhas out maneuvered the Japanese on Dave's right while Greg managed to cave in the Japanese left flank in spite of rolling a huge quantity of 11's. Chris had stolen Dave's magic dice and rolled many snake eyes (and 3's, and 4's). Brutal! The close combats were many and deadly. The game came down to the last turn as a last half squad of Japanese were pinned attempting to retake a building for the victory. With the victory Greg tied Larry again in the rankings. And now it's time once again for the rankings.

Dave K. 81%

Matt R. 66% (It's the last time Matt will appear here. I see a chance for someone to pull into 2nd place!)

Larry S. 57%

Greg H. 57% (This tie would still make a great death match!)

Rick H. 42%

Jim P. 38%

Chris W. 27%

Dave T. 20% (Lookout Chris, here he comes!)

The award for this newsletter is as follows:

Lowest Roller Award - Chris Walters

Our last issue talked about planning a tournament. Scratch that idea! Maybe we'll try again next year or maybe we'll wait until some of the guy's kids are grown up.

I intended to include some tactical advice but I'm out of time and energy. You can find the rulebook on ebay. Hope to see you at the next two sessions.

May The Dice Be With You, Dave Kleinschmidt