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Hello there, and welcome to the March newsletter from the Black Library.

[Ben Counter's](#) latest novel about the Soul Drinkers Space Marines, [Chapter War](#), is now available to advance order. Ben has pulled out all the stops in this storming story, as a rift in the Soul Drinkers Chapter erupts into a full-scale revolt, just as the renegade Space Marines are going to the aid of an Imperial world that's been invaded by Orks. And if that's not enough - the Howling Griffons also turn up, spoiling for a fight!

We've just had the very first printers' samples in of the [Tales of the Old World](#) Warhammer anthology. This is the sister volume to [Let the Galaxy Burn](#), and combines classic short stories with brand-new tales. It's a very chunky volume, so if you get it via mail order make sure your postman is fit beforehand.

[The Art of Warhammer](#), a compilation of some of the fantastic artwork of the grim Warhammer world, past and present, and sister volume to the popular [The Art of Warhammer 40,000](#). This coffee table style hardback book is a real treat for all Warhammer and fans of weird and wonderful art in general. Immerse yourself in the war and carnage, the heroism and glory of this dark fantasy world.

Bursting into the shops this month, all guns blazing, is [Lasgun Wedding](#) - the latest Kal Jerico novel by [Will McDermott](#). Together with his long suffering companion, Scabbs, the suave bounty hunter is really up against it this time as he contends with malicious Spire nobles, assassins and a veritable rogue's gallery of old foes. Worse still, Kal faces perhaps his greatest challenge yet - worming his way out of a prearranged marriage! Lasgun Wedding will be available in stores soon, be sure to look out for the great Clint Langley cover, too, with Kal and Yolanda as you've never seen them before...

Americans call them Fanny Packs, Britons call them Bum Bags. Ever alert to the international incidents that might arise from such monikers our merchandise manager Zoe (the most widely travelled member of BL publishing staff) has deemed that we shall know it as a [Belt Bag](#), and it comes with a nice embroidered Warhammer logo.

Dave Allen
BLP Web Developer

ADVANCE ORDERS

CHAPTER WAR



[Ben Counter](#) : £6.99/\$7.99 : Apr 07 UK, May 07 USA : [Preorder](#)

The first in a brand new Soul Drinkers saga! Declared ex-communicate from the Adeptus Astartes many years ago the Soul Drinkers are desperate to restore themselves back into the good graces of the Imperium. When the planet of Vanqualis comes under attack from orks,

the Soul Drinkers answer, their heroic leader Sarpedon seeing a chance to prove their loyalty.

TALES OF THE OLD WORLD



[Marc Gascoigne](#), [Christian Dunn](#) :
£9.99/\$11.99 :
Apr 07 UK, May 07 USA : [Preorder](#)

By popular demand we've collected some of the best fantasy short stories ever written for the Black Library into one mighty tome. Within are classic hard to find tales and even brand new stories! Warhammer fans will rejoice at the sheer variety on display.

THE ART OF WARHAMMER



[Marc Gascoigne](#), [Nick Kyme](#) : £30.00/\$50.00
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Apr 07 UK, May 07 USA : [Preorder](#)

This full-colour book is packed with some of the very best pieces of fantasy art produced throughout Games Workshop's long and illustrious history. Focusing on the grim world of Warhammer, this landmark collection is a must for all fans of Games Workshop and fantasy art.

LASGUN WEDDING



[Will McDermott](#) : £6.99/\$7.99 :
Apr 07 UK, May 07 USA : [Preorder](#)

It's survival of the fittest on the towering industrial hive world of Necromunda, where brutal gangs fight for supremacy in the nightmare Underhive of the sprawling city and decadent nobles play power games for political gain in the higher echelons of the Spire.

WARHAMMER BELT BAG



£15 : Apr 2007 : Coming Soon

Black Belt Bag with the Warhammer Icon embroidered on the front.

CURRENT RELEASES

THE FLIGHT OF THE EISENSTEIN



[James Swallow](#) : £6.99/\$7.99 : Mar 07 UK, Apr 07 USA : [Preorder](#)

Having witnessed the terrible massacre of Imperial forces on Isstvan III, Death Guard Captain Garro seizes a ship and sets a course for Terra to warn the Emperor of Horus's treachery. But when the fleeing Eisenstein is damaged by enemy fire, it becomes stranded in the warp – the realm of the Dark Powers.

This is the start of a new arc of Horus Heresy novels.

RAVENOR ROGUE

[Dan Abnett](#) : £16.99/\$19.99 :
Mar 07 UK, Apr 07 USA : [Preorder](#)

In the climactic third book of the series, Ravenor continues his persecution of the arch-heretic Zygmunt Molotch – a hunt that has, for him, now become an obsession. When another band of Inquisition agents is slaughtered, Ravenor and his team go rogue, pursuing their quarry in direct contravention of Inquisition orders.

RETRIBUTION

[Steven Savile](#) : £6.99/\$7.99 :
Mar 07 UK, Apr 07 USA : [Preorder](#)

With Vlad and Konrad von Carstein defeated, now is the time for the most dangerous vampire count of them all to take centre stage. Manfred von Carstein assembles his undead army and prepares to strike at the heart of the civilised lands in the bloody conclusion to the Von Carstein Trilogy.

THE WARHAMMER QUIZBOOK

[Adam Troke](#) : £4.99/\$6.99 :
Mar 07 UK, Apr 07 USA : [Preorder](#)

See if you are up to the challenge of The Warhammer Quiz Book. Rammed full of brain-teasers from the grim world of Warhammer, it is a true test of any fan's knowledge!

FLIGHT OF THE EISENSTEIN POSTER

£8.00 : Mar 07 UK : Coming Soon

Massive poster depicting Neil Roberts' great cover art for [The Flight of the Eisenstein](#).

DARK ANGELS T-SHIRT (MEDIUM)

£16 : Mar 2007 : Coming Soon

Dark Angels T-shirt (Medium). Also available in [Large](#) and [Extra Large](#).

LATEST NEWS

Chapter War desktops!

New to the Black Library website this month are these downloadable desktop wallpapers featuring the downright gorgeous [Chapter War](#) cover art by Leonid Kozienco. Check out our [Free Stuff Page](#) for these and more desktops.



Other news and gossip from BL Publishing

Over at Black Industries we're still all very excited about the new edition of Talisman. Take a look at the [Black Industries website](#) for an [article on the creation of the character art](#) for the game by artist Jeremy McHugh. As for WFRP we are gearing up to promote [Night's Dark Masters](#), the vampire sourcebook, and have made a highly detailed map of Sylvania available, by regular WFRP cartographer [Andy Law](#).

[Siege and Conquest](#) is now available for preorder, giving fans of [Warhammer Historical Wargames](#) ideas for campaigns and telling them how to go about knocking down castles. On its way for [Warhammer Ancient Battles](#) is [Divine Wind](#), giving all sorts of historical information, army lists and rules for players of Mongol hordes and Japanese armies.

BL Publishing's new original SF and fantasy imprint, [Solaris](#), is going great guns with its first two releases. Just check out the amount of positive press [The Solaris Book of New Science Fiction](#) is receiving!

Next month [David Bishop](#) takes a look at [A Murder in Marienburg](#) and that bold Commissar, Ciaphas Cain, returns in an omnibus edition of his older stories, [Hero of the Imperium](#), and an all new novel, [Duty Calls](#), by [Sandy Mitchell](#).

That's all from BLP for now, see you again next month.

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