POLAR NIGHT

A Warriors Roleplay PUBLIC DOCUMENT: MASTERDOC

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TIMELINE

210 MB

Blue is born into a small family unit.

200 MB

Hare and Crow are born into a small family unit.

194 MB

During a prosperous summer, many family units join together and share food. As the next winter rolls around, they find staying together in a large band is easier than working alone or in small groups. They refer to their large group as a "Clan."

Each member is given a role in the group, and cats begin giving each other names to signify their strength and position in the Clan. Hare and Crow are renamed to Harepaw and Crowpaw as Clan apprentices.

Blue, a close friend of theirs, is given the name Blueflower as a Clan warrior.

184 MB

Harepaw and Crowpaw are named Harefoot and Crowshade at 16 moons as Clan warriors. The tradition of giving apprentices their warrior name when they reach 16 moons of age is passed down, along with an assessment of their skills by their mentor before they earn their full name.

Blueflower is named the Clan's first medicine cat, claiming she speaks to the cats in the Moon's blanket. She names these cat spirits StarClan and pioneers herb collection, identification, and medicine practices.

164 MB

During a harsh winter, Harefoot scouts out a down's warren when the Clan desperately needs shelter. He and Crowshade lead a raid with a band of strong warriors to chase the reluctant hares out, which is successful. The Clan moves into the warren and begins to dig wider tunnels, Harefoot leading the cause, now elected as the Clan's leader, and Crowshade as his second-in-command. Together, the Clan names themselves WarrenClan.

Days later, the Clan's medicine cat, Blueflower, sees a vision from the stars to visit a nearby lake. She claims the lake speaks to her and that Harefoot must come to the lake with her.

Harefoot, upon falling asleep on the frozen lake, sees visions of vague, familiar starry cats who grant him strange nine lives. Upon awakening, the aurora borealis shines bright overhead. The starry cats advised him to lead the Clan with strength and to take on the new name Harestar with his new position.

156 MB

Adderkit is born to Snowear and Heavyclaw.

140 MB

Adderpaw earns his warrior name, Adderstripe.

Blizzardkit and Jaggedkit are born to Riversplash and Birdtalon.

Brightkit is born to Coldclaw and Shinesong.

130 MB

Blueflower names her apprentice, Blizzardpaw, after he reveals to her that he frequently sees visions from StarClan. She soon names him Blizzardpelt.

124 MB

Brightpaw earns her warrior name, Brightleap.

Jaggedpaw earns his warrior name, Jaggedfur.

114 MB

Harestar succumbs to illness. Crowshade, ripe in his age, leaves Blueflower to elect a new leader.

Blueflower elects a young warrior, Brightleap, confident in her loyalty.

After gaining her nine lives, Brightstar names Adderstripe as her deputy.

110 MB

Blueflower, hours before her death, frantically wishes to be slipped into the lake when she dies. The Clan honors her wish and holds a funeral for her on the lake, breaking the ice and slipping her body into the water.

The lake is called the Lake of Stars after the spiritual Blueflower. Blizzardpelt, Crowshade, Brightstar, and many others hold a night-long vigil for her. The cats continue the custom of holding their funerals and funeral vigils on the Lake of Stars.

105 MB

Crowshade dies of old age.

75 MB

Brightstar has one kit, Hopekit, with her childhood sweetheart, Jaggedfur.

Silverkit is born to Hollybriar and Darkclaw.

Charkit is born to Smalltail and Dustheart.

70 MB

A moon before they are apprenticed, Hopekit sneaks out of the warren with two apprentices. When Brightstar and Jaggedfur find Hopekit missing, Jaggedfur leads a patrol to search for the missing apprentices and his only child, Hopekit.

The patrol finds Hopekit, Lilypaw, and Brackenpaw, dead and frozen after a blizzard delays their search. Brightstar declares no kit shall leave the warren until they are apprenticed, and all cats must have another warrior accompany them when leaving the camp.

Stricken with grief, Brightstar retires. Adderstripe gains his nine lives and returns as Adderstar, naming Mothdawn, his former apprentice, as his deputy.

68 MB

In honor of Brightstar, Adderstar leads his first expedition of warriors to expand WarrenClan's territory. As the Clan grows larger, the need for an extensive territory grows, too. This is the first of many of Adderstar's expeditions.

59 MB

Charpaw earns his warrior name, Charchin.

Silverpaw earns her warrior name, Silverwind.

Blizzardpelt reveals a strange message from StarClan, saying "StarClan will exile a cat hidden in blood."

52 MB

Mothdawn takes out three other warriors to deal with a badger threat. The patrol returns without Mothdawn, and his body is later found by Charchin, reporting a recent struggle.

After Mothdawn's death, Adderstar names Charchin, the burly young tomcat who heavily aided in the search for Mothdawn, as his new deputy.

50 MB

Jaggedfur and Brightleap peacefully pass away one night together.

48 MB

Adderstar, ancient with age, passes away.

Charchin is named Charstar.

Charstar names his mate, Silverwind, as his deputy. Her calm disposition balances his aggressive nature.

46 MB

Crowkit and Goldenkit are born to Nettlelight and Yellowhawk.

39 MB

Foxkit is born to Deerspine and Flatjaw.

37 MB

Weepingkit and Midnightkit are born to Silverwind and Charstar.

Crowpaw is apprenticed by Blizzardpelt after discovering he has a strong connection to StarClan. He is soon named Crowquill.

33 MB

Silverwind, Horndown, Skythaw, Springspot, and Foxpaw leave together for a morning patrol, but only Silverwind and Foxpaw return. Both are scarred, with Silverwind claiming that reclaiming the bodies would be too dangerous as they had been ambushed by a wolf.

Foxpaw is eerily quiet and refuses to patrol with Silverwind again. Silverwind grows anxious over the following moons.

30 MB

A moon before Weepingkit and Midnightkit are apprenticed, Silverwind leaves in hysteria, Charstar attempting to calm her down to no avail. She does not return.

Charstar refuses to take a deputy, which angers both WarrenClan and StarClan.

Blizzardpelt knows his time is near. A few nights later, Blizzardpelt quietly slinks away, the only clue to his disappearance being the pawprints that stop at the Lake of Stars' bay.

Goldenpaw earns his full warrior name, Goldendusk.

29 MB

Charstar, paranoid of growing criticism, enacts a harsh punishment system for those who speak against him. Many cats are sent on day-long hunting patrols, forced into vigils, and deprived of their access to choice pieces of food.

24 MB

Midnightpaw earns his full warrior name, Midnightheart, early.

He earns his name early due to his compassion towards his Clanmates, especially Sagefur, whom he diligently attended to when the elder sustained a grievous injury. Weepingpaw grows jealous and distant from his brother.

22 MB

WarrenClan's population, ever large, forces Charstar to enact a rations system. Many cats only had one or two pieces of prey to eat a week, and starvation death barely slowed down.

Weepingpaw earns his full warrior name, Weepingowl.

Foxpaw earns his warrior name, Foxsprint, late.

14 MB

Due to Clan's opinion, Midnightheart is named Charstar's deputy.

Midnightheart quietly hopes to instill change and is a light in the tunnel for many cats. Charstar is reluctant to appoint him, but the black tom is his son and holds some kind of trust for him.

10 MB

Foxsprint, emboldened by Midnightheart's support, reveals that Silverwind and Charstar assassinated Skythaw, Springspot, and Horndown when he patrolled with her during his apprenticeship. He claims that Charstar was behind it all, forcing Silverwind to execute cats that he saw as threats to his leadership. Foxsprint was threatened by both Silverwind and the secretive Charstar to keep quiet.

The Clan is furious, throwing a rebellion with Midnightheart at the forefront. The Clan splits between believing Midnightheart and defending Charstar, refusing to believe in the murders.

Weepingowl, oblivious, takes the side of his father, believing that this was Midnightheart's strange play for power, a lie instilled into him by his father.

9 MB

Charstar calls upon Weepingowl to settle an argument between him and Midnightheart. The two brothers get into an argument as Charstar steps back. The tunnel collapses, and both brothers understand their father's intention. Weepingowl is dug out of the collapsed tunnel, but many cats who were inside the tunnel did not make it — including Midnightheart and Foxsprint.

Enraged, Weepingowl temporarily joins the side of the rebellion to overthrow Charstar.

7 MB

More cats join the rebels' cause, and they finally hold enough power to exile Charstar formally. Weepingowl leads this cause, forcing his father away, and an aurora lights up that night.

Crowquill declares that Charstar was the cat hidden in blood; now that he was exiled, StarClan's prophecy was fulfilled. Because Weepingowl was the one to chase Charstar out finally, Crowquill declares him WarrenClan's new leader. Many still harbor suspicions, with Weepingowl being Charstar's son.

Weepingstar names Bitterdraft as his deputy.

4 MB

A wolverine raids the warrens. Sagefur is savagely killed along with Hatchfur and Bramblepaw, who were trapped in a tunnel collapse. Weepingstar loses his first life defending his Clanmates and is sent back to the land of the living almost immediately when his wounds are haphazardly sewn together. The Wolverine is finished off by a wolf, which induces a vision for Crowquill. When Crowquill and Weepingstar speak, he believes StarClan is telling him that the upcoming leafbare will be brutal.

Owlpaw, Weepingstar's apprentice, disappears while they are out training. Weepingstar returns to WarrenClan without an apprentice.

2 MB

Unsatisfied with Weepingstar's docile leadership and suspicious of his familial ties, half of the Clan, which lies with the rebellion faction, splits from WarrenClan, led by two hardheaded cats, Boltstorm and Cherryveil.

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