

Welcome to Brewford

Periodically adventurers gather in one of the towns here in Kaurath to address problems not solved by lesser means. **This Gather takes place in Brewford a small town which has grown up around the Avalon Gate in Kaurath. It lies in the Royal Province of Kassembler and in the Kingdom of Briar's Hollow.** It is midway between the Provincial capital (New Jokainen) and the seat of the Grand Sheriff of Briar's Hollow at **Linder's Pool**. Directly beneath and stretching north is the new Dwarven Kingdom of **Malmiheim**.

Avalonian Gate

The Avalonian gate is a newly opened portal which links the High Kingdom of Karauth (and its 12 member kingdoms) to the rest of the continent of Avalon. The Portal allows traders from the rest of Avalon easy access and has started an economic boom in the local area as goods from distant lands flow in and local products flow out into the local economy as well as up and down the Etule River and through tunnels into Malmiheim and along the Great Dwarven Underway as well as overland to the rest of Kaurath.

Despite this growth there are fears that it is a trap in disguise. Kaurath has only recently ended a five century long war with a neighboring realm and there are deep seated fears that the much larger southern kingdom of Evandarr is using the Gate as an elaborate ruse to invade despite their many assurances that would be impossible.

As a result the Gate is buried deep underground in a chamber guarded by Royal Troops from the High Kingdom proper as well as the Iron Guard of dwarves from the local dwarven kingdoms and smaller units from the other realms of Kaurath. The gate chamber connects to a Customs House and then to a set of long tunnels leading either up to the surface and the town of Brewford or off into Malmiheim proper or to the Great Dwarven Underway which connects to the large Dwarven Kingdoms.

It is assumed that the dwarves have mined the passages and collapse them burying any attackers and the gate itself. It is also notable that the gate chamber appears to be directly under a wide spot in the Etule river, suggesting that anything not buried would also be drown in the cold waters of the mountain peak runoff that fills the river.



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The town is official part of the Hobling Kingdom of Briar Hollow but this is a mixed community of Hobings, Humans, and Vaelta, with some Dwarves, Elves, and Barbarians. It has a bit of the boomtown flavor. Taverns and Public Houses are core to Hobling society and more so here. Good local whiskey, Dwarven beer, Elven Wines, and Ciders are common.