

HAWK WARGAMES

PRESENTS

THE HAWK TALON SCHEME

WHAT ARE HAWK TALONS?

Hawk Talons are a team of event organisers and game demonstrators that work around the world to help nurture and grow the Hawk Wargames Community. They volunteer their time and efforts at local stores, game clubs and conventions to demonstrate Hawk Wargames products.

HOW DO I BECOME A HAWK TALON?

Becoming a Hawk Talon requires the following:

1. **A completed application form telling us about yourself, your local store and your gaming experience**
2. **2 digital photos of yourself and your 2 painted starter sets (you must own 2 painted starter sets in order to participate in this scheme)**
3. **A reference from your local gaming store manager**

WHAT IS EXPECTED OF A HAWK TALON?

As the public volunteer face of Hawk Wargames, members of the Hawk Talon Scheme are held to the same high standards as we do our staff, and therefore they are required to conduct themselves in a courteous, polite and friendly manor at all times. Also, it is important to note, that there are several reasons as to why an application might be rejected, some of the more common ones are listed below:

- **Location:** We can only support a few members in any one area so if there are already enough active members we won't add more.
- **Employee Status:** As this program requires you to be neutral and cover multiple stores, staff members of game stores are ineligible.
- **References:** All references will be checked and confirmed before acceptance.
- **Missing information or images:** The application must contain all requested information and images for us to properly process an application.
- **The Hawk Verdict:** Based on all data we have about an applicant, we will make a final verdict on whether or not an individual will be a good fit for our Hawk Talon scheme.

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF BEING A TALON?

(On top of being part of an elite demo and event team run by your favourite wargame game company you mean!) All members will receive a free **Hawk Talon t-shirt** and gain entry onto the **private Hawk Talon forum** where you can see sneak peeks of upcoming releases, discuss your experiences and offer suggestions to the Hawk Wargames team on how to improve the scheme and games.

On top of this you will **earn points** from demonstrating the game and running events which you can redeem at our online store to buy products and order new releases before they become available for general release!

EARNING HAWK TALON POINTS

As a Hawk Talon you will earn points by running events and you can spend these points on any products on a special Hawk Talon Portal (URL to follow). Every point you earn will be worth £1 but you will be charged shipping unless the order total exceeds our free shipping value (£100). Below are the points you will earn dependent upon the type and size of event you are running.

DEMO DAYS

Scheduled and Advertised Demo Day - **15 Points**

TOURNAMENT

Scheduled and Advertised Tournament for 8-15 players - **20 Points**

Scheduled and Advertised Tournament for 16-31 players - **30 Points**

Scheduled and Advertised Tournament for 32+ players - **40 Points**

LEAGUE

Scheduled and Advertised League for 6-15 players - **25 Points**

Scheduled and Advertised League for 16-31 players - **30 Points**

Scheduled and Advertised League for 32+ players - **35 Points**

SHOW SUPPORT

4 hour shift - **20 Points**

DEFINITIONS OF EVENTS

DEMO DAYS

OVERVIEW	SUPPORTING EVIDENCE
As the name suggests, this is a day ran at your local store where you demo Dropzone Commander to as many people as possible! You must gain permission and support from the local store owner to run this day and should advertise this event 2-3 weeks before the Demo Day. Please be aware that you can't submit more than 3 demo day events per month, and each Demo Day should be at least 4 hours.	On completion of the day you must fill out the "Completed Event Form" and submit it to talons@hawkwargames.com

TOURNAMENTS

OVERVIEW	SUPPORTING EVIDENCE
A tournament is a 1-3 day event where people play multiple games of Dropzone Commander and compete to emerge victorious! Tournaments should be run using the forthcoming official Dropzone Commander Tournament Pack and points are earned dependent upon the number of players that attend. Please be aware that you can't submit more than 2 tournaments a month.	In order to qualify for your points you are required to submit a "Tournament Application Form" at least 6 weeks prior to the event. On receipt of the application your event will be verified and either authorised or not (the aim is to ensure that tournaments are not being run in close proximity or location).
There are a number of locations that you can run tournaments at such as your local shop, gaming club and conventions, however this is clearly not exhaustive and you should not be afraid of running tournaments at other locations and events.	Once the tournament is completed, you are required to submit a "Completed Event Form" to talons@hawkwargames.com and attach pictures that you have taken of the tournament showing the location, players and if possible the winners receiving their prizes!

LEAGUE

OVERVIEW	SUPPORTING EVIDENCE
A league is a 4-6 week event run at your local gaming store or club. Every week, participants will play at least 1 game (dependent upon the individual league rules) to see who will emerge triumphant at the end of the league.	In order to qualify for your points you are first required to submit a "League Application Form" to talons@hawkwargames.com , which will need to be approved by the Hawk Talon Team before the event can be run. Once the event is completed you will need to submit a "Completed Event Form" to talons@hawkwargames.com and attach pictures that you have taken from the league and of the overall winners!

SHOW SUPPORT

OVERVIEW	SUPPORTING EVIDENCE
On occasion you may be asked to volunteer to support the Hawk Wargames team at events in your area that we are attending. The role will involve talking to customers and demoing the game. You will earn points per 4 hour shift you assist us.	None, we will see you at the event!