

Regions - Balazar and the Elder Wilds - Balazaring Names

Below is a list of names found in Griffin Mountain to give people ideas for character names for Balazarings. Any epithets for the individual as mentioned in GM are given in parentheses beside the name. Names with an asterisk beside them are the names of eponymous heroes of the past or gods so I'm not certain that the Balazarings would use them as names. I'd say no, but you might feel differently.

Epithets are always given to someone, never chosen and reflect their personality trait or some physical feature (or a combination of the two). Glyptus the Good, King of Elkoi choose his own epithet but fortunately the Balazarings feel that you can get a lot out of the proper emphasis.

Only two family names are mentioned in GM (they're listed below) and both are families that used to rule citadels so I believe that only those families use surnames. My guess is that these family names are just the name of the first member of the family to rule a citadel, e.g. the first ruler of the Gadaringer dynasty was actually named Gadaringer, the same for Vizkinni. Skilfill's family name would be whatever his grandfather's name was while Yalaring Monsterslayer has just started a new dynasty. Of course there's no way to guarantee them maintaining their dynasty.

Each Balazaring is given a name by his mother which is only shared with trusted relatives and the closest friends. They also are given a name that is for public use which is what are shown below.

Male	Female
*Balazar	Calamene
Bodoni (Boldface)	Chana (Greeneyes)
Bykotus	*Dykene
*Elkoi	Eucleia (Stormfollower)
Feobald (the Cleanser)	Melisseria
Gadaringer	Starnia (Stormrender)
Gandogandaring	Vania
Gastazar	Willarnia (Oakbrow)
Glyptus (the Good)	
Hargaard (Silverfist)	
Karazar	
Moraring (Broom)	
Ogolorph (Windshaper)	
Partobas (the Bold)	
Skilfil (Heartpiercer)	
Skyler (Warhawk)	
Stenn (the Strong)	

Sylvanthe (Brighteyes) Taklong (Woodheart) *Trilus Vizkinni (good way to attract unwanted attention from the Lunars) *Votank Wurluring (Brighteyes) Yalaring (Monsterslayer) Yalvann	
Dynastic Names	
Bykotus - Family presently ruling Elkoi. Gadaringer - Family that ruled Trilus before the last member Feobald the Cleanser was slain by Yalaring Monsterslayer. Vizkinni - "Bold" family that ruled Elkoi before the Lunars. Their practise of raiding Tarsh got them in trouble. The family was wiped out when the Lunars took Elkoi. Partobas the Bold was end of the line. Yalaring - New dynasty ruling Trilus.	

Votanki Names

The Votanki use names that are purely descriptive, e.g. Crane Woman, Gentle-with-children, Speaks-with-Earth, Sure-strike, He-who-catches-eagles-barehanded, Stalks-bison-alone. A lot of these names are just literal translations of the sorts of names found above. The Votanki change their names fairly often to reflect changes in their lives. The Balazarings used to do this but don't practise it much anymore. Epithets are however often changed.