

In the interests of trying to keep the printed version of this thing from using up too much paper, I have listed only resources that are currently live on the net, eschewing Archive.org links. You can find a much more comprehensive list of links, including quite a buffet from the "garden of the past", [on my website](#).

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General Otherkin Info

- ⊗ [Otherkin.net](#) - In business since 2000!
- ⊗ [AnOtherWiki](#)
- ⊗ [Otherkin FAQ v. 4.0.1 \(2/8/01\)](#) - mind the date on this, but still useful.
- ⊗ [Dreamhart](#) - Be sure to explore the Archives section. I also recommend:
 - [A Revised Otherkin FAQ](#) - based on the above Otherkin FAQ
 - [Otherkin Link Project](#)
- ⊗ [Orion Scribner's otherkin research](#) - Orion has put a lot of work into documenting community history and cataloging items of relevance to otherkin "culture". I recommend:
 - [Otherkin Timeline: The Recent History of Elfin, Fae, and Animal People](#)
 - [Books About Otherkin and Therianthropes: An Annotated Bibliography](#)
 - [A Directory of Otherkin Writings and Other Works, Organized by Topic](#)
- ⊗ [Darkfang Archive](#) - A curated database of various sites, writings, and social spaces regarding Otherkin, Therianthropy and Real Vampirism, spanning more than 20 years of internet history.
- ⊗ [Embracing Mystery](#)
- ⊗ [Realmscape](#)
- ⊗ [Starlight Awakening](#)
- ⊗ [Otherkin Phenomena](#)
- ⊗ [Beyond Awakening: Otherkin Beyond the Basics](#)
- ⊗ [Otherkin: Otherworldly Souls](#)
- ⊗ [The Reincarnation Theory of Otherkin](#)
- ⊗ [Theories of Causes of Otherkin](#)
- ⊗ [Stupid Binaries](#) - on the divide between "spiritual" and "psychological" otherkin.
- ⊗ [Not of this world: an otherkin primer](#)
- ⊗ [Various theories and the like...](#)
- ⊗ [Catalogue of Nonhuman Communities](#) - Orion has said this is not what they would write today and it has errors, but it can be useful in sorting out the differences between otherkin, therians, furrries, etc.
- ⊗ [Otherkin and the Pagan Community](#)
- ⊗ [Academic Sources on Otherkin, Therianthropy, etc.](#)
- ⊗ [Advice for those new to Otherkin](#)
- ⊗ [Cor's Big Nonhuman/Otherkin Post](#)
- ⊗ [What otherkin is](#)

Elves, Faery, Sidhe, and Tuatha De Danann

Related, similar, but not the same thing... except when we are! The roots of today's otherkin community are mainly traceable back to early forays online by elven folk looking for others like themselves.

- ⊗ [The Silver Elves](#) - One of the earliest groups to be public about being elven, formed in 1975. I recommend their books collecting the letters of the Elf Queen's Daughters and their own successor, the Magical Elven Love Letters.
- ⊗ [The Elf Queen's Daughters and the Silver Elves](#)
- ⊗ [Tië Eldalieva](#) (*The Elven Path*)
- ⊗ [On Elves: the Elven Way](#)
- ⊗ [The Elenari Nexus](#) - The old WebRing code on this page will redirect you to the ring hub. Try loading the page a second time (from the address bar, not by refreshing).
- ⊗ [Elven Realities](#) - See above note on WebRing.
- ⊗ [The Elven Portal](#) - See above note on WebRing.
- ⊗ [The Alfar: Dancing Light and Singing Dark](#)
- ⊗ [The Starlit Ones](#)
- ⊗ [Sidhe, Fae, Elves](#)
- ⊗ [Sidhe, Faery, & Tuatha De Danann \(and also some elves\)](#)
- ⊗ [Tuatha De Danann Memories](#)
- ⊗ [Exodus of the Sidhe](#) - A Biblically based take on the Sidhe.
- ⊗ [Faeriepedia](#)
- ⊗ [I Am Elf](#)
- ⊗ [Alynn's Website](#) - The site of a fox phouka.

Dragons

Dragons are numerous and the draconic community has its own distinct history separate from the general otherkin community. Not all dragons call themselves "otherkin", though they usually can fit the definition; some prefer to hang out with therians. The term "theriomythic" can also describe folk like dragons (and gryphons, unicorns, etc.) who are mythic but with an animal-like form or a "bestial" experience.

- ⊗ [The Draconity FAQ](#)
- ⊗ [Draconity Resource Project](#)
- ⊗ [Draconic.com](#) - May be the largest community of dragons on the internet. Includes a forum.
- ⊗ [Bronze Mistral](#) - The personal site of a dragon.
- ⊗ [Jafira's Lair](#)

Angels

- ⊗ [Earth Angels](#)
- ⊗ [A Wish for Wings that Work](#)
- ⊗ [Angelic Musings](#)

- ⊗ [Angelkin Resources/Articles](#)
- ⊗ [On the Fall](#)

Miscellaneous Types

There are many more types of otherkin, of course... these just happen to be a few I have links for.

- ⊗ [To Be Unicorn](#)
- ⊗ [The Satyr's Glen](#)
- ⊗ [Fictionkin.Com](#)
- ⊗ [Resources for fictionkin/fictives](#)
- ⊗ [Fictionkin FAQ](#)
- ⊗ [Kitsune Kyoudai](#)
- ⊗ [Plantkin \(Phytanthropes\)](#)

Miscellaneous Websites

- ⊗ [Glamourbombing: Intro & FAQ](#) - *faery-flavored "poetic terrorism".*
- ⊗ [Glamourbombing](#)
- ⊗ [Otherkin Reiki](#)
- ⊗ [Rebuilding the Gateways](#) - *"It has been spoken from the time of our arrival that we would go back from whence we came."*
- ⊗ [Faeids: Your Gateway to the Fae](#) - *"Faeids are those selected by the Fae living in the Otherworld ... to help prepare for "the Great Awakening". These are Humans, Faeries, or Faerie/Human Breeds (changelings) or those communicated with by Faeries for the purpose of bridging the gap that has developed between humans and Faeries long ago."*

Therians

Therianthropes, or therians for short, are those nonhuman folk who are Earthly animals, extant or extinct.

Whether therians should be considered a type of otherkin is, to put it mildly, a topic of some debate. In any case, there are clearly similarities, and there has long been overlap between the two communities, though they do also have separately traceable histories.

- ⊗ [Project Shift](#) - see also [their Tumblr](#)
- ⊗ [WereLibrary](#)
- ⊗ [Therian Nation](#)
- ⊗ [How to Determine if You Are a Therianthrope](#)
- ⊗ [Birds of a Feather: By and For Bird-People](#)
- ⊗ [Thébaïde](#)
- ⊗ [Therian Wiki](#)
- ⊗ [Informative Articles](#)
- ⊗ [What does it mean to be a were - and is "were" the word to use?](#)

- ⊗ [So what exactly is a therian?](#)
- ⊗ [Thoughts on Therianthropy](#)
- ⊗ [How to Tell if You're a Therian](#)

Directories

- ⊗ [Otherkin Directory](#)
- ⊗ On AnOtherWiki: [mailing lists](#), [chats](#), [gathers](#), [meetups](#), [upcoming community events](#)
- ⊗ [Darkfang Archive's Social listings](#)

Email Discussion Groups

Sadly, all of these lists are very low-traffic these days and some are all but defunct. Still, you may find something interesting in the archives.

- ⊗ [WestKin](#) - otherkin west of the Rocky Mountains.
- ⊗ [SoCalKin](#) - otherkin in southern California.
- ⊗ [Norwes Kin](#) - otherkin in the Pacific Northwest, specifically western Washington.
- ⊗ [Portland Elf Kin Gathering](#) - otherkin in Portland, Oregon.
- ⊗ [Elven Realities](#) - As far as I know, possibly the second-oldest still live list. Elven flavor, but all are welcome.
- ⊗ [OlderKin](#) - for otherkin over the age of 30.
- ⊗ [Otherkin Theology](#) - discussion of religion and spiritual beliefs as related to otherkin.
- ⊗ [Sidhe List](#) - discussion of Earthenkind Faeries, Elves, and Otherkin.
- ⊗ [Tuatha De Danaan](#) [sic] - discussion and exploration of Tuatha myths and memories.
- ⊗ [NewKin](#) - for newly awakened otherkin.
- ⊗ [KinFrontiers](#) - Originally a list for advanced or potentially offensive topics; now a general discussion list.
- ⊗ [RealDragon](#) - a discussion group for dragons.

Web Boards and Communities

- ⊗ [Otherkin community on Dreamwidth](#)
- ⊗ [Otherkin-Haven](#) - A "safe space" community, with moderated membership and all posts locked to members.
- ⊗ [Darkfang Cabal](#) - The web forum of the Darkfang Archive
- ⊗ [Otherkin Phenomena forums](#)
- ⊗ [Embracing Mystery forums](#)
- ⊗ [Dreamhart forums](#)
- ⊗ [Kinmunity](#)
- ⊗ [Otherkin and Therians](#) on Google+ - Private community; posts are locked to members, and to join you must either be recognizable as otherkin from your G+ profile or vouched for by someone who is already a member.

- ⊗ [Shadowlore](#) - Primarily aimed at vampires, but there are sub-boards for otherkin of various types.
- ⊗ [Castle Otherkin](#)
- ⊗ [The Elfin Sisterhood](#) - Not just for women, despite the name.
- ⊗ [ElvenWorld](#)
- ⊗ [Shadow of the Fallen Forum](#)
- ⊗ [Feral Grove](#) on Google+ - For both otherkin and therians. Created from the merger of the Otherkin Grove and Feral Nature forums.
- ⊗ [The Werelist](#) - A therian forum.
- ⊗ [Therian Wilderness](#)

Chats

[Discord](#) is a common platform for chat these days. You can download a client for various platforms, or run it in a web browser.

To log on to IRC networks and join #channels, you need to have an IRC client program, such as mIRC, KVIrc, XChat, or the ChatZilla extension for Firefox.

Also, some of the web boards listed under Web Boards and Communities have chat modules.

- ⊗ [Otherkin.Net Discord server](#), mirrored on irc.mibbit.net #dreamhart, or [join IRC by web client](#) - Scheduled chat is on Tuesdays at 8 PM Eastern time.
- ⊗ [Discord server for fae-kin](#) - including faehearted, nature spirits, etc.; see rules [here](#).
- ⊗ [Darkfang chats](#):
[EDMC](#) - Stands for "Experimental Disposable Mythics Channel", meaning the channel was for mythics and a disposable experiment. "A chatroom for otherkin from myth and fantasy. Otherkin of other kinds, therians, allies and the curious are also welcome."
[3lvz](#), exclusively for elven otherkin.
[H~](#) - "for people who don't identify as/would rather not be human and do not have spiritual interpretations for that fact. Transhumanists, cyborgs, allies and the curious are also totally welcome."
- ⊗ #draconic, irc.draconic.com, or see their [web-based chat](#)
- ⊗ #therianthropy, irc.therian.org
- ⊗ [Darkfang Archive's list of otherkin, therian, and real vampire IRC channels](#)

Meetups and Gathers

A gather is the otherkin answer to a convention or festival, but much smaller, typically less than 30 people. **If you know of privately owned land in northern California that we could use for a gather, please contact me at arethinn@eristic.net!**

- ⊗ [SF Bay Otherkin Meetup](#)
monthly, alternating second Saturdays and second Sundays
Our events move around between the south Bay, peninsula, San Francisco, northeast Bay, and southeast Bay, so everyone can have a chance to have one closer to their neighborhood every so often.
- ⊗ [Summer Gateways](#) (link is to 2017 event; 2018 is not yet on the calendar)
cabins/camping, Texas, Memorial Day weekend

Target audience is not solely otherkin, but the event is run by otherkin and otherkin topics feature significantly in the workshops.

⊗ [House Kheperu Gather](#)

hotel, Ohio, June

Not an otherkin gather per se, but a metaphysical/energy-work event hosted by a vampire House.

⊗ [Possible events at Mythlond](#)

camping/limited house crash space, West Virginia

Rialian Ashtae ran the gather [Walking the Thresholds](#) from 1998-2015, making it the oldest continually-running gather when it was retired. He sometimes makes noises about hosting smaller, less formal events at his private land known as Mythlond. Nothing definite has been announced as of this writing, but contact him for any information about potential goings-on.

⊗ [A Gathering Echo](#) (*link is to 2017 event; 2018 is not yet on the calendar*)

cabins/camping, Texas, Labor Day weekend

Similar to Summer Gateways, run by the same people.