

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, echewing 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 at eristic.net/fey/links.php. (this doc last updated 2/2/2017)

General Otherkin Info

- ⊗ Otherkin.net - Under new management as of 2016. Yes, still alive and kicking!
- ⊗ 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 disentangling the differences between otherkin, therians, furrries, etc.
- ⊗ [Otherkin and the Pagan Community](#)
- ⊗ [Academic works and documentaries about otherkin and therians](#)
- ⊗ [Advice for those new to Otherkin](#)
- ⊗ [Cor's Big Nonhuman/Otherkin Post](#)

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](#)
- ⊗ [Elven Realities](#) - The WebRing code on this page will redirect you to the ring hub. Try loading the page a second time (from the address bar, not refreshing).
- ⊗ [The Elven Portal](#) - See above note on Elven Realities and WebRing; try loading the page twice.
- ⊗ [The Alfar: Dancing Light and Singing Dark](#)
- ⊗ [The Starlit Ones](#)
- ⊗ [Sidhe, Fae, Elves](#)
- ⊗ [Sidhe, Faery, & Tuatha De Danann](#)
- ⊗ [Tuatha De Danann Memories](#)
- ⊗ [Exodus of the Sidhe](#) - A Biblically based take on the Sidhe.
- ⊗ [Faeriepedia](#)

Dragons

Dragons are numerous enough they can be considered a community of their own, with different roots than 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, etc.) who are mythic but with a significant "bestial" experience.

- ⊗ [The Draconity FAQ](#)
- ⊗ [Draconity Resource Project](#)
- ⊗ [Draconic.com](#) - By some accounts, 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](#)

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](#)
- ⊗ [Resources for fictives \(fictionkin\)](#)

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, a.k.a. therians, 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](#)
- ⊗ [WereLibrary](#)
- ⊗ [Therian Nation](#)
- ⊗ [Birds of a Feather](#)
- ⊗ [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](#)

Directories

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

Email Forums

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
- ⊗ [Nor_Cal_Otherkin](#) - otherkin in northern California
- ⊗ [SoCalKin](#) - otherkin in southern California
- ⊗ [Norwes_Kin](#) - otherkin in the Pacific Northwest, specifically western Washington
- ⊗ [Portland Elf Kin Gathering](#) - otherkin in Portland, Oregon
- ⊗ [Elfinkind Digest](#) - The very first otherkin mailing list, founded in 1990, and where the word "otherkin(d)" was coined. In spite of the name it is a pretty general list these days, though there is somewhat of an elven slant.
- ⊗ [Elven Realities](#) - As far as I know, possibly the second-oldest still live list. Elven flavor, but all are welcome.
- ⊗ [OlderKin](#) - for otherkin over age 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 LiveJournal](#)
- ⊗ [Otherkin community on Dreamwidth](#)
- ⊗ [Otherkin-Haven](#) - A "safe space" community, with moderated membership and all posts locked to members.
- ⊗ [Otherkin Phenomena forums](#)
- ⊗ [Otherkin Community forums](#)
- ⊗ [Embracing Mystery forums](#)
- ⊗ [Dreamhart forums](#)
- ⊗ [Kinmunity forums](#)
- ⊗ [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](#)
- ⊗ [Fae Paradise](#) - Specifically for fae and related types.
- ⊗ [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

To log on to the IRC networks and join the #channels listed below, you need to have an IRC client program installed, 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.

- ⊗ **#dreamhart**, irc.mibbit.net, or [join by web client](#) - Scheduled chat is on Tuesdays at 8 PM Eastern time.
- ⊗ **#draconic**, irc.draconic.com
- ⊗ **#therianthropy**, irc.therian.org, or [join by web client](#)
- ⊗ [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 smaller, typically between 10-30 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 2016 event, cancelled due to flooding; 2017 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, May or June
Not an otherkin gather per se, but a metaphysical/energy-work event hosted by a vampire House.
- ⊗ [Walking the Thresholds](#)
Note: website is not kept updated; for information, email rialian@gmail.com
camping, Pennsylvania, early June
The oldest still-running otherkin gather.
- ⊗ [A Gathering Echo](#) (link is to 2011 event; 2016 was possibly cancelled due to earlier flooding and others in between are not indicated on the calendar)
cabins/camping, Texas, Labor Day weekend
Similar to Summer Gateways, run by the same people. Irregular; doesn't happen every year.
- ⊗ [Crossing the Thresholds](#)
Note: website is not kept updated; for information, email rialian@gmail.com
camping, Pennsylvania, late September