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Stage 2A instructs players to create a pit area. The pit area is a new play area, separate from the staging area, that represents the captives and their battle for survival against the Devouring Werewolf sent by Sauron. The pit area consists of stage 2 of the quest deck, The Pits of Sauron, as well as the Finrod Felagund and Eyes in the Dark objectives. The players decide on one hero to be placed in the pit area as a captive. The player that controls that hero immediately chooses a hero to replace this captive, adjusting his starting threat to reflect this change.

Heroes in the pit area are immune to player card effects and cannot leave the pit area except through specific quest and encounter card effects. The captive hero cannot quest and does not collect resources. In addition, players cannot play attachments or allies into the pit area.



























































