

VEDEK LENARIS EDON

Bajoran

Male

Biography

Throughout his life, Lenaris Edon has been unable to stand by when he sees injustices in the world. During the Cardassian Occupation of Bajor he operated a hospital which treated Bajoran workers unable to continue laboring. The hospital had no funds and no supplies but then-Ranjen Lenaris kept it going regardless. Partially that is because the hospital was a front for the Bajoran Resistance, a location for them to funnel medical supplies and funds for guerilla fighters.

After the Cardassians left, Lenaris became a Vedek and an outspoken one at that. He was initially allied with Bareil Antos as a supporter of the Bajoran Provisional Government but as the years have gone on he has become less and less supportive. He is a shrewd man, though, and knows from the Occupation how valuable working behind a screen can be.



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Vedek Lenaris keeps a low profile on the Vedek Assembly, rarely voting on controversial issues, but behind the scenes he is very active. He has allies throughout Bajor and the scattered colonies, as well as contacts in the Maquis with whom he regularly trades information. His goal is to create a unified Bajor which could exact the sort of payments from the Cardassians that would really repair five decades of occupation. He is also opposed to military groups like the Alliance for Global Unity (better known as “The Circle”) that attempted a coup d’état a year ago. The religion of the people will unite Bajor, not strongmen and weapons. However, with the Provisional Government set to sign a peace treaty with the Cardassians, Vedek Lenaris is considering alliances with other revolutionaries that he would never have contemplated in the past.

Lenaris During the Occupation

In an earlier era set during the Cardassian Occupation (such as during the start of *The Next Generation*), Lenaris is still operating his hospital and supporting Resistance fighters. This is a more optimistic version of the vedek (a lower-ranking ranjen at the time) who believes that helping people and spreading information will lead to the right kind of change. It’s during the later years that Lenaris becomes more determined to take risks as he sees information he shared with the Resistance, information they said was for freeing prisoners but which actually led to bombings and death. Seeing Lenaris become this careful, calculating man who hides his intentions would be an interesting arc for the character, especially as a Bajoran contact for a Federation crew who might be going through the same.

Statistics

Use the following statistics for a Notable or Major version of this character. The statistics note what changes are necessary for a Major NPC.

TRAIT: Bajoran, Vedek

Stress: II **Resistance:** 0

VALUES:

- **We Will Not Live Under Another Heel**
- **The Prophets Show Us a Better Way** (Major NPC)

ATTRIBUTES

Control	10	Daring	II
Fitness	9	Insight	II
Presence	10	Reason	9

DISCIPLINES

Command	03	Conn	01
Security	01	Engineering	01
Science	01	Medicine	02

For Major NPC add +1 to Command, Security, Science, and Medicine. This also adds +1 to Stress

FOCUSES:

- **Bajoran Resistance**
- **Bajoran Religion**
- **Administration** (Major NPC)
- **The Provisional Government** (Major NPC)

ATTACKS:

For Major NPC, add 1♣ to each damage.

- **Unarmed Strike** (Melee, 2♣ Knockdown, 1H, Non-lethal)
- **Bajoran Hand Phaser** (Ranged, 3♣, 1H, Charge, Hidden)
- **Escalation Bajoran Phaser rifle** (Ranged, 5♣, 2H, Accurate, Charge)

SPECIAL ABILITIES

- **Strong Pagh** (Talent, p. 105)
- **For the Prophets:** When using the Direct or Assist Task to push other Bajorans faithful to the Prophets, Lenaris may roll 2d20 instead of 1d20.
- **Good Judge of Spirit:** Whenever Lenaris attempts to discern the true intentions of someone or see through lies, he may re-roll one d20.