

Eutha's Chronicles

Adventures in Anglo-Saxon England



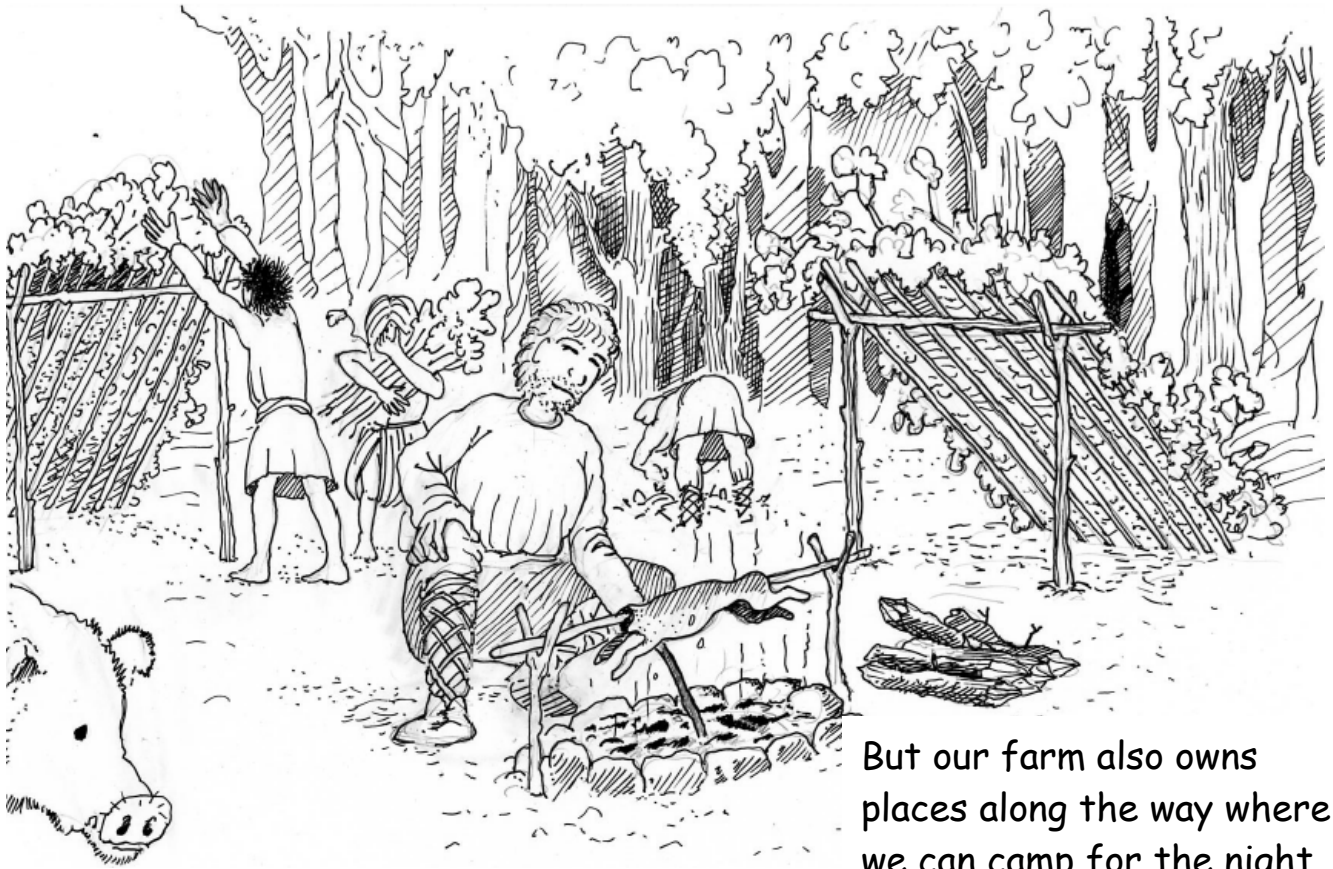
Eala! — Hello! It just isn't *fair!* You say **you** go to all sorts of wonderful places. **We** have to stay on the farm all year round and work hard.

But in the autumn, something special happens here:



We take our pigs out to the woods, so they can eat the acorns and beech-nuts, and get fat for the winter.

Each farm owns its own special places in the wildwoods to feed pigs. We have to drive our pigs for miles and miles to reach our own farm's special feeding-place: it takes us several days.



But our farm also owns places along the way where we can camp for the night.

The grown-ups take knives and spears along: there are wild animals in the woods — and there may be robbers too!





We blow horns and call out as we walk, so people will know we are coming. That way, they'll know **we** aren't robbers!



We have to keep the pigs together, too.



While the pigs are feeding, we can meet other people and make friends before we have to go home again for winter.



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