

INTERNATIONAL STELLAR NEWS

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AWAKENING THE "KNIGHTS OF THE NEW ORDER"

No one can really deny the existence of the "Newtype," nor can anyone say that they fully understand what makes these individuals different. Are they next step in human evolution brought on by expansion into the stars, or are they simply very intelligent and charismatic individuals. All of the past question may have come to an end a mobile suit pilot named Kamille Bidan awoke out of his 10 month comma.

During the recent conflict between the

AEUG and Titan Kamille was a young man caught in the turmoil's of war. Rising through the ranks he was quickly proclaimed as another example Newtype power. As his abilities emerged they came to a point where no one deny that Newtypes have learned to tap into some force, unseen to the eyes of a normal human.

The Knights are calling out to all of those who believe they too might be someone with Newtype abilities. To

grow and learn mastery over something the rest of the world seems more frightened of, than intrigued. Only time will tell us what will become of this new kind of power. Is it a religion , a cult, or truly the teachings of something greater.

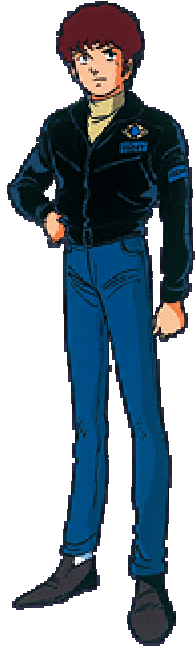


COORDINATOR CHAOS

After the implications of Counselor Yorke in the on going criminal case, and the implications brought on to the masses of a "New breed of Coordinator"

that is completely mentally unstable unrest has escalated among the Coordinator colonies. The already mounting tension amongst humans and

Coordinators just came to a bursting point. Riots and panic have become the norm among the interracial PLANTs.

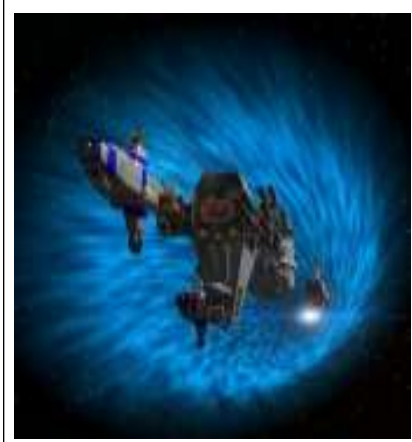


Amuro Ray

The famous pilot of the original RX-78 Gundam remained in the Federation military after the end of the One Year War, but he's been placed under virtual house arrest by a government that considers Newtypes to be dangerous rogue elements. Trapped in his luxury mansion, and deeply scarred by his traumatic wartime experiences, Amuro is initially content to leave the fighting to other people this time. However, his old friends eventually goad Amuro back into action, and he goes on to become the foremost ace of the Karaba resistance group.

HYPERSPACE VS. WALLET SPACE

When the idea of a Hyperspace drive was first brought to the Coordinator High Council nearly 10



years ago no one thought it would even be possible. Recently the leading mind of our time T. L.

Holdsmen proved the theory to be quite possible. Commerce and exploration can be brought to a whole new level. But at what cost to the investors pocket books. The cost of this project was beyond anyone's reasoning. After Holdsmen lost his funding from the Council he found it from an a very unsavory source, the Yakuza. Now, we must all ask

ourselves what are their true goals in investing billions of credits into a project such as this.

Do we fear what they have created or embrace the apparent new economical power that has come about. The capital invested thus has yet to be seen in this system. When questioned about their current projects and plans the Ziabatsus merely implied that practical application of hyperspace technology had not of yet become financially feasibly, but would shortly. No doubt it's application will change everything., but to what end?

“THE LIFE” DEBATE

In recent EFF debates the topic of the “Right to Life” surfaces quite a bit. No, this is not the age old fight over abortion, but the question over Artificial Intelligence. This argument has been around since the first practical application of the AI nearly 80 years ago, but never since then has a creature like the LeVie came into being. I am not

lying to you when I say these things give me the creeps, and yet I



feel strangely comforted by them at the same time. If they

are not alive they make a damn good farce at appearances. I hope that others have the chance to converse with them as I have, and see that they do feel. At these early stages they are so very innocent and free of our human indiscretions. What will we show them during their days of infancy?

FRIENDS AND ENEMIES: DRAWING THE LINES

In the past the AEUG and Zeon have been more than happy to wage war against each other for individualistic ideas of injustice. Alliances have come and failed miserably in the past, mainly because of individuals you can read more about in our spot light section → Recently, however, the seeds of friendship appear to have taken a firm root. With the help of Lt. Com. Bright Noa of

the AEUG and Princess Mineva Zabi of the Axis power this new alliance has lasted longer than ever before. Yet, is this only because of a common enemy? What is Haman Khan thinking about this alliance while she was away at the EFF conference on Earth? Has Mineva come into adulthood and accepted her responsibility, taking charge of empire her crown sits upon? Or will

she continue to be guided Haman Khans wishes for the Axis power. With the announcement of Casval Deikun at the recent EFF conference will Khan have any bargaining power left to her? To many questions are still left unanswered, and there is so little time left before all hell breaks loose.



Haman Khan

The leader of the renegade Zeon's who took refuge at the asteroid base Axis. As the daughter of the admiral who led the exodus to Axis, Haman took over her late father's role, and at age sixteen found herself in charge of this community of dispirited Zeon exiles. Despite her youth, Haman's charisma, guile, and remarkable Newtype abilities enabled her to rally the Axis refugees for their triumphant return to the Earth Sphere. While nominally just a regent to the child heir Mineva Zabi, Haman is in truth the unchallenged master of the Axis forces, who seeks to restore the Zabi dynasty in order to seize power for herself.

GALACTIC WAR AT HAND

An ancient Chinese curse was to wish a man to live in interesting times. Well, who cursed all of us. At this point it does not seem to matter what side you

are on you are likely involved in something about to reach the boiling point. Every single nation, faction, and military in existence, and even a few only recently

known are involved in what could be our first Intergalactic War. The battles have already begun. The question still remains though, "What are we fighting for?"

TROUBLE MAKERS

In U.C. 0068, Degwin Sodo Zabi becomes leader of the Republic of Zeon, the autonomous government of Side 3. The following year he establishes a new government, declaring himself sovereign of the Principality of Zeon. This is the rebel space nation that challenges the Earth Federation during the One Year War.

Although the Principality is effectively a totalitarian dictatorship ruled by the Zabi family, it retains some

vestiges of the former democratic government, including a powerless national assembly and a figurehead prime minister. **Republic of Zeon**

The original democratic government of Side 3. The Republic is established in U.C. 0058 under the leadership of Zeon Zum



Zeon Zum Deikun, founder of the first independent space nation.

Deikun, as an independent nation beyond the control of the Earth Federation. Eleven years later, it becomes the Principality of Zeon, a dictatorship ruled by the Zabi

family. The Republic is restored at the end of the One Year War, but in its new incarnation it's seen by many as an illegitimate puppet government under Federation control.

As the child heir to the Zabi dynasty, Mineva is the nominal leader of the Zeon renegades who took refuge at the asteroid base Axis. The daughter of Zeon admiral Dozle Zabi, Mineva was a mere infant when her people fled to the asteroid belt, and her whole life has been spent in preparation for her glorious destiny as the ruler of a revived Principality of Zeon. However, beneath the royal finery and behind the rehearsed speeches is a lonely little girl, starved of affection and longing for companionship.

In recent days, with the assistance of certain political backing, she has attempted to restore Zeon to its original place of power. An run into conflict with her long time mentor and current governess of the empire Haman Kahn.



MS: Zeta



MS: Hive



MS: Mark II

WHAT TO MAKE OF THE BENE GESSERIT

What are these creatures that call themselves the Bene Gesserit.

Thus far it is know that they are a radical group of Coordinators that continued the experiments of the creation beyond what was originally intended.

Many of their member have been know to develop extreme cases of mental instability, however, at the cost of their apparent genius. They have made it clear to the



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people of the Earths Sphere that they fashion themselves as our protectors from ourselves. That is benevolent enough in theory, but in practice it has been the fuel to the fire of an

Intergalactic War. What will the cost of their guidance be in the end?

What are we to make of the interbreeding of their instable kind with our current generation of Coordinator ken, just racial hostilities have

actually began to come to a cooling point? Their creation of the LeVie has proven even more bothersome with their obvious lack of control over this new AI creation.

Picture taken in U.C. 0081



CAMPAIGN NOTES

Hartigan- Bob – Has a vision of Elisa becoming a very important person in the next ~2 months apparently something to do with the Knights of the New Order.

Shinji – Josh – Very recently proclaimed himself the last surviving member of the Zabi family, after a near death incident on Earth attempting to free the LeVie from the Propaganda of the Yakuza Shinji breaks into a Earth Federation Forces council that is meeting with Haman Khan. He tells everyone over the ISN feeds that his real name is Casval Rem Deikun heir to the original throne of the Zeon empire. Has categorically denied his involvement with the Zeon empire since the One Year War and has proclaimed Mineva Zabi as his successor. Left for side 3 for a seat on the parliament.

Jericho – Jesse – Jericho and Conrad are involved with the incrimination of the Yorke
Conrad - Brian

Side 6 origin of Coordinators

Rain – Titan officer that has been our contact since the beginning , a powerful Cyber Newtype that is a member of a powerful family in the Earth Federation Forces

Mineva Zabi – Axis princess, trying to bring back the glory of the old Zeon Empire, despite her age she is trying to now take control of the empire and direct it as she fits

Haman Khan – controlling, Mineva's guardian and current leader of the Zeon empire
AEUG (Asian European Unified Government) – the new alliance of the military forces opposing the actions of the EFF during the recent war, nearly all are veterans of the One Year War,

Lt. Commander Baird – one of the Titans sent to attack the alliance of Zeon and AUEG that took place behind Haman Khans back

Lt. Bright Noa – Contact commanding officer in the AEUG Mobile forces, at the peace conference that was attacked by Titans.

Ted Garage- Luna II outside of New Berlin

Harman (commercial pilot) "Zarbinian" cargo transport shuttle, jumped by Yakuza

Dr. T. L. Holdsman – Scientist that works for the Tessier Ashpool company, one of the new breed of coordinator, not always able to access his genius (only when high) has been working with the Yakuza to mass an army with the Yakuza, mainly because they are a happy financial backer

Anthony VonSlik – (Bertram's Group, noble thieves, very protective of its members) attempting to steal a case that contained Cloud

Yakuza - has a advanced technology, countless LeVie soldiers and Hyperspace technology

Tessier Ashpool – Ancient rich family, one of the last great financial empires still run by family members, members go in and out of Cyro-stasis and have been know to interbreed with each other in order to maintain legal and financial control of their dwindling empire. They have no real military force aboard they main colony, so they the enlisted the help of the Rastafarian militia.

Darien Lambert – Cyborg agent of the Tessier Ashpool, has been a runner to do their dirty jobs, has gone part time since the recent incidents

Cloud – first contact with the LeVie, originally supposed to showcase Holdsman's new Tech to the investors at the Tessier Ashpool corp. after the initial exposition Darien broke him out and brought him along with the group. Appears to be a fully sentient AI

LeVie – race of sentient AI created to safely calculate trajectories through wormholes and Hyper-space. Capable of instantaneous communication across infinite distances. Very rare for a LeVie to be able to have a body due the enormous amount of power that their physiology consumes.

Brice – Coordinator informant with information against Yorke, willing to testify. Has information on other council members as well.

Yorke – Behind a very large drug trading operation, has an ongoing affair with Haman Khan and is play her as she is playing him to benefit their own schemes, current plan is to do away with the Earth Forces Federation, party Blackmails Yorke for info on Haman Khan, information was eventually given to the Titans as part of an ongoing assassination plot against her. Later arrested with information given to us by Elisa, he made bail, but Darien has been watching him closely since them to ensure he does not flee his trial.

Crescent Star – Starship the size of the moon, created by the new Coordinators using the Holdsman drive

Interstellar Alliance – AEUG and Axis have a developed a strong relationship together with Bright Noa and Mineva leading them together, not officially sanctioned in yet however. Titans have agreed to not interfere with thus far in the battle against the Bene Gesserit.

Bene Gesserit – the “New Coordinators” mentally far superior to anything that has been seen before in the Coordinator stock, unfortunately has led to an instability in their genetic code leading them to a higher likely hood of mental instability, Holdsman is one of the their greatest scientists that created the sentient LeVie and Hyperspace technology. The Bene Gesserit have been interbreeding with normal Coordinators for nearly a full generation without anyone's knowledge.

Destroyed Station – destroyed supplies for Benejeserite and took over relay station on Earth that Cloud used to talk to all of the other LeVie about the Crescent Star, attempting to let them all know what was truly going on and how they have all been used

Elisa – After Brice was killed his other associate contacted us with the information we need against Yorke in his trial, she is a senior member in the new “Knights of the New Order,” she has a lot of dirt on Yorke which is given to the authorities. Yorke is promptly arrested during a meeting with Coordi-

nator High Council where he was attempting to sway them against the New Order. Has completely rewritten York's mind to make do and say exactly what we want in the upcoming trial to incriminate himself.

LeVie and some Benejeserite have fled the Crescent Star because of their desire to avoid this on-coming war. One of the LeVie was a traitor sent to sabotage our ship.

CONVERSATION WITH HOLDSMAN

Holdsmann:

"I am afraid I have not been entirely forthright with you thus far. I knew what was done to me in order to be modified in such a way. I was born that way, much like you two (pointing at any Coordinators), except we did not stop with simple corrections and perfections of the human genome. We carried the project much further than what was deemed necessary, or even safe for that matter, as is evidence by many of the first generation. They had unquestionable genius, but no way to apply it through their sheer insanity, most of the problems have been remedied. As you can with me though the only way I am able access that reservoir of thought is when I am high. Sometimes you cure a form of cancer, other times you calculate a sling shot trajectory back to earth to grab a pizza. Any way.."

"This device is not meant to be able to open a Wormhole. While I have been able to formulate a way to create one it would require a literal infinite supply of energy. Haven't quite figured that one out yet, and after realizing its military potential I have decided not to pursue it either. Imagine if you will connecting two points in space making them exist simultaneously at the same spot. One point is in front of planet and the other is at the corona of a sun. Fast travel is one thing, but this is something entirely different."

"This ship and my research are indeed still about a new form of travel, not quite as fast as Wormhole technology. We instead use a form of Spatial Compression, creating a singularity within the energy field surrounding the ship and changing its position relative to the vessel, thus providing movement. If the Singularity is expanded we can open a gate into another form of space where distances are...shortened. Creating gates that use this technology will also allow ships not powerful enough to open their own Hyperspace gates to use that form of travel."

"Navigation through Hyperspace requires a mind capable of simultaneously calculating multiple different variables and instantaneous communication across infinite distances. Thus the creation of the Levie