

Campaign: Rhylanor Express, Traveller #7

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Episode Seven: The Continuing Adventures of Tim's Tornado

Campaign Dates: 021-278, year 1111

Characters

Name	Rank	Career	Notes
Timothy Church	Captain	Retired Navy	Commander, 2/3 owner
Burkke Griswald	Sergeant	Retired Marine	1/3 owner
Hakamora Wuntu	2nd Lt.	Retired Doctor	
Cinders Druck	Sergeant	Ex-navy	
Manfred West	Private	Ex-merchant	Recruited, 255, Tureded
Steve Hird	Private	ex-army	
Bud Manstrong	Private	Ex-flyer	
Kirok	Private	Barbarian	
Scrappy Lester	Private	Ex-belter	
Larry Arbogast	Private	Ex-marine	Recruited 255, Tureded
Reese Witherspoon	Private	Ex-pirate	Killed, 045, Skull
Gorak	Private	Barbarian	Killed, 045, Skull
Chance Redford	Private	Ex-army	Died, Low Berth, 248

GM: Dave Nelson (solo NPC excursion)

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021-028-1111: Skull, Lanth Subsector

The Tornado decides to look for a patron, in order to raise cash to move off of Skull. Dr. Wuntu uses his streetwise to search for a patron, but does not find one.

029—036-1111: Skull, Lanth Subsector

Dr. Wuntu again looks for a patron, and fails miserably.

037—044-1111: Skull, Lanth Subsector

Dr. Wuntu again looks for a patron and succeeds. He is contacted by the Starport Warden Carloman Rentix, who is concerned that a group of imperial researchers who left to survey the sections of the planet for possible a starport upgrade have been kidnapped by a band of "orange heads". With Condor Industries having been broken up, the Orange Head immigrants seized the scientists to raise a ransom to get off world. Warden Rentix needs to free the captives quietly and quickly because he was responsible for their security and had made a big deal of not wanting the marines involved.

The warden supplies the loan of a 30-tons slow boat and offers 150,000cr, success only, if the researchers are rescued.

045-1111: Skull, Lanth Subsector

The Tornado finds and assaults the kidnapers. In the battle, Reese Witherspoon and Gorak are killed, and Captain Church receives a serious wound. Although lightly wounded himself, Dr. Wuntu treats the Captain's wounds. 20 kidnapers are killed and the hostages rescued.

046-060-1111: Skull, Lanth Subsector

The Tornado is paid, shares are paid out and they take a short vacation. At the end, Church and Griswald receive their bi-monthly high passages from the Traveller's Aid Society.

061-068-1111: Jumpspace Skull to Equus

Captain Church uses company funds to transport all the troops by Middle Passage to Equus. It costs 56,000cr (Church and Griswald use their high passages).

070-077 1111: Equus, Lanth Subsector

Dr. Wuntu looks for a patron, fails.

078-085-1111: Equus, Lanth Subsector

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086-089-1111: Equus, Lanth Subsector

Dr. Wuntu looks for a patron. Finds a planetary finance officer for the Hortalez Megacorporation. Needs a security team for his orbital station for 4 months, until regular team arrives. Pays the unit 10,000cr per month plus expenses, but it is thought to be a low-risk venture.

90-210-1111: Hortalez Orbital Station, Equus, Lanth Subsector

The team guards the orbital station. One dangerous incident: day 160: The rowdy maintenance staff get hopped up on space cocaine and start busting up the place. Cinders Druck suffers a light wound by being hit by a club before the riot is brought under control. Hortalez Corp pays out, and Captain Church forgoes the company share, and distributes the money not spent as salaries as shares.

211-240-1111: Equus, Lanth Subsector

Unit goes on vacation on Equus. By the end, both Griswald and Church have collected 2 High Passages each.

241-248-1111: Jumpspace, Equus to Tureded

Unit transits to Tureded. Church and Griswald use High Passages, Wuntu and Druck buy their own middle passages, the privates go by Low Berth (costs company 5000cr). Chance Redford suffers a mishap in the low berth and dies.

249-1111: Tureded, Lanth Subsector

Funeral for Chance Redford

250-257-1111: Tureded, Lanth Subsector

Dr. Wuntu looks for patron. Contacts Professor Deidre Hamburger who is conducting highly sensitive research on planet. Wants a team to sabotage a tourist hotel that is causing her massive problems with the research. She offers 200,000cr if the hotel and its tourist business

is completely ruined. Meanwhile, Captain Church goes recruiting and hires a former marine, Larry Arbogast, and a merchant deckhand, Manfred West (keeping to his policy of only hiring those able to use Vacc Suits, he turns some others away).

Sergeant Griswald goes shopping on this low-law world. He buys 4 light assault guns, 4 auto-shotguns, 4 assault rifles, 2 light machine guns, 2 RAM grenade launchers, and a case of 50 hand grenades (9300cr for all). Plus: 50 magazines of assault rifle ammo (1500), 50 magazines of LAG ammo (1000cr), 50 magazines of shotgun ammo (1000cr), 50 belts of light machine gun ammo (6000cr) and 50 magazines of RAM GL ammo (2500). Finally, he buys 12 suits of Cloth Armor (3000cr), 12 Combat Helmets (2400cr), 12 medium gamma charges (1200cr), 20 small gamma charges (200cr), 20 time detonators (300cr), 20 remote detonators (1500cr), and 12 back packs and canteens (360cr). Total: 30,260.

270-1111: Tureded, Lanth Subsector

Commando raid on the tourist hotel, which in addition to a small security staff, had a group of 20 religious pilgrims and 10 heavily armed fugitive gangsters inside. Kirok the barbarian suffered a light wound, and Dr, Wuntu suffered a serious wound in the fighting. They managed to drive off the pilgrims without trouble, killed the gangsters and wounded or killed the security staff. Once the rest of the workers were cleared from the building, they destroyed the hotel, retrieved their payment and escaped off world.

271-278-1111 Jumpspace, Tureded to Rhylanor

Unit takes liner to Rhylanor. Griswald and Church by High Passage. Druck and Wuntu spring for their own high passages. The privates go safely by low passage.