

# Arrival of the Norians

The Arrival of the Norians is a site-wide RP event revolving the arrival of the [Norian](#) survivors in the [Kikyo Sector](#).

- Main RP Thread: [OPEN RP - Ostarae os malos](#)
- OOC Thread: [Norian Arrival OOC Thread](#)

## History

After decades of war <sup>1)</sup>, the [Norians](#) of [Tsenlan](#) fled their home universe. Having opened pandora's box in their greed for power and dominance they attempted to siphon energy from an [aether-like](#) dimension that was inhabited by an ancient and unfathomable horde of creations. These vile creatures with dark sentience driven by the need to consume, indulge, assimilate and destroy anything in their path resulted in massive losses of life, while other enemies like the Craethel took advantage of their dwindling populations to outright destroy their former capital worlds.

In [YE 44.7](#), led by Aestaesys Airwin Caeyara, the survivor fleet first visited [Ayenee](#) but then in a narrow escape managed to make it to the [Kagami Galaxy](#).<sup>2)</sup> Honoring their alliance to the [Yamatai Star Empire](#) which stretched back to the days of the [Chaos Hive War](#), the [Norians](#) remained out of sight near [Xylar](#) until Airwin Caeyara could gain the help of [Taisho Ketsurui Yui](#).<sup>3)</sup>

[Taisho Ketsurui Yui](#) rallied the [Star Army of Yamatai](#) which kicked off Operation Fireplace<sup>4) 5)</sup>, being a multi-pronged rescue and evacuation mission to save the [norians](#) who were starving and suffering on their nearly disabled Leviathans. The call for help was even answered by the [Senti](#) who offered up assistance.<sup>6)</sup>

## Description

In [YE 44](#), the Norians arrived near the [Xylar star system](#).

Airwin met with Mistress-Taisho [Ketsurui Yui](#) at Star Army Headquarters in the Military District of [Kyoto](#)<sup>7)</sup>. Yui offered the full support of the Star Army and [Yamatai Star Empire](#).

## Operation Fireplace

[Taisho Ketsurui Yui](#), commander of the [Star Army](#) sent a message to all soldiers of the Star Army, telling them to immediately prepare for a large humanitarian mission called Operation Fireplace<sup>8)</sup>. The mission involved moving the Norian survivors to [Star Army Refugee Facilities](#) and providing for them until they could recover and settle on one or more worlds on a permanent basis.

[Senator Iemochi Seinosuke](#) requested an immediate retrofit of the aging refugee facilities<sup>9)</sup>.

[Chujo Iemochi Feyani](#) scrambled all available [CSAR](#) units and a large [BATON](#) contingent as a rapid response first.<sup>10)</sup> The 171st Combat Rescue Squadron aboard the YSS Second Chance were the first SAoY forces to arrive as well as the first to board an Ark. The 171st's Alpha Flight established a beachhead and processing center on Akelost Ark Alpha that they dubbed "Port Hope".<sup>11)</sup>

[YSS Resurgence](#) sent crew to Ark Alpha and rescued children and refugees.

The [Ryu-Mizumitsu Clan](#) and the [Nepleslian Reds](#) arrived with a number of ships to transport refugees to the [NH-H1 Hibiscus-Class Mobile Space Station](#) Port Orchid and Port Dongfeng (hailing from the [Tange System](#)). One of the key ships was the FDS Brave Star, leading a squadron of Reds tagging along. The Brave Star helped evacuate a large number of refugees from Ark Alpha as well.

The YSS Tengu of the 1st Rikugun Test and Eval Battalion, captained by [Sakurai Mizuki](#), joined in the evacuation. The mission was one part an operational test on the max capacity of the ship can carry and two parts a humanitarian purposes. It arrived towards the end of the evacuation, transporting less refugees than most. [Mikael Harris](#) served as the temporary XO during the mission.

## Destinations

Star Army refugee towns with temporary housing, food, and other amenities are available in these places:

- [Akina System](#) (capacity of 184 million, previously closed in YE 38)
- [Virginia](#) (capacity of 184 million)
  - Supported by [Virginia Fleet Depot](#)
- [Yamatai \(Planet\)](#) (capacity of 92 million, previously closed in YE 38)
- [Tokyo](#) (Capacity 25,000, if needed more can be offered)

Possible backup sites:

- [Daichi](#) (refugee camps closed by YE 38)
- [Ronica \(Planet\)](#) (refugee camps closed by YE 38)
- [Valentine](#) (refugee camps closed by YE 38)

## Participants

Groups participating in this event included:

- [Pisces Station](#) - transportation hub where refugees were registered
- [First Fleet](#) including:
  - [YSS Battle Of Yamatai](#)
  - [YSS Resurgence](#)

- [Second Fleet](#)
- [Third Fleet](#)
- [Star Army Reserve](#) - provided manpower
- [First Expeditionary Fleet](#)
- [Star Army Logistics](#) - provided transportation and sustainment (food, etc.)
- [Star Army Personnel Command](#) - registered and tracked refugees to ensure safety
  - [YSS Eucharis](#)
- [Star Army Rikugun](#)
  - [First Expeditionary Area Army](#)<sup>12)</sup>
  - [1st Rikugun Test and Evaluation Battalion \(YSS Tengu\)](#)<sup>13)</sup>
- [Shurista/Aquarius Star Fortress](#)<sup>14)</sup>
- [Star Army Special Operations](#)
  - Specifically [BATON](#) and [CSAR](#) personnel<sup>15)</sup>
  - The 171st Combat Rescue Squadron was the first Star Army unit on site.<sup>16)</sup>
- [Iemochi Innovations & Sales](#)
  - Material donations and potential long term medical support<sup>17)</sup>
- [Ryu-Mizumitsu Clan](#)
  - [NH-H1 Hibiscus-Class Mobile Space Stations](#) Port Dongfeng and Port Orchid<sup>18)</sup>
- [Nepleslian Reds](#)
  - [FDS Brave Star](#)<sup>19)</sup>

## Norian Assets Involved

- 3 x Akelost Leviathan Hybrid Ark - Population 100,000,000 each, estimated. (Akelost Ark Alpha, Akelost Ark Beta, Akelost Ark Gamma)
- 3 x MERN (Former Minatu Empire Imperial Navy) Kibothamila Ithaca-Class War Titan Leviathan (Lead ship: MERN Aiathogu, Other Two: MERN E'stlhualas, MERN Ithond)

## Results

Pending

## OOOC Notes

[Wes](#) created this article on October 27, [2022](#).

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<sup>1)</sup>

The [Umarian Wars](#), the [Void Wars](#) and the [Craethel War](#)

<sup>2)</sup>

<https://stararmy.com/roleplay-forum/threads/visions-of-tsenlan-espiritu-del-aire.69291/>

<sup>3)</sup>

<https://stararmy.com/roleplay-forum/threads/yamatai-trans-universal-reunions.69172/>

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<https://stararmy.com/roleplay-forum/threads/all-saoy-operation-fireplace.69450/>

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<https://stararmy.com/roleplay-forum/threads/operation-fireplace-first-expeditionary-area-army-activation.69451/>

6)

<https://stararmy.com/roleplay-forum/threads/shurista-civilian-fireplace-response.69453/>

7)

[Yamatai] Trans-Universal Reunions

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[All SAoY] Operation Fireplace

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SYNC: Virginia - Retrofit the Refugee Towns

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Chujo Iemochi Feyani's Scramble Order

11) 16)

Operation Fireplace Actual

12)

First Expeditionary Area Army Activation

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<https://stararmy.com/roleplay-forum/threads/operation-fireplace-ostarae-os-malos.69452/post-431222>

14)

SYNC: Shurista Civilian Fireplace Response

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SYNC: OP Fireplace IIS Assistance

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<https://stararmy.com/roleplay-forum/threads/operation-fireplace-ostarae-os-malos.69452/post-430250>

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