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188604

188604 is a Independent plot run by GM Zack. Its concept is to create a space that can be interacted with fairly freely by the rest of the setting. If another plotship wants to stop by, or someone wants to stumble across the planet then a serious effort will be made to encourage the outside interference in the plot.

The plot itself centers around a low tech world listed as 188604 on Elysian starcharts. With Uso running low on cash she hatches a scheme to hire some friends and go use modern weapons to take over the planet. Though the planet's armies don't pose much of a threat to modern power armor, there are plenty of other concerns that go along with trying to run a planet.

Plot Details

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Age Requirement: 16				
Format:	SPs, and JPs when time permitting			
Pacing:	At least 1 GM post a week, 1 Jp every 1-2 weeks			



About Pacing

The plot is designed to give a small open area for RP to accommodate some RP that is fairly self-contained and doesn't require a lot of time committed. Though there will be a core 'storyline' there will also be opportunities for one off JPs involving whoever decides to stop by.

About The GM

Zack joined the site in 2005ish, and has GMed several plots including the tail end of the GSS Yui, The GSS Seigi, The NSS Alliance and the Nepleslian 4th fleet plot.

He is usually online between 8am and 11pm, with RP availability usually being later in the day.

About the Co-GM

jack pine, is the latest Co-GM and is authorized to help run the plot.

History

YE 38 Arc 1 [188604]

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During Love Day, Uso agrees to go on a blind date. For better or worse she ended up discussing hypothetically taking over a low technology world with Raphael Castiel. The low tech world in question was one the Elysians had stumbled across years ago, but had ultimately left alone as it was not worth the trouble.

A few weeks later she'd decide to go for it, putting together a team made up of friends and mercenaries. The bulk of the force being made up of the Ragnarok PMC.

The group arrived planet side, and immediately hit the largest city they could find, striking during the middle of a local conflict and killing many of the leaders. They quickly established themselves at the main power in the area, as muskets and cannons were essentially useless against power armors capable of throwing horses at people. When the dust settled, the group set about 'uplifting' their little corner of the world.

General Aaron Grant had participated in the conflict, and only just barely escaped being found by Uso by ditching his uniform. Him, along with his right hand Rubi and consort Celeste would start forming a resistance movement against Uso's group.

Rebellion

After the initial battle of Osman City, the locals were terrified but not defeated. Their best and brightest started to gather together, forming a group with the intention of dealing with the outside threat. In order to minimize their risk of exposure they stuck with code names related to their professions and set in motion plans to infiltrate their invaders.

It was around this time that a friend of General Grant, azariel_nereopoulos, would reveal that he too was not from this planet and start advising them on their possible futures.

Grant's right hand woman, Rubi, would also be sent to kill the collaborator Reginald Braith around the same time as Azariel's reveal. Though instead of completing her assignment, she decided to infiltrate the invading group when the opportunity presented itself. This served to anger General Lewis Costanel, who vowed to take care of things himself upon hearing the news.

This would eventually lead to a split in the rebellion, with Lewis's group moving on to develop weapons to fight the invaders, while AAron's group would secretly make contact with Cyrus, the leader of the invader's military. This secret meeting would end in a pact that would eventually solidify Aaron as the first leader of the new government, while Lewis would go on to launch a massive attack against the invaders during a dust storm, nearly managing to kill uso.

When the dust settled, the point was driven home: It was pointless for the locals to fight back with weapons.

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White Lament

During YE 38 the Mothership "White Lament" would end up landing on 188604 looking for spare parts in a manner that most resembled an apocalyptic crash and robotic spider invasion. It seemed that the spacer ship had lost its organic crew, and was looking to harvest organs from the locals in order to rebuild its crew, luckily the spacer Codebreaker Arccos Two Three 52-9683-7587 who was part of the Ragnarok PMC was able to subdue the ship. Arccos would go on to become the appointed Sheriff of the planet and defacto captain of the White Lament

I'ee JTE

The I'ee Joint Technology Expedition would reach 188604 in the year YE 38. Where they were convinced to assist in developing the planet in exchange for Uso's help in defeating the NMX attacking the I'ee home system.

YE 38 Arc 2 [Star Wasp]

With the planet more or less secured from internal threats, uso turned her attention outward, building the relationships she'd need to develop the planet into something more substantial.

The Hate Machine

uso talked Codebreaker Arccos Two Three 52-9683-7587 into stealing the lighthouse from Freehold Factory, blowing up much of freehold in the process

Vekimen

uso, hearing about the new race of miners, struck a deal with the vekimen to provide resources in exchange for raising their profile on the galactic stage.

Wazu

uso convinced heram_j._wazu to assist the development effort, coercing him into sending Vier to assist with the development of the planet.

l'ee

The major goal during this time period was the liberation of the I'ee home system from the NMX. The Necromancer, a mercenary that carried with it much of the fighter and mecha available to

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usostarorganization went on a recon mission to the I'ee home system and was nearly destroyed by the NMX. It was able to limp back home for repairs, and the information it brought was used to formulate a plan of attack.

The next month was spent preparing, readying ships, missiles, mecha, fighters, and anything they could get their hands on for the fight at Ee'ee.

YE 39: Adventure Capital

It turns out that the USO isn't the only group out west trying to establish themselves. Between corporations and the https://stararmy.com/wiki/doku.php?id=faction:4th_elysian_celestial_empire the USO barely manages to fend off several plots to take over large swaths of the west.

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YE 39: 4x

The USO finally gets some breathing room, and starts spending time developing itself, producing new facilities, internal organizations, and conducting diplomacy

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YE 40: Bigger Problems

Excessive spending by Section 6 brings down the 188604 economy. Spacers come to 188604 looking to retake the lighthouse that was taken from them. Elysians start a fight with the NMX that sweeps up 188604. B7R is still filled with Rixxikor, the FSC is having problems staying afloat, Lazarus starts killing off USO's crew, and a plan is hatched to overthrow PsychoPomp.

All at the same time.

Before the end of the year, Candon manages to stabilize the economy using underhanded means. The ArcMark is upgraded with new features, becoming the main concern of those at the YE 40 IRC. The fight with the NMX draws to a conclusion with their breeding grounds destroyed, though alex discovers that the NMX are building up in a hidden phased pocket of space. Uso nearly gains control of PsychoPomp through corporate shenanigans and tanks their stock price by blowing up every PP facility she can find. Lazarus is forced into hiding and the FSC is hired to build massive new warships for the USO to help keep them afloat.

SEASON 2 YE: 40

The universe at large is starting to take note of the USO. The USO expands to the low tech level world of xuno, starts increasing its diplomatic efforts, and begins trying to put together a more professional

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organization.

The crbn_unit is tasked with helping put together that professionalism... though it often falls a bit short of that goal. With the help of mercinaries, freespacers, and the SRSS Yggdrasill, they set out to return Quartz, a girl rescued by the Yggdrasill earlier in the year, to her home.

Characters

Listed are the various characters that have appeared in the 188604 plot, broken up by arbitrarily defined 'seasons'

Season 2

Shown below are the characters active for Season 2 of the 188604 plot.

Uso's Crew				
Name	Role	Туре	Handle	player
uso	Fearless Leader	PC	'Your Highness', 'Empress Tyrantpants'	zack
stringmaster_fitz_56-5854-8581	Bard	PC		sirskully
datajack_stratus_42-1392-0989	Archivist	PC		retrofitstrawman
Section 6	•			•
jack_pine	Soldier-guy	PC	'mook'	jack_pine
crbn_unit			•	•
Green-Thumb	Leader-Type	NPC	Green-Thumb	
Green-Horn	FNG	NPC	Green-Horn	
Gin	Ex-Soldier	NPC	Silver	
Green-Bean	Leader-Type	NPC	Green-Bean	
SRSS Yggdrasill	·			-
yuki_toshiro	Yggdrasill's Captain	PC	'Cutie'	toshiro
Serenity	Toshiro Groupie	PC		sageshooter
Hired Muscle	·			
Z-9	Energetic Gun Turret	PC		primitive_polygon
frank	Tank	PC		esscast
Raven	Friend of Frank	PC		kitty
thaddeaus_maximus	Pretend Doctor	PC		spaceeye
dassau_terrins	Gun Haver	PC		sirskully
Spacecase Sync Seven Two 72-9823-1064 (Sparrow)	Brought his own ship	PC		ace
Tecuma Citlalli (Tech-hu-mah Sit-lol-e)	Bounty Hunger	PC		sageshooter

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Uso's Crew				
Ragnarok PMC				
Raphael Castiel	Uso's Right Hand	PC	'Raph'	gunhand4171
aashi_nath	Privateer Captain	PC		ametheliana
PsychoPomp		•	•	
Kristen Romanov				ace
Lazarus				jack_pine
Weiss				iq

Season 1

Shown below are characters that were active during season 1 of the plot, and may not be active now.

Uso's Crew				
uso	Fearless Leader	PC	'Your Highness', 'Empress Tyrantpants'	
Raphael Castiel	Uso's Right Hand	PC	'Raph'	needs art
errowyn_dreamchaser	Pilot	PC	aka 'Hellcat'	needs art
Harhui	Demolitions Expert	PC	aka 'Smalls'	Not Active
Ivory	Medic	NPC		needs art
Reginald Braith	Local General	NPC		
Tiberius 'Eight Ball' Aldrich	Pilot	PC		Not Active
Takimori Ronin	Mecha Pilot	PC		Left the Crew
aashi_nath	Privateer Captain	PC		Left the Crew
alex	Ex-Popsicle	PC	'New Boots'	
jack_pine	Soldier-guy	PC	'mook'	
Tacticus	Farm-bot	PC		
creature	Problem	PC	'Please leave' 'Go Away' 'Seriously this isn't my nickname for you, go away!'	
Uso's Business Associates				
Koga Akemi	Food and Tourism	PC		
Sute	Working girl	NPC		
ragnarok PMC				
Cyrus Marshal	Ragnarok's Leader	PC		needs art
ace	PMC Soldier	PC		needs art
corgan_garret	PMC Soldier	PC	'Corgi'	

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Uso's Crew				
Codebreaker Arccos Two Three 52-9683-7587	PMC Soldier	PC	'High Sheriff Arccos'	needs art
Scrabler	PMC Soldier	PC	needs art	
Rip D. Torr	PMC Medic	PC	Dr. Hardbody	Not Active
Tomblyn Ardane	PMC Soldier	PC		Not Active
Freespacers				
LargeGear Cloudy Truffleclub M447-8-09	PC	Giant Mushroom		
Spacecase Sync Seven Two 72-9823-1064 (Sparrow)	PC			
Buttonless Brigadiers				
Josward Braith	Head officer			
Mercenary Fleet	-	-	-	-
Ulysses S. Werner	Captain of the Necromancer			
Hazel Gehärtet Werner	Chief of the Aerospace Group (CAG)			
Locals				
Julie Osman	Young Princess	NPC	needs art	
Jacob Osman	Young Prince	NPC	Dead	
Serza Costanel	Head Nurse	NPC		
General Aaron Grant	NPC		needs art	
Rubi Kalan	PC		Left	
Celest	NPC			
General Lewis Costanel	NPC			
The Scientist	NPC			
The Procurer	NPC			
The Merchant	NPC			
azariel_nereopoulos	PC			
McLewski	NPC			
Tabernacle Smithee	Former Knight	NPC		
Olena Sands	Fighter Extraordinaire	NPC		
Kelly Buchanan	Buttonless Brigade Sheriff	NPC		
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Gut-Stripe	Fearless Leader	needs art		
Sammy	Ambassador	needs art		

Unsorted characters:

- Field Unit 46
- Ryoko Atsuhara

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- Adilis
- Adria
- Neera
- Sarah Pine
- Fiamma Pouncer
- Aras

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