

TARAZET CHARACTERS

FOR THE STAR FRONTIERS RPG



Characters for the Tarazet sci fi role play setting
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Morvanwin

Morvanwin is a very mystical woman. She is open to the way the universe moves. She was trained as a xenobiologist and later retrained as a xenoarchaeologist when her duties brought her more and more often into contact with the artefacts left behind by the various precursor races of the Tarazet universe. Her investigations have brought her into contact with a Tarazet vampire. For a human this is often a deadly experience, but Morvanwin and her companions, those that survived, managed to come out on top against

the vampire and escape with a certain very powerful artefact. Where this is now and what she needed it for are a matter of conjecture.

Morvanwin is one of the most talented readers of the Tarazet Tarot known in present times. Her advise is very sought after and other members of an outlying xnoarchaeological dig have often been surprised by visits from very important people to their humble dig to seek the council of a scruffy young woman in a dented space suit with a trowl in one hand and a brush in the other.

Star Frontiers Stats

Human Str/Sta 50 Dex/Rs 65 Int/Log 90 Per/Ildr 65 IM:+6 Punch:+3 RW 32 MW 32

Equip: Envirokit, laser pistol, Tarozet tarot deck, Albedo suit, inertia screen, standard equip pack

PSA Biosocial: Skills:beam weapon 4, environmental 6, xenolore 5, tarot 6, medical 3, robotics 3,



Sister Coltach

She is a very high official in the followers of the Blue Star. The Blue Star has spoken to her directly and she is absolutely dedicated to doing its bidding. The whims of the star can be contradictory and hard to decipher which makes Sister Coltach very hard to predict and impossible to rely on. The Blue Star has led her to

many finds of powerful precursor technology, the better for her to do its bidding, and opened her eyes to techniques of thinking that produce magical effects, (psionics). She has a robot bird with her at all times that resembles no living species as the birds it was modeled after by some strange alien race died out many centuries ago. The bird refuses to be reprogrammed with any language other than the one it used back then which force Sister Coltach to learn the language and this was apparently a heavy load on her sanity as it used non-Euclidian grammar, as she told her confessor. She also has a power sword and a collection of five thimble like devices on her right hand with which she can manipulate the building blocks of reality. Among other things she can create illusions, do disrupter damage, dismantle things from a distance and change the state of substances, freezing the blood in a victim's heart for example.



Brutan

An alien with a similar build to human, but a lot more teeth. He is a brute and an enforcer of the wishes of his masters. His masters are reputed to be the Tarazet Vampires and it is unknown where they found Brutan. His main claim to fame is his monstrous invulnerability. He has survived enough damage to kill most life forms of his size and density without even visible scarring, although he has been incapacitated while the healing process is in operation for anything

up to three days at a time.

He does not have any special equipment other than that given by his masters for each mission. His information is always on a need to know basis. He is impossible to bargain with, he will always obey the letter of his instructions.

He is a hulking henchman who is feared even by other hulking henchmen.



Captain Spiralcat

A “privateer” who is renowned throughout the Breach, an area of unstable space which forces starships out of hyperspace. There are a huge number of pirates operating in this area.

He has made his name through a mixture of feline savagery and old-fashioned honour that is unusual in modern times.

He is said to live by and run his ship by an old code of pirate rules that was in use among the pirates of the main space lanes of the Old Kingdom.

It is thought that he owes his success at least in part to an old star map of the breach that was created in ancient times and that can predict the chaotic currents of exotic particles that plague it. The map downloaded itself into a droid host and will only provide its help if the old codes are obeyed.



Dr. Fell

The robot mayor of Tarozet. He is an incredibly powerful piece of machinery. He contains no moving parts. He is something like a giant clock work device held together by an antigravity device and field generator of such complexity that watching his arms move or just his head turn from side to side can be hypnotising.

He was created a very, very long time ago by things that were certainly not human.

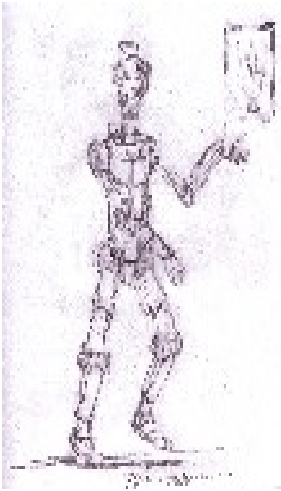
He is universally hated by the beings of Tarazet, who are constantly complaining about his off world policy.

Dr. Fell spends an awful lot of money on the various Tarazet space fleets, and it is not entirely clear what they are up to a lot of the time. The

space fleet admirals are often sent on long obscure missions to areas far away from Tarazet space and are most unhappy about it.

There are rumors that there is an even more alien and unpleasant power behind the doctor and that their goals are something which must be fought.

As Dr. Fell often jokingly says to visiting dignitaries, it's a good thing the position of Mayor of Tarazet is not elected.



Fortran

A friendly and spiritual robot who enjoys nothing more than sitting and discussing the meaning of life with drunken humans and other life forms while he generates a strong magnetic field near his CPU. He says it alters his consciousness in the same way as drinking does in humans.

He is brave and resourceful but not powerful. All his

—characteristics are strictly average. He has however done a lot of work on his own mind and programming, adding fuzzy logic filter after fuzzy logic filter and even a subconscious parallel processor that is self programming and uses individual photons to transmit data. Fortran believes that this opens the photons to the uncertainty principle and connects him to the collective unconscious.

He is learning the Tarazet tarot and he has come to the attention of a giant space going artificial intelligence who sees him as a test bed for such technology and supports and protects him.

This support is embarrassing to Fortran who hides it, and this support also makes it very dangerous to underestimate the little inoffensive looking robot.

Kaleen /7/44



Skrimshaw



Crabtree and Evelyn an interstellar archaeologist and her associate. Evelyn is the brains of the two and the leader of the various missions that the two have undertaken.