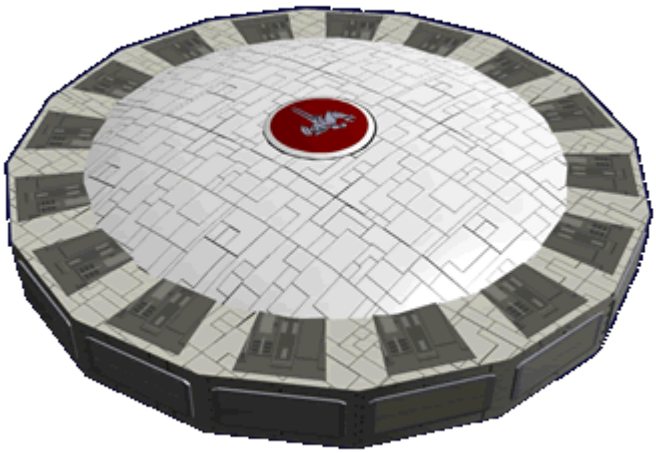
Chiharu no Iori

Chiharu Star Fortress, NK-X2-002, is an *Iori-Class Star Fortress*, and was transferred to the *Second Expeditionary Fleet* at the end of YE 31. *Chiharu Star Fortress* is named after Ketsurui Chiharu to honor the fallen Taisho.



Chiharu no Iori is currently positioned in the Veronica Military Sector. Its motto is *Persistence in Adversity*.

History

- YE 24 (?) Constructed and came online. Its registry number was YH-01. It was the first Iori-class Star Fortress.
- Originally part of the First Fleet, NK-S1-02, stationed in orbit above Yamatai (Planet).
- The YSS Miharu visited in in YE 30.
- During ninth month of YE 31 it was transferred to the *First Expeditionary Fleet* and relocated to Himiko System.
- At the end of YE 31 it was transferred to the *Second Expeditionary Fleet* and temporarily moved to UX-6 to rendezvous with Mikasa Sorano Taisho and the initial forces of the *2XF*.
- In the early days of YE 32 it arrived in the Daichi System system and placed into orbit over Daichi to serve as the temporary headquarters for the *2XF*.
- When Star Army Training Administration relocated to Veronica in the last half of YE 32, the star fortress was transferred and placed in orbit over Ronica (Planet) forming the Veronica Military Sector.
- YE 42 The station was part of the effort to refit of ships from the Depot to fight the Kuvexian Military.

About



Chiharu is the first Star Fortress assigned to the Second Expeditionary Fleet. It is one of the original *Iori-Class Star Fortresses*. During its service it has belonged to three different fleets as of this time.

Station Emblem



The emblem is relatively understated, the center of it consists of an image of an *Iori-Class Star Fortress* with the station motto across it.

Appearance

Chiharu is shaped like all *Iori-Class Star Fortress*. Basically a large flat disk more than thirteen kilometers across and three kilometers high. The most prominent feature of the station are the sixteen large enclosed bays that circle the outer edge of the station.

On-Base Food and Drink Options

Options for food and drink on this base.

- Flavor Of Victory (since YE 45)

Tokyo Brewing Company BrewPub

This Star Army Bases has an on-site vetted employee location of the Tokyo Brewing Company. It is a BrewPub location and its current menu is the Tokyo Brewing Company BrewPub Menu (YE 43). The location opened in YE 43.

Kikyo Pie Company

This Star Army Bases has an on-site vetted employee location of the Kikyo Pie Company. They offer delivery anywhere on base,

Businesses

- Aoi Hasu (Blue Lotus)
- Epicenter II

Temple

After the death of Ketsurui Chiharu in YE 25, Chiharu's memory became integrated with the spiritual beliefs of Yamatai. People have claimed to have felt her presence or to have seen her spirit guide them through battle or even to have seen her ghost.

The temple on board the Chiharu no Iori was created so that the faithful could commune and worship. It is a duplicate of the one on Yamatai (Planet). It is located in a large chamber that is six decks high and 300 meters in diameter. The floor is covered in plush grass, the ceiling is a volumetric display that provides a representation of the sky above the temple on Yamatai (Planet).

The temple itself is a typical Shinto Shrine. Along the Sandō a path of large white stepping stones lead towards a set of white marble benches set along a curve in the garden of bellflowers and short well trimmed Yamataian Yews. There is a large weeping willow tree set further back from the benches down a much less worn path with a thick straw rope and white zigzag shaped pieces of paper attached to it.

A holographic image of Chiharu on the bridge of her namesake ship where she was killed appears in the Haiden. While the Honden houses a golden statue of Chiharu bathed in light.

The priestesses and priests at the temple wear the traditional Ketsurui red.

Modifications

The *Chiharu* also received these upgrades in YE 32:

Emergency Services

- Permanent Star Army Emergency Services personnel and facilities were put in place.

Morale

- A number of Standard Star Army Post Offices dispersed around the station.
- A number of Star Army Ship's Stores located near the crew quarters.
- An Alterations and Embroidery store.
- There are several Star Army Barber Shops.
- A number of Warm and Sweet [[items:drinks:coffee Shop]] dispersed around the station.
- A number of Ramen to Go Shop were added YE 34.
- Several VCE Cafe were added in YE 34.
- A number of Meat On A Stick were added in YE 35.
- Kikyo Pie Company was added in YE 41.

Security Upgrades

- Type 31 Lifeform Detection System installed in critical sections.
- Forcefield-Nested Isolation Doors replaced standard shutters for critical areas.
- Ke-O9 T.O.R.I. hardware deployed in strategic areas.

Medical

- The original medical facility was expanded to a Star Army Standard Hospital Center.
- Two large Autonomous Medical Treatment Centers set up as triage centers.
- Type 30 Mental Transfer and Backup Unit were installed to replace the older version.

Equipment

- All applicable areas: Engineering, Fabrication, Vehicle Area, and Ship bays are now equipped with Star Army Tool Locker
- In YE 32 Star Army Escape Pod, Type 30s were installed to replace the KiS-2408es Escape Pod. This enhancement provided better systems and reduced the overall number of pods required for the station.

People

Crew

Position	Name	Rank	Species
Commander	Magnus, Gerard	Taisa	Yamataian (M)

Position	Name	Rank	Species
Chief of Security	Katai Eri	Chui	NH-17 Nekovalkyrja
Harbormaster	Sutton, Amanda	Taii	Yamataian (F)
Shipyard Chief	Gregg, Jason	Chui	Yamataian (M)
PANTHEON-IES	Kontan	n/a	AI

Compliment

- Crew: 23,000
- The station can support up to 475,000 NH-29 at any given time.

Inventory

This section provides information regarding equipment and materials stored aboard the *Chiharu no Iori*.

Starships

Chiharu has the following ships assigned to it:

- 12 Nozomi-class Scout which maintain a network of:
  - 20 Star Army FTL Sensor Drones *(Deployed)*
- 24 Kainushi-Class Tug Vessel for moving ships and cargo

Aerospace Vehicle Complement

Quantity	Nomenclature	Details
2,000	Ke-T4-1a Ke-T4 "Fox" Combat Aeroshuttle	
2,000	Ke-T8-1a Ke-T8 "Kuma" Multi-role Shuttle	
500	Ke-T7-1 Ke-T7 "Raccoon" Transport Shuttle	

Ground Vehicles

- 100 Ke-K1-1B Type 30 Light Utility Truck

Drones

- 25 Variable Configuration Mission Adaptive Drone - Space
- 50 "Mobile Spanner" Drone - maintenance
- 200 EM-J4 MARI Series Drone - maintenance

Power Armor

Quantity	Nomenclature	Details
50,000	Ke-M2-2a Ke-M2-2D "Mindy II" Power Armor	

Defense Fleet

The following ships are assigned to the Defense of *Chiharu*.

Name	IRN	Class	Commander	Status/Remarks
YSS Dagger	NS-X2-240	Nozomi-class Scout	Isa Arata - Taii	Active
YSS Avenger	NS-X2-241	Nozomi-class Scout	Domen Aya - Taii	Active
YSS Crusader	NS-X2-242	Nozomi-class Scout	Jin Mai - Taii	Active
YSS Walker	NS-X2-243	Nozomi-class Scout	Mizuno Tatsuya - Taii	Active
YSS Pathmaker	NS-X2-244	Nozomi-class Scout	Shimoda Toshi - Taii	Active
YSS Wayfinder	NS-X2-245	Nozomi-class Scout	Tengan Yuu - Taii	Active
YSS Shower	NS-X2-258	Midori-Class Scout Ship	-	*Awaiting Crew*
YSS Lightning	NS-X2-259	Midori-Class Scout Ship	-	*Awaiting Crew*
YSS Thunder	NS-X2-260	Midori-Class Scout Ship	-	*Awaiting Crew*
YSS Omen	NS-X2-261	Midori-Class Scout Ship	-	*Awaiting Crew*
YSS Portend	NS-X2-262	Midori-Class Scout Ship	-	*Awaiting Crew*
YSS Oracle	NS-X2-263	Midori-Class Scout Ship	-	*Awaiting Crew*

Star Army Bases & Facilities	
Type	Star Fortress
Location	Veronica
Description	Fleet Base
Organization	Second Expeditionary Fleet

Places of the SARPiverse	
Place Categories	city, military facility, space station

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