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128 Southwest Planes Grounded

Skylar Astin

The US carrier Southwest Airlines, the world's largest low-cost carrier, announced grounding 128 planes on Tuesday because the planes had not be adequately inspected.

Company spokesperson Brandy King explained backup hydraulic systems of 128 of the company's Boeing 737-700s should have been inspected sooner. The systems overdue for inspection back up the main rudder control systems.

The lack of inspections was discovered when a photograph taken from a plane taxiing on the runway at Dulles showed graffiti with symbols written on the landing gear and hydraulic systems. In the course of normal maintenance, those kinds of markings would have been cleaned up or painted over, said industry experts.

King said the the incident is inadvertent and emphasized the airline's commitment to safety. The airline decided to ground the planes involved in the missed inspections and notified the authorities.

As of last year, Southwest Airlines' fleet had around 665 Boeing 737s. The uninspected planes incident involves about twenty percent of its fleet, and caused the airline to cancel about 80 flights on Tuesday, with possibly another 19 cancellations yesterday.

The grounded planes have been diverted to several airports around the country, including Nashville International Airports, where 17 of the planes sit awaiting inspection. Engineers have been dispatched to perform the inspection and should clear the planes by the middle of next week.

Following the airline's actions, the Federal Aviation Administration ruled grounding of the planes is not mandatory provided inspections are completed within five days.

With a Serial Animal Abuser, Metro forces prepare



Metro Police and Metro Animal Care and Control have started a joint task force to help discover and arrest the individual or individuals responsible for the recent carcasses of animals found in town.

Animal Abuse may be Spreading

Briga Heelan

A large number of animal corpses were discovered in the middle of downtown Nashville, echoing the incidents in Berry Hill, leading authorities to fear copycat or organized abusers are now involved. A joint task force has been created, led by Metro Animal Care and Control officer Louis Tey.

"We are seeking the assistance of the public to report any individuals who may have been connected to these events," said Tey

The recent case in downtown was discovered in the rear parking lot of the Holiday Inn Express. Sources say that the carcasses were mutilated and arranged in a ritual fashion.

Call (814) 889-8845 to report tips.

Garth Brooks Performs Concert

Rory Scovel

A surprise, unannounced concert lasting slightly over an hour was the first performance by singer Garth Brooks in Nashville in over four years.

The famed musician played twelve songs at Marathon Music Works.

Tonight's Picks

Music: Glenn Rose / Schermerhorn Ctr.

Cheap: Bean Fest/Centennial Pk

Odd: UFO Watch / Warner Park



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STREET RUMORS

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Don't forget to read the newspaper for the PUBLIC news to look into!

Did you see the stuff airing out of East Nashville on channel 4? Hipsters are getting old TVs with rabbit ears to watch.

There's a heavily reblogged tumblr with photos of those strange numbers showing up around town. And they have predictions associated with them. I wonder who is translating them?

Animal bodies are piling up in Berry Hill. And you know what? I'm pretty sure there's somebody to blame. At night you see people wandering around. Keep your eyes open for suspicious characters. Especially at night.

The Knife and Gun show out of Cincinnati are still running their show at the fairgrounds, teaching self defense and having marksmanship competitions. It sounds like a good time.



KINDRED RUMORS

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Who was responsible for stopping the construction of the diner? And what did the buildings there signify?

There are changes occurring within the Invictus. Nashville is seen as an increasingly important city, and they want information and an eye on what goes on here.

With a polarized city between the Invictus and Carthians, it means both will be courting the Ordo and the Circle. The Lancea seem to have withdrawn to their prayers for this round.

The Mad Prince is active in the city again, and the Invictus has power. Coincidence? Or are they preparing to control more and more?

Owen was spotted skulking around the city. If there's a conspiracy, he's in it. Damn Ordo.

The Carthians have stabilized under their new form of governance. They seem to be a more active group than the old structure.

I hear there are a ton of old books buried where the Str... er... owls were. Who got them? Are they still there?

With lots of changes, I wonder if anybody is going to claim themselves as Regent over any thing or place?

The smell of ants has leveled off in the Cacophony.

PREVIOUSLY...

Chapter 32, Game 2: Isn't it a Pity?

Investigation into Berry Hill revealed a strong probability that the animal mutilation was a Strix setting up local vampires to be caught by authorities, or lead hunters toward the city.

Chapter 32, Game 1: Strike up the Band

Invictus brought charges against several Kindred regarding Masquerade violations. Meanwhile, Owen did something, flipped over a rock, or otherwise engaged in super secret conspiracy shit, and wound up handcuffed to a chair in a basement. The Circle of the Beast summoned an army of feral Kindred to flatten Nashville. Meeting them near the dam, Paulene offered to give up her place in the city to act as a city mentor for the Circle of the Beast.

Raz found cool rocks. And made something – *terrifying* – with them.

Finally, Chico, Paulene, and Owen presented themselves to the city at Elysium, announcing their retirement from the active Danse Macabre and visible city affairs. Victor was appointed Master of Elysium, and Kai claimed Heirophant of the Circle of the Crone.

THEY HAVE RETURNED.

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FEEDING RESISTANCE: 5

Do a hunting draw, subtract the above from your pool. Success: start full. Failure: start down five or twice your blood potency, whichever is larger. You may run a feeding scene to "top off".

If you are unaligned, add three