

WASP QUESTIONS RE-MAIN

FCN, Seattle, UCAS

Lone Star continues release snippets of information regarding the Wasp sightings of earlier this month. Many key questions remain, including the number of spirits involved, whether or not a queen or shaman was involved, and whether we can expect more attacks. For now, the public is forced to rely on rumors, and what little information Lone Star has released.

Here's what we know: On the night of the 20th, at least 8 spirits were sighted entering a warehouse just north of downtown. Awakened eye-witnesses say that at least 6 mages projected to the site and entered the building. A number of spirits, presumably summoned by Lone Star mages quickly cordoned off the area. Shortly afterwards, Lone Star helicopters destroyed the warehouse.

Lone Star has only issued short statements since then. An initial press conference confirmed the reports of Wasp sightings, and stated that they had the situation under control. When questioned why the garrison at Fort Lewis was not being activated, Lone Star asserted they had the situation under control: "This is not an outbreak. There is no need to panic." They have since denied that they suffered any casualties. They have released the identification of the shaman, Diego Yamaguchi, who was killed at the warehouse nest site.

Lone Star's silence is becoming a cause of increasing concern. Governor Strouthers has expressed "grave concerns" with Lone Star's handling of the matter. Local stores have been unable to keep insecticide in stock. At least four people have been killed from accidental poisoning, and there have been reports of several suspected wasps being arrested by Lone Star officers.

- > Wow. In other news, this reporter will never be working again. Not only can they not write, but they don't appear to know who butters their bread. The Star's PR types don't take kindly to questioning their spin. Particularly when they are trying to keep questions to a minimum. Typical that they don't even think of actually answering any of those questions.
- > Pyrwatcher
- > Wait...this isn't an April Fool's joke? Oh, frag me.
- > Techm0nkey

CHARGES FILED FOR LCCS ACCIDENT

DFW Morning News

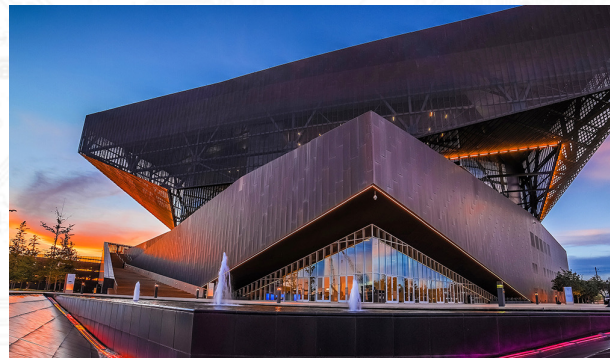
Charges have been filed against the planners of last weekend's concert at the Las Colinas Convention Center (LCCS). Gavin Elliot, CEO of Final Stage Productions, LLC, which was responsible for the concert, and three of his employees have been charged. The stage collapse resulted in 17 being hospitalized, several with serious injuries. Two victims remain in critical condition.

The collapse has been attributed to substandard equipment, as well as use of illegal undocumented laborers in the assembly of the stage. According to a statement by ADA

Mullins, "This tragedy could have easily been avoided, if Final Stage Productions hadn't decided to put profits over their customers. It's time we put a stop to this kind of reckless behavior."

- > Who would have thought it? Cutting corners creating a safety hazard? I am shocked. Shocked!
- > MEESA
- > What is shocking is that the prosecutors are trying to pierce the corporate veil. They must be really torqued off to not just take a few bribes and walk.
- > Whitehat
- > Check the hospital register – note that they share the last name with the ADA for Dallas County.
- > Youarebeingliedto
- > Nice catch. Turns out Mullins can move fast when he wants to.
- > Whitehat

The concert happened as the final social event of the North Texas Wedding Planners Association Expo, which was held at the LCCS for over two decades. The head of the NTWPA has not indicated if they intend to change venues in the future.



- > If I find out one of you fraggers had something to do with this... this has completely fragged my plans for this summer.
- > Ain't Tellin'
- > I'm not sure what disturbs me more - that this has messed with a job you have in the works...or that AT is getting married.
- > Foxdale
- > Check the sig.
- > Ain't Tellin'

OTHER NEWS

Wilmington, Delaware, UCAS – At least two tons of novacoke have been intercepted off the coast of Delaware, bound for markets in the UCAS. In addition to the drugs, with an estimates street value of ¥2 billion, 11 suspected traffickers have arrested. This marks the latest and largest bust in a string of recent intercepts off the UCAS coast.

- > Well, this has to be an April Fool's joke. Someone was smuggling 2 billion in novacoke into Delaware?
- > Techm0nkey