Sports Authority Files for Bankruptcy Protection

NEW YORK — Sports Authority is filing for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection.

The retailer said Wednesday that it plans to close or sell about 140 stores and two distribution centers, in Denver and Chicago. The Englewood, Colorado, company has 463 stores in 41 states and Puerto Rico. The store closings are expected to take up to three months.

The hot e-commerce app Wish has “hundreds of millions of users” (plus other fascinating stats)

"...We’d been eager to learn more about Wish — an e-commerce mobile app that has raised nearly $600 million from investors — as Szulczewski hasn’t talked often with the press or shared much hard information about the company. .. " Read more… Well worth reading. Prof. K.

The skylight in the main hall of the hub, designed by Santiago Calatrava.

A Soaring Symbol of a Boondoggle

By MICHAEL KIMMELMAN

The World Trade Center Transportation Hub, opening Thursday, gives the city an Instagram-ready attraction and the most expensive train station ever.