

# THE SPACE COWBOY

*World's most phenomenal record breaker!*



Who is The Space Cowboy?



" As an extreme performance artist I strive to create and master the world's most unusual and dangerous acts. There is nothing I love more than proving the impossible is possible!

Many of my acts are death defying and shocking but don't be alarmed, I take great care in preparation and training for every stunt that I do".

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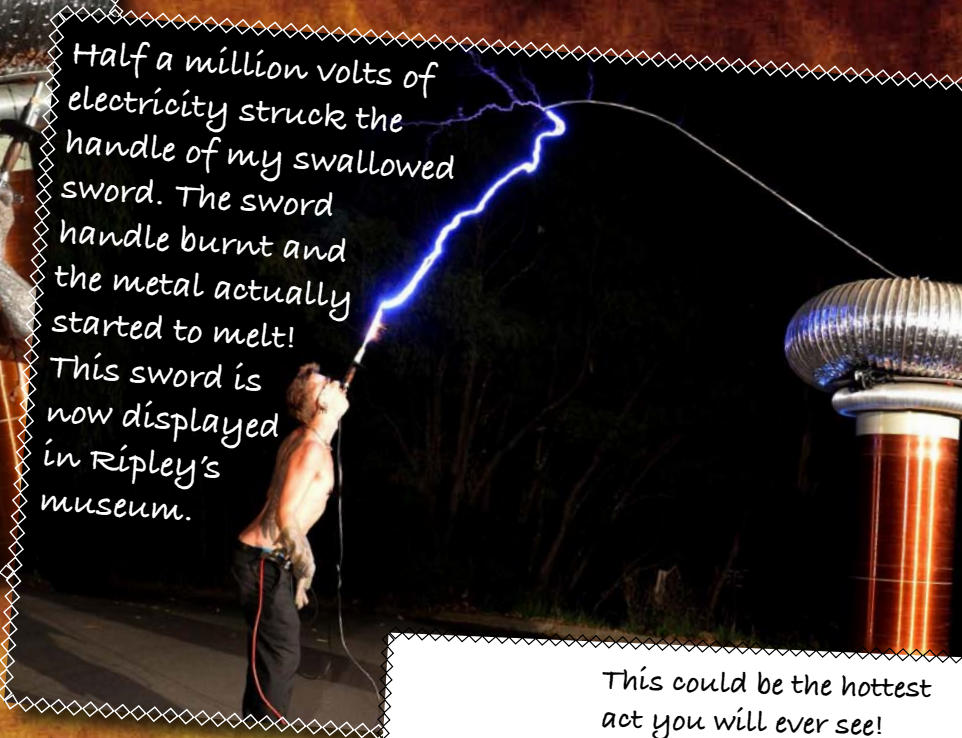


Feeling triumphant  
with Peter Teren  
AKA: Dr. Electric  
and his giant  
Tesla Coil.



## ELECTRIFYING & DEATHDEFYING!

Half a million volts of  
electricity struck the  
handle of my swallowed  
sword. The sword  
handle burnt and  
the metal actually  
started to melt!  
This sword is  
now displayed  
in Ripley's  
Museum.

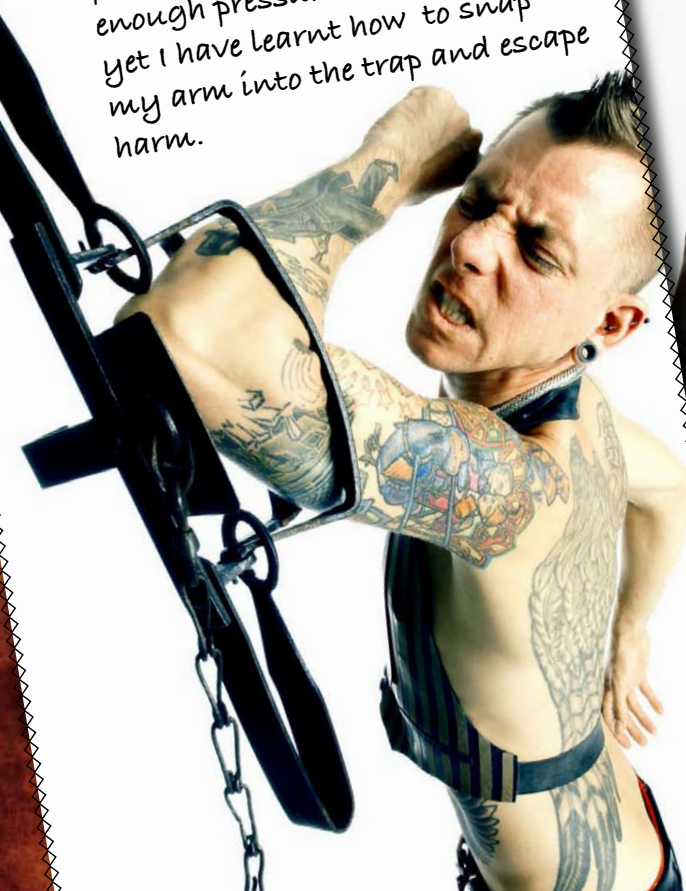


When I received this award for  
'Longest man-made lightning bolt  
to strike the handle of a swallowed sword,' my total count  
was 44 official Guinness World Records, making me  
'Australia's Most Prolific World Record Breaker!  
But wait...my future plans get crazier yet!  
Swallowing swords is a dangerous business, at least 29  
deaths have been recorded as a result of sword swallowing  
injuries since 1880. Warning! Don't try this at home!

This could be the hottest  
act you will ever see!  
Extinguishing a  
propane torch on the  
tongue with flames  
reaching 1,995 degrees  
Celsius.



This bear trap snaps at 2,000  
pounds per square inch. That's  
enough pressure to shatter bones  
yet I have learnt how to snap  
my arm into the trap and escape  
harm.



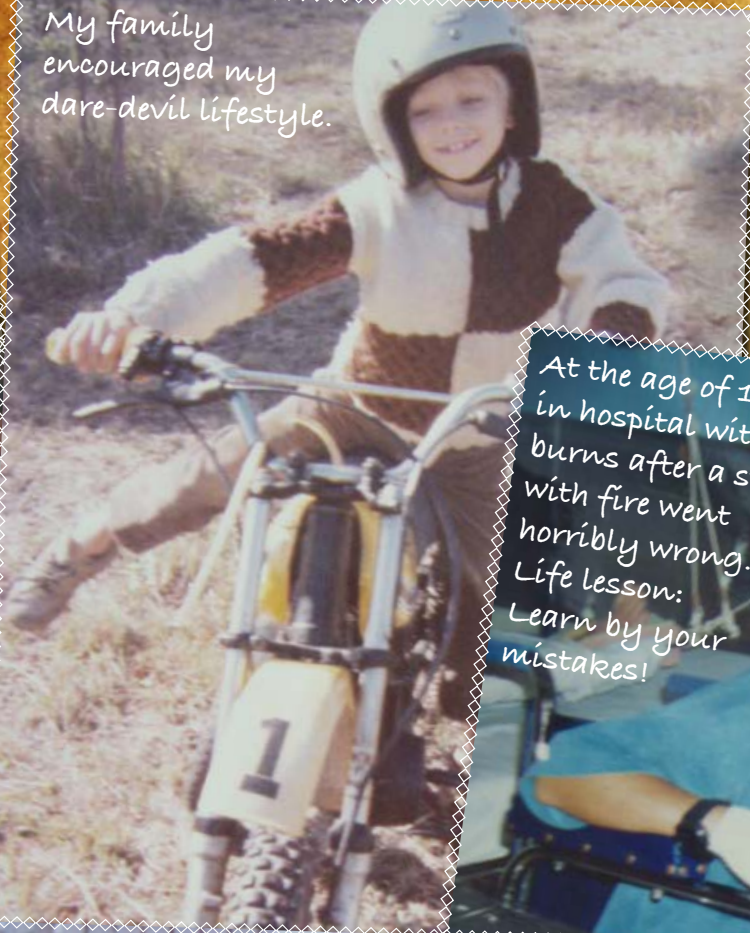
Sword swallowing dates  
back to over 4,000 years.  
Swallowing a spinning  
drill is just one of my  
modern twists on this  
ancient art.





I was born in Byron Bay Australia and I always knew I would be an Entertainer. As a kid, I loved reading the 'Guinness Book of Records' and being inspired by it's extraordinary characters. My sister had a unicycle that I learnt to ride, my Dad taught me to juggle and by the time I was eight, I was performing my new found circus skills at the local markets. The smiles and applause encouraged my growing obsession of learning more unusual skills. My Mum made me a small straight jacket that I learned to escape from and my dare-devil career began. I devoured Houdini books and researched history's greatest magicianns. I gained a passion for mentalism and mind magic practising spoon bending and practising reading minds of anyone I could. I was seventeen when I left home on my my first world tour and I joined 'The kamikaze Freakshow', in Scotland. This crazy punk/ anarchistic Freak Show opened my eyes to the world of the truly bizarre. It was like a dark and twisted living tour of a Ripley's Believe It Or Not book! I never looked back! I have now travelled the globe many times and delighted audiences in over 40 countries, appeared on television shows and gained over 20 million Youtube hits! I am featured in the 'Guinness World Records' and 'Ripley's Believe It Or Not' books and TV shows and I have my own statue in the 'Ripley's Beleive It Or Not' museums. All this started from a very humble beginning and a passion to entertain and inspire and awesome encouraging parents that always had my back.

My family encouraged my dare-devil lifestyle.



At the age of 13 I spent 2wks in hospital with 3rd degree burns after a stunt with fire went horribly wrong. Life lesson: Learn by your mistakes!



I won my first street performing competition when I was just 11 years old.



I have been a vegetarian all of my adult life. I love animals.

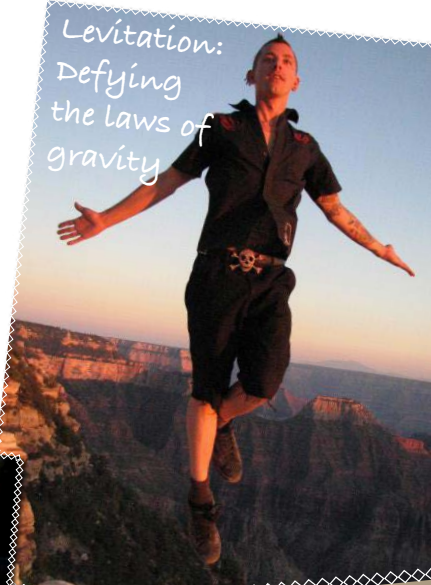
All through my childhood my family fostered and rehabed sick or wounded native animals.





# MIRACULOUS MENTAL MARVELS PERFORMED BY THE MASTERMIND OF MODERN MYSTERY.

Mentalism is the art of performing what some people believe is supernatural powers. By using a combination of intuition, suggestion, physical and mental abilities I am able to perform some of the most direct and precise mind reading demonstrations found in the world today. I'm a master of telekenesis bending and twisting metal objects without any apparent physical force. I can make spoons or glass bend in spectators hands literally before their eyes.



Levitation:  
Defying  
the laws of  
gravity



Reading minds  
Sightless vision

Here I am debunking so-called 'Psychic surgery' In these gory photos above I am debunking so-called 'Psychic Surgery' from the Philippines. Sleight of hand and animal blood and guts are used to convince people that they are being healed. The sick and vulnerable spend \$1000's on this shameful hoax.



Bending spoons, bending minds





# WORLD CHAMPION STREET PERFORMER!

When performing on the street I like to get the biggest crowd as possible so I usually start with my double whip cracking to make a lot of noise. When a whip cracks the tip of the whip is breaking the sound barrier, it's a miniature sonic boom! Now that I have their attention, I shock and amaze with some of my sword swallowing skills just to get them screaming! I usually like to finish with an act on my giant unicycle, this way even the people all the way in the back can see the show. On the unicycle I have loads of acts and stunts to choose from, Blindfolded axe juggling, playing with fire, one of my favorite acts on the tall unicycle is chainsaw juggling! I have performed on the street in over 40 countries and I still love it however these days I usually perform my street show officially booked at amazing festivals around the world. I have received many awards for my street show including the 'People's Choice Award' at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival and three times winner of the 'Street Performance World Championships' held in Dublin, Ireland. I also love to break Guinness World Record stunts on the street because I thrive on the raw reactions I get from the crowds. Street theatre is for the people, rich or poor, it is for anyone and everyone who walks by and I think that is why I love it so much. It can change an ordinary day into something unforgettable!

Average audience reaction



3x Winner of the 'Street Performance World Championships'

That's the fastest way to get iron in your system!

Down the hatch without a scratch!





## CUTTING EDGE ENTERTAINMENT!

I am currently the only person in the world crazy enough to juggle a running chainsaw on a unicycle! These chainsaws are designed to chop down trees, they are not made for juggling and that makes this stunt very dangerous and difficult indeed! During one of my appearances on the Chinese Guinness World Record TV show I received the world record this stunt, & catches of the chainsaw whilst juggling!





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# Mutant Barnyard Sideshow Wonderland



A PASSION FOR THE STRANGE!



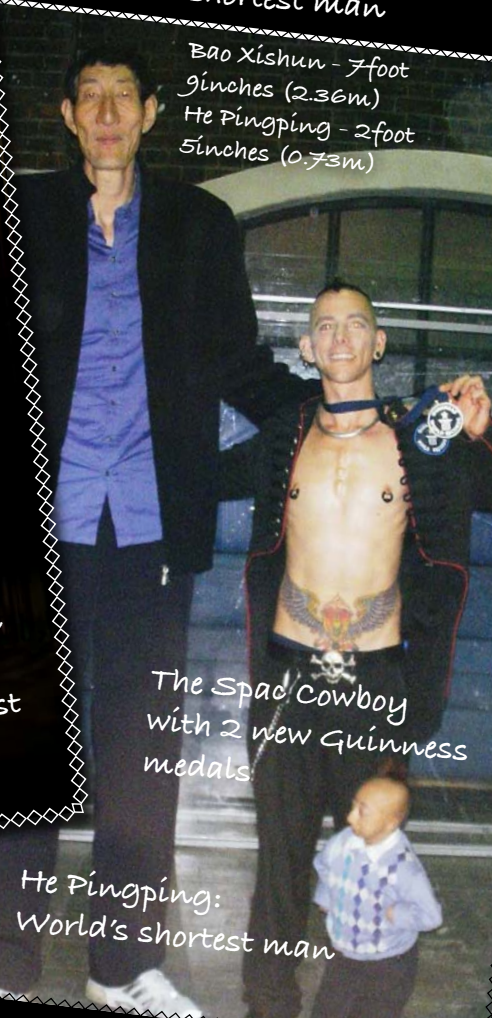
One of the best things about my job is that I get to meet and perform with the world's strangest people. Their courage, commitment, talent and strengths continue to encourage my passion to follow my dreams. Now my life is like one of the books that inspired me as a child!

One of my favorite freaks to perform with is Erik Sprague AKA: The LizardMan.

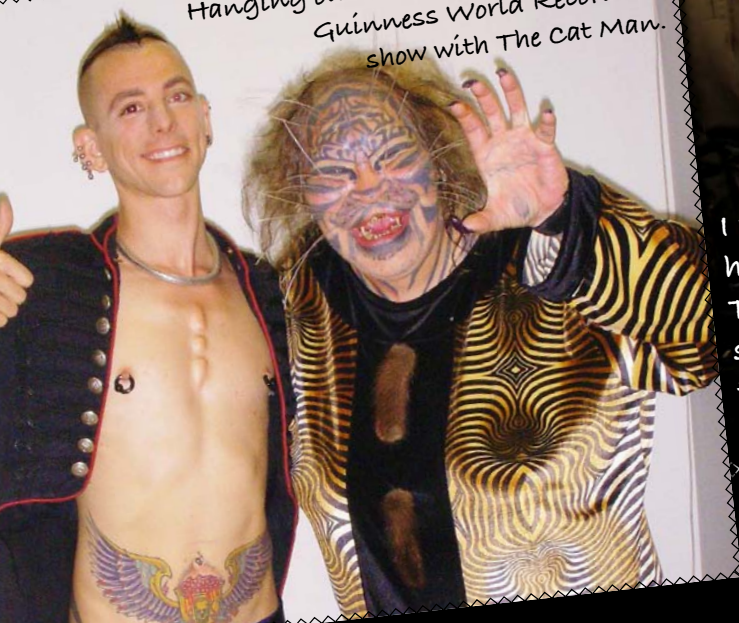


Hanging out with the world's tallest and shortest man

Bao Xishun - 7foot 9inches (2.36m)  
He Pingping - 2foot 5inches (0.73m)



Hanging out backstage at an Italian Guinness World Record TV show with The Cat Man.



I regularly fly him from his home town in Austin Texas, USA to attempt some world records or just to perform some crazy stunts with me.

The Spad Cowboy with 2 new Guinness medals

He Pingping: World's shortest man





Two headed crow born with three legs!



This is my private collection of curiosities! I have had a strong love of nature and science for as long as I can remember and my particular interest is mutations and oddities. So I started collecting anything that I could find that I thought was truly unique. I'm especially intrigued by anatomy and mutations, like creatures born with extra heads or limbs, but unfortunately most of these strange animals do not survive long, if at all. The ones that don't survive I have preserved for my collection. Some of these oddities you can now see in my travelling Museum of Wonders 'The Mutant Barnyard'. When you come inside you can meet Daisy & Maisy the genuine 2 headed calf, Dido the double bodied duckling, a double faced piglet with four ears and six legs, an albino Kangaroo, real human shrunken heads, tribal elongated skulls and much more! Some of my oddities are also on display in Ripley's Believe It Or Not Museums!



Two headed albino Python. 5 years old.



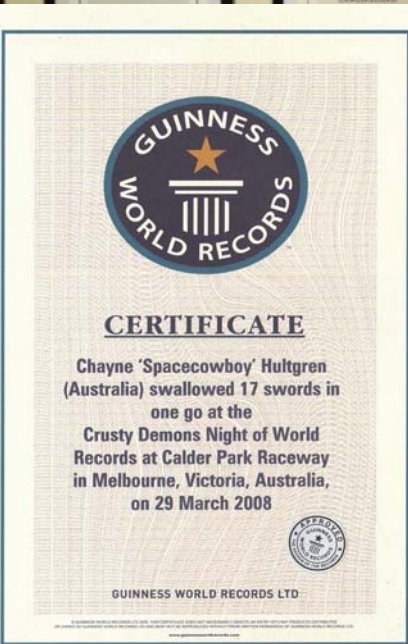
Two headed turkey



King & Elvis: The largest two headed bird to survive in Australia. Lived full term.



# My wall at home



The number of certificates on my walls at home is ever expanding. Achieving my goals has become such a rush for me, the focus and dedication is like a form of meditation.

Swallowing 25 swords at once!



In 2008 at a big motorcycle stunt show called 'Crusty Demon's Night of World Records', I broke my first world record. The record that I broke was for swallowing 17 swords at the same time! Later in that same show I smashed another record this time for 'Most weight suspended from a swallowed sword', I lifted 22.4kg metal canisters from the blade swallowed down my throat! After that I was hooked with the record breaking bug. In 2012 I officially broke my own record for most swords swallowed by swallowing 25 swords all at once. Before I can perform this record I need to stretch my throat for 3 days with rubber hoses!



# A SHARP ACT TO FOLLOW!

While performing my third season at the Sydney Opera House in 2006 I wanted to do a big publicity stunt to attract the crowds. So I decided to attempt the World's first underwater sword swallow. I thought if I am going to attempt this I want make it big so why not do it in a tank filled with live sharks and sting rays! I contacted the Manly Ocean world Aquarium in Sydney and to my surprise they agreed to let me do it. A few weeks later I was swimming with the sharks and the rest is history. I now hold the world record for swallowing 3 swords at the same time while completely submerged under water... I believe this is just the beginning of a whole new discipline of the ancient art of sword swallowing and I look forward to seeing where it goes from here.



New underwater sword swallowing record. 3 swords swallowed at once!



2013



2006

Making history: World's first underwater sword swallow!

Underwater escape!



2016



The pen is mightier  
than the sword,  
but the sword goes  
down further!

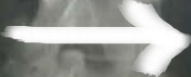
This is an X-Ray of me swallowing a Samurai sword with a blade length of 72cm long! I was born with an internal deformation of my stomach that enables me to swallow a blade approximately 15 to 20cm longer than any other sword swallower. The sword goes down my throat, past my heart, past my lungs and into the pit of my stomach. I use meditation and internal isolation to mentally control muscles inside my body that are usually involuntary. I literally need to push vital organs aside to make a straight passage for the sword. When I swallow multiple swords I can see and feel the handles pulsing because they are pushing against my heart.

Another day,  
another dagger!"



This is one of the bronze statues of me that is on display in the 'Ripley's Believe It Or Not' museums. Inside this statue are actual swords that I swallowed! My body was cast to make this bronze replica as accurate as possible.

72cm deep!





# LIVING LIFE ON A RAZOR EDGE

Lifting 2x 25 liter  
beer kegs from a  
sword swallowed  
down my throat!



Attempting the world record for fastest arrow caught while blindfolded!  
This arrow complete with sharp metal tip was shot from a 40 pound  
compound bow. As soon as I hear the click of the bow I have .003  
seconds to react, start moving my body in the flow of the arrow  
and clench my fist to attempt the catch. This stunt relies on  
speedy reaction and intuition.



Swallowing three swords while  
riding a giant unicycle! This  
photo can be seen in the Guinness  
book!



One of the many publicity photo shoots I have  
been involved in for the Guinness Record Book



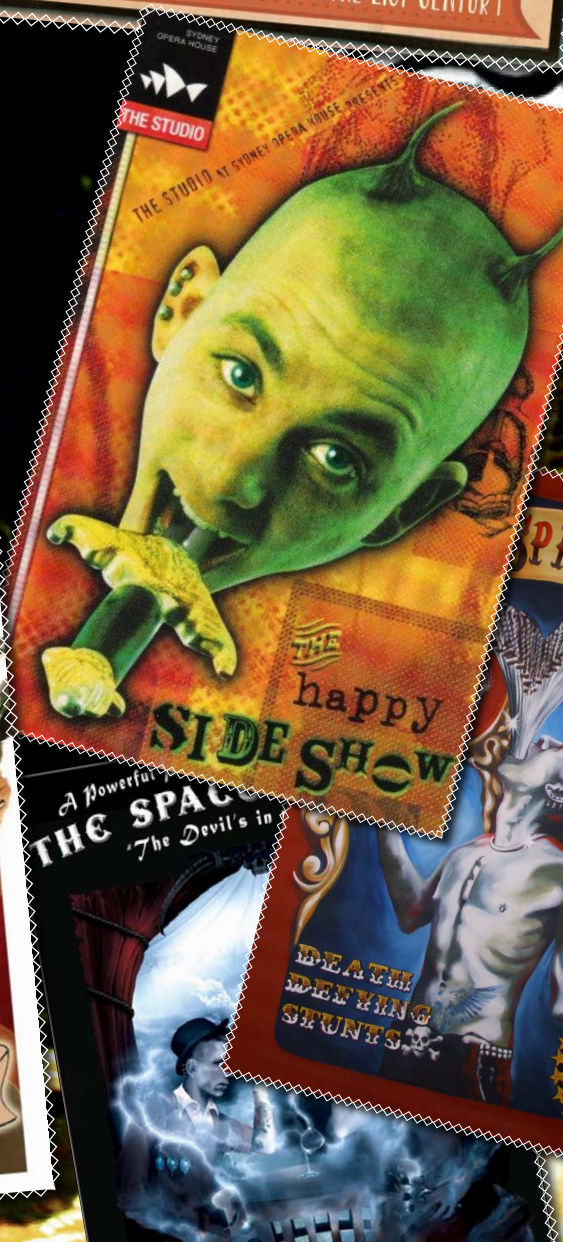


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