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00:00:05,950 --> 00:00:13,679
welcome to the skeptic zone the podcast

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00:00:09,099 --> 00:00:13,679
from Australia for science and reason

3
00:00:22,469 --> 00:00:28,028
hello and welcome to the soggy Zone

4
00:00:25,300 --> 00:00:31,300
episode that's the skeptic sound really

5
00:00:28,028 --> 00:00:35,140
but it's soggy it is soggy wet windy

6
00:00:31,300 --> 00:00:36,939
rainy storms and I don't know what else

7
00:00:35,140 --> 00:00:39,030
is happening in Sydney at the moment

8
00:00:36,939 --> 00:00:43,299
this is the skeptics on episode number

9
00:00:39,030 --> 00:00:45,579
398 for the fifth of June 2016 I think

10
00:00:43,299 --> 00:00:49,448
Noah's Ark just just floated by my

11
00:00:45,579 --> 00:00:52,929
window it is pouring in Sydney we're

12
00:00:49,448 --> 00:00:57,689
having one of those record rain events

13
00:00:52,929 --> 00:00:59,978
here making everything very damp indeed

14
00:00:57,689 --> 00:01:02,588
you can probably hear the rain out the

15
00:00:59,978 --> 00:01:04,328
window as I speak so for those of you

16
00:01:02,588 --> 00:01:06,908
listening in Sydney and the whole east

17
00:01:04,328 --> 00:01:10,359
coast of Australia at the moment I hope

18
00:01:06,909 --> 00:01:13,509
you can stay dry coming up on this week

19
00:01:10,359 --> 00:01:16,840
show more of Perak on the paranormal

20
00:01:13,509 --> 00:01:19,060
convention which I attended last weekend

21
00:01:16,840 --> 00:01:22,630
with our reporter Maynard I was very

22
00:01:19,060 --> 00:01:24,129
pleased to go along and give a talk this

23
00:01:22,629 --> 00:01:27,009
week may not we'll be interviewing

24
00:01:24,129 --> 00:01:30,879
Cheryl gotcha who is the president of

25
00:01:27,010 --> 00:01:35,620
the UFO research our group in Queensland

26
00:01:30,879 --> 00:01:37,929
a very interesting in a very interesting

27
00:01:35,620 --> 00:01:40,030
interview I think you'll find he also

28
00:01:37,930 --> 00:01:42,190
chats to some delegates going along and

29

00:01:40,030 --> 00:01:45,609
a really interesting character who was

30
00:01:42,189 --> 00:01:48,158
there by the name of Calvin von crush

31
00:01:45,609 --> 00:01:49,900
and Calvin all the way from the United

32
00:01:48,159 --> 00:01:53,290
States brought along with him a

33
00:01:49,900 --> 00:01:56,409
selection of bizarre paranormal

34
00:01:53,290 --> 00:01:58,659
memorabilia now Calvin is not a believer

35
00:01:56,409 --> 00:02:01,150
oh no and he makes that pretty clear in

36
00:01:58,659 --> 00:02:03,219
the interview but what a collection he

37
00:02:01,150 --> 00:02:06,250
had he had sort of funny sort of shunkan

38
00:02:03,219 --> 00:02:09,008
skulls and odd clippings from historical

39
00:02:06,250 --> 00:02:11,469
paranormal goings-on anyway find out

40
00:02:09,008 --> 00:02:14,048
more about Calvin von crush and those

41
00:02:11,469 --> 00:02:15,848
other people going up in maynard spooky

42
00:02:14,049 --> 00:02:19,599
action but before we get that I'll give

43
00:02:15,848 --> 00:02:21,158

a little sort of an editorial about some

44

00:02:19,598 --> 00:02:23,859

of these things on this week's show

45

00:02:21,158 --> 00:02:26,789

anyway after that it's Heidi Robertson

46

00:02:23,860 --> 00:02:29,660

the raw skeptic with a report on the

47

00:02:26,789 --> 00:02:32,629

shameful and disgraceful behave

48

00:02:29,659 --> 00:02:34,639

of a group of anti-vaxxers at a public

49

00:02:32,629 --> 00:02:36,560

talk in Western Australia just about a

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00:02:34,639 --> 00:02:40,399

week ago see what happens when a group

51

00:02:36,560 --> 00:02:43,580

of anti-vaxxers disrupts a public

52

00:02:40,400 --> 00:02:45,439

meeting and again I'll be talking more

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00:02:43,580 --> 00:02:47,960

about that in a moment into my little

54

00:02:45,439 --> 00:02:49,939

editorial then to round off the show

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00:02:47,960 --> 00:02:52,610

it's a bit of fun from skeptics in the

56

00:02:49,939 --> 00:02:55,849

pub here in Sydney where I ask the big

57

00:02:52,610 --> 00:02:57,830

question about alien contact here on

58
00:02:55,849 --> 00:03:00,409
earth a little bit of lightheartedness

59
00:02:57,830 --> 00:03:02,960
to end up the skeptic zone this week a

60
00:03:00,409 --> 00:03:04,549
big thank you to all the people here in

61
00:03:02,960 --> 00:03:07,189
Sydney who came along to hear me talk

62
00:03:04,550 --> 00:03:10,520
just last night at the Australian

63
00:03:07,189 --> 00:03:13,550
skeptics dinner meeting I together with

64
00:03:10,520 --> 00:03:15,710
the Lynn Kelly wonderful lady Lynn Kelly

65
00:03:13,550 --> 00:03:19,010
wonderful skeptic we gave a talk about

66
00:03:15,710 --> 00:03:21,650
secrets of the psychics and I got a

67
00:03:19,009 --> 00:03:25,250
really tip my hat to James Randi once

68
00:03:21,650 --> 00:03:27,280
again so many of the examples I was

69
00:03:25,250 --> 00:03:29,870
discussing and showing to the audience

70
00:03:27,280 --> 00:03:32,569
revolved around various things James

71
00:03:29,870 --> 00:03:35,000
Randi has done over the years now before

72
00:03:32,569 --> 00:03:36,560
we get on to me nods report and Heidi's

73
00:03:35,000 --> 00:03:39,110
report which are the important things

74
00:03:36,560 --> 00:03:41,150
coming up in this week's episode it

75
00:03:39,110 --> 00:03:45,080
occurred to me as I was putting the show

76
00:03:41,150 --> 00:03:49,480
together this week but what a what a

77
00:03:45,080 --> 00:03:54,110
connection there is in a way between the

78
00:03:49,479 --> 00:03:58,009
between the UFO believers and their ilk

79
00:03:54,110 --> 00:04:02,150
and the anti-vaxxers now what I mean by

80
00:03:58,009 --> 00:04:05,389
that is that it was brought home to me

81
00:04:02,150 --> 00:04:08,319
yet again as I was at the the convention

82
00:04:05,389 --> 00:04:11,089
the paranormal convention how much

83
00:04:08,319 --> 00:04:14,120
conspiracy theories play a part in both

84
00:04:11,090 --> 00:04:18,439
these outlooks we were told for example

85
00:04:14,120 --> 00:04:21,319
during the spirit contact UFO contact

86

00:04:18,439 --> 00:04:25,000
panel that i was attending in the

87
00:04:21,319 --> 00:04:27,379
audience that there's been a 70 here

88
00:04:25,000 --> 00:04:30,199
cover-up of the truth getting back to

89
00:04:27,379 --> 00:04:34,069
conspiracy theories again things like

90
00:04:30,199 --> 00:04:36,099
you if UFO crashes why are there no bits

91
00:04:34,069 --> 00:04:38,509
and pieces left behind for us to examine

92
00:04:36,100 --> 00:04:39,979
it's because the military are tracking

93
00:04:38,509 --> 00:04:41,449
these things and they sweep up the mess

94
00:04:39,978 --> 00:04:43,818
as soon as it happens

95
00:04:41,449 --> 00:04:46,639
sort of a conspiracy theory I wouldn't

96
00:04:43,819 --> 00:04:49,610
be at all surprised if they think both

97
00:04:46,639 --> 00:04:53,088
groups in fact i'm sure the anti-vaxxers

98
00:04:49,610 --> 00:04:55,249
think this but probably many in the UFO

99
00:04:53,088 --> 00:04:57,228
community would think people like me

100
00:04:55,249 --> 00:04:59,539

people like you really listen to

101

00:04:57,228 --> 00:05:03,620

listening to this are also part of the

102

00:04:59,538 --> 00:05:06,528

conspiracy because why we don't accept

103

00:05:03,620 --> 00:05:08,629

the evidence they put forward and the

104

00:05:06,528 --> 00:05:14,240

evidence they put forward consists

105

00:05:08,629 --> 00:05:17,838

largely largely of reports stories it

106

00:05:14,240 --> 00:05:20,509

happened to me sort of thing and what

107

00:05:17,838 --> 00:05:23,269

they don't seem to understand is that in

108

00:05:20,509 --> 00:05:25,870

the scientific world of course reports

109

00:05:23,269 --> 00:05:29,959

and it happened to me and stories

110

00:05:25,870 --> 00:05:31,519

recounting what you remember oh it's one

111

00:05:29,959 --> 00:05:33,528

of the lowest forms of an effort and

112

00:05:31,519 --> 00:05:36,408

source Carl Sagan said it's crummy

113

00:05:33,528 --> 00:05:39,009

evidence these people the anti-vaxxers

114

00:05:36,408 --> 00:05:43,158

in the UFO crowd as far as I can see

115
00:05:39,009 --> 00:05:46,430
certainly feed off each other so to

116
00:05:43,158 --> 00:05:48,829
speak reinforce their own beliefs

117
00:05:46,430 --> 00:05:50,718
continually it will let every group in

118
00:05:48,829 --> 00:05:53,718
society that does that to a degree I'm

119
00:05:50,718 --> 00:05:55,610
sure but these people do it without the

120
00:05:53,718 --> 00:05:58,968
solid evidence to back them up of course

121
00:05:55,610 --> 00:06:01,459
although remember to them they do have

122
00:05:58,968 --> 00:06:04,668
solid evidence it happened to me to them

123
00:06:01,459 --> 00:06:06,680
is as good as a piece of a UFO or

124
00:06:04,668 --> 00:06:08,628
something like that now one of the

125
00:06:06,680 --> 00:06:10,490
points I will make is that for many

126
00:06:08,629 --> 00:06:13,810
years skeptics have been saying that

127
00:06:10,490 --> 00:06:16,759
well with the advent of smartphones and

128
00:06:13,810 --> 00:06:21,468
high-definition digital video cameras

129
00:06:16,759 --> 00:06:25,310
that we should have seen a huge increase

130
00:06:21,468 --> 00:06:28,728
in good quality videos and photographs

131
00:06:25,310 --> 00:06:30,829
of UFOs belying alien spaceships or

132
00:06:28,728 --> 00:06:33,408
whatever or at least a huge increase in

133
00:06:30,829 --> 00:06:35,620
photographs and of course this hasn't

134
00:06:33,408 --> 00:06:38,509
happened in fact there's a good chance

135
00:06:35,620 --> 00:06:42,499
that you're listening to me now on a

136
00:06:38,509 --> 00:06:44,749
device which also incorporates a quality

137
00:06:42,499 --> 00:06:48,229
camera and a high-definition video

138
00:06:44,749 --> 00:06:50,360
camera right on your phone or if not you

139
00:06:48,228 --> 00:06:53,240
probably have access to one quite easily

140
00:06:50,360 --> 00:06:54,259
and so do millions of other people now I

141
00:06:53,240 --> 00:06:55,550
am and

142
00:06:54,259 --> 00:06:57,889
argument against that I think you'll

143

00:06:55,550 --> 00:07:02,150
hear coming up is that these cameras

144
00:06:57,889 --> 00:07:04,189
aren't good enough to take pictures of

145
00:07:02,149 --> 00:07:06,199
far away objects in space yet or

146
00:07:04,189 --> 00:07:07,819
something like that well I tried that

147
00:07:06,199 --> 00:07:09,800
out the other night just for myself I

148
00:07:07,819 --> 00:07:11,629
was in the city city lights all around

149
00:07:09,800 --> 00:07:14,629
me and there was a couple of stars

150
00:07:11,629 --> 00:07:17,689
peering through I could see I got up my

151
00:07:14,629 --> 00:07:19,550
um my iPhone and made a video and a

152
00:07:17,689 --> 00:07:20,870
photograph of the stars and you can do

153
00:07:19,550 --> 00:07:23,120
it and you could see the man it was an

154
00:07:20,870 --> 00:07:26,569
iphone 4s for heaven's sake which is a

155
00:07:23,120 --> 00:07:30,379
completely outdated obsolete model so no

156
00:07:26,569 --> 00:07:32,449
doubt many of you with your newer

157
00:07:30,379 --> 00:07:34,790

devices and you might try this for

158

00:07:32,449 --> 00:07:37,339

yourself try going out one night on a

159

00:07:34,790 --> 00:07:38,750

starry night in different lighting

160

00:07:37,339 --> 00:07:41,029

conditions and see if you can get

161

00:07:38,750 --> 00:07:42,829

adequate pictures of far away objects in

162

00:07:41,029 --> 00:07:45,529

space stars planets or than the moon

163

00:07:42,829 --> 00:07:49,789

what have you so yeah we should have

164

00:07:45,529 --> 00:07:54,949

seen a huge spike in pictures of alien

165

00:07:49,790 --> 00:07:57,650

spacecraft if in fact they were here so

166

00:07:54,949 --> 00:07:59,750

keep that in mind as you listen to this

167

00:07:57,649 --> 00:08:01,939

week's show we've got the the UFO

168

00:07:59,750 --> 00:08:05,810

believers and the anti-vaccine spiracy

169

00:08:01,939 --> 00:08:07,910

people and wow what a report coming up

170

00:08:05,810 --> 00:08:10,910

from heidi with these are anti vax

171

00:08:07,910 --> 00:08:13,820

people disrupting invading we might say

172
00:08:10,910 --> 00:08:16,490
a public talk on vaccinations just

173
00:08:13,819 --> 00:08:18,949
disgraceful I think a few weeks ago I

174
00:08:16,490 --> 00:08:21,530
spoke about conspiracies being the

175
00:08:18,949 --> 00:08:23,990
rotten thread that binds a lot of these

176
00:08:21,529 --> 00:08:26,119
people together and also keep in mind

177
00:08:23,990 --> 00:08:28,009
what a skillful interviewer Maynard is

178
00:08:26,120 --> 00:08:29,780
when you listen to the first interview

179
00:08:28,009 --> 00:08:33,139
coming up with the president of the UFO

180
00:08:29,779 --> 00:08:35,240
research people from Queensland well

181
00:08:33,139 --> 00:08:36,740
done Maynard and speaking of Maine dad

182
00:08:35,240 --> 00:08:38,870
don't forget to visit the website of

183
00:08:36,740 --> 00:08:40,729
Maynard Maynard comdata you where you

184
00:08:38,870 --> 00:08:42,168
can listen to wonderful podcast such as

185
00:08:40,729 --> 00:08:43,879
bunga bunga and all sorts of other

186
00:08:42,168 --> 00:08:45,740
things but that's enough for me at the

187
00:08:43,879 --> 00:08:47,179
moment I'm going to run downstairs see

188
00:08:45,740 --> 00:08:50,659
if the cuts are still there or there

189
00:08:47,179 --> 00:08:52,009
swam away maybe grab myself some oh I've

190
00:08:50,659 --> 00:08:55,250
got them he actually folks I've got to

191
00:08:52,009 --> 00:08:57,019
be a peanut mochi balls mmm if you ever

192
00:08:55,250 --> 00:09:00,139
go to an asian supermarket here in

193
00:08:57,019 --> 00:09:02,269
Sydney or anywhere else I can recommend

194
00:09:00,139 --> 00:09:04,578
peanut mochis they're really good while

195
00:09:02,269 --> 00:09:08,470
I enjoy those I

196
00:09:04,578 --> 00:09:08,469
you enjoy the skeptic zone

197
00:09:22,070 --> 00:09:29,750
here's my not spooky action at the

198
00:09:27,269 --> 00:09:29,750
distance

199
00:09:30,519 --> 00:09:35,690
well this is we here at Paragon 2016 on

200

00:09:33,980 --> 00:09:37,310
the wind because I just had a lovely it

201
00:09:35,690 --> 00:09:39,110
look it's it's nice to be out in the Sun

202
00:09:37,309 --> 00:09:40,549
when we have it Cheryl got chill here

203
00:09:39,110 --> 00:09:42,500
Cheryl where are you from what

204
00:09:40,549 --> 00:09:44,958
organization and what panel are you just

205
00:09:42,500 --> 00:09:48,019
on okay well I'm from Brisbane I'm the

206
00:09:44,958 --> 00:09:51,229
president of UFO research Queensland and

207
00:09:48,019 --> 00:09:53,959
I was just on the EG contact and i think

208
00:09:51,230 --> 00:09:55,339
a teen spirit panel at Paracon yeah and

209
00:09:53,958 --> 00:09:57,469
you were covering a wide area because of

210
00:09:55,339 --> 00:09:59,420
you your office you've had a nd a

211
00:09:57,470 --> 00:10:01,550
near-death experience although do we

212
00:09:59,419 --> 00:10:03,828
should call it that or not ah look it's

213
00:10:01,549 --> 00:10:05,599
the closest thing that I can close this

214
00:10:03,828 --> 00:10:08,239

label I can put on which I think here

215

00:10:05,600 --> 00:10:10,399

yeah and love it was a wide-ranging

216

00:10:08,240 --> 00:10:13,190

discussion we had talks of Gray's we had

217

00:10:10,399 --> 00:10:15,139

talks like yourself or the NDA um it did

218

00:10:13,190 --> 00:10:17,829

was it focused I was just a very broad

219

00:10:15,139 --> 00:10:20,600

chat you all had with everyone there um

220

00:10:17,828 --> 00:10:23,120

no there wasn't really a great focus but

221

00:10:20,600 --> 00:10:25,278

term oh of course the extra-terrestrial

222

00:10:23,120 --> 00:10:27,828

side of things is what interests people

223

00:10:25,278 --> 00:10:30,110

a lot these days so we covered a lot of

224

00:10:27,828 --> 00:10:32,448

that look I'm very interested in not

225

00:10:30,110 --> 00:10:33,980

anomalies in paranormal and like I love

226

00:10:32,448 --> 00:10:36,198

the high high side chat I love

227

00:10:33,980 --> 00:10:37,970

mysterious universe as podcasts ah and

228

00:10:36,198 --> 00:10:39,679

but when people say oh I think that

229
00:10:37,970 --> 00:10:41,269
they're this phenomenon is from a

230
00:10:39,679 --> 00:10:43,609
certain place there must be difficult

231
00:10:41,269 --> 00:10:44,929
because it could be difficult in our

232
00:10:43,610 --> 00:10:47,419
realm to tell the difference between

233
00:10:44,929 --> 00:10:49,489
aliens and something rules for another

234
00:10:47,419 --> 00:10:51,169
dimension or an ultra terrestrial or

235
00:10:49,490 --> 00:10:52,759
things like that so that does get very

236
00:10:51,169 --> 00:10:55,309
difficult yes it does and I actually

237
00:10:52,759 --> 00:10:57,079
spoke a bit about that yesterday about

238
00:10:55,309 --> 00:10:59,708
the connections between the UFO

239
00:10:57,078 --> 00:11:04,458
phenomenon and after life experiences

240
00:10:59,708 --> 00:11:06,649
because in some cases people can have

241
00:11:04,458 --> 00:11:09,438
interactions with something they might

242
00:11:06,649 --> 00:11:11,778
call extraterrestrial but we actually

243
00:11:09,438 --> 00:11:13,849
don't know what ultra extraterrestrials

244
00:11:11,778 --> 00:11:16,519
really are in the UFO community we

245
00:11:13,850 --> 00:11:18,199
consider that they are life forms that

246
00:11:16,519 --> 00:11:20,209
are non-human that come from another

247
00:11:18,198 --> 00:11:23,120
place but guess what that covers things

248
00:11:20,208 --> 00:11:25,068
like angels are a friend and masters all

249
00:11:23,120 --> 00:11:27,500
those lots of things so it does get very

250
00:11:25,068 --> 00:11:29,778
difficult to discern what's what and of

251
00:11:27,500 --> 00:11:31,578
course the skeptics all go show us the

252
00:11:29,778 --> 00:11:33,379
evidence and Damien in there made the

253
00:11:31,578 --> 00:11:34,818
interesting comment that until you've

254
00:11:33,379 --> 00:11:36,289
seen something through someone's eyes

255
00:11:34,818 --> 00:11:39,188
but because that is pretty much

256
00:11:36,289 --> 00:11:41,808
impossible it's very difficult hmm i

257

00:11:39,188 --> 00:11:42,740
received the reports from the public in

258
00:11:41,808 --> 00:11:46,338
brisbane or

259
00:11:42,740 --> 00:11:48,169
UFO reports there and I have spoken to

260
00:11:46,339 --> 00:11:51,200
so many witnesses who have said I've

261
00:11:48,169 --> 00:11:54,649
always been skeptical of the UFO yeah

262
00:11:51,200 --> 00:11:57,379
the idea of you if I was existing until

263
00:11:54,649 --> 00:11:59,208
I had this experience myself and it's

264
00:11:57,379 --> 00:12:00,409
just changed their whole outlook and I

265
00:11:59,208 --> 00:12:02,599
think it's like anything unless you

266
00:12:00,409 --> 00:12:04,429
experience it yourself it's really hard

267
00:12:02,600 --> 00:12:05,870
to actually understand what it is and

268
00:12:04,429 --> 00:12:07,849
you must hear the phrase all the time

269
00:12:05,870 --> 00:12:10,250
which is the title of that of that great

270
00:12:07,850 --> 00:12:11,899
Fox not that other channel the person

271
00:12:10,250 --> 00:12:14,149

the Fox documentary I know what I saw

272

00:12:11,899 --> 00:12:17,629

you must hear that all the time hmm they

273

00:12:14,149 --> 00:12:19,669

do mostly and tell me so could we

274

00:12:17,629 --> 00:12:22,070

compare your organization to move on in

275

00:12:19,669 --> 00:12:23,929

the US or not well it's not as big as

276

00:12:22,070 --> 00:12:26,778

MUFON unfortunately in Australia we

277

00:12:23,929 --> 00:12:32,179

don't have many UFO researchers that are

278

00:12:26,778 --> 00:12:33,830

active or still alive but yes it's

279

00:12:32,179 --> 00:12:35,329

certainly along those lines that I'd

280

00:12:33,830 --> 00:12:37,490

like to ask you things seems have gone

281

00:12:35,330 --> 00:12:39,259

off the boil a little bit with UFOs and

282

00:12:37,490 --> 00:12:41,629

turned more to ghost hunters now has

283

00:12:39,259 --> 00:12:42,649

that been the TV documentaries that have

284

00:12:41,629 --> 00:12:44,179

done this what do you think might have

285

00:12:42,649 --> 00:12:46,669

changed the public's perception a bit

286
00:12:44,179 --> 00:12:48,859
there no I don't think so i think that

287
00:12:46,669 --> 00:12:50,479
that don't mean if you go to cable TV

288
00:12:48,860 --> 00:12:53,200
for example in Australia there are

289
00:12:50,480 --> 00:12:55,970
plenty of UFO documentaries on there

290
00:12:53,200 --> 00:12:58,220
things are being integrated you know

291
00:12:55,970 --> 00:12:59,778
it's like years ago a mediumship was

292
00:12:58,220 --> 00:13:02,629
very popular when you had the television

293
00:12:59,778 --> 00:13:04,850
show like medium you had Yellin ghost

294
00:13:02,629 --> 00:13:09,708
whisperer I mean those all these

295
00:13:04,850 --> 00:13:11,930
programs prod people's interests it but

296
00:13:09,708 --> 00:13:13,699
those programs come out of the minds of

297
00:13:11,929 --> 00:13:15,649
people who some of them have had

298
00:13:13,700 --> 00:13:18,620
experiences like Steven Spielberg for

299
00:13:15,649 --> 00:13:20,899
example he's had his own UFO experiences

300
00:13:18,620 --> 00:13:22,970
and what do you think would be the best

301
00:13:20,899 --> 00:13:24,828
evidence that you could provide for the

302
00:13:22,970 --> 00:13:26,629
skeptics to shut them what would you

303
00:13:24,828 --> 00:13:28,009
what would you think okay here's the

304
00:13:26,629 --> 00:13:30,019
evidence you always wonder what what

305
00:13:28,009 --> 00:13:31,909
would be your ideal nanny nanny an ear

306
00:13:30,019 --> 00:13:34,519
piece of evidence I think for me it

307
00:13:31,909 --> 00:13:37,819
would be whistleblower testimony of a

308
00:13:34,519 --> 00:13:40,850
military level astronauts talking about

309
00:13:37,820 --> 00:13:43,100
it you know coming forward I I don't

310
00:13:40,850 --> 00:13:45,320
think who else can you get you know I

311
00:13:43,100 --> 00:13:47,149
guess people or people also always say

312
00:13:45,320 --> 00:13:50,629
I'll give me a piece of a spaceship yeah

313
00:13:47,149 --> 00:13:52,009
and it's not going to happen and if

314

00:13:50,629 --> 00:13:54,019
because even it would be hard to prove

315
00:13:52,009 --> 00:13:55,328
it was wouldn't it sometimes well I

316
00:13:54,019 --> 00:13:57,458
think you

317
00:13:55,328 --> 00:13:58,719
yes and no it depends on the lab that

318
00:13:57,458 --> 00:14:00,308
you can take it to and the

319
00:13:58,720 --> 00:14:03,069
qualifications of the people that are

320
00:14:00,308 --> 00:14:04,749
looking at it you're not going to get

321
00:14:03,068 --> 00:14:08,798
that though because I think that as soon

322
00:14:04,749 --> 00:14:10,329
as say a spaceship say crushers the

323
00:14:08,798 --> 00:14:12,129
military they've already tracking it

324
00:14:10,328 --> 00:14:13,838
before anyone gets there they're going

325
00:14:12,129 --> 00:14:18,369
to be the first on the scene that came

326
00:14:13,839 --> 00:14:19,809
it all up you know but um yeah why not

327
00:14:18,369 --> 00:14:21,699
going to thank you as someone who has

328
00:14:19,808 --> 00:14:23,318

studies anomalies in Queensland what's

329

00:14:21,698 --> 00:14:25,359

the most flush frustrating thing on a

330

00:14:23,318 --> 00:14:26,708

weekly basis you go half anyway at this

331

00:14:25,360 --> 00:14:29,048

or if only we could have that happen

332

00:14:26,708 --> 00:14:30,878

yeah oh gee that's a good question isn't

333

00:14:29,048 --> 00:14:32,889

it because there must be so many cases

334

00:14:30,879 --> 00:14:35,438

that are kind of becoming compelling and

335

00:14:32,889 --> 00:14:37,209

then you get some point guitar we know

336

00:14:35,438 --> 00:14:39,188

what I would actually like a big fat key

337

00:14:37,208 --> 00:14:41,349

to stick in people's minds and open them

338

00:14:39,188 --> 00:14:42,849

up that's what I'd like so you can find

339

00:14:41,350 --> 00:14:44,589

out what really happened there in three

340

00:14:42,850 --> 00:14:47,499

dimensions and go wow that's what they

341

00:14:44,589 --> 00:14:49,839

saw no no not like that i mean i mean in

342

00:14:47,499 --> 00:14:52,689

the public's mind because it's not a bad

343
00:14:49,839 --> 00:14:55,839
belief it's about acceptance or denial

344
00:14:52,688 --> 00:14:58,719
of evidence that's what it's about so

345
00:14:55,839 --> 00:15:00,309
i've used i entered to you if I feel

346
00:14:58,720 --> 00:15:03,220
thinking that if I could gather enough

347
00:15:00,308 --> 00:15:05,918
evidence and lay it at the feet of the

348
00:15:03,220 --> 00:15:07,720
skeptics for example and then they would

349
00:15:05,918 --> 00:15:09,759
automatically go all varieties there's

350
00:15:07,720 --> 00:15:12,129
the evidence but you know what we all

351
00:15:09,759 --> 00:15:14,860
have a mindset whether it's skeptical or

352
00:15:12,129 --> 00:15:16,959
non skeptical it's all about where our

353
00:15:14,860 --> 00:15:21,188
minds will go where our minds will let

354
00:15:16,958 --> 00:15:22,568
us go right so um it's about um I can

355
00:15:21,188 --> 00:15:24,789
have all the evidence I like but unless

356
00:15:22,568 --> 00:15:26,828
you accept it I can't change anyone's

357
00:15:24,789 --> 00:15:28,659
mind so you're saying that sometimes the

358
00:15:26,828 --> 00:15:30,128
skeptics move the goalposts themselves

359
00:15:28,659 --> 00:15:31,688
sometimes they were just suggesting oh

360
00:15:30,129 --> 00:15:33,428
look i think we all move around

361
00:15:31,688 --> 00:15:35,078
goalposts you i'm not going to pick on

362
00:15:33,428 --> 00:15:36,730
the skeptics we all have our own

363
00:15:35,078 --> 00:15:38,528
perceptual frameworks that we view the

364
00:15:36,730 --> 00:15:40,480
world through so yeah and what's it like

365
00:15:38,528 --> 00:15:42,698
to come to a conference like this do you

366
00:15:40,480 --> 00:15:44,769
go to many like these in Australia yes

367
00:15:42,698 --> 00:15:46,389
when they're on yes and we don't have

368
00:15:44,769 --> 00:15:48,448
many of them do it we don't have enough

369
00:15:46,389 --> 00:15:51,249
we don't have it I do like to see

370
00:15:48,448 --> 00:15:53,588
perricone Australia because we're

371

00:15:51,249 --> 00:15:55,298
crossing the fields with UFO phenomenon

372
00:15:53,589 --> 00:15:56,889
and the pattern the paranormal the

373
00:15:55,298 --> 00:15:59,350
ghosts whispering if you like all that

374
00:15:56,889 --> 00:16:02,230
sort of stuff um but I'd like to see

375
00:15:59,350 --> 00:16:04,209
more what's a big one in Queensland you

376
00:16:02,230 --> 00:16:06,009
have is a 10 statewide one you have

377
00:16:04,208 --> 00:16:07,628
there one to you and not at the moment

378
00:16:06,009 --> 00:16:09,039
we used to have them we used to have

379
00:16:07,629 --> 00:16:11,110
national UFO conference

380
00:16:09,039 --> 00:16:13,360
but it just focus on the UFO subject I

381
00:16:11,110 --> 00:16:15,579
like to see a conference that would

382
00:16:13,360 --> 00:16:19,750
emerge that covers everything you know

383
00:16:15,578 --> 00:16:21,698
everything anomalous we do have a summit

384
00:16:19,750 --> 00:16:24,669
coming up on the Gold Coast in August

385
00:16:21,698 --> 00:16:27,490

call the paradigm shift summit there is

386

00:16:24,669 --> 00:16:29,318

a close encounter / afterlife conference

387

00:16:27,490 --> 00:16:31,750

coming up in byron bay in January next

388

00:16:29,318 --> 00:16:34,708

year and it's nice to see two new

389

00:16:31,750 --> 00:16:38,318

conferences coming up that are crossing

390

00:16:34,708 --> 00:16:40,689

parameters of subjects but I'd like to

391

00:16:38,318 --> 00:16:42,250

see something else where can we interact

392

00:16:40,690 --> 00:16:43,540

with you online and see your website and

393

00:16:42,250 --> 00:16:46,568

find out what's going on in the skies of

394

00:16:43,539 --> 00:16:49,689

Queensland okay you can go to a UFO

395

00:16:46,568 --> 00:16:52,448

research Queensland so it's UFO rqj snd

396

00:16:49,690 --> 00:16:55,930

you you can go to our facebook page UFO

397

00:16:52,448 --> 00:16:58,208

research Queensland and I also run a

398

00:16:55,929 --> 00:17:00,578

page with a colleague called strange

399

00:16:58,208 --> 00:17:02,619

encounters down under it's a Facebook

400
00:17:00,578 --> 00:17:03,939
page you can go there too well and you

401
00:17:02,620 --> 00:17:06,578
put up lots of the photos that are

402
00:17:03,940 --> 00:17:08,140
recent um we don't put up a lot of

403
00:17:06,578 --> 00:17:09,970
photos because a lot of photos these

404
00:17:08,140 --> 00:17:12,549
days that are taken and not quality

405
00:17:09,970 --> 00:17:14,259
photos because you you lose the quality

406
00:17:12,548 --> 00:17:16,209
on the camera phones and that's what

407
00:17:14,259 --> 00:17:17,379
everybody's got these days that's the

408
00:17:16,209 --> 00:17:18,850
thing as if it goes on there must be

409
00:17:17,380 --> 00:17:19,959
photos all the time all year people are

410
00:17:18,849 --> 00:17:21,668
taken them at camera phones but

411
00:17:19,959 --> 00:17:24,130
particularly for a bright light at night

412
00:17:21,669 --> 00:17:25,720
on a dark background oh yeah and the

413
00:17:24,130 --> 00:17:28,329
other thing is people don't know how to

414
00:17:25,720 --> 00:17:29,860
take photos of anomalous they don't know

415
00:17:28,328 --> 00:17:31,418
that you've got to get something else in

416
00:17:29,859 --> 00:17:32,558
the frame but don't know that if you've

417
00:17:31,419 --> 00:17:34,720
gotta like you've got to put something

418
00:17:32,558 --> 00:17:36,849
still like a tree or a clothesline or a

419
00:17:34,720 --> 00:17:39,069
roof corner it's got to be there in

420
00:17:36,849 --> 00:17:40,599
comparison and often anomalies don't

421
00:17:39,069 --> 00:17:42,789
behave in a way where they can be near

422
00:17:40,599 --> 00:17:44,379
something for scale exactly they just

423
00:17:42,789 --> 00:17:46,210
they happen when they happen you know

424
00:17:44,380 --> 00:17:49,360
what can you do look thank you very much

425
00:17:46,210 --> 00:17:50,769
for your time you're very welcome look

426
00:17:49,359 --> 00:17:52,658
one of the great things about pero con

427
00:17:50,769 --> 00:17:54,129
2016 is you get people talking about

428

00:17:52,659 --> 00:17:56,049
things they wouldn't normally talk about

429
00:17:54,130 --> 00:17:58,000
because they go I know but here

430
00:17:56,048 --> 00:18:00,879
everything's on show but who we got here

431
00:17:58,000 --> 00:18:02,890
this time hi my name is Emma I'm Aaron

432
00:18:00,880 --> 00:18:05,860
and what are your anomalous area

433
00:18:02,890 --> 00:18:09,190
interests are just like a good ghost

434
00:18:05,859 --> 00:18:12,729
yeah a good ghost story and a good guy

435
00:18:09,190 --> 00:18:15,250
siding anything ghosty really yeah more

436
00:18:12,730 --> 00:18:17,558
jewel thing same time into the guys but

437
00:18:15,250 --> 00:18:19,599
and I think it's a bit of fun I don't

438
00:18:17,558 --> 00:18:21,039
take it too seriously yeah either of you

439
00:18:19,599 --> 00:18:21,859
had your own experiences or just like

440
00:18:21,039 --> 00:18:23,928
hearing about other ones

441
00:18:21,859 --> 00:18:25,759
me no matter what it is no matter how

442
00:18:23,929 --> 00:18:27,400

believable or unbelievable is I find the

443

00:18:25,759 --> 00:18:29,298

whole thing of its spooky get the whole

444

00:18:27,400 --> 00:18:31,790

after death thing I find that a bit

445

00:18:29,298 --> 00:18:33,410

frightening yeah yeah it definitely is

446

00:18:31,789 --> 00:18:35,240

it's it's the whole unknown and there's

447

00:18:33,410 --> 00:18:37,340

not a lot that some known anymore maybe

448

00:18:35,240 --> 00:18:39,319

there is and we just you know but I do

449

00:18:37,339 --> 00:18:41,058

like a good ghost story but I have had a

450

00:18:39,319 --> 00:18:42,558

couple of experiences that I'm still

451

00:18:41,058 --> 00:18:45,170

making sense of that I think are quite

452

00:18:42,558 --> 00:18:48,589

interesting and as long as you have fun

453

00:18:45,170 --> 00:18:51,200

with it then I guess party your interest

454

00:18:48,589 --> 00:18:53,359

is at some outside everyday life it is

455

00:18:51,200 --> 00:18:55,279

pretty intriguing it is and that's a

456

00:18:53,359 --> 00:18:57,740

that's why I find it fascinating and I

457
00:18:55,279 --> 00:18:59,450
don't necessarily you know live my whole

458
00:18:57,740 --> 00:19:02,120
life by it but i really like a good

459
00:18:59,450 --> 00:19:03,169
ghost hunt every now and then and what's

460
00:19:02,119 --> 00:19:04,729
been your favorite thing you've

461
00:19:03,169 --> 00:19:07,429
encountered over this weekend here at

462
00:19:04,730 --> 00:19:10,640
Paragon oh I've liked I liked the show

463
00:19:07,429 --> 00:19:11,720
inhale the haunted objects and what was

464
00:19:10,640 --> 00:19:13,370
your favorite hundred object what do

465
00:19:11,720 --> 00:19:15,259
they have like like like I don't know a

466
00:19:13,369 --> 00:19:18,558
dog that has silent bark or something

467
00:19:15,259 --> 00:19:20,990
like that what they have heads and your

468
00:19:18,558 --> 00:19:22,700
favorite a spirit trumpet a spirit

469
00:19:20,990 --> 00:19:23,870
trumpet well what it was the ghost of

470
00:19:22,700 --> 00:19:25,910
blood Miller what was going on there

471
00:19:23,869 --> 00:19:28,279
it's what the odd Spiritist used to use

472
00:19:25,910 --> 00:19:30,590
to you know obviously put on a

473
00:19:28,279 --> 00:19:32,240
performance with the ectoplasm and the

474
00:19:30,589 --> 00:19:33,589
spirit trumpet the voice would come

475
00:19:32,240 --> 00:19:35,480
through the spirit trouble and do they

476
00:19:33,589 --> 00:19:37,909
have ectoplasm flying out the trumpet

477
00:19:35,480 --> 00:19:39,829
bill well yeah I think that's apparently

478
00:19:37,910 --> 00:19:41,058
part of the phenomena yeah that would

479
00:19:39,829 --> 00:19:43,789
have been a thing to say wouldn't it

480
00:19:41,058 --> 00:19:45,529
that's it yeah those those Victorian

481
00:19:43,789 --> 00:19:47,869
séances with the little tricky things I

482
00:19:45,529 --> 00:19:49,009
used to have but what do you think now

483
00:19:47,869 --> 00:19:50,599
you think how can they possibly have

484
00:19:49,009 --> 00:19:52,160
gotten away with that why I want people

485

00:19:50,599 --> 00:19:53,449
to wake up too because it looks like if

486
00:19:52,160 --> 00:19:55,580
you look carefully you might have seen

487
00:19:53,450 --> 00:19:57,319
what they were doing Oh totally I think

488
00:19:55,579 --> 00:19:59,869
they were just very good at the whole

489
00:19:57,319 --> 00:20:02,119
show of you know putting on the

490
00:19:59,869 --> 00:20:03,918
spectacle and people sort of obviously

491
00:20:02,119 --> 00:20:05,418
needing to have that in their lives and

492
00:20:03,919 --> 00:20:08,000
I think that's what draws us here too

493
00:20:05,419 --> 00:20:09,350
even though you know there's always been

494
00:20:08,000 --> 00:20:11,000
an interest people have always tried to

495
00:20:09,349 --> 00:20:13,250
make sense of things and sometimes in a

496
00:20:11,000 --> 00:20:15,319
very superstitious way perhaps and that

497
00:20:13,250 --> 00:20:17,210
just seems to be part of our human make

498
00:20:15,319 --> 00:20:19,009
up in some ways we can't explain

499
00:20:17,210 --> 00:20:21,590

something we looked to a superstitious

500

00:20:19,009 --> 00:20:22,879

bit maybe well look thank you for your

501

00:20:21,589 --> 00:20:24,859

time and that you'd say reckon you might

502

00:20:22,880 --> 00:20:26,030

be back next year and does it doesn't

503

00:20:24,859 --> 00:20:28,459

look here we're looking right at the

504

00:20:26,029 --> 00:20:30,289

Carrington and that it looks grand and

505

00:20:28,460 --> 00:20:32,450

it just looks a bit that's a place with

506

00:20:30,289 --> 00:20:35,259

secrets isn't it oh absolutely how I'd

507

00:20:32,450 --> 00:20:35,259

love to get in there and

508

00:20:35,819 --> 00:20:42,398

thanks for your time no raise right now

509

00:20:40,480 --> 00:20:43,808

as you know I'm a terrible trombone

510

00:20:42,398 --> 00:20:45,969

player but I've found something here

511

00:20:43,808 --> 00:20:48,220

that might be right up my alley

512

00:20:45,970 --> 00:20:50,528

literally it's not Glenn Miller's

513

00:20:48,220 --> 00:20:51,759

trumpet as I suspected earlier but you

514
00:20:50,528 --> 00:20:53,589
hear someone who's going till it's all

515
00:20:51,759 --> 00:20:55,509
about who we got here and what is that

516
00:20:53,589 --> 00:20:58,058
hey how are you are my name is Calvin

517
00:20:55,509 --> 00:21:00,788
van crush I am in a cult collector from

518
00:20:58,058 --> 00:21:02,528
the Americas but I'm also a devout

519
00:21:00,788 --> 00:21:04,589
skeptic an atheist and I don't believe

520
00:21:02,528 --> 00:21:08,230
in any of this crap but i do love

521
00:21:04,589 --> 00:21:09,849
surrounding myself by the history and

522
00:21:08,230 --> 00:21:13,329
the object that you can't see in front

523
00:21:09,849 --> 00:21:14,638
of us is a genuine spirit trumpet and it

524
00:21:13,329 --> 00:21:17,798
up for Richard Saunders to take a photo

525
00:21:14,638 --> 00:21:20,469
so this is a genuine spirit trumpet that

526
00:21:17,798 --> 00:21:23,798
was produced in the 1920s out of Indiana

527
00:21:20,470 --> 00:21:26,048
by a man named Everett at would echo EA

528
00:21:23,798 --> 00:21:27,940
Eckel and this little device right here

529
00:21:26,048 --> 00:21:30,368
is something he marketed called a

530
00:21:27,940 --> 00:21:33,190
luminous ring and for you viewers who

531
00:21:30,368 --> 00:21:35,138
can't see it it's just a simple metallic

532
00:21:33,190 --> 00:21:36,788
band that wraps around it and it's got

533
00:21:35,138 --> 00:21:38,408
like a dirty looking paint on it but at

534
00:21:36,788 --> 00:21:39,638
one point in time that paint was

535
00:21:38,409 --> 00:21:41,559
radioactive and it glowed in the dark

536
00:21:39,638 --> 00:21:42,998
yes I was a better site back in that

537
00:21:41,558 --> 00:21:44,589
died only way you could do that would be

538
00:21:42,999 --> 00:21:47,108
to radioactive so wouldn't have been a

539
00:21:44,589 --> 00:21:48,428
good idea right luckily it's no longer

540
00:21:47,108 --> 00:21:50,079
radioactive it came right through

541
00:21:48,429 --> 00:21:52,239
customs nobody stopped me they didn't

542

00:21:50,079 --> 00:21:53,949
think I had a dirty bomb um but now I

543
00:21:52,239 --> 00:21:55,899
think one of the biggest misconceptions

544
00:21:53,950 --> 00:21:57,788
that people have about spirit trumpets

545
00:21:55,898 --> 00:21:59,949
is that they compressed so you can sneak

546
00:21:57,788 --> 00:22:02,019
them into a seance and that's wrong I

547
00:21:59,950 --> 00:22:03,639
mean even snuck into a room it would

548
00:22:02,019 --> 00:22:05,769
still generate a lot of noise because

549
00:22:03,638 --> 00:22:07,599
it's made of 10 what would they pull a

550
00:22:05,769 --> 00:22:09,220
the ectoplasm strings out of it they

551
00:22:07,599 --> 00:22:10,148
what would I do exactly it and explain

552
00:22:09,220 --> 00:22:11,919
to people what that is because I was

553
00:22:10,148 --> 00:22:13,479
talking to some people that saw your

554
00:22:11,919 --> 00:22:15,369
talk and they were talking all about

555
00:22:13,480 --> 00:22:17,618
this so this would have been used during

556
00:22:15,368 --> 00:22:19,778

the Victorian period well this one is

557

00:22:17,618 --> 00:22:22,089

specifically from the 1920s so it's post

558

00:22:19,778 --> 00:22:23,919

Victorian era um but spiritualism was

559

00:22:22,089 --> 00:22:27,069

still very very popular in that day in

560

00:22:23,919 --> 00:22:29,320

trumpet mediumship is a form of physical

561

00:22:27,069 --> 00:22:30,970

mediumship it wasn't just something that

562

00:22:29,319 --> 00:22:32,408

was open to interpretation it was

563

00:22:30,970 --> 00:22:34,210

something that was meant to be seen

564

00:22:32,409 --> 00:22:36,639

hence the glow-in-the-dark ring in

565

00:22:34,210 --> 00:22:38,440

complete darkness a fraudulent medium

566

00:22:36,638 --> 00:22:39,878

would be able to lift this up and move

567

00:22:38,440 --> 00:22:41,320

it about the room and as long as she

568

00:22:39,878 --> 00:22:43,298

didn't place her hand in front of the

569

00:22:41,319 --> 00:22:45,939

glowing ring it would look like it was

570

00:22:43,298 --> 00:22:46,930

unguided in the air so you'll see a lot

571
00:22:45,940 --> 00:22:48,130
of the fake photos

572
00:22:46,930 --> 00:22:49,810
that they say we're done with infrared

573
00:22:48,130 --> 00:22:52,050
cameras or they don't want motion

574
00:22:49,809 --> 00:22:54,039
detectors that there is a weird

575
00:22:52,049 --> 00:22:56,289
substance coming out of their body

576
00:22:54,039 --> 00:22:59,170
orifices and we're talking every orifice

577
00:22:56,289 --> 00:23:00,849
possible noses mouths ears belly buttons

578
00:22:59,170 --> 00:23:03,759
um so yeah that was supposed to be

579
00:23:00,849 --> 00:23:05,319
evidence for them to see it now there

580
00:23:03,759 --> 00:23:07,720
were so many reasons why they said you

581
00:23:05,319 --> 00:23:10,059
couldn't test the ectoplasm one of them

582
00:23:07,720 --> 00:23:11,620
was because it was connected to the

583
00:23:10,059 --> 00:23:13,599
medium and if you touched it she would

584
00:23:11,619 --> 00:23:15,459
die so that was their failsafe to

585
00:23:13,599 --> 00:23:17,379
prevent people from testing it another

586
00:23:15,460 --> 00:23:19,840
was that if it was exposed to light it

587
00:23:17,380 --> 00:23:21,100
would it would dissipate immediately but

588
00:23:19,839 --> 00:23:23,109
sometimes you were able to get a

589
00:23:21,099 --> 00:23:25,179
sampling of it and when tested it was

590
00:23:23,109 --> 00:23:27,759
found to be chewed paper cheesecloth

591
00:23:25,180 --> 00:23:30,519
cotton like I said that one hand was

592
00:23:27,759 --> 00:23:33,549
actually meet of course as anyone

593
00:23:30,519 --> 00:23:36,009
recently at flora as a performance

594
00:23:33,549 --> 00:23:37,990
recreated those Victorian an early 20th

595
00:23:36,009 --> 00:23:39,460
century seances any magicians done that

596
00:23:37,990 --> 00:23:42,370
just for entertainment yeah yeah

597
00:23:39,460 --> 00:23:45,160
actually spook shows in the 1950s were

598
00:23:42,369 --> 00:23:48,219
very very popular and it was magicians

599

00:23:45,160 --> 00:23:50,230
replicating spiritualist seances a very

600
00:23:48,220 --> 00:23:53,950
very recent one was a gentleman named

601
00:23:50,230 --> 00:23:57,069
Todd Robbins I believe he was helped by

602
00:23:53,950 --> 00:23:58,990
pinner teller oh it was uh it was teller

603
00:23:57,069 --> 00:24:01,929
teller and him wrote an off-broadway

604
00:23:58,990 --> 00:24:03,640
play called play dead oh I've seen that

605
00:24:01,930 --> 00:24:05,980
it's a great movie it's a great movie

606
00:24:03,640 --> 00:24:08,200
please go see play dead because most it

607
00:24:05,980 --> 00:24:09,789
was shot in the dark yeah um so yeah

608
00:24:08,200 --> 00:24:11,620
yeah they did and now I've seen the live

609
00:24:09,789 --> 00:24:13,359
performance and in the live performance

610
00:24:11,619 --> 00:24:16,179
they actually have a spirit trumpet that

611
00:24:13,359 --> 00:24:17,679
floats down um and it looks like it's

612
00:24:16,180 --> 00:24:19,720
floating magically you can't see the

613
00:24:17,680 --> 00:24:21,549

wires or anything and as it points to

614

00:24:19,720 --> 00:24:23,259

you the sound magnifies and you can hear

615

00:24:21,549 --> 00:24:25,569

the voices and everything like that play

616

00:24:23,259 --> 00:24:26,650

dead was absolutely fantastic I think

617

00:24:25,569 --> 00:24:28,149

that's the closest thing we're ever

618

00:24:26,650 --> 00:24:29,590

going to get to see a classic spook show

619

00:24:28,150 --> 00:24:31,660

in this modern era and the great thing

620

00:24:29,589 --> 00:24:33,069

is to they go to great lengths to tell

621

00:24:31,660 --> 00:24:35,170

you that they're not channeling anything

622

00:24:33,069 --> 00:24:37,179

it's done with a combination of cold and

623

00:24:35,170 --> 00:24:38,560

hot reading isn't it absolutely and of

624

00:24:37,180 --> 00:24:40,600

course when he's doing it in complete

625

00:24:38,559 --> 00:24:42,039

darkness he's got people in the audience

626

00:24:40,599 --> 00:24:44,859

that are wearing night-vision glasses

627

00:24:42,039 --> 00:24:47,289

helping produce this stuff um I think

628
00:24:44,859 --> 00:24:49,179
that's that's an amazing thing for

629
00:24:47,289 --> 00:24:51,730
people to witness because it shows how

630
00:24:49,180 --> 00:24:53,650
powerful that strength of belief is for

631
00:24:51,730 --> 00:24:56,589
people to believe in this phenomenon and

632
00:24:53,650 --> 00:24:57,940
as an atheist and escape dick when you

633
00:24:56,589 --> 00:25:00,009
come to a conference like this is it

634
00:24:57,940 --> 00:25:02,289
some things that concern you sometimes

635
00:25:00,009 --> 00:25:04,509
so what people are getting into you know

636
00:25:02,289 --> 00:25:07,809
um you're right there are things that

637
00:25:04,509 --> 00:25:10,210
concern me um I I do believe there is a

638
00:25:07,809 --> 00:25:12,579
certain amount to the paranormal that is

639
00:25:10,210 --> 00:25:14,950
just entertainment and that is fun and

640
00:25:12,579 --> 00:25:16,720
games I have no problem with somebody

641
00:25:14,950 --> 00:25:18,130
shelling out five bucks for a palm

642
00:25:16,720 --> 00:25:20,799
reading or something like that anybody

643
00:25:18,130 --> 00:25:22,390
can live without five bucks my big

644
00:25:20,799 --> 00:25:24,069
problem is when you have mediums

645
00:25:22,390 --> 00:25:26,200
charging people hundreds and hundreds of

646
00:25:24,069 --> 00:25:27,970
dollars you know to communicate with a

647
00:25:26,200 --> 00:25:31,299
dead loved one I really believe that's

648
00:25:27,970 --> 00:25:34,569
victimization so I'm in a funny spot

649
00:25:31,299 --> 00:25:37,149
with skeptics and the paranormal I have

650
00:25:34,569 --> 00:25:38,470
skeptics who think I'm foolish for going

651
00:25:37,150 --> 00:25:39,880
to the paranormal conventions and

652
00:25:38,470 --> 00:25:42,279
hanging out with you stay but as I like

653
00:25:39,880 --> 00:25:46,120
to refer truck by both sides yeah yeah

654
00:25:42,279 --> 00:25:47,829
and then again um I I love visiting old

655
00:25:46,119 --> 00:25:49,359
places in doing the paranormal

656

00:25:47,829 --> 00:25:51,369
investigations and stuff but I reached

657
00:25:49,359 --> 00:25:53,139
out to local teams in my area and they

658
00:25:51,369 --> 00:25:55,269
want nothing to do with me because I

659
00:25:53,140 --> 00:25:57,250
collect these occult relics and as much

660
00:25:55,269 --> 00:25:59,200
as I tell them I collect these items to

661
00:25:57,250 --> 00:26:01,089
show that there's no strength in it my

662
00:25:59,200 --> 00:26:02,410
house is not haunted I sleep like a baby

663
00:26:01,089 --> 00:26:03,849
but still they don't want to be

664
00:26:02,410 --> 00:26:05,650
associated with Ouija boards and stuff

665
00:26:03,849 --> 00:26:07,539
like that so these necessarily religious

666
00:26:05,650 --> 00:26:09,880
people is that the wangler I come from

667
00:26:07,539 --> 00:26:12,099
wearing about it you know it I wouldn't

668
00:26:09,880 --> 00:26:14,320
say that belief in the paranormal is a

669
00:26:12,099 --> 00:26:17,289
religion in itself it's not spiritualism

670
00:26:14,319 --> 00:26:20,319

but it is very much a part of people's

671

00:26:17,289 --> 00:26:22,299

individual faith and identity so they

672

00:26:20,319 --> 00:26:23,829

don't like being challenged people want

673

00:26:22,299 --> 00:26:26,319

to believe that there's so much more

674

00:26:23,829 --> 00:26:27,759

that happens when we die um and believe

675

00:26:26,319 --> 00:26:30,490

me I would love a love for that to

676

00:26:27,759 --> 00:26:33,220

happen to my outlook is very grim when I

677

00:26:30,490 --> 00:26:34,569

die I just rot in the ground I would

678

00:26:33,220 --> 00:26:36,250

love to be able to visit all my dead

679

00:26:34,569 --> 00:26:38,470

relatives you know this is something i

680

00:26:36,250 --> 00:26:41,019

like talking to it people to is that if

681

00:26:38,470 --> 00:26:43,150

you could reliably communicate with dead

682

00:26:41,019 --> 00:26:45,129

people that would so fundamentally

683

00:26:43,150 --> 00:26:47,920

change our society that our society

684

00:26:45,130 --> 00:26:49,360

would become unrecognizable um you're

685
00:26:47,920 --> 00:26:52,420
right i I think it we would actually

686
00:26:49,359 --> 00:26:54,909
develop a utopian society because if we

687
00:26:52,420 --> 00:26:56,800
could prove that we are all one being

688
00:26:54,910 --> 00:26:58,480
that has an afterlife and stuff like

689
00:26:56,799 --> 00:27:00,279
that and it doesn't matter what the name

690
00:26:58,480 --> 00:27:02,470
of your God is we all have an existence

691
00:27:00,279 --> 00:27:04,660
that is greater beyond us it would make

692
00:27:02,470 --> 00:27:06,160
things amazing and I think that's the

693
00:27:04,660 --> 00:27:08,920
struggle with the paranormal community

694
00:27:06,160 --> 00:27:10,600
as they hoard their evidence and they

695
00:27:08,920 --> 00:27:13,259
don't share it with the world think

696
00:27:10,599 --> 00:27:15,449
about how idiotic it would be if

697
00:27:13,259 --> 00:27:16,890
his developed a cure for cancer and they

698
00:27:15,450 --> 00:27:18,180
said you know we've got this cure but

699
00:27:16,890 --> 00:27:19,560
we're not going to release it because

700
00:27:18,180 --> 00:27:21,539
we're not sure about it yet we're really

701
00:27:19,559 --> 00:27:23,490
gonna wait until we get that that TV

702
00:27:21,539 --> 00:27:25,829
contract that would be preposterous

703
00:27:23,490 --> 00:27:27,630
that's why the paranormal is never going

704
00:27:25,829 --> 00:27:28,980
to be accepted as a full science and

705
00:27:27,630 --> 00:27:30,630
it's always going to be pseudoscience

706
00:27:28,980 --> 00:27:33,089
because they don't apply the same

707
00:27:30,630 --> 00:27:34,500
scientific methods as much as they say

708
00:27:33,089 --> 00:27:36,629
they do it's just not going to be

709
00:27:34,500 --> 00:27:38,220
feasible and you've said that the

710
00:27:36,630 --> 00:27:39,510
skeptics get on g for coming to

711
00:27:38,220 --> 00:27:41,700
something like this new clothes the the

712
00:27:39,509 --> 00:27:43,769
people who are into the paranormal going

713

00:27:41,700 --> 00:27:45,930
all you you'll hear the bunkers and make

714
00:27:43,769 --> 00:27:47,609
fun of this right you know in australia

715
00:27:45,930 --> 00:27:49,289
i must say that that atmosphere is not

716
00:27:47,609 --> 00:27:51,119
the same everybody here has been very

717
00:27:49,289 --> 00:27:52,440
very welcoming and even when i tell them

718
00:27:51,119 --> 00:27:53,909
that i don't believe in any of it they

719
00:27:52,440 --> 00:27:55,650
still responding but we will have a

720
00:27:53,910 --> 00:27:57,150
laugh here yeah yeah yeah everybody is a

721
00:27:55,650 --> 00:27:59,580
lot cooler but in America you'd be

722
00:27:57,150 --> 00:28:01,140
surprised like a I have people when I do

723
00:27:59,579 --> 00:28:02,399
like Ouija board experiments and I try

724
00:28:01,140 --> 00:28:04,080
to show them that it's the power of the

725
00:28:02,400 --> 00:28:06,360
human mind and it's not spirit

726
00:28:04,079 --> 00:28:08,309
communication they're still so attached

727
00:28:06,359 --> 00:28:09,869

that identity of the Ouija board being a

728

00:28:08,309 --> 00:28:11,669

negative thing that they won't even

729

00:28:09,869 --> 00:28:13,259

touch it here when people are scared

730

00:28:11,670 --> 00:28:14,460

they still give it a go anyways which is

731

00:28:13,259 --> 00:28:16,859

great are you remember of any openings

732

00:28:14,460 --> 00:28:19,079

in the US I am NOT a member of any

733

00:28:16,859 --> 00:28:21,269

skeptic groups but I am a member of a

734

00:28:19,079 --> 00:28:23,009

very very great historical society the

735

00:28:21,269 --> 00:28:25,379

TV HS we are the talking board

736

00:28:23,009 --> 00:28:27,779

Historical Society we are the first and

737

00:28:25,380 --> 00:28:29,670

only organization of its time of its

738

00:28:27,779 --> 00:28:31,950

kind dedicated to the research

739

00:28:29,670 --> 00:28:34,340

preservation and documentation of all

740

00:28:31,950 --> 00:28:37,710

things Ouija board please visit us at

741

00:28:34,339 --> 00:28:38,970

wwt BHS org and you got a personal

742
00:28:37,710 --> 00:28:40,710
website we can pop in and see what

743
00:28:38,970 --> 00:28:42,569
Calvin's up to yeah if you google me

744
00:28:40,710 --> 00:28:44,789
Calvin van crush on all the social media

745
00:28:42,569 --> 00:28:46,349
networks at Calvin bank rush you can see

746
00:28:44,789 --> 00:28:48,450
me on Instagram that's probably my

747
00:28:46,349 --> 00:28:49,829
favorite raw resource because i post a

748
00:28:48,450 --> 00:28:53,100
brand new object from my collection

749
00:28:49,829 --> 00:28:55,439
every day nothing has haunted my place

750
00:28:53,099 --> 00:28:56,879
yet but the search continues and as soon

751
00:28:55,440 --> 00:28:59,160
as it does i will let skeptics and

752
00:28:56,880 --> 00:29:00,570
paranormal fans alike no look at calvin

753
00:28:59,160 --> 00:29:02,340
i just one know is you've got a huge

754
00:29:00,569 --> 00:29:04,169
collection what is the one thing you're

755
00:29:02,339 --> 00:29:05,639
looking for the am bunnell to find that

756
00:29:04,170 --> 00:29:08,400
you really want for that collection I

757
00:29:05,640 --> 00:29:10,740
would really really love an early spirit

758
00:29:08,400 --> 00:29:12,450
precipitation from either the the bangs

759
00:29:10,740 --> 00:29:14,490
sisters of the falconer brothers I would

760
00:29:12,450 --> 00:29:16,680
love something like that know what it is

761
00:29:14,490 --> 00:29:18,359
it tell us so a spirit precipitation is

762
00:29:16,680 --> 00:29:20,039
a form of spirit communication where

763
00:29:18,359 --> 00:29:21,959
they would lay paints out on a table and

764
00:29:20,039 --> 00:29:24,930
without the aid of a brush they would

765
00:29:21,960 --> 00:29:26,600
appear on canvas now believers say that

766
00:29:24,930 --> 00:29:27,950
the lack of brush strokes is

767
00:29:26,599 --> 00:29:30,709
evidence that you need that it was a

768
00:29:27,950 --> 00:29:32,150
ghostly hands but now I myself am an

769
00:29:30,710 --> 00:29:33,798
artist I'm a full-time tattoo artist

770

00:29:32,150 --> 00:29:35,360
I've been to art school I've seen some

771
00:29:33,798 --> 00:29:37,429
of these in person there's a very good

772
00:29:35,359 --> 00:29:39,288
reason why it's not a brushstroke it's

773
00:29:37,429 --> 00:29:42,470
because these aren't paying its past

774
00:29:39,288 --> 00:29:44,629
they'll pastels durata is applied

775
00:29:42,470 --> 00:29:45,919
directly to the material it's not put on

776
00:29:44,630 --> 00:29:48,140
with a brush so it goes on nice and

777
00:29:45,919 --> 00:29:50,509
smooth you can actually see how the

778
00:29:48,140 --> 00:29:53,059
variation of with when they're coming up

779
00:29:50,509 --> 00:29:55,279
off the paper is passed out now did some

780
00:29:53,058 --> 00:29:57,440
of these in the earlier times in the

781
00:29:55,279 --> 00:29:59,450
20's and in the Victorian time was this

782
00:29:57,440 --> 00:30:01,308
a bit of an excuse to hold hands with

783
00:29:59,450 --> 00:30:02,630
the ladies these sort of things in the

784
00:30:01,308 --> 00:30:03,740

parlor that was a bit of an excuse so

785

00:30:02,630 --> 00:30:05,539

instead of going to the movies or

786

00:30:03,740 --> 00:30:08,089

something you'd go and hold hands and

787

00:30:05,538 --> 00:30:09,679

touch which normally couldn't be done in

788

00:30:08,089 --> 00:30:12,288

public between two people that were not

789

00:30:09,679 --> 00:30:13,730

married as much as again now you are

790

00:30:12,288 --> 00:30:15,319

very good at this by the way man you

791

00:30:13,730 --> 00:30:17,360

have guided us through this perfectly

792

00:30:15,319 --> 00:30:19,639

because the Ouija board is it is in

793

00:30:17,359 --> 00:30:21,798

itself the original dating game on the

794

00:30:19,640 --> 00:30:24,169

instructions of the Ouija board it says

795

00:30:21,798 --> 00:30:26,808

that for best results placed between the

796

00:30:24,169 --> 00:30:30,020

laps of a man and a woman on and

797

00:30:26,808 --> 00:30:31,490

everybody knows the Sunday evening post

798

00:30:30,019 --> 00:30:34,099

what's the gentleman who did all the

799

00:30:31,490 --> 00:30:35,659

America yes Norman Rockwell are the most

800

00:30:34,099 --> 00:30:37,158

famous image of the Ouija board is

801

00:30:35,659 --> 00:30:38,900

probably Norman Rockwell's painting

802

00:30:37,159 --> 00:30:40,760

where you see a woman desperately trying

803

00:30:38,900 --> 00:30:42,350

to communicate with the spirits but the

804

00:30:40,759 --> 00:30:44,000

gentleman is clearly there for other

805

00:30:42,349 --> 00:30:46,158

reasons he's looking down the ladies

806

00:30:44,000 --> 00:30:47,839

blouse arm so yes it was a great

807

00:30:46,159 --> 00:30:49,850

experiment for people to get together

808

00:30:47,839 --> 00:30:51,949

and sit a little closer to someone that

809

00:30:49,849 --> 00:30:54,589

might not have been allowed on an

810

00:30:51,950 --> 00:30:56,569

otherwise situations and as an outside

811

00:30:54,589 --> 00:30:58,099

has come into our paranormal skeptical

812

00:30:56,569 --> 00:30:59,839

Australian saying he you think we've got

813
00:30:58,099 --> 00:31:02,089
a bit more of a healthy mix here Oh a

814
00:30:59,839 --> 00:31:04,399
hundred and ten percent in the United

815
00:31:02,089 --> 00:31:05,779
States everything is so divided you have

816
00:31:04,400 --> 00:31:08,120
the UF ologist have their own

817
00:31:05,779 --> 00:31:10,069
conventions you have the cryptozoologist

818
00:31:08,119 --> 00:31:11,808
have their own conventions you've got

819
00:31:10,069 --> 00:31:13,939
the ghost hunters have their own here

820
00:31:11,808 --> 00:31:16,279
everybody is in one roof and of course

821
00:31:13,940 --> 00:31:17,779
we have skeptics here too nobody likes

822
00:31:16,279 --> 00:31:19,009
the skeptic showing up in America

823
00:31:17,779 --> 00:31:20,599
because we're the party poopers you know

824
00:31:19,009 --> 00:31:22,849
we're there to spoil everybody's fun and

825
00:31:20,599 --> 00:31:25,009
I think it's amazing how open-minded

826
00:31:22,849 --> 00:31:27,500
they are abroad in australia vs how

827

00:31:25,009 --> 00:31:29,119
close lip they are and the states thanks

828
00:31:27,500 --> 00:31:30,259
kalmo check you out online man oh thank

829
00:31:29,119 --> 00:31:31,399
you so much for having me guys it was an

830
00:31:30,259 --> 00:31:33,609
honor and a privilege very nice meeting

831
00:31:31,400 --> 00:31:33,610
you

832
00:31:43,359 --> 00:31:48,889
greetings listeners it's me captain

833
00:31:46,519 --> 00:31:51,529
disillusion on my youtube channel called

834
00:31:48,890 --> 00:31:53,750
captain disillusion aye captain

835
00:31:51,529 --> 00:31:56,029
disillusion analyzed viral videos of the

836
00:31:53,750 --> 00:31:58,308
strange and unbelievable I explain how

837
00:31:56,029 --> 00:32:00,319
interframe video compression 3d motion

838
00:31:58,308 --> 00:32:02,869
tracking and stock the effects elements

839
00:32:00,319 --> 00:32:05,089
prove that Justin Bieber is not a secret

840
00:32:02,869 --> 00:32:06,918
reptilian alien that those videos of

841
00:32:05,089 --> 00:32:08,928

ghost cars are just unintentional

842

00:32:06,919 --> 00:32:10,610

optical illusions and that lightning did

843

00:32:08,929 --> 00:32:12,440

not strike a few feet away from a girl

844

00:32:10,609 --> 00:32:15,199

on a beach as we saw on the news I'm

845

00:32:12,440 --> 00:32:18,500

real fun at parties my best friend is a

846

00:32:15,200 --> 00:32:20,298

lens flare dimmer switch disillusion I

847

00:32:18,500 --> 00:32:22,190

do know other people sometimes they even

848

00:32:20,298 --> 00:32:24,889

show up in my videos people like

849

00:32:22,190 --> 00:32:27,230

skepticism is grandpa james randi sirve

850

00:32:24,890 --> 00:32:29,360

de Soleil Acrobat Erica Lynn's weight

851

00:32:27,230 --> 00:32:31,700

loss enthusiast Penn Jillette and the

852

00:32:29,359 --> 00:32:33,439

actual Beekman from Beakman's world I

853

00:32:31,700 --> 00:32:35,720

hope you'll check out my adventures

854

00:32:33,440 --> 00:32:38,058

interact with me in a platonic way and

855

00:32:35,720 --> 00:32:40,548

even consider becoming a patron of my

856
00:32:38,058 --> 00:32:45,700
work you can do all that and more on

857
00:32:40,548 --> 00:32:45,700
youtube or at captain disillusion com

858
00:32:52,390 --> 00:32:58,990
it's the raw skeptic report with Heidi

859
00:32:56,390 --> 00:32:58,990
Robertson

860
00:33:03,798 --> 00:33:12,740
hello everyone on the night of the 30th

861
00:33:08,669 --> 00:33:16,620
of may 2016 in perth western australia

862
00:33:12,740 --> 00:33:19,500
the telethon kids institute held an open

863
00:33:16,619 --> 00:33:23,399
and free public seminar on the latest

864
00:33:19,500 --> 00:33:25,319
information about vaccinations included

865
00:33:23,400 --> 00:33:29,150
on the panel were some of australia's

866
00:33:25,319 --> 00:33:31,829
leading infectious disease pediatricians

867
00:33:29,150 --> 00:33:34,230
unfortunately the anti-vaccination crowd

868
00:33:31,829 --> 00:33:36,599
got wind of it and decided it would be a

869
00:33:34,230 --> 00:33:40,288
good idea to turn up and more or less

870
00:33:36,599 --> 00:33:42,509
hijack the event the event was Paris

871
00:33:40,288 --> 00:33:45,089
coped live by an anti-vaccination

872
00:33:42,509 --> 00:33:47,879
advocate and has since been put on

873
00:33:45,089 --> 00:33:51,240
YouTube we will put the link to it in

874
00:33:47,880 --> 00:33:53,520
the show notes the periscope recording

875
00:33:51,240 --> 00:33:56,940
began with renowned anti-vaccination

876
00:33:53,519 --> 00:33:59,220
activist Judy Wiley Minh who you may

877
00:33:56,940 --> 00:34:14,010
remember from previous skeptic zone

878
00:33:59,220 --> 00:34:16,829
reports judy has just been awarded a PhD

879
00:34:14,010 --> 00:34:19,230
by Wollongong University which was

880
00:34:16,829 --> 00:34:22,440
widely criticized by the scientific and

881
00:34:19,230 --> 00:34:25,559
medical community as the content of her

882
00:34:22,440 --> 00:34:27,918
thesis contained claims including a

883
00:34:25,559 --> 00:34:30,239
conspiracy between the World Health

884

00:34:27,918 --> 00:34:33,269
Organization and the pharmaceutical

885
00:34:30,239 --> 00:34:35,459
industry to promote vaccinations in the

886
00:34:33,269 --> 00:34:39,119
absence of evidence of safety and

887
00:34:35,460 --> 00:34:41,398
efficacy dr. rachy suggested that when I

888
00:34:39,119 --> 00:34:45,200
listen to this recording this periscope

889
00:34:41,398 --> 00:34:48,079
recording which goes for 36 long minutes

890
00:34:45,199 --> 00:34:52,348
that I note down how many common

891
00:34:48,079 --> 00:34:56,159
anti-vaxxers were mentioned again you

892
00:34:52,349 --> 00:34:59,519
may otherwise know as anti vex bingo so

893
00:34:56,159 --> 00:35:02,849
I did and I found myself calling out

894
00:34:59,519 --> 00:35:06,269
bingo after every common trope that was

895
00:35:02,849 --> 00:35:08,369
mentioned y limon stated in the

896
00:35:06,269 --> 00:35:10,170
periscope recording that she was

897
00:35:08,369 --> 00:35:12,358
concerned about the number of vaccines

898
00:35:10,170 --> 00:35:15,298

added to the schedule

899

00:35:12,358 --> 00:35:17,248

uh not mentioning that children are now

900

00:35:15,298 --> 00:35:20,159

covered for more infectious diseases

901

00:35:17,248 --> 00:35:22,919

with less antigens than ever before in

902

00:35:20,159 --> 00:35:26,788

the schedule she said that there was no

903

00:35:22,920 --> 00:35:29,548

evidence for herd immunity bingo yes

904

00:35:26,789 --> 00:35:31,640

there is that mortality rates had

905

00:35:29,548 --> 00:35:35,038

decreased prior to widespread

906

00:35:31,639 --> 00:35:38,940

vaccination bingo not mentioning

907

00:35:35,039 --> 00:35:41,339

morbidity rates associate professor dr.

908

00:35:38,940 --> 00:35:44,519

Peter Richmond very patiently addressed

909

00:35:41,338 --> 00:35:46,588

each of these issues or tried to amid

910

00:35:44,518 --> 00:35:49,919

what can only be described as a pauling

911

00:35:46,588 --> 00:35:51,778

behavior by the anti-vaccine essent of

912

00:35:49,920 --> 00:35:54,150

the Senate hearing I attended in

913
00:35:51,778 --> 00:35:56,880
Brisbane where aunty vax at work 'it's

914
00:35:54,150 --> 00:35:59,548
sneered yelled out and called the

915
00:35:56,880 --> 00:36:01,230
Senators skills for Rupert Murdoch the

916
00:35:59,548 --> 00:36:02,998
fellow recording the event was

917
00:36:01,230 --> 00:36:06,869
responsible for much of this

918
00:36:02,998 --> 00:36:09,028
rabble-rousing his first outburst was to

919
00:36:06,869 --> 00:36:11,309
yell out about the manufactured

920
00:36:09,028 --> 00:36:15,028
controversy of the suppression of

921
00:36:11,309 --> 00:36:18,900
evidence by the bingo cdc linking the

922
00:36:15,028 --> 00:36:21,539
MMR autism again the experts attempted

923
00:36:18,900 --> 00:36:24,200
to answer the outburst with facts to

924
00:36:21,539 --> 00:36:27,450
which the rabble rouser yelled out lie

925
00:36:24,199 --> 00:36:30,509
we want the truth with other members of

926
00:36:27,449 --> 00:36:32,909
the anti-vaccine out it's your social

927
00:36:30,509 --> 00:36:35,028
responsibility to tell the truth you're

928
00:36:32,909 --> 00:36:37,558
wasting your breath answer the question

929
00:36:35,028 --> 00:36:42,480
where are the studies of safety and

930
00:36:37,559 --> 00:36:45,329
efficacy bingo and that one very

931
00:36:42,480 --> 00:36:50,278
important there are probably some

932
00:36:45,329 --> 00:36:52,730
environment that's right and we actively

933
00:36:50,278 --> 00:36:52,730
looking

934
00:36:53,650 --> 00:36:59,079
you're washing your bread answer my

935
00:36:55,869 --> 00:37:01,630
question and say our question is Posey

936
00:36:59,079 --> 00:37:03,809
no just hold on a second time there are

937
00:37:01,630 --> 00:37:10,960
people here who would like to hear us

938
00:37:03,809 --> 00:37:13,420
requested please I will give you the

939
00:37:10,960 --> 00:37:17,650
opportunity the plea from the panel for

940
00:37:13,420 --> 00:37:20,289
respect from the crowd was ignored can I

941

00:37:17,650 --> 00:37:22,420
just mention at this point that in the

942
00:37:20,289 --> 00:37:25,650
audience were people there who had

943
00:37:22,420 --> 00:37:28,240
genuine questions and also present were

944
00:37:25,650 --> 00:37:30,430
Catherine Greg Hughes parents of baby

945
00:37:28,239 --> 00:37:33,038
Riley who passed away from pertussis

946
00:37:30,429 --> 00:37:35,078
last year what they must have felt

947
00:37:33,039 --> 00:37:37,470
sitting through this embarrassing

948
00:37:35,079 --> 00:37:40,028
display of histrionics I hate to think

949
00:37:37,469 --> 00:37:42,608
what they have personally endured from

950
00:37:40,028 --> 00:37:46,329
the anti-vaccine nothing short of

951
00:37:42,608 --> 00:37:49,239
gobsmacking next up was a midwife asking

952
00:37:46,329 --> 00:37:51,519
why the hepatitis B vaccine was given

953
00:37:49,239 --> 00:37:55,028
within the first few hours of birth and

954
00:37:51,519 --> 00:37:58,298
where the evidence for it was it was

955
00:37:55,028 --> 00:38:00,548

again explained in detail the reasons to

956

00:37:58,298 --> 00:38:19,420

jeers and more shouting down from the

957

00:38:00,548 --> 00:38:23,409

crowd yeah yeah yes next up was another

958

00:38:19,420 --> 00:38:26,980

audience member who bingo brought up the

959

00:38:23,409 --> 00:38:30,068

logical fallacy argumentum ad package

960

00:38:26,980 --> 00:38:33,519

insert to which rebel rouser and co

961

00:38:30,068 --> 00:38:36,000

cheered and clapped and yield out bring

962

00:38:33,519 --> 00:38:38,889

vax to australia you're all lying

963

00:38:36,000 --> 00:38:41,409

ridiculous look at you all it's one of

964

00:38:38,889 --> 00:38:44,558

the best things that you can do in

965

00:38:41,409 --> 00:38:46,210

pregnancy for yourself first thing you

966

00:38:44,559 --> 00:38:48,130

guys can all do is just tell the truth

967

00:38:46,210 --> 00:38:51,068

bring bags to Australia and New Zealand

968

00:38:48,130 --> 00:38:57,548

tell the truth you guys are all lying or

969

00:38:51,068 --> 00:38:59,889

you do you're convinced he was of course

970
00:38:57,548 --> 00:39:02,500
referring to the Wakefield documentary

971
00:38:59,889 --> 00:39:07,129
that appears to be from the reviews a

972
00:39:02,500 --> 00:39:09,500
full anti facts bingo card in itself

973
00:39:07,130 --> 00:39:12,220
next up we have a couple of vaccine

974
00:39:09,500 --> 00:39:14,659
injured bingos a toxin bingo to

975
00:39:12,219 --> 00:39:17,989
bypassing the body's natural defenses

976
00:39:14,659 --> 00:39:20,809
bingos another package insert bingo to

977
00:39:17,989 --> 00:39:23,750
mercury bingos a Nuremberg code bingo

978
00:39:20,809 --> 00:39:26,659
two more herd immunity is a myth bingos

979
00:39:23,750 --> 00:39:29,809
and aluminium bingo a formaldehyde bingo

980
00:39:26,659 --> 00:39:33,230
and aborted fetal cells bingo a fascist

981
00:39:29,809 --> 00:39:35,630
regime bingo a follow the herd bingo the

982
00:39:33,230 --> 00:39:38,420
discrimination bingo as a result of no

983
00:39:35,630 --> 00:39:42,800
job no pay legislation the ingestion

984
00:39:38,420 --> 00:39:45,710
versus injection bingo to msg bingos the

985
00:39:42,800 --> 00:39:48,140
Paul offered 10,000 vaccines bingo the

986
00:39:45,710 --> 00:39:51,730
forced vaccination bingo and a couple

987
00:39:48,139 --> 00:39:54,829
more mortality vs. morbidity bingos

988
00:39:51,730 --> 00:39:56,960
other quotes by rebel rouser shouting

989
00:39:54,829 --> 00:39:59,750
out included how many others have to

990
00:39:56,960 --> 00:40:02,780
suffer while we wait and tell that to

991
00:39:59,750 --> 00:40:05,150
the vaccine injured and we're not going

992
00:40:02,780 --> 00:40:07,700
away guys get used to it we're going to

993
00:40:05,150 --> 00:40:11,000
be everywhere and mercury is a

994
00:40:07,699 --> 00:40:14,000
neurotoxin and how about you all inject

995
00:40:11,000 --> 00:40:15,949
yourselves with a bunch of mercury we're

996
00:40:14,000 --> 00:40:18,280
not going away guys get used to it no

997
00:40:15,949 --> 00:40:20,299
we're going to be everywhere we are

998

00:40:18,280 --> 00:40:22,930
everywhere you said you feel very

999
00:40:20,300 --> 00:40:27,260
strongly so we good and is not just me

1000
00:40:22,929 --> 00:40:29,929
millions billions next up we had an

1001
00:40:27,260 --> 00:40:32,960
audience member say that his 14 month

1002
00:40:29,929 --> 00:40:36,230
old had a febrile convulsion after a flu

1003
00:40:32,960 --> 00:40:39,320
vaccine and five years later was

1004
00:40:36,230 --> 00:40:41,360
diagnosed with leukemia he wanted

1005
00:40:39,320 --> 00:40:45,039
answers as to why his beliefs had not

1006
00:40:41,360 --> 00:40:48,140
been validated by the medical community

1007
00:40:45,039 --> 00:40:49,969
two days after the seminar the West

1008
00:40:48,139 --> 00:40:54,159
Australian news published an article

1009
00:40:49,969 --> 00:40:57,919
titled anti-vaccination activists crash

1010
00:40:54,159 --> 00:41:01,849
immunization seminar by Kathy O'Leary

1011
00:40:57,920 --> 00:41:04,010
their medical editor quote a public

1012
00:41:01,849 --> 00:41:06,199

seminar on immunization in Perth was

1013

00:41:04,010 --> 00:41:08,900

forced to close early on monday night

1014

00:41:06,199 --> 00:41:11,480

after anti-vaccination activists

1015

00:41:08,900 --> 00:41:14,690

hijacked the event and called doctors

1016

00:41:11,480 --> 00:41:16,940

liars organizers of the telethon kids

1017

00:41:14,690 --> 00:41:19,099

Institute event had to stop a

1018

00:41:16,940 --> 00:41:20,750

question-and-answer session after

1019

00:41:19,099 --> 00:41:23,389

constant interruptions by the

1020

00:41:20,750 --> 00:41:25,880

protesters the seminar was meant to give

1021

00:41:23,389 --> 00:41:28,250

people particularly new parents a safe

1022

00:41:25,880 --> 00:41:30,440

forum to ask questions about vaccines

1023

00:41:28,250 --> 00:41:34,400

but a few people in the crowd of about

1024

00:41:30,440 --> 00:41:37,220

150 interjected as Institute Director

1025

00:41:34,400 --> 00:41:39,500

Jonathan Kara Pettis and infectious

1026

00:41:37,219 --> 00:41:43,250

diseases experts attempted to answer

1027
00:41:39,500 --> 00:41:46,250
questions from the floor professor Cara

1028
00:41:43,250 --> 00:41:48,800
Peter said yesterday he was shocked and

1029
00:41:46,250 --> 00:41:50,920
disappointed by their behavior which he

1030
00:41:48,800 --> 00:41:56,840
described as disrespectful and

1031
00:41:50,920 --> 00:42:00,380
intimidating it's injected how his food

1032
00:41:56,840 --> 00:42:01,850
got any relativity to this at all how

1033
00:42:00,380 --> 00:42:04,690
about you inject yourself with a bunch

1034
00:42:01,849 --> 00:42:07,369
of mercury my how would you like it

1035
00:42:04,690 --> 00:42:08,690
10,000 vaccines dr. Paul offer reckons

1036
00:42:07,369 --> 00:42:12,589
assay for any child why don't you all

1037
00:42:08,690 --> 00:42:13,730
take 10,000 vaccines right now we knew

1038
00:42:12,590 --> 00:42:15,769
there would be people from the

1039
00:42:13,730 --> 00:42:17,990
anti-vaccine lobby because we've had

1040
00:42:15,769 --> 00:42:20,389
them before but this was a very

1041
00:42:17,989 --> 00:42:23,449
orchestrated way for them to completely

1042
00:42:20,389 --> 00:42:25,069
disrupt the meeting he said we wanted to

1043
00:42:23,449 --> 00:42:27,349
be able to put up the evidence and

1044
00:42:25,070 --> 00:42:29,870
answer people's questions honestly but

1045
00:42:27,349 --> 00:42:31,789
we didn't get a chance these people

1046
00:42:29,869 --> 00:42:34,519
represent a tiny proportion of the

1047
00:42:31,789 --> 00:42:36,679
population who are anti-vaccine but they

1048
00:42:34,519 --> 00:42:40,449
use any public forum to push their

1049
00:42:36,679 --> 00:42:43,339
message and drown out everyone else

1050
00:42:40,449 --> 00:42:45,799
professor Kara Peters said only two

1051
00:42:43,340 --> 00:42:47,870
people had the chance to ask legitimate

1052
00:42:45,800 --> 00:42:50,600
questions and everything else was

1053
00:42:47,869 --> 00:42:52,339
drowned out we went on for as long as we

1054
00:42:50,599 --> 00:42:54,860
could which was about half an hour of

1055

00:42:52,340 --> 00:42:57,710
them yelling and screaming but speakers

1056
00:42:54,860 --> 00:43:00,170
were paid such disrespect and everyone

1057
00:42:57,710 --> 00:43:03,349
else in the audience was intimidated he

1058
00:43:00,170 --> 00:43:05,750
said we had a school group of about 15

1059
00:43:03,349 --> 00:43:08,000
or 20 kids in the audience who are

1060
00:43:05,750 --> 00:43:11,059
studying infectious diseases and they

1061
00:43:08,000 --> 00:43:13,489
said they were intimidated professor

1062
00:43:11,059 --> 00:43:16,190
Cara Peter said he was devastated that

1063
00:43:13,489 --> 00:43:18,979
one protester misused comments by

1064
00:43:16,190 --> 00:43:21,740
professor Fiona Stanley the Institute's

1065
00:43:18,980 --> 00:43:24,860
former director to try to support an

1066
00:43:21,739 --> 00:43:28,819
anti-vaccine stance one of the main

1067
00:43:24,860 --> 00:43:31,910
protesters Sean do who filmed the Q&A

1068
00:43:28,820 --> 00:43:34,370
session as he heckled the speakers said

1069
00:43:31,909 --> 00:43:38,119

he wanted the world to wake up

1070

00:43:34,369 --> 00:43:40,819

about vaccines professor Cara Peter said

1071

00:43:38,119 --> 00:43:43,519

the Institute would rethink about future

1072

00:43:40,820 --> 00:43:46,430

events but would not stop providing

1073

00:43:43,519 --> 00:43:48,949

honest information to the public they

1074

00:43:46,429 --> 00:43:52,279

want us to go back into our shells he

1075

00:43:48,949 --> 00:43:55,939

said and that definitely won't happen

1076

00:43:52,280 --> 00:43:57,620

end quote we're gonna have trouble

1077

00:43:55,940 --> 00:43:59,659

getting where people where are the

1078

00:43:57,619 --> 00:44:01,549

long-term studies my suggestion is that

1079

00:43:59,659 --> 00:44:03,920

we look in the camera where the

1080

00:44:01,550 --> 00:44:05,450

long-term studies guys with look at look

1081

00:44:03,920 --> 00:44:07,309

at the camera where are the long-term

1082

00:44:05,449 --> 00:44:08,480

studies will hang around can hear me so

1083

00:44:07,309 --> 00:44:10,279

we're happy puter where are the

1084
00:44:08,480 --> 00:44:11,780
long-term studies and ask those

1085
00:44:10,280 --> 00:44:13,970
questions where are they I'm done

1086
00:44:11,780 --> 00:44:17,150
rabble-rouser then approached the stage

1087
00:44:13,969 --> 00:44:19,459
when the event was shut down asking for

1088
00:44:17,150 --> 00:44:22,160
the names of each of the panelists with

1089
00:44:19,460 --> 00:44:25,099
his camera in their faces demanding they

1090
00:44:22,159 --> 00:44:28,909
say something about the CDC

1091
00:44:25,099 --> 00:44:30,380
whistleblower bingo again how do you

1092
00:44:28,909 --> 00:44:32,119
guys got anything you guys got anything

1093
00:44:30,380 --> 00:44:34,369
to say

1094
00:44:32,119 --> 00:44:38,210
I have you feel very important sorry

1095
00:44:34,369 --> 00:44:39,469
have you got anything to say we got guys

1096
00:44:38,210 --> 00:44:41,559
have we got anything to say for the

1097
00:44:39,469 --> 00:44:43,339
vaccine for Australia up in New Zealand

1098
00:44:41,559 --> 00:44:46,099
have you got anything to know that

1099
00:44:43,340 --> 00:44:47,720
vaccines have saved more lives than any

1100
00:44:46,099 --> 00:44:49,969
other medical yeah what's your name oh

1101
00:44:47,719 --> 00:44:52,759
so you can carry Jonathan kara Peters

1102
00:44:49,969 --> 00:44:55,129
what's your name doctor told you before

1103
00:44:52,760 --> 00:44:59,300
it's Johnson time okay thanks I am

1104
00:44:55,130 --> 00:45:01,039
what's your name side Ashley Oh Bolton

1105
00:44:59,300 --> 00:45:02,360
is it thanks for Sam have you got

1106
00:45:01,039 --> 00:45:04,309
anything to say to the vax team in

1107
00:45:02,360 --> 00:45:09,110
Australia New Zealand at the CDC we

1108
00:45:04,309 --> 00:45:11,750
supply or anything like that at around

1109
00:45:09,110 --> 00:45:14,450
the 30 minute 50 second mark of the

1110
00:45:11,750 --> 00:45:16,699
recording rebel rouser approaches Judy

1111
00:45:14,449 --> 00:45:19,279
Wiley Minh and along with another few

1112

00:45:16,699 --> 00:45:22,699
anti-vaxxers have a lovely time being

1113
00:45:19,280 --> 00:45:24,380
self congratulatory i guess if one were

1114
00:45:22,699 --> 00:45:27,319
to really look for a silver lining to

1115
00:45:24,380 --> 00:45:29,840
this debacle we could say that once

1116
00:45:27,320 --> 00:45:33,289
again this crowd has shown themselves to

1117
00:45:29,840 --> 00:45:35,769
be rude and disrespectful clearly unable

1118
00:45:33,289 --> 00:45:39,230
to listen to reason and evidence and

1119
00:45:35,769 --> 00:45:41,329
unable or unwilling to evaluate the

1120
00:45:39,230 --> 00:45:45,170
science even when it is presented in a

1121
00:45:41,329 --> 00:45:47,389
clear and uncomplicated way this is

1122
00:45:45,170 --> 00:45:50,300
precisely why we should never debate

1123
00:45:47,389 --> 00:45:52,519
them to debate these people is to give

1124
00:45:50,300 --> 00:45:57,310
them an air of legitimacy which they do

1125
00:45:52,519 --> 00:45:59,780
not deserve all opinions are not equal a

1126
00:45:57,309 --> 00:46:02,239

pediatrician specializing in infectious

1127

00:45:59,780 --> 00:46:04,550

disease should not lower him or herself

1128

00:46:02,239 --> 00:46:08,629

to appear alongside a parent who has

1129

00:46:04,550 --> 00:46:10,340

done their own research I'm sure the

1130

00:46:08,630 --> 00:46:12,170

organizers of the telethon were not

1131

00:46:10,340 --> 00:46:14,240

prepared for the scene that confronted

1132

00:46:12,170 --> 00:46:16,369

them although they had been warned that

1133

00:46:14,239 --> 00:46:19,219

the rebel rousers were going to show up

1134

00:46:16,369 --> 00:46:21,409

these anti vex people are certainly free

1135

00:46:19,219 --> 00:46:24,049

to say whatever they wish but they are

1136

00:46:21,409 --> 00:46:27,109

not immune pardon the pun from being

1137

00:46:24,050 --> 00:46:29,150

called out on it criticized and refused

1138

00:46:27,110 --> 00:46:31,519

a platform at venues for their misguided

1139

00:46:29,150 --> 00:46:33,260

beliefs in the face of all the evidence

1140

00:46:31,519 --> 00:46:38,000

that shows that vaccinations are

1141
00:46:33,260 --> 00:46:40,400
overwhelmingly safe and effective that's

1142
00:46:38,000 --> 00:46:42,949
all from me for this week this has been

1143
00:46:40,400 --> 00:46:46,280
Heidi Robertson from the northern

1144
00:46:42,949 --> 00:46:49,608
rivers vaccination supporters you can

1145
00:46:46,280 --> 00:46:54,769
find us on Facebook Twitter our website

1146
00:46:49,608 --> 00:47:11,088
and rvs info and on Wikipedia thanks

1147
00:46:54,769 --> 00:47:14,329
until next time Australian skeptics

1148
00:47:11,088 --> 00:47:16,460
National Convention 2016 will be hosted

1149
00:47:14,329 --> 00:47:19,460
in Melbourne at the university of

1150
00:47:16,460 --> 00:47:21,889
melbourne from the 25th to the 27th of

1151
00:47:19,460 --> 00:47:24,079
november with the annual dinner being

1152
00:47:21,889 --> 00:47:28,460
held at melbourne zoo on the evening of

1153
00:47:24,079 --> 00:47:31,250
the 26th of November early bird ticket

1154
00:47:28,460 --> 00:47:35,570
sales are online at the convention

1155
00:47:31,250 --> 00:47:37,670
website convention skeptics comdata you

1156
00:47:35,570 --> 00:47:40,220
and if you get an early bird ticket

1157
00:47:37,670 --> 00:47:44,389
you'll receive a discount and be able to

1158
00:47:40,219 --> 00:47:45,949
reserve seats close to the stage we can

1159
00:47:44,389 --> 00:47:48,889
confirm that speakers for the convention

1160
00:47:45,949 --> 00:47:52,068
will include Lawrence Krauss Ed's odd

1161
00:47:48,889 --> 00:47:55,699
Ernst Harriet Hall Michael Marshall

1162
00:47:52,068 --> 00:47:59,529
Katie Mac and Mel Thompson with many

1163
00:47:55,699 --> 00:48:02,568
more great speakers to be announced soon

1164
00:47:59,530 --> 00:48:05,269
nicholas j johnson is our emcee for the

1165
00:48:02,568 --> 00:48:07,250
annual dinner information about our

1166
00:48:05,269 --> 00:48:09,829
speakers is available from the

1167
00:48:07,250 --> 00:48:14,679
convention website so that's convention

1168
00:48:09,829 --> 00:48:14,680
dot skeptics com au

1169

00:48:27,539 --> 00:48:31,719
skeptics in the pub here in Sydney we

1170
00:48:29,559 --> 00:48:33,759
can always be guaranteed of a fun

1171
00:48:31,719 --> 00:48:35,529
evening the folks are rolling in I can

1172
00:48:33,760 --> 00:48:37,150
see the beers being drunk and there's a

1173
00:48:35,530 --> 00:48:41,140
steak and some fish and chips being

1174
00:48:37,150 --> 00:48:43,000
consumed over there hello Trisha no it's

1175
00:48:41,139 --> 00:48:45,639
nice to see you back here at skeptics in

1176
00:48:43,000 --> 00:48:47,050
the pub get to be half now we were just

1177
00:48:45,639 --> 00:48:50,289
before i switched on the microphone

1178
00:48:47,050 --> 00:48:53,110
talking about naughty aliens which sort

1179
00:48:50,289 --> 00:48:54,610
of relates to as listeners know I was

1180
00:48:53,110 --> 00:48:56,260
recently me and may not went to be a

1181
00:48:54,610 --> 00:48:58,150
paranormal convention we had all about

1182
00:48:56,260 --> 00:49:00,430
that aliens doing all sorts of horrible

1183
00:48:58,150 --> 00:49:03,820

things which meeting with humans are

1184

00:49:00,429 --> 00:49:07,119

here breeding with humans I wonder if

1185

00:49:03,820 --> 00:49:13,210

they breed with other animals well like

1186

00:49:07,119 --> 00:49:16,529

caterpillars or snakes or yeah but my my

1187

00:49:13,210 --> 00:49:19,389

question to you is would you be

1188

00:49:16,530 --> 00:49:22,390

concerned if the government tomorrow

1189

00:49:19,389 --> 00:49:24,219

said you know we've had reports and you

1190

00:49:22,389 --> 00:49:26,650

really have had a message from an alien

1191

00:49:24,219 --> 00:49:28,750

intelligence but he loved it oh now be

1192

00:49:26,650 --> 00:49:29,920

awesome the technology we could use yeah

1193

00:49:28,750 --> 00:49:32,019

the fact that we could reach out to

1194

00:49:29,920 --> 00:49:34,119

another planet that'd be fantastic quite

1195

00:49:32,019 --> 00:49:35,920

frankly I'm I'm not gonna phobic in any

1196

00:49:34,119 --> 00:49:37,359

way not just about people on this planet

1197

00:49:35,920 --> 00:49:38,680

will people be on this planet and you

1198
00:49:37,360 --> 00:49:40,000
know what if they've been hiding amongst

1199
00:49:38,679 --> 00:49:43,299
us all along they were doing a bloody

1200
00:49:40,000 --> 00:49:45,880
good job I have you know you might be

1201
00:49:43,300 --> 00:49:48,519
one and I'd never know don't insinuate

1202
00:49:45,880 --> 00:49:52,329
things like that no I don't think I

1203
00:49:48,519 --> 00:49:54,070
don't think so so yeah I guess I think

1204
00:49:52,329 --> 00:49:57,009
that'd probably be in the same boat as

1205
00:49:54,070 --> 00:49:59,170
you at BM would be an interesting event

1206
00:49:57,010 --> 00:50:00,790
and maybe would be literally in the same

1207
00:49:59,170 --> 00:50:02,740
boat if they came to invade and we had

1208
00:50:00,789 --> 00:50:05,139
to escape right I wouldn't have thought

1209
00:50:02,739 --> 00:50:06,549
they'd need boats if it may be you know

1210
00:50:05,139 --> 00:50:08,349
water might not be something that they'd

1211
00:50:06,550 --> 00:50:11,830
be too keen on they're probably more

1212
00:50:08,349 --> 00:50:13,869
into air travel rather than unless

1213
00:50:11,829 --> 00:50:15,369
they're those underwater aliens well

1214
00:50:13,869 --> 00:50:16,299
this is the thing so you know we say

1215
00:50:15,369 --> 00:50:18,339
that we don't know very much about

1216
00:50:16,300 --> 00:50:19,990
what's in our oceans aliens could very

1217
00:50:18,340 --> 00:50:20,548
well have gone in there thousands and

1218
00:50:19,989 --> 00:50:22,288
millions

1219
00:50:20,548 --> 00:50:25,259
years ago and started colonizing we'd

1220
00:50:22,289 --> 00:50:27,749
never be never be the wiser whoo now

1221
00:50:25,259 --> 00:50:30,059
there's a scary thought folks as you're

1222
00:50:27,748 --> 00:50:32,218
going to sleep tonight think of the

1223
00:50:30,059 --> 00:50:36,569
depth of the ocean crawling little

1224
00:50:32,219 --> 00:50:37,920
aliens thousands of years ago I guess

1225
00:50:36,568 --> 00:50:44,429
scared enough what I'm swinging up some

1226

00:50:37,920 --> 00:50:46,349
milk upon die anyway thanks Trish d

1227
00:50:44,429 --> 00:50:50,099
mendham the editor of the skeptic

1228
00:50:46,349 --> 00:50:52,619
magazine the Journal of reason and was

1229
00:50:50,099 --> 00:50:54,420
it science and society order would stood

1230
00:50:52,619 --> 00:50:56,849
the company I thought it was sex and

1231
00:50:54,420 --> 00:50:59,099
violence the magazine of sex and

1232
00:50:56,849 --> 00:51:01,859
violence is skeptic here's tonight's

1233
00:50:59,099 --> 00:51:03,838
question would you be thrilled or

1234
00:51:01,858 --> 00:51:05,179
concerned if the government announced

1235
00:51:03,838 --> 00:51:07,679
that they'd made contact with

1236
00:51:05,179 --> 00:51:09,660
extraterrestrial I'd love it a which

1237
00:51:07,679 --> 00:51:11,338
government we're talking about that's a

1238
00:51:09,659 --> 00:51:13,318
good question the alien governments is a

1239
00:51:11,338 --> 00:51:15,298
north korean cafe i would might take it

1240
00:51:13,318 --> 00:51:17,308

with a pinch of salt Maxie but if you

1241

00:51:15,298 --> 00:51:19,588

contact an alien second no actual they

1242

00:51:17,309 --> 00:51:22,259

contacted us or do we contact them let's

1243

00:51:19,588 --> 00:51:23,849

say that we received a message from the

1244

00:51:22,259 --> 00:51:26,579

heavens saying you are not alone

1245

00:51:23,849 --> 00:51:29,160

something like that yes I love it can we

1246

00:51:26,579 --> 00:51:30,599

go there we go where wherever they are I

1247

00:51:29,159 --> 00:51:32,639

think it'd be fantastic I'd love it yeah

1248

00:51:30,599 --> 00:51:33,929

be nice to meet aliens actually probably

1249

00:51:32,639 --> 00:51:36,778

more interesting i bet i met everyone

1250

00:51:33,929 --> 00:51:38,939

else so be nice to meet an alien yeah i

1251

00:51:36,778 --> 00:51:40,679

think we'd report that on the pages of

1252

00:51:38,938 --> 00:51:42,118

the skeptic we might you know we might

1253

00:51:40,679 --> 00:51:43,829

just mention that in the skeptic that

1254

00:51:42,119 --> 00:51:46,588

this has happened speaking of the

1255
00:51:43,829 --> 00:51:48,989
skeptic magazine what's coming up in the

1256
00:51:46,588 --> 00:51:51,929
next issue next issue is going to press

1257
00:51:48,989 --> 00:51:55,019
very very soon and the main feature in

1258
00:51:51,929 --> 00:51:56,880
that is consumer protection hmmm ya know

1259
00:51:55,018 --> 00:51:59,308
it's a big issue actually people have

1260
00:51:56,880 --> 00:52:01,170
often regarded or you know described the

1261
00:51:59,309 --> 00:52:03,019
skeptics as the the choice of the

1262
00:52:01,170 --> 00:52:05,699
paranormal now for those people

1263
00:52:03,018 --> 00:52:07,498
international people who may not know

1264
00:52:05,699 --> 00:52:08,999
although you should by listening to the

1265
00:52:07,498 --> 00:52:11,038
skeptics own choices the name of our

1266
00:52:08,998 --> 00:52:12,748
consumer affairs magazine that's right

1267
00:52:11,039 --> 00:52:15,749
so we have actually featured them as you

1268
00:52:12,748 --> 00:52:17,308
had done in the skeptic zone in this

1269
00:52:15,748 --> 00:52:19,438
particular issue and of course we can

1270
00:52:17,309 --> 00:52:21,730
regard them as the the skeptics of the

1271
00:52:19,438 --> 00:52:23,568
washing machines yes

1272
00:52:21,730 --> 00:52:26,059
but that's that's just one of the

1273
00:52:23,568 --> 00:52:27,259
articles we go to having in this this

1274
00:52:26,059 --> 00:52:29,059
feature because some other ones looking

1275
00:52:27,260 --> 00:52:30,980
at a whole range of scams and what they

1276
00:52:29,059 --> 00:52:34,400
are and what to do about them some

1277
00:52:30,980 --> 00:52:36,108
advice largely from the the scam watch

1278
00:52:34,400 --> 00:52:40,010
which is the body that's put out by the

1279
00:52:36,108 --> 00:52:41,568
Australian good love H Triple C optical

1280
00:52:40,010 --> 00:52:43,849
yeah yes go and watch I give their

1281
00:52:41,568 --> 00:52:44,869
emails to ya no no it sort of very good

1282
00:52:43,849 --> 00:52:46,670
very good advice AC and they've

1283

00:52:44,869 --> 00:52:48,289
definitely down the paranormal and all

1284
00:52:46,670 --> 00:52:51,139
these of the cons everything from

1285
00:52:48,289 --> 00:52:52,338
nigerian love letters to miracle cures

1286
00:52:51,139 --> 00:52:55,098
and everything in fact i got an email

1287
00:52:52,338 --> 00:52:59,298
from scam watch just today to advise me

1288
00:52:55,099 --> 00:53:01,730
to be on lookout for fake gift vouchers

1289
00:52:59,298 --> 00:53:03,619
and things like this Thank You fetches I

1290
00:53:01,730 --> 00:53:05,240
can tell you the real ones you got to be

1291
00:53:03,619 --> 00:53:06,740
look on the lookout for hundreds of

1292
00:53:05,239 --> 00:53:08,058
those actually fake gift vouchers it's

1293
00:53:06,739 --> 00:53:09,919
really annoying a part of the fact i

1294
00:53:08,059 --> 00:53:12,710
have these very kind people offering to

1295
00:53:09,920 --> 00:53:15,380
fix up our website all the time no yeah

1296
00:53:12,710 --> 00:53:17,539
yeah yeah so I mean sort of I get four

1297
00:53:15,380 --> 00:53:18,650

or five Thursday people saying I looked

1298

00:53:17,539 --> 00:53:20,599

at your website I know you're not

1299

00:53:18,650 --> 00:53:23,150

getting sort of top ranking in Google

1300

00:53:20,599 --> 00:53:25,940

yeah I'd say I'd like to reap on respond

1301

00:53:23,150 --> 00:53:27,260

and say yes we are but I don't respond

1302

00:53:25,940 --> 00:53:30,079

to them next you can just have to delete

1303

00:53:27,260 --> 00:53:31,250

them constantly into big back Andy and

1304

00:53:30,079 --> 00:53:34,670

the gift vouchers all the time from

1305

00:53:31,250 --> 00:53:36,500

supermarkets wine companies hardware

1306

00:53:34,670 --> 00:53:37,730

companies you name it i give so many

1307

00:53:36,500 --> 00:53:39,679

gift vouchers i wouldn't have to buy

1308

00:53:37,730 --> 00:53:41,960

anything anymore come out and visit and

1309

00:53:39,679 --> 00:53:43,789

collect a few now we're just making room

1310

00:53:41,960 --> 00:53:46,400

at the table tonight's featured speakers

1311

00:53:43,789 --> 00:53:48,440

dr. brad filling in at the last moment

1312
00:53:46,400 --> 00:53:50,119
for Ian Bryce who was going to talk

1313
00:53:48,440 --> 00:53:54,318
about gravitational waves but I think he

1314
00:53:50,119 --> 00:53:55,869
fell down a black hole ah thank you

1315
00:53:54,318 --> 00:53:57,880
thank you for a long

1316
00:53:55,869 --> 00:53:58,930
and what Brad would just talk about

1317
00:53:57,880 --> 00:54:02,108
something completely different about

1318
00:53:58,929 --> 00:54:04,149
aliens and that sort of stuff and the

1319
00:54:02,108 --> 00:54:05,828
question is how would you react if

1320
00:54:04,150 --> 00:54:07,720
tomorrow the government turned around

1321
00:54:05,829 --> 00:54:09,430
and said we received a message from the

1322
00:54:07,719 --> 00:54:12,129
heavens that we think is from an

1323
00:54:09,429 --> 00:54:14,318
extraterrestrial source I think I

1324
00:54:12,130 --> 00:54:19,930
probably wouldn't trust it initially I

1325
00:54:14,318 --> 00:54:23,170
skeptic at last as we yeah so I remember

1326
00:54:19,929 --> 00:54:25,868
there was it contact the movie when they

1327
00:54:23,170 --> 00:54:28,539
had like the the president announcing

1328
00:54:25,869 --> 00:54:30,400
that aliens had come to the boy had had

1329
00:54:28,539 --> 00:54:32,470
signaled the planet and then it was all

1330
00:54:30,400 --> 00:54:33,818
computer-generated and so everybody was

1331
00:54:32,469 --> 00:54:35,528
worried that everybody would actually

1332
00:54:33,818 --> 00:54:38,409
believe that the president of the united

1333
00:54:35,528 --> 00:54:39,940
states have actually announced that but

1334
00:54:38,409 --> 00:54:41,469
i think it only has to be twenty percent

1335
00:54:39,940 --> 00:54:43,869
different or something to be to get away

1336
00:54:41,469 --> 00:54:46,989
with it with a computer animation so a

1337
00:54:43,869 --> 00:54:50,789
few less gray hairs maybe that's good

1338
00:54:46,989 --> 00:54:50,788
maybe we should be more skeptical Tim Oh

1339
00:54:50,940 --> 00:54:54,900
someone's going to tell me you very soon

1340

00:54:52,809 --> 00:54:57,160
that there's no Santa Claus you know

1341
00:54:54,900 --> 00:54:59,829
we're not gonna educate their kids

1342
00:54:57,159 --> 00:55:01,748
around yes well that's interesting

1343
00:54:59,829 --> 00:55:02,859
that's a good take bread actually all

1344
00:55:01,748 --> 00:55:04,298
right now let's take that one step

1345
00:55:02,858 --> 00:55:07,328
further and say it was actually

1346
00:55:04,298 --> 00:55:09,940
confirmed it was confirmed and it wasn't

1347
00:55:07,329 --> 00:55:12,579
computer-generated what would your

1348
00:55:09,940 --> 00:55:14,289
thoughts be then I just be thinking are

1349
00:55:12,579 --> 00:55:16,690
they friend or foe are they going to

1350
00:55:14,289 --> 00:55:19,390
come and kill us or or are they actually

1351
00:55:16,690 --> 00:55:22,329
going to be like furry and fluffy so yep

1352
00:55:19,389 --> 00:55:23,618
so I can have one as a pet well Trish

1353
00:55:22,329 --> 00:55:25,210
over here reckons are going to be living

1354
00:55:23,619 --> 00:55:27,430

under the sea and we can ride them like

1355

00:55:25,210 --> 00:55:30,970

sea horses or something like that you as

1356

00:55:27,429 --> 00:55:35,278

a pet I look very good in a cage I can

1357

00:55:30,969 --> 00:55:35,278

tell you that I've seen the photos

1358

00:55:51,349 --> 00:55:56,429

three

1359

00:55:53,469 --> 00:55:59,709

syst you met

1360

00:55:56,429 --> 00:56:01,750

SI esta simple idiot hey Sal you guys

1361

00:55:59,710 --> 00:56:03,909

guys I just had the most amazing

1362

00:56:01,750 --> 00:56:05,800

experience what experience unders unders

1363

00:56:03,909 --> 00:56:07,629

have you been to the pub I told you not

1364

00:56:05,800 --> 00:56:10,060

to hang out with mash you know he was

1365

00:56:07,630 --> 00:56:12,610

blessed by peter Popoff no yellin i'm

1366

00:56:10,059 --> 00:56:15,009

not talking about psychics it was a

1367

00:56:12,610 --> 00:56:16,630

really SP experience now you have been

1368

00:56:15,010 --> 00:56:19,510

to the pub either that or you've been

1369
00:56:16,630 --> 00:56:21,940
smoking something no pointers the ESB is

1370
00:56:19,510 --> 00:56:24,040
the European skeptics podcast it's the

1371
00:56:21,940 --> 00:56:26,170
most amazing thing you get to know so

1372
00:56:24,039 --> 00:56:29,050
much about skeptics and their activities

1373
00:56:26,170 --> 00:56:31,150
across Europe you know events hot topics

1374
00:56:29,050 --> 00:56:33,370
and interviews with lots of interesting

1375
00:56:31,150 --> 00:56:35,110
people oh wow cool by the way pointers

1376
00:56:33,369 --> 00:56:37,539
you just get me to the false dichotomy

1377
00:56:35,110 --> 00:56:40,390
fallacy I guess that means I'm really

1378
00:56:37,539 --> 00:56:42,400
wrong yep and you can even learn about

1379
00:56:40,389 --> 00:56:44,859
those fallacies in the show and hear

1380
00:56:42,400 --> 00:56:47,139
about people spreading silly ideas you

1381
00:56:44,860 --> 00:56:50,140
should really check it out it's the ESP

1382
00:56:47,139 --> 00:56:52,839
the European skeptics podcast its own

1383
00:56:50,139 --> 00:56:55,150
never weak alright so where can I get

1384
00:56:52,840 --> 00:56:57,820
this is the experience it sounds good

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00:56:55,150 --> 00:57:00,880
you can go online at the ESP do to you

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00:56:57,820 --> 00:57:03,940
follow it on twitter at es podcast

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00:57:00,880 --> 00:57:06,070
underscore EU or like the podcast on

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00:57:03,940 --> 00:57:09,130
facebook oh and you can also contact the

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00:57:06,070 --> 00:57:12,940
show by sending them an email to info at

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00:57:09,130 --> 00:57:15,010
the ESPE you and if you want to

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00:57:12,940 --> 00:57:17,740
subscribe do a quick search for the

1392
00:57:15,010 --> 00:57:23,740
European skeptic podcast on soundcloud

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00:57:17,739 --> 00:57:27,329
itunes or stitcher I don't know how you

1394
00:57:23,739 --> 00:57:27,329
can be

1395
00:57:37,929 --> 00:57:44,149
thank you for listening to the skeptics

1396
00:57:40,190 --> 00:57:46,460
own as the rain still pours down here in

1397

00:57:44,150 --> 00:57:49,780
Sydney and a big thank you to those

1398
00:57:46,460 --> 00:57:52,820
people who make the skeptic zone

1399
00:57:49,780 --> 00:57:55,160
possible the reporters of course but

1400
00:57:52,820 --> 00:57:57,200
also people like you who contribute to

1401
00:57:55,159 --> 00:58:01,129
the skeptic zone with paypal at skeptic

1402
00:57:57,199 --> 00:58:04,489
zone dot TV many people contribute only

1403
00:58:01,130 --> 00:58:07,340
99 cents a week but it all adds up and

1404
00:58:04,489 --> 00:58:09,169
it all makes the show work if you feel

1405
00:58:07,340 --> 00:58:10,820
you enjoy the skeptic zone if you get

1406
00:58:09,170 --> 00:58:13,190
value out of it if you learn something

1407
00:58:10,820 --> 00:58:17,210
from if it keeps you company then maybe

1408
00:58:13,190 --> 00:58:20,420
you would consider being a supporter of

1409
00:58:17,210 --> 00:58:23,090
the show by chipping in 99 cents a week

1410
00:58:20,420 --> 00:58:25,130
or five dollars a week or some people

1411
00:58:23,090 --> 00:58:27,950

even more which is greatly appreciated

1412

00:58:25,130 --> 00:58:32,210

it does keep the show going and we're

1413

00:58:27,949 --> 00:58:34,789

coming up to show Wow 400 in a couple of

1414

00:58:32,210 --> 00:58:36,949

weeks hard to believe it's also hard to

1415

00:58:34,789 --> 00:58:39,500

believe that the rain is pouring down

1416

00:58:36,949 --> 00:58:42,589

the way it is okay people in Sydney the

1417

00:58:39,500 --> 00:58:46,849

show's over batten down the hatches get

1418

00:58:42,590 --> 00:58:48,680

the lifeboats ready and good luck but

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00:58:46,849 --> 00:58:53,889

for now this is Richard Saunders signing

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00:58:48,679 --> 00:58:53,889

off from a very soggy Sydney Australia

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