



*The Skeptic Zone*  
*134 - 13 May 2011*

Skepticamp **PART II**



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00:00:22,640 --> 00:00:09,090  
welcome to the skeptic zone the podcast

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00:00:34,280 --> 00:00:26,880  
yes it's the skeptic zone for friday the

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00:00:36,600 --> 00:00:34,290  
13th of may 2011 show number 134

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00:00:38,939 --> 00:00:36,610  
Richardson is here with you from Sydney

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00:00:42,090 --> 00:00:38,949  
Australia in this week's show we

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00:00:45,000 --> 00:00:42,100  
continue our reports from Sydney's first

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00:00:49,110 --> 00:00:45,010  
skeptic camp with none other than good

8  
00:00:51,060 --> 00:00:49,120  
old Maynard those people on Twitter I

9  
00:00:53,729 --> 00:00:51,070  
was people on Twitter you could do worse

10  
00:00:59,569 --> 00:00:53,739  
than to follow Maynard and his twitter

11  
00:01:03,360 --> 00:00:59,579  
handle is Maynard com au Maynard c om a

12  
00:01:06,510 --> 00:01:03,370  
you and following Maynard's reports from

13  
00:01:09,000 --> 00:01:06,520

skeptic and it's the welcome return of

14

00:01:10,920 --> 00:01:09,010

the think tank yes it's been a long time

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00:01:13,500 --> 00:01:10,930

since we've had a think tank it's back

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00:01:16,620 --> 00:01:13,510

again joining us this week on the think

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00:01:20,370 --> 00:01:16,630

tank our doctor a chi mei none of course

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00:01:23,210 --> 00:01:20,380

and jason brown right from his great

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00:01:25,500 --> 00:01:23,220

success from organizing skeptic camp

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00:01:28,140 --> 00:01:25,510

thank you to those people who have

21

00:01:31,380 --> 00:01:28,150

written to me wishing me well i'm almost

22

00:01:34,350 --> 00:01:31,390

better it's as one of these rotten cold

23

00:01:36,450 --> 00:01:34,360

sort of things that more or less over in

24

00:01:40,290 --> 00:01:36,460

a week and then just decides to hang

25

00:01:42,750 --> 00:01:40,300

around for a while yeah so i'm almost

26  
00:01:45,690 --> 00:01:42,760  
almost there almost better it must build

27  
00:01:48,780 --> 00:01:45,700  
that echinacea and psychic vibrations

28  
00:01:50,970 --> 00:01:48,790  
i've been getting lately well as i look

29  
00:01:56,690 --> 00:01:50,980  
at my calendar i see that it's scarcely

30  
00:01:59,550 --> 00:01:56,700  
a week to go before the end of the world

31  
00:02:02,310 --> 00:01:59,560  
there's a funny people in America family

32  
00:02:05,250 --> 00:02:02,320  
radio you know I was driving today in

33  
00:02:07,260 --> 00:02:05,260  
Sydney out along Parramatta Road which

34  
00:02:12,990 --> 00:02:07,270  
is the major artery out of the city

35  
00:02:15,420 --> 00:02:13,000  
heading west and stagger me there's a

36  
00:02:18,020 --> 00:02:15,430  
giant billboard from these people saying

37  
00:02:21,500 --> 00:02:18,030  
twenty first of may end of the world

38  
00:02:25,730 --> 00:02:21,510

return of Jesus Christ or whatever they

39

00:02:27,410 --> 00:02:25,740

think wow I mean isn't the same in your

40

00:02:28,550 --> 00:02:27,420

city if you live in a major city around

41

00:02:31,160 --> 00:02:28,560

the world are they have billboards

42

00:02:34,340 --> 00:02:31,170

popping up from these people where the

43

00:02:36,229 --> 00:02:34,350

hell are they getting the money from Wow

44

00:02:38,780 --> 00:02:36,239

and what a waste the money it is too

45

00:02:42,199 --> 00:02:38,790

terrible if the world really will end on

46

00:02:45,949 --> 00:02:42,209

the twenty first of May then this is the

47

00:02:49,100 --> 00:02:45,959

second last skeptic zoned this is a bit

48

00:02:51,710 --> 00:02:49,110

of a worry hmm but it make next week's

49

00:02:52,970 --> 00:02:51,720

show really good yeah I look to it I'm

50

00:02:54,830 --> 00:02:52,980

gonna go away and think of that I'm

51  
00:02:57,440 --> 00:02:54,840  
going to have some nice tea and honey to

52  
00:03:04,020 --> 00:02:57,450  
soothe my voice and i'll let you enjoy

53  
00:03:04,030 --> 00:03:14,470  
Oh

54  
00:03:22,399 --> 00:03:18,880  
here's my not spooky action at a

55  
00:03:38,099 --> 00:03:30,809  
welcome to skeptic am Sydney 2011 ever

56  
00:03:41,610 --> 00:03:38,109  
get to camp Australia look in here we

57  
00:03:43,679 --> 00:03:41,620  
are i'm here with alan conradi and que

58  
00:03:44,849 --> 00:03:43,689  
tal way now now we're just all looking

59  
00:03:47,280 --> 00:03:44,859  
at what's going to be on this afternoon

60  
00:03:49,379 --> 00:03:47,290  
after lunch and it's pretty hard to

61  
00:03:51,390 --> 00:03:49,389  
choose in it yes it is there's a lot

62  
00:03:56,399 --> 00:03:51,400  
going on well what's looking good to you

63  
00:03:58,890 --> 00:03:56,409

just at the moment ah well introducing

64  
00:04:00,929 --> 00:03:58,900  
women to skepticism and how do we solve

65  
00:04:04,409 --> 00:04:00,939  
a problem like that but that looks good

66  
00:04:06,179 --> 00:04:04,419  
and think about it like a musical yes

67  
00:04:08,399 --> 00:04:06,189  
and there's little musical notes written

68  
00:04:10,500 --> 00:04:08,409  
on the photo posted note but I think

69  
00:04:13,740 --> 00:04:10,510  
though the question is quite serious

70  
00:04:15,539 --> 00:04:13,750  
really pretty good that that's been very

71  
00:04:17,129 --> 00:04:15,549  
serious it like would you be asking

72  
00:04:18,330 --> 00:04:17,139  
questions at that one and now you're the

73  
00:04:19,979 --> 00:04:18,340  
kind of person is going to be asking

74  
00:04:21,960 --> 00:04:19,989  
questions at the end of most of lectures

75  
00:04:24,420 --> 00:04:21,970  
are seeing today

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00:04:27,360 --> 00:04:24,430

I haven't actually been asking questions

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00:04:30,420 --> 00:04:27,370

of this I'm really from more the Atheist

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00:04:33,240 --> 00:04:30,430

movement the skeptics movement and it's

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00:04:36,480 --> 00:04:33,250

all quite similar there's the things

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00:04:39,420 --> 00:04:36,490

that are a bit new for me so what would

81

00:04:41,880 --> 00:04:39,430

you be an anti fears would be described

82

00:04:43,440 --> 00:04:41,890

as that I could be described as a whole

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00:04:46,290 --> 00:04:43,450

lot of things but we probably need three

84

00:04:48,450 --> 00:04:46,300

hours to discuss it fully maybe it does

85

00:04:50,190 --> 00:04:48,460

well enough for me I will stand by the

86

00:04:51,270 --> 00:04:50,200

term I'd like to say it's a broad church

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00:04:53,610 --> 00:04:51,280

but that's probably the wrong word to

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00:04:56,630 --> 00:04:53,620

use it somebody came up with the broad

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00:04:59,070 --> 00:04:56,640

tint the other day maybe that'll work

90

00:05:00,540 --> 00:04:59,080

look at your looking here and like

91

00:05:02,610 --> 00:05:00,550

you've been given some you haven't

92

00:05:05,070 --> 00:05:02,620

talked earlier didn't you I suddenly did

93

00:05:07,350 --> 00:05:05,080

I gave a talk on NCR euro cranial

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00:05:10,080 --> 00:05:07,360

restructuring that was crazy that was

95

00:05:12,600 --> 00:05:10,090

batshit crazy um yeah yeah you know

96

00:05:14,550 --> 00:05:12,610

during the talk I tried to keep it along

97

00:05:16,020 --> 00:05:14,560

lines of evidence but when you put it

98

00:05:19,560 --> 00:05:16,030

like that it's hard to disagree well no

99

00:05:21,090 --> 00:05:19,570

boom I mean I don't want to like slander

100

00:05:23,220 --> 00:05:21,100

any particular practitioner but I had

101  
00:05:25,409 --> 00:05:23,230  
never heard that by putting up a balloon

102  
00:05:27,420 --> 00:05:25,419  
into your nasal cavity and inflating it

103  
00:05:29,700 --> 00:05:27,430  
that that could fix all these things

104  
00:05:32,970 --> 00:05:29,710  
aren't that that I mean I've seen a rake

105  
00:05:35,580 --> 00:05:32,980  
reiki I thought yeah I mean I mean yeah

106  
00:05:36,870 --> 00:05:35,590  
Wow my nose has been a party for years

107  
00:05:38,370 --> 00:05:36,880  
and i have been putting a balloon up

108  
00:05:40,860 --> 00:05:38,380  
there yeah well there you guys say

109  
00:05:42,420 --> 00:05:40,870  
you've got to try by not taking the

110  
00:05:44,070 --> 00:05:42,430  
substance out of the balloon first i

111  
00:05:46,740 --> 00:05:44,080  
think that's how it came around in the

112  
00:05:48,570 --> 00:05:46,750  
beginning yeah now you said that the

113  
00:05:50,490 --> 00:05:48,580

people could there were some

114

00:05:52,350 --> 00:05:50,500

significantly negative side effects of

115

00:05:54,420 --> 00:05:52,360

it but they're fairly rare so does that

116

00:05:56,130 --> 00:05:54,430

mean it's a relatively safe alternative

117

00:05:58,650 --> 00:05:56,140

practice it really comes down to your

118

00:06:01,710 --> 00:05:58,660

definition of safe like I said it is

119

00:06:04,409 --> 00:06:01,720

rare that these side effects a scene but

120

00:06:07,080 --> 00:06:04,419

when the side effects are around your

121

00:06:10,170 --> 00:06:07,090

asphyxiating babies and basically

122

00:06:13,550 --> 00:06:10,180

blowing up people's noses is not a very

123

00:06:17,450 --> 00:06:13,560

safe thing just like

124

00:06:18,980 --> 00:06:17,460

the rarity and you know the danger I

125

00:06:20,570 --> 00:06:18,990

don't think balance each other out i

126

00:06:23,659 --> 00:06:20,580

think that the danger is a lot worse

127

00:06:26,270 --> 00:06:23,669

than though yeah i just when you said it

128

00:06:28,610 --> 00:06:26,280

was a child that a baby that some of

129

00:06:30,200 --> 00:06:28,620

that i mean i don't know i just you know

130

00:06:31,550 --> 00:06:30,210

being a non-doctor i'm thinking i should

131

00:06:32,870 --> 00:06:31,560

be careful what you're doing the babies

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00:06:34,879 --> 00:06:32,880

that learns ticking balloons up their

133

00:06:36,800 --> 00:06:34,889

noses for people who aren't registered

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00:06:38,570 --> 00:06:36,810

doctors shouldn't be doing that yeah

135

00:06:41,750 --> 00:06:38,580

absolutely and the chiropractic

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00:06:44,750 --> 00:06:41,760

profession does have a history of doing

137

00:06:47,719 --> 00:06:44,760

terrible things to a bee's so thanks

138

00:06:48,950 --> 00:06:47,729

Dave before we interrupted rudely I just

139

00:06:50,180 --> 00:06:48,960

really interrupted you talking to three

140

00:06:52,100 --> 00:06:50,190

people don't worry I'll make sure you

141

00:06:53,659 --> 00:06:52,110

never have friends again we were

142

00:06:54,920 --> 00:06:53,669

interrupted by the cupcake contest well

143

00:06:56,990 --> 00:06:54,930

I was just saying that they know putting

144

00:06:58,760 --> 00:06:57,000

a balloon up and baby's nose would just

145

00:07:00,080 --> 00:06:58,770

be one of the strangest ideas ever to

146

00:07:03,320 --> 00:07:00,090

cure them of something that they can't

147

00:07:05,360 --> 00:07:03,330

tell you about yeah and the chiropractic

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00:07:07,909 --> 00:07:05,370

industry does have a history of harming

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00:07:13,010 --> 00:07:07,919

children you know there was the famous

150

00:07:15,469 --> 00:07:13,020

case where a chiropractor was a broker

151

00:07:18,080 --> 00:07:15,479

child's neck trying to fix its hearing I

152

00:07:21,200 --> 00:07:18,090

believe with chiropractic manipulation

153

00:07:23,120 --> 00:07:21,210

so yeah I guess there's a history there

154

00:07:25,219 --> 00:07:23,130

of crazy things done two children now

155

00:07:26,659 --> 00:07:25,229

again we were talking about these side

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00:07:28,340 --> 00:07:26,669

effects were extremely rare because

157

00:07:30,529 --> 00:07:28,350

saying that when they do happen they're

158

00:07:32,240 --> 00:07:30,539

pretty bad but what about the safety

159

00:07:34,969 --> 00:07:32,250

element to be considered if people who

160

00:07:37,100 --> 00:07:34,979

don't get normal treatments and they go

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00:07:38,810 --> 00:07:37,110

filter need ones and Delayne regular

162

00:07:41,570 --> 00:07:38,820

treatment well one of the case studies

163

00:07:44,990 --> 00:07:41,580

that I mentioned in my talk was about

164

00:07:47,029 --> 00:07:45,000

a woman who had a septum was fractured

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00:07:48,590 --> 00:07:47,039

because it was the practice was done

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00:07:53,120 --> 00:07:48,600

wrong in the balloon inflated in her nor

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00:07:56,180 --> 00:07:53,130

phone in her nose and that case the

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00:07:58,070 --> 00:07:56,190

woman had seen a proper facial

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00:08:00,379 --> 00:07:58,080

reconstructive surgeon you know a

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00:08:02,540 --> 00:08:00,389

legitimate doctor who would you know

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00:08:04,310 --> 00:08:02,550

suggested some sorts of surgery to fix a

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00:08:07,190 --> 00:08:04,320

problem but then she went and got this

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00:08:09,970 --> 00:08:07,200

chiropractic treatment and ended up

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00:08:11,800 --> 00:08:09,980

ruining her nose who needed a hole

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00:08:13,540 --> 00:08:11,810

really invasive for reconstructive

176  
00:08:17,560 --> 00:08:13,550  
surgery afterwards absolutely terrible

177  
00:08:19,180 --> 00:08:17,570  
case Wow what is it what is it called I

178  
00:08:21,880 --> 00:08:19,190  
mean what it was this one this is a new

179  
00:08:23,590 --> 00:08:21,890  
one I've never heard of this balloon up

180  
00:08:25,620 --> 00:08:23,600  
the nose one but what is it technically

181  
00:08:29,020 --> 00:08:25,630  
called it's called neuro cranial

182  
00:08:30,430 --> 00:08:29,030  
restructuring NCR and you've only heard

183  
00:08:32,020 --> 00:08:30,440  
of it in the last month how long has

184  
00:08:32,950 --> 00:08:32,030  
been going on the state so because I've

185  
00:08:36,070 --> 00:08:32,960  
got a guess that's where it came from

186  
00:08:37,510 --> 00:08:36,080  
well yeah I think it's been around since

187  
00:08:40,050 --> 00:08:37,520  
about the 80s though it's a little bit

188  
00:08:42,810 --> 00:08:40,060

fuzzy on when it was actually developed

189

00:08:46,570 --> 00:08:42,820

the the balloon up the nose the

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00:08:48,520 --> 00:08:46,580

bilateral nasal specific therapies what

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00:08:50,730 --> 00:08:48,530

the balloon up the nose itself is called

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00:08:54,790 --> 00:08:50,740

and that's been around since the 1930s

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00:08:56,410 --> 00:08:54,800

so it's been there for a long time and I

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00:08:58,630 --> 00:08:56,420

found it very interesting that a lot of

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00:08:59,980 --> 00:08:58,640

the very well credentialed skeptics that

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00:09:02,080 --> 00:08:59,990

I've been speaking to haven't heard of

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00:09:04,060 --> 00:09:02,090

this now you usually these people have

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00:09:06,580 --> 00:09:04,070

the whole background of all the

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00:09:07,780 --> 00:09:06,590

different crazy therapies but this is

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00:09:09,490 --> 00:09:07,790

one that seems to have just gone under

201  
00:09:11,740 --> 00:09:09,500  
the radar and up the nose of everybody

202  
00:09:14,380 --> 00:09:11,750  
off it makes you wonder what's the next

203  
00:09:17,470 --> 00:09:14,390  
one doesn't it yeah well I'm actually

204  
00:09:19,990 --> 00:09:17,480  
going to start research into the neuro

205  
00:09:21,580 --> 00:09:20,000  
anal reconstructive surgery I was about

206  
00:09:24,190 --> 00:09:21,590  
to say the balloon up the bum will have

207  
00:09:25,450 --> 00:09:24,200  
to meet next month yeah yeah but it's

208  
00:09:30,680 --> 00:09:25,460  
very difficult to get that sort of thing

209  
00:09:34,350 --> 00:09:32,730  
well we're just big talking about lots

210  
00:09:35,790 --> 00:09:34,360  
of things it's kept camp today and one

211  
00:09:38,040 --> 00:09:35,800  
of the things is why don't we see more

212  
00:09:39,780 --> 00:09:38,050  
women in the skeptic movement and here's

213  
00:09:41,100 --> 00:09:39,790

someone who may have an answer for us

214

00:09:46,530 --> 00:09:41,110

who we got here all the way from our

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00:09:48,600 --> 00:09:46,540

nation's capital hi I'm love so so but

216

00:09:49,980 --> 00:09:48,610

from your open discussion you we weren't

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00:09:52,080 --> 00:09:49,990

lecturing anybody we're having an open

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00:09:53,850 --> 00:09:52,090

discussion in the small room about why

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00:09:55,410 --> 00:09:53,860

there aren't more women in the skeptical

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00:09:57,210 --> 00:09:55,420

movement and did we seem to come to any

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00:09:59,550 --> 00:09:57,220

sort of consensus or even in kind of

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00:10:02,160 --> 00:09:59,560

answer um I think that the conversation

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00:10:06,960 --> 00:10:02,170

developed into not big enough women in

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00:10:09,210 --> 00:10:06,970

technology in science and in general is

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00:10:12,030 --> 00:10:09,220

it that where you know women aren't

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00:10:13,710 --> 00:10:12,040

predisposed to thinking critically is

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00:10:14,880 --> 00:10:13,720

that something we need to address is of

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00:10:16,410 --> 00:10:14,890

course they don't have generally big

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00:10:18,150 --> 00:10:16,420

egos and want to push themselves in and

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00:10:19,110 --> 00:10:18,160

be hey i'm a celebrity skeptic do you

231

00:10:20,610 --> 00:10:19,120

think that could be part of it because

232

00:10:21,900 --> 00:10:20,620

that was brought up that you know men

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00:10:24,600 --> 00:10:21,910

like putting themselves forward and

234

00:10:27,270 --> 00:10:24,610

women don't seem to do that as much um

235

00:10:29,220 --> 00:10:27,280

yes i think that is the case and I think

236

00:10:30,900 --> 00:10:29,230

a lot of women can feel a little bit

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00:10:32,310 --> 00:10:30,910

intimidated by the big egos in the room

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00:10:34,260 --> 00:10:32,320

and that's why they're not speaking up

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00:10:36,000 --> 00:10:34,270

although during that discussion I

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00:10:37,530 --> 00:10:36,010

noticed love the men shut the hell up

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00:10:39,600 --> 00:10:37,540

and let the women do the talking in your

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00:10:41,850 --> 00:10:39,610

discussion yes after someone pointed

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00:10:43,020 --> 00:10:41,860

that out there mmm although I thought

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00:10:44,070 --> 00:10:43,030

that was going on because I was

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00:10:45,840 --> 00:10:44,080

different in hearing what the women had

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00:10:47,070 --> 00:10:45,850

to say and and do you think we actually

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00:10:48,210 --> 00:10:47,080

kept like you said do you think we

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00:10:50,160 --> 00:10:48,220

actually got an answer there I think

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00:10:52,200 --> 00:10:50,170

it's such a vague kind of question that

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00:10:53,940 --> 00:10:52,210

there is no real answer but just asking

251  
00:10:56,190 --> 00:10:53,950  
it's important then I think it's going

252  
00:10:57,300 --> 00:10:56,200  
to be a continuing debate the many many

253  
00:10:58,890 --> 00:10:57,310  
years to come I don't think we're going

254  
00:11:00,930 --> 00:10:58,900  
to find a definitive answer any time

255  
00:11:03,600 --> 00:11:00,940  
soon so how did you get into the

256  
00:11:06,240 --> 00:11:03,610  
movement smarty pants I used to be a

257  
00:11:10,490 --> 00:11:06,250  
believer of a lot of interesting things

258  
00:11:13,200 --> 00:11:10,500  
and it was a gradual realization that

259  
00:11:14,910 --> 00:11:13,210  
science was science in the real world is

260  
00:11:16,320 --> 00:11:14,920  
far more interesting well you got my

261  
00:11:17,670 --> 00:11:16,330  
attention when you started by saying

262  
00:11:18,750 --> 00:11:17,680  
some of the favorite shows you like

263  
00:11:19,500 --> 00:11:18,760

watching which is the ones i like

264

00:11:20,940 --> 00:11:19,510

watching two and i think i know

265

00:11:23,640 --> 00:11:20,950

skeptical podcast we should bring these

266

00:11:25,590 --> 00:11:23,650

two light fact or faked is a great show

267

00:11:28,230 --> 00:11:25,600

on the universal channel on Foxtel and

268

00:11:30,120 --> 00:11:28,240

you know sometimes they just overlook

269

00:11:31,320 --> 00:11:30,130

the obvious solution just to get to what

270

00:11:32,850 --> 00:11:31,330

they've got to do but sometimes they

271

00:11:34,440 --> 00:11:32,860

actually they go oh yeah that's just

272

00:11:36,600 --> 00:11:34,450

something but what do you think of the

273

00:11:37,740 --> 00:11:36,610

show I think it's really good and that

274

00:11:40,620 --> 00:11:37,750

the fact that they're actually willing

275

00:11:41,730 --> 00:11:40,630

to experiment and try and make a UFO

276

00:11:43,770 --> 00:11:41,740

like

277

00:11:45,000 --> 00:11:43,780

the video that they're presented with

278

00:11:46,860 --> 00:11:45,010

that's fantastic they're actually

279

00:11:49,320 --> 00:11:46,870

showing that you know it is actually a

280

00:11:51,570 --> 00:11:49,330

big balloon rather than little green men

281

00:11:52,920 --> 00:11:51,580

from outer space yeah and your podcast

282

00:11:55,680 --> 00:11:52,930

mysterious world which is at a

283

00:11:57,180 --> 00:11:55,690

sydney-based podcast they are really

284

00:11:58,950 --> 00:11:57,190

good at telling the story they're really

285

00:12:01,320 --> 00:11:58,960

good production they have really good

286

00:12:02,340 --> 00:12:01,330

pond safe music in it as far as a

287

00:12:04,440 --> 00:12:02,350

production standard goes and the

288

00:12:06,630 --> 00:12:04,450

storytelling goes it's quite good as we

289

00:12:08,280 --> 00:12:06,640

fantastic and I love listening to it it

290

00:12:10,650 --> 00:12:08,290

helps me hone my critical thinking

291

00:12:13,980 --> 00:12:10,660

skills by being able to listen to the

292

00:12:16,410 --> 00:12:13,990

stories and think you think about it

293

00:12:18,060 --> 00:12:16,420

correctly mmm and what's the one area of

294

00:12:20,880 --> 00:12:18,070

what you would call whew that really

295

00:12:22,290 --> 00:12:20,890

gets your goat Oh whenever you see it

296

00:12:23,670 --> 00:12:22,300

because you did mention how you had a

297

00:12:25,500 --> 00:12:23,680

falling out of your previous work place

298

00:12:31,740 --> 00:12:25,510

over astrology is there's that the thing

299

00:12:36,660 --> 00:12:31,750

that annoys you most um I do like I yeah

300

00:12:38,790 --> 00:12:36,670

I'm not a very argumentative person so

301  
00:12:42,300 --> 00:12:38,800  
it's very hard for me to listen to

302  
00:12:47,280 --> 00:12:42,310  
people talk about whoo and I'm not able

303  
00:12:48,900 --> 00:12:47,290  
to you to argue back because I'm trying

304  
00:12:50,370 --> 00:12:48,910  
to be too nice but you just basically

305  
00:12:51,420 --> 00:12:50,380  
don't what you want to be polite you

306  
00:12:54,210 --> 00:12:51,430  
don't want to start a fight you don't

307  
00:12:56,130 --> 00:12:54,220  
want to destroy their of icons yes

308  
00:12:57,660 --> 00:12:56,140  
exactly Wow and do you think maybe

309  
00:12:59,850 --> 00:12:57,670  
that's why the women are skeptical

310  
00:13:01,080 --> 00:12:59,860  
movement of I mean but then again I hear

311  
00:13:02,700 --> 00:13:01,090  
a lot of yelling on the view and the

312  
00:13:04,470 --> 00:13:02,710  
circle and Oprah you're a lot of yelling

313  
00:13:05,850 --> 00:13:04,480

I hear a lot of women arguing but you do

314

00:13:08,160 --> 00:13:05,860

hear a lot of war on those choice as

315

00:13:09,570 --> 00:13:08,170

well that's true actually you ever

316

00:13:11,160 --> 00:13:09,580

written a letter to the producer of the

317

00:13:13,830 --> 00:13:11,170

circle going why you got that on a thing

318

00:13:16,050 --> 00:13:13,840

like that well no but after the

319

00:13:18,150 --> 00:13:16,060

discussions today I'm certainly thinking

320

00:13:20,070 --> 00:13:18,160

of about a lot of different ways that we

321

00:13:22,290 --> 00:13:20,080

can try and get women interested in

322

00:13:23,310 --> 00:13:22,300

skepticism so if people you know want to

323

00:13:24,720 --> 00:13:23,320

be nice to your don't want to start

324

00:13:28,620 --> 00:13:24,730

argument where can I find you on Twitter

325

00:13:30,180 --> 00:13:28,630

they can follow me at lowes lolz well

326

00:13:31,500 --> 00:13:30,190

enjoy maadi looking for the rest of them

327

00:13:34,800 --> 00:13:31,510

where I was skipped account reading

328

00:13:37,020 --> 00:13:34,810

anyway lsley fantastic um it's great for

329

00:13:39,600 --> 00:13:37,030

skeptic am and can't wait to see it

330

00:13:40,740 --> 00:13:39,610

expand to other cities well I'll go

331

00:13:44,259 --> 00:13:40,750

start an argument with someone else

332

00:13:46,550 --> 00:13:44,269

someone else somewhere else okay

333

00:13:48,980 --> 00:13:46,560

we have some great stuff here I'm

334

00:13:51,679 --> 00:13:48,990

getting my geek on in an aeronautical

335

00:13:53,900 --> 00:13:51,689

kinda way with Robin Hilliard who has

336

00:13:55,220 --> 00:13:53,910

just given a talk that some people

337

00:13:58,939 --> 00:13:55,230

friend refreshing others found a little

338

00:14:00,319 --> 00:13:58,949

scary on well our fear of flying and all

339

00:14:02,239 --> 00:14:00,329

your questions answered about aerial

340

00:14:04,100 --> 00:14:02,249

safety well the bit that worried me is

341

00:14:05,509 --> 00:14:04,110

that there's a magazine with photos bits

342

00:14:07,069 --> 00:14:05,519

of airplanes of people find on the

343

00:14:08,660 --> 00:14:07,079

ground all over the world that seems a

344

00:14:10,519 --> 00:14:08,670

little bit alarming it used to be called

345

00:14:12,739 --> 00:14:10,529

aviation safety digest or in the in the

346

00:14:14,989 --> 00:14:12,749

industry called crash comics because it

347

00:14:16,309 --> 00:14:14,999

was always these stories about that i

348

00:14:17,900 --> 00:14:16,319

found the fascinating even as a teenager

349

00:14:20,299 --> 00:14:17,910

which is probably a bit more but but

350

00:14:21,860 --> 00:14:20,309

what it is its fastener is like it's a

351

00:14:23,720 --> 00:14:21,870

mystery it's it's it's a mystery it's

352

00:14:26,900 --> 00:14:23,730

basically seeing how a lot of very small

353

00:14:28,850 --> 00:14:26,910

things can line up to cause a real issue

354

00:14:30,769 --> 00:14:28,860

well I mean will you can even and

355

00:14:32,389 --> 00:14:30,779

situation like 911 itself would not have

356

00:14:34,639 --> 00:14:32,399

occurred as it had if everything hadn't

357

00:14:35,869 --> 00:14:34,649

fallen into place so you know well

358

00:14:38,239 --> 00:14:35,879

there's a thing called the Swiss cheese

359

00:14:39,679 --> 00:14:38,249

safety model which is where they

360

00:14:40,939 --> 00:14:39,689

basically talk about you have a whole

361

00:14:42,739 --> 00:14:40,949

lot of rotating Swiss cheeses it

362

00:14:44,780 --> 00:14:42,749

obviously requires very complicated

363

00:14:46,340 --> 00:14:44,790

equipment to set this up now holding the

364

00:14:47,600 --> 00:14:46,350

pieces of Swiss cheese and a revolver

365

00:14:50,090 --> 00:14:47,610

firing at the end and it's just when all

366

00:14:52,429 --> 00:14:50,100

the holes line up at you know at the at

367

00:14:53,900 --> 00:14:52,439

the way your company is run at the

368

00:14:54,949 --> 00:14:53,910

behavior of the pilot and what the

369

00:14:57,650 --> 00:14:54,959

weather was doing all of these things

370

00:14:59,449 --> 00:14:57,660

and when it all lines up that's when the

371

00:15:01,840 --> 00:14:59,459

bullet gets through and disaster happens

372

00:15:04,069 --> 00:15:01,850

and and the whole model that that the

373

00:15:04,970 --> 00:15:04,079

aggregation that surround Transport

374

00:15:06,530 --> 00:15:04,980

Safety below and all these other

375

00:15:08,540 --> 00:15:06,540

organizations around the world who are

376

00:15:09,769 --> 00:15:08,550

campaigning to improve safety they're

377

00:15:11,059 --> 00:15:09,779

all working on this thing and trying to

378

00:15:12,619 --> 00:15:11,069

eliminate all these tiny little things

379

00:15:14,689 --> 00:15:12,629

wit and that's where all the annoyance

380

00:15:15,949 --> 00:15:14,699

you know when you are even all of those

381

00:15:17,449 --> 00:15:15,959

little things that they ask you to do

382

00:15:18,740 --> 00:15:17,459

when you do your pre-flight briefing

383

00:15:20,360 --> 00:15:18,750

when you get on a plane you know I'm a

384

00:15:21,949 --> 00:15:20,370

pilot and I actually watch the

385

00:15:24,019 --> 00:15:21,959

pre-flight briefing every time I get on

386

00:15:25,280 --> 00:15:24,029

a plane because more people to know

387

00:15:26,419 --> 00:15:25,290

where the exit is because it's not the

388

00:15:28,040 --> 00:15:26,429

same on every plane and you're not

389

00:15:30,110 --> 00:15:28,050

sitting in the same place and and also

390

00:15:31,340 --> 00:15:30,120

because I know that my brain goes to

391

00:15:33,799 --> 00:15:31,350

Marsh in an emergency because every time

392

00:15:35,030 --> 00:15:33,809

my instructor pulled the throttle on me

393

00:15:37,100 --> 00:15:35,040

when I was learning to fly and said

394

00:15:39,379 --> 00:15:37,110

simulated engine failure I would know

395

00:15:41,389 --> 00:15:39,389

that if I hadn't practiced recently my

396

00:15:44,090 --> 00:15:41,399

checklist of things I would do I would

397

00:15:45,799 --> 00:15:44,100

be you know mushy and down to a thousand

398

00:15:47,689 --> 00:15:45,809

feet above the ground before I'd even

399

00:15:49,429 --> 00:15:47,699

managed to you know give my part give my

400

00:15:50,809 --> 00:15:49,439

passenger briefing and make my fake made

401  
00:15:52,460 --> 00:15:50,819  
a call and all those sort of things it's

402  
00:15:54,180 --> 00:15:52,470  
because we're human and you have to

403  
00:15:55,380 --> 00:15:54,190  
rehearse those things and

404  
00:15:56,790 --> 00:15:55,390  
all of those little things like keeping

405  
00:15:58,770 --> 00:15:56,800  
your feet on the floor and stuff they've

406  
00:16:00,030 --> 00:15:58,780  
saved lives people you know people's

407  
00:16:02,760 --> 00:16:00,040  
lives have been lost to learn that

408  
00:16:04,440 --> 00:16:02,770  
lesson and so that's what I want to ask

409  
00:16:06,180 --> 00:16:04,450  
him just probably not the right forum

410  
00:16:07,590 --> 00:16:06,190  
here but like it okay there's a brace

411  
00:16:09,270 --> 00:16:07,600  
position and there's the putting the

412  
00:16:10,680 --> 00:16:09,280  
head into the front and in various

413  
00:16:11,910 --> 00:16:10,690

different crashes people have been

414

00:16:13,050 --> 00:16:11,920

killed if their heads down there so how

415

00:16:14,430 --> 00:16:13,060

do you know if you can put your head

416

00:16:15,390 --> 00:16:14,440

down or whether you should put it up and

417

00:16:16,860 --> 00:16:15,400

put it in the seat in front of you

418

00:16:19,140 --> 00:16:16,870

because they both potentially dangerous

419

00:16:21,360 --> 00:16:19,150

depending on what you run into or what

420

00:16:22,890 --> 00:16:21,370

angle you're at I suppose it's just what

421

00:16:24,180 --> 00:16:22,900

my understanding of it is that you're

422

00:16:26,190 --> 00:16:24,190

just trying to pretend a smaller target

423

00:16:27,930 --> 00:16:26,200

as possible for debris or flame or

424

00:16:29,040 --> 00:16:27,940

anything that happens and and the truth

425

00:16:30,570 --> 00:16:29,050

is that all there are a lot of there are

426

00:16:32,190 --> 00:16:30,580

a lot of crashes which are on the edge

427

00:16:33,930 --> 00:16:32,200

which are survivable it's not every

428

00:16:35,550 --> 00:16:33,940

crash is not you know and that they're

429

00:16:37,770 --> 00:16:35,560

incredibly rare these days every crash

430

00:16:39,240 --> 00:16:37,780

is not a completely unsurvivable crash

431

00:16:41,070 --> 00:16:39,250

there are lots of in-between ones the

432

00:16:42,990 --> 00:16:41,080

thing is I probably not as good news not

433

00:16:44,280 --> 00:16:43,000

as newsworthy as the one everyone walked

434

00:16:45,810 --> 00:16:44,290

away nothing to see here nothing

435

00:16:47,880 --> 00:16:45,820

happened to our plane landed and the

436

00:16:49,830 --> 00:16:47,890

slides deployed and everyone got off you

437

00:16:52,530 --> 00:16:49,840

know but you know but there have been

438

00:16:53,850 --> 00:16:52,540

some terrible accidents we're just very

439

00:16:56,310 --> 00:16:53,860

basic things like knowing how to

440

00:16:58,620 --> 00:16:56,320

evacuate the plane as cases were even in

441

00:17:00,900 --> 00:16:58,630

the last 20 years I think a plane landed

442

00:17:02,640 --> 00:17:00,910

and I don't know this is too much

443

00:17:04,079 --> 00:17:02,650

information but the plane landed they

444

00:17:06,300 --> 00:17:04,089

just forgot to evacuate the plane and

445

00:17:07,770 --> 00:17:06,310

the very small manageable fire that they

446

00:17:09,000 --> 00:17:07,780

had in the air spread and actually

447

00:17:10,199 --> 00:17:09,010

killed most of the people on the plane

448

00:17:11,550 --> 00:17:10,209

because I just forgot to evacuate it

449

00:17:13,740 --> 00:17:11,560

when i got to the ground what do you

450

00:17:15,210 --> 00:17:13,750

make of all the plane crash porn that's

451  
00:17:17,460 --> 00:17:15,220  
on telly and all the cable channels were

452  
00:17:18,870 --> 00:17:17,470  
got all these like the dramatizations of

453  
00:17:21,090 --> 00:17:18,880  
that do you think that's making people

454  
00:17:22,530 --> 00:17:21,100  
more aware it's making them feel safe or

455  
00:17:24,329 --> 00:17:22,540  
you think it's making some people feel a

456  
00:17:26,189 --> 00:17:24,339  
bit more nervous and they should about a

457  
00:17:27,870 --> 00:17:26,199  
regular flight I think it's the same

458  
00:17:29,430 --> 00:17:27,880  
thing as they do when with all the crime

459  
00:17:31,680 --> 00:17:29,440  
shows and stuff is it makes very good

460  
00:17:33,780 --> 00:17:31,690  
media and it's actually quite

461  
00:17:34,950 --> 00:17:33,790  
destructive I mean I know that the crime

462  
00:17:36,180 --> 00:17:34,960  
shows about you know everyone imagines

463  
00:17:38,010 --> 00:17:36,190

at the moment they step outside their

464

00:17:39,390 --> 00:17:38,020

door they're going to be murdered and

465

00:17:41,810 --> 00:17:39,400

that's the same thing with the planes

466

00:17:43,830 --> 00:17:41,820

and it's it's it's just you know the the

467

00:17:47,660 --> 00:17:43,840

chances of things going wrong even in

468

00:17:50,430 --> 00:17:47,670

light planes are amazingly low and it's

469

00:17:52,410 --> 00:17:50,440

it's it's frustrating cuz it is but look

470

00:17:53,520 --> 00:17:52,420

I've actually what I do feel dirty every

471

00:17:57,420 --> 00:17:53,530

now then I watch one of them and I just

472

00:17:58,680 --> 00:17:57,430

feel the way it dwells on the there's a

473

00:18:00,720 --> 00:17:58,690

big difference between the reports I

474

00:18:02,460 --> 00:18:00,730

have in the magazine in my bag which are

475

00:18:03,900 --> 00:18:02,470

really which is the more the scientific

476  
00:18:04,640 --> 00:18:03,910  
sort of approach i suppose what we're

477  
00:18:06,440 --> 00:18:04,650  
saying what

478  
00:18:08,890 --> 00:18:06,450  
and how can we make sure it never ever

479  
00:18:11,090 --> 00:18:08,900  
happens again how can we learn from this

480  
00:18:12,920 --> 00:18:11,100  
versus the other ones which are sort of

481  
00:18:16,370 --> 00:18:12,930  
dwelling on the actors pretending to be

482  
00:18:18,050 --> 00:18:16,380  
the you know the the the mother of the

483  
00:18:19,400 --> 00:18:18,060  
you know the second coming of Christ

484  
00:18:21,020 --> 00:18:19,410  
with the five children from the

485  
00:18:22,430 --> 00:18:21,030  
orphanage and all this sort of stuff who

486  
00:18:24,230 --> 00:18:22,440  
didn't realize that she only had hours

487  
00:18:26,720 --> 00:18:24,240  
to live you know all this sort of stuff

488  
00:18:29,120 --> 00:18:26,730

it's just I find that I can't imagine

489

00:18:30,200 --> 00:18:29,130

being a relative of I mean what would

490

00:18:31,970 --> 00:18:30,210

happen they started doing that with car

491

00:18:33,500 --> 00:18:31,980

crashes and it was the people any of

492

00:18:35,270 --> 00:18:33,510

your friends you know how would you feel

493

00:18:37,190 --> 00:18:35,280

about seeing seeing these sorts of

494

00:18:39,890 --> 00:18:37,200

things and would that in fact make the

495

00:18:41,630 --> 00:18:39,900

roads safer if they did yes would that

496

00:18:42,980 --> 00:18:41,640

would it would it make well i don't i

497

00:18:45,620 --> 00:18:42,990

don't know i mean we seem to be having

498

00:18:47,000 --> 00:18:45,630

some of these other actually I suppose

499

00:18:48,620 --> 00:18:47,010

there's a counterexample to that is

500

00:18:50,390 --> 00:18:48,630

we've seen some of those really shocked

501  
00:18:53,240 --> 00:18:50,400  
advertisement campaigns and a very good

502  
00:18:55,700 --> 00:18:53,250  
effect on road safety but I think the

503  
00:18:57,230 --> 00:18:55,710  
reason it's not the thing is there that

504  
00:18:58,670 --> 00:18:57,240  
people are drivers the people watching

505  
00:19:01,250 --> 00:18:58,680  
and our drivers and can do something

506  
00:19:03,050 --> 00:19:01,260  
about it and I suppose the magazine that

507  
00:19:04,490 --> 00:19:03,060  
I've got here is aimed at pilots and

508  
00:19:05,840 --> 00:19:04,500  
maintain errs and other people in

509  
00:19:07,520 --> 00:19:05,850  
working in the industry who can do

510  
00:19:08,660 --> 00:19:07,530  
something about it I suppose you know

511  
00:19:10,760 --> 00:19:08,670  
that is the thing that as a passenger

512  
00:19:11,750 --> 00:19:10,770  
and you're watching that what all the

513  
00:19:13,730 --> 00:19:11,760

all it's doing is hitting all the

514

00:19:15,410 --> 00:19:13,740

buttons for you but there's not you know

515

00:19:17,390 --> 00:19:15,420

a lot that you would actually be able to

516

00:19:19,160 --> 00:19:17,400

do about that except except pay

517

00:19:21,170 --> 00:19:19,170

attention to the safety briefing which

518

00:19:22,580 --> 00:19:21,180

we always suggest you do to tell you the

519

00:19:24,530 --> 00:19:22,590

truth I have a terrible confession i

520

00:19:27,110 --> 00:19:24,540

watched the royal wedding last night and

521

00:19:28,910 --> 00:19:27,120

my excuse was that the Battle of Britain

522

00:19:30,230 --> 00:19:28,920

flight was doing the flyby so just to

523

00:19:31,790 --> 00:19:30,240

say well you know I wasn't interested in

524

00:19:33,920 --> 00:19:31,800

the balcony scene except for the fact

525

00:19:35,840 --> 00:19:33,930

that there were six merlin engines going

526

00:19:38,150 --> 00:19:35,850

overhead one in a hurricane want to spit

527

00:19:39,530 --> 00:19:38,160

fire and four in a Lancaster look what

528

00:19:40,940 --> 00:19:39,540

do you think of skeptic ampere well what

529

00:19:42,890 --> 00:19:40,950

do you think of the day and the

530

00:19:45,170 --> 00:19:42,900

skeptical situations are that have been

531

00:19:46,640 --> 00:19:45,180

played out in the rooms with you with

532

00:19:48,620 --> 00:19:46,650

including yourself what's what's the

533

00:19:50,120 --> 00:19:48,630

mood here I think it's I think it's

534

00:19:51,650 --> 00:19:50,130

really excellent I think people it's a

535

00:19:53,930 --> 00:19:51,660

different it's right it's different to

536

00:19:55,790 --> 00:19:53,940

Tam and the other sorts of sorts of

537

00:19:57,200 --> 00:19:55,800

things it's more laid back but I think

538

00:19:59,210 --> 00:19:57,210

it's something we can do more often and

539

00:20:01,820 --> 00:19:59,220

I think it's great to have a partner

540

00:20:03,110 --> 00:20:01,830

Ainge a spectrum from the pubs and the

541

00:20:04,880 --> 00:20:03,120

various drinking skeptically and things

542

00:20:07,460 --> 00:20:04,890

through the fantastic things like tam

543

00:20:08,870 --> 00:20:07,470

which is the fantastic experience or but

544

00:20:10,400 --> 00:20:08,880

this is this is something that we can

545

00:20:12,220 --> 00:20:10,410

pull off and I mean Jason and the other

546

00:20:14,860 --> 00:20:12,230

organizers have done a fantastic

547

00:20:18,460 --> 00:20:14,870

you know I think it's done a fantastic

548

00:20:21,700 --> 00:20:18,470

job and it wasn't I'm notnot to I'm not

549

00:20:23,740 --> 00:20:21,710

saying it wasn't a lot of a lot of work

550

00:20:25,570 --> 00:20:23,750

but it was no it's a sort of achievable

551

00:20:27,820 --> 00:20:25,580

work that people with day jobs and

552

00:20:29,530 --> 00:20:27,830

things can actually bring off and i

553

00:20:31,270 --> 00:20:29,540

think the mood here is great people are

554

00:20:33,220 --> 00:20:31,280

really enjoying it and it's the holes

555

00:20:37,780 --> 00:20:33,230

definitely greater than the sum of its

556

00:20:40,680 --> 00:20:37,790

sum of its parts now look it's all over

557

00:20:43,539 --> 00:20:40,690

the drinking is started how you feeling

558

00:20:45,460 --> 00:20:43,549

brilliant yeah yeah I've got drinking my

559

00:20:47,409 --> 00:20:45,470

hand so now I'm happy now everyone has

560

00:20:48,610 --> 00:20:47,419

learned something today you I think you

561

00:20:51,070 --> 00:20:48,620

yourself said that what have you learned

562

00:20:52,720 --> 00:20:51,080

today I've learned that it's really not

563

00:20:55,600 --> 00:20:52,730

that difficult to do a successful

564

00:20:58,000 --> 00:20:55,610

conference we've been having more

565

00:21:00,070 --> 00:20:58,010

corporate events doing ing you'll be

566

00:21:01,330 --> 00:21:00,080

organizing stuff from Malaysian airwaves

567

00:21:02,560 --> 00:21:01,340

I'm not quite convinced about the

568

00:21:04,690 --> 00:21:02,570

corporate side of things but they'll be

569

00:21:07,510 --> 00:21:04,700

certainly more skeptic amps cool that's

570

00:21:09,159 --> 00:21:07,520

great so roll on skeptic appt Melbourne

571

00:21:11,200 --> 00:21:09,169

is that a real possibility home has been

572

00:21:13,390 --> 00:21:11,210

committed to today so we got a date for

573

00:21:14,770 --> 00:21:13,400

skeptic MLB's money they want to do it

574

00:21:17,200 --> 00:21:14,780

in august or September but we'll update

575

00:21:19,720 --> 00:21:17,210

on the wiki close to the time Canberra

576

00:21:20,980 --> 00:21:19,730

have committed to it today as well so

577

00:21:23,289 --> 00:21:20,990

there'll be a Canberra one sometime

578

00:21:24,940 --> 00:21:23,299

later in the air I'd like to do Brisbane

579

00:21:27,580 --> 00:21:24,950

but I haven't found the right person yet

580

00:21:29,020 --> 00:21:27,590

but I'll do that soon well Adam and then

581

00:21:33,060 --> 00:21:29,030

next year will be another one of these

582

00:21:34,710 --> 00:21:33,070

skip decamp Empire oh yeah oh yeah

583

00:21:36,419 --> 00:21:34,720

now someone that you've probably heard

584

00:21:38,730 --> 00:21:36,429

on the skeptic zone is a postie Lindley

585

00:21:40,499 --> 00:21:38,740

and she's actually here how's how's

586

00:21:42,240 --> 00:21:40,509

things in the bottle shop world and the

587

00:21:44,279 --> 00:21:42,250

postal world of linleigh in Melbourne

588

00:21:46,019 --> 00:21:44,289

I'm actually going to be a pushbike

589

00:21:47,610 --> 00:21:46,029

postie soon they're going to take me off

590

00:21:49,740 --> 00:21:47,620

my motorbike ground finally and I'm

591

00:21:51,960 --> 00:21:49,750

going to get fit on a motorized push

592

00:21:53,279 --> 00:21:51,970

play how does that work in the posting

593

00:21:54,690 --> 00:21:53,289

world where you move to does that mean

594

00:21:56,490 --> 00:21:54,700

they want you to be fitter or you've got

595

00:21:58,289 --> 00:21:56,500

a shorter run why would you suddenly

596

00:21:59,669 --> 00:21:58,299

lose your bike to get a push bike well

597

00:22:02,460 --> 00:21:59,679

it's more something that I won't

598

00:22:04,560 --> 00:22:02,470

actually wanted to do it'll be quite

599

00:22:05,909 --> 00:22:04,570

good i want the exercise but now you've

600

00:22:07,769 --> 00:22:05,919

come all the way from Melbourne to

601  
00:22:12,180 --> 00:22:07,779  
Sydney for skip decamp what made you put

602  
00:22:13,889 --> 00:22:12,190  
in those kilometres to get here today to

603  
00:22:17,970 --> 00:22:13,899  
come up and have some fun to finally get

604  
00:22:18,960 --> 00:22:17,980  
out and with my new fellow yeah yeah you

605  
00:22:20,369 --> 00:22:18,970  
both look like you're having a bit of

606  
00:22:22,710 --> 00:22:20,379  
fun there he's a smart dressed man with

607  
00:22:25,499 --> 00:22:22,720  
a very good hat very a nice quite spunky

608  
00:22:27,360 --> 00:22:25,509  
underneath all yeah and that of course

609  
00:22:30,090 --> 00:22:27,370  
you're going off to the dc-3 gig tonight

610  
00:22:32,070 --> 00:22:30,100  
which is the guy from Scism Ian's band

611  
00:22:33,419 --> 00:22:32,080  
at the sandringham which is a very rare

612  
00:22:35,039 --> 00:22:33,429  
thing in Sydney and there's room is it

613  
00:22:36,480 --> 00:22:35,049

like this could be the last gig just

614

00:22:38,789 --> 00:22:36,490

last time we'll ever see him in Sydney

615

00:22:41,900 --> 00:22:38,799

last gig of any Ben because I hear

616

00:22:45,600 --> 00:22:41,910

everything up here is like

617

00:22:47,190 --> 00:22:45,610

no Ben bars or something we're having a

618

00:22:48,930 --> 00:22:47,200

good drink here now yeah what was the

619

00:22:50,070 --> 00:22:48,940

one thing you learn today everyone's

620

00:22:51,240 --> 00:22:50,080

learnt something from there what's the

621

00:22:53,280 --> 00:22:51,250

one thing you learned from today at

622

00:22:55,200 --> 00:22:53,290

skeptic a minute sometimes I've got to

623

00:22:59,970 --> 00:22:55,210

shut my mouth and not say things that

624

00:23:01,650 --> 00:22:59,980

come straight out behave yourself did

625

00:23:03,780 --> 00:23:01,660

you say something in your hell down what

626  
00:23:07,020 --> 00:23:03,790  
happened no no no it was just something

627  
00:23:08,460 --> 00:23:07,030  
in the media don't speak to the media or

628  
00:23:10,140 --> 00:23:08,470  
a certain way you're worried about

629  
00:23:13,530 --> 00:23:10,150  
getting sued and nothing over the

630  
00:23:15,480 --> 00:23:13,540  
forecast I did something that maybe not

631  
00:23:17,790 --> 00:23:15,490  
offended anyone there people are a

632  
00:23:21,390 --> 00:23:17,800  
little bit slow to the uptake of modern

633  
00:23:23,130 --> 00:23:21,400  
technology and these people are need to

634  
00:23:25,740 --> 00:23:23,140  
catch up but I've got to shut my mouth

635  
00:23:26,730 --> 00:23:25,750  
and not okay will grade them so I bet

636  
00:23:28,590 --> 00:23:26,740  
you're looking forward to skip the camp

637  
00:23:31,230 --> 00:23:28,600  
Melbourne I am too and where we've

638  
00:23:35,700 --> 00:23:31,240

already got 150 dollars towards skip the

639

00:23:38,470 --> 00:23:35,710

camp Melvin or is it more \$150 towards

640

00:23:41,799 --> 00:23:38,480

skeptic at Melbourne

641

00:23:43,270 --> 00:23:41,809

oh we've got four hundred fifty dollars

642

00:23:45,100 --> 00:23:43,280

towards skeptic and Melbourne which

643

00:23:46,960 --> 00:23:45,110

should be probably this year hopefully

644

00:23:48,840 --> 00:23:46,970

well the diseased possibly good luck

645

00:23:50,919 --> 00:23:48,850

with a peanut and I love you long time

646

00:23:53,830 --> 00:23:50,929

I'm just at the bar were they as

647

00:23:55,960 --> 00:23:53,840

seasoned talented am a talented amateur

648

00:23:57,549 --> 00:23:55,970

and professional drinker Richard now

649

00:23:59,740 --> 00:23:57,559

what did you make it today it was a

650

00:24:00,940 --> 00:23:59,750

great grassroots and was people talking

651  
00:24:03,370 --> 00:24:00,950  
for the first time that hadn't spoken

652  
00:24:04,720 --> 00:24:03,380  
before a great success and I encourage

653  
00:24:06,820 --> 00:24:04,730  
anybody in the world it's think of

654  
00:24:09,970 --> 00:24:06,830  
holding a similar thing a skeptic camp

655  
00:24:12,669 --> 00:24:09,980  
one-day event of speakers excellent idea

656  
00:24:14,010 --> 00:24:12,679  
hmm now someone like yourself you've

657  
00:24:16,330 --> 00:24:14,020  
seen them you've been around the tracks

658  
00:24:17,680 --> 00:24:16,340  
skeptically everyone saying that that

659  
00:24:18,970 --> 00:24:17,690  
they've learnt at least one thing today

660  
00:24:21,909 --> 00:24:18,980  
what have you learnt from the day from

661  
00:24:26,200 --> 00:24:21,919  
skeptic am Richard Saunders anything

662  
00:24:28,419 --> 00:24:26,210  
yeah I learned that you can you can use

663  
00:24:30,580 --> 00:24:28,429

Star Wars to talk about the Bible and

664

00:24:32,380 --> 00:24:30,590

the force and the remakes and the

665

00:24:34,090 --> 00:24:32,390

prequels and the sequels I thought that

666

00:24:35,710 --> 00:24:34,100

was quite funny wow that's good that was

667

00:24:37,299 --> 00:24:35,720

the that was the Bible according to

668

00:24:39,130 --> 00:24:37,309

George Lucas that correct yes that's

669

00:24:40,930 --> 00:24:39,140

right wow I'm sure I learnt many other

670

00:24:43,120 --> 00:24:40,940

things but I have to go home and just

671

00:24:44,350 --> 00:24:43,130

mull them over in my head well I'm going

672

00:24:45,940 --> 00:24:44,360

to stop recording now because I've just

673

00:24:47,650 --> 00:24:45,950

learned that by holding up the skeptic

674

00:24:49,060 --> 00:24:47,660

camp card you get free drinks I'm not

675

00:25:08,159 --> 00:24:49,070

that's going to run out real fast i'm

676  
00:25:12,090 --> 00:25:10,379  
hello everyone I'm Sasha Pixley and i'm

677  
00:25:15,180 --> 00:25:12,100  
here to talk to you about skeptical

678  
00:25:17,909 --> 00:25:15,190  
that's the 2011 northern california

679  
00:25:20,549 --> 00:25:17,919  
conference for science and skepticism it

680  
00:25:22,710 --> 00:25:20,559  
takes place sunday may 29th at the

681  
00:25:24,149 --> 00:25:22,720  
doubletree hotel in berkeley we're going

682  
00:25:26,879 --> 00:25:24,159  
to have some great speakers including

683  
00:25:28,649 --> 00:25:26,889  
dr. eugenie scott of the NCSE dr. Bob

684  
00:25:31,080 --> 00:25:28,659  
Carol creator of the skeptics dictionary

685  
00:25:32,999 --> 00:25:31,090  
yau-man shan and mark edward from the

686  
00:25:36,269 --> 00:25:33,009  
skipped ologist seeeeee and many many

687  
00:25:38,729 --> 00:25:36,279  
more tickets are \$45 or you can sign up

688  
00:25:40,799 --> 00:25:38,739

with a t-shirt for sixty dollars for

689

00:25:55,109 --> 00:25:40,809

more information please visit the

690

00:25:58,080 --> 00:25:55,119

website w WS skeptical con o RG join us

691

00:26:07,150 --> 00:25:58,090

now for drinking skeptically in the

692

00:26:11,150 --> 00:26:09,680

anyone take his pants obvious just got

693

00:26:12,470 --> 00:26:11,160

that he's like ripped off shorts and use

694

00:26:16,280 --> 00:26:12,480

a completely painted blue and he's

695

00:26:19,039 --> 00:26:16,290

following his wife around and that of

696

00:26:22,070 --> 00:26:19,049

course talking about people not taking

697

00:26:24,289 --> 00:26:22,080

their pants office can only be dr. HC

698

00:26:26,870 --> 00:26:24,299

hello dr. AG and welcome to the think

699

00:26:28,400 --> 00:26:26,880

tank once again hi Richard things I was

700

00:26:31,250 --> 00:26:28,410

talking about the Blue Man Group but

701  
00:26:34,390 --> 00:26:31,260  
that's just don't worry about that well

702  
00:26:38,299 --> 00:26:34,400  
I will try not to and it's a big one

703  
00:26:41,840 --> 00:26:38,309  
it's a big welcome to Jason Brown fresh

704  
00:26:43,789 --> 00:26:41,850  
fresh fresh from his success with a

705  
00:26:45,200 --> 00:26:43,799  
skeptical am of success I'm glad you think

706  
00:26:47,900 --> 00:26:45,210  
is a success hello Richard how are you

707  
00:26:49,340 --> 00:26:47,910  
going I'm well I'm much better now is a

708  
00:26:52,400 --> 00:26:49,350  
little under weather for a while but I'm

709  
00:26:54,020 --> 00:26:52,410  
back on deck no it was a great success I

710  
00:26:55,760 --> 00:26:54,030  
think I all round people are commenting

711  
00:26:57,080 --> 00:26:55,770  
that they thought it was quite

712  
00:26:59,180 --> 00:26:57,090  
successful it was fun to do it was

713  
00:27:01,250 --> 00:26:59,190

really good fun to do I loved it yeah

714

00:27:03,560 --> 00:27:01,260

every minute and missed a bit where I

715

00:27:06,830 --> 00:27:03,570

had beer well that was a good part and

716

00:27:08,750 --> 00:27:06,840

of course one of the reasons that we

717

00:27:11,240 --> 00:27:08,760

know so much about skeptic camp was the

718

00:27:12,830 --> 00:27:11,250

great interviews brought to us by none

719

00:27:14,600 --> 00:27:12,840

other than may not I want to thank

720

00:27:16,400 --> 00:27:14,610

everyone who is happy to talk to me and

721

00:27:17,810 --> 00:27:16,410

I put out the challenges beginning of

722

00:27:19,940 --> 00:27:17,820

the episode that I was wearing my good

723

00:27:22,010 --> 00:27:19,950

underwear and no one was skeptical of

724

00:27:23,659 --> 00:27:22,020

that claim so I think a few of them are

725

00:27:25,880 --> 00:27:23,669

letting themselves down I mean really

726

00:27:29,600 --> 00:27:25,890

you demand evidence no one asked to see

727

00:27:31,220 --> 00:27:29,610

my own dear band nobody's what are you

728

00:27:34,010 --> 00:27:31,230

wearing tonight well net will now you

729

00:27:35,720 --> 00:27:34,020

ask it's alright put the boy put them

730

00:27:37,669 --> 00:27:35,730

away I just like to say that on this day

731

00:27:39,890 --> 00:27:37,679

could little bit of a skeptics God the

732

00:27:41,930 --> 00:27:39,900

universe thing on this day it's rather

733

00:27:45,140 --> 00:27:41,940

close to when Douglas Adams passed on to

734

00:27:47,180 --> 00:27:45,150

another realm and also it's a injuries

735

00:27:48,830 --> 00:27:47,190

birthday if he injury was alive it would

736

00:27:51,260 --> 00:27:48,840

have been his birthday today as well

737

00:27:53,690 --> 00:27:51,270

human beings and hit me with your rhythm

738

00:27:55,400 --> 00:27:53,700

stick that's correct and I recommend his

739

00:27:56,659 --> 00:27:55,410

laughter album a lot of people didn't

740

00:27:58,039 --> 00:27:56,669

like the laughter album because as a bit

741

00:27:59,900 --> 00:27:58,049

more of a commercial album but it's got

742

00:28:01,669 --> 00:27:59,910

Superman's big sister which I think was

743

00:28:03,919 --> 00:28:01,679

an underrated track by him i love that

744

00:28:07,100 --> 00:28:03,929

track have a skewer knowledge of bounds

745

00:28:08,750 --> 00:28:07,110

with Maynard now let me just cover a

746

00:28:09,660 --> 00:28:08,760

story which I found quite intriguing

747

00:28:12,050 --> 00:28:09,670

some

748

00:28:15,000 --> 00:28:12,060

brought this to my attention a listener

749

00:28:16,590 --> 00:28:15,010

gonna hide I'm sorry if I pronounced

750

00:28:20,910 --> 00:28:16,600

your name incorrectly they're sent me

751  
00:28:24,030 --> 00:28:20,920  
the story of Italians flee Rome ahead of

752  
00:28:25,710 --> 00:28:24,040  
quake prophecy now apparently over the

753  
00:28:28,110 --> 00:28:25,720  
last few days a thousands of Italians

754  
00:28:32,880 --> 00:28:28,120  
have been quite worried and fleeing the

755  
00:28:34,650 --> 00:28:32,890  
city of Rome because us of a possible

756  
00:28:36,750 --> 00:28:34,660  
prediction of an earthquake that was

757  
00:28:40,920 --> 00:28:36,760  
supposed to strike Rome on the eleventh

758  
00:28:43,170 --> 00:28:40,930  
of May now the eleventh of Mayors come

759  
00:28:46,230 --> 00:28:43,180  
and gone and no earthquake struck room

760  
00:28:48,770 --> 00:28:46,240  
but I just heard on the news that two

761  
00:28:52,290 --> 00:28:48,780  
earthquakes struck southern Spain oh

762  
00:28:54,270 --> 00:28:52,300  
that's Rome is that southern solid angle

763  
00:28:56,460 --> 00:28:54,280

them sort of that's close enough is

764

00:28:58,350 --> 00:28:56,470

enough European so this is this is this

765

00:29:00,630 --> 00:28:58,360

an example of science being wrong is a

766

00:29:02,730 --> 00:29:00,640

seismologist considered a scientist or

767

00:29:04,770 --> 00:29:02,740

as he considered like you know but the

768

00:29:06,480 --> 00:29:04,780

back of the that like the Keitel records

769

00:29:09,600 --> 00:29:06,490

selector of science well this this was a

770

00:29:11,340 --> 00:29:09,610

prophecy or interpreted as such by

771

00:29:13,970 --> 00:29:11,350

somebody who died in nineteen

772

00:29:17,070 --> 00:29:13,980

seventy-nine a a self-taught

773

00:29:20,100 --> 00:29:17,080

seismologist by the name of Raphael been

774

00:29:22,560 --> 00:29:20,110

dandy predicted more apparently

775

00:29:25,890 --> 00:29:22,570

predicted of an earthquake although no

776

00:29:28,260 --> 00:29:25,900

date was exactly written anyway so hang

777

00:29:30,210 --> 00:29:28,270

on so he might have been a seismologist

778

00:29:32,070 --> 00:29:30,220

but he might not oh yes right he may

779

00:29:35,160 --> 00:29:32,080

have predicted it on my 11 but not

780

00:29:37,860 --> 00:29:35,170

exactly where is the sauce this is AFP

781

00:29:39,990 --> 00:29:37,870

the sources AFP The Associated French

782

00:29:41,370 --> 00:29:40,000

press well apparently enough people in

783

00:29:43,020 --> 00:29:41,380

Rome were worried about it for it to

784

00:29:44,730 --> 00:29:43,030

make the news but they need not have

785

00:29:48,780 --> 00:29:44,740

worried and I hope they didn't seek

786

00:29:50,700 --> 00:29:48,790

refuge in southern Spain otherwise it

787

00:29:52,350 --> 00:29:50,710

would have been in BO nasty shock I

788

00:29:54,690 --> 00:29:52,360

think I think Carmen what are you doing

789

00:29:57,780 --> 00:29:54,700

on the 21st some a Jason I'm dying

790

00:30:01,290 --> 00:29:57,790

apparently are you doing to avoid dying

791

00:30:02,460 --> 00:30:01,300

oh oh well I actually dis an interesting

792

00:30:04,860 --> 00:30:02,470

point I was talking to someone online

793

00:30:07,560 --> 00:30:04,870

today they've claimed that it's going to

794

00:30:10,320 --> 00:30:07,570

start at Christmas Island and head west

795

00:30:12,030 --> 00:30:10,330

the rapture Lions the rapture line

796

00:30:13,590 --> 00:30:12,040

international Raptor Linus your West

797

00:30:15,720 --> 00:30:13,600

it's gonna take ages to get here it's

798

00:30:17,220 --> 00:30:15,730

gonna take a good 24 hours or so but

799

00:30:19,650 --> 00:30:17,230

they also said that everybody will be

800

00:30:20,910 --> 00:30:19,660

dead by the end of that day but we're

801  
00:30:22,770 --> 00:30:20,920  
going to be in the next day so I think

802  
00:30:25,890 --> 00:30:22,780  
Australia is going to be fine Oh

803  
00:30:28,410 --> 00:30:25,900  
that's a relief a day so it's Christmas

804  
00:30:30,780 --> 00:30:28,420  
Island a day behind us just west of

805  
00:30:33,450 --> 00:30:30,790  
western australia ever so they're on the

806  
00:30:35,730 --> 00:30:33,460  
same day as us though no other they're

807  
00:30:37,500 --> 00:30:35,740  
on wa time I think if they're on Western

808  
00:30:41,070 --> 00:30:37,510  
Australia time there were in the same

809  
00:30:42,630 --> 00:30:41,080  
times I was to die on and in this whole

810  
00:30:46,020 --> 00:30:42,640  
Raptor thing at 20th century invention

811  
00:30:51,090 --> 00:30:46,030  
anyway I think so I think so but this

812  
00:30:54,420 --> 00:30:51,100  
isn't people deeply held belief but this

813  
00:30:57,480 --> 00:30:54,430

is this this family radio outfit in the

814

00:30:59,250 --> 00:30:57,490

States was at the who I met one of them

815

00:31:01,800 --> 00:30:59,260

in the street about two months ago in

816

00:31:03,300 --> 00:31:01,810

Sydney handing out yeah and I've got at

817

00:31:04,680 --> 00:31:03,310

home about the leaflet he was handing

818

00:31:06,270 --> 00:31:04,690

out saying you know this is at the end

819

00:31:08,880 --> 00:31:06,280

of everything but about twenty first

820

00:31:10,140 --> 00:31:08,890

time I Wow and I said to him I said are

821

00:31:11,790 --> 00:31:10,150

you going to give me all your money said

822

00:31:15,480 --> 00:31:11,800

I hi everyone says that to me and I well

823

00:31:17,970 --> 00:31:15,490

no wonder there's a woman in the States

824

00:31:19,590 --> 00:31:17,980

who sold a house and painted her car

825

00:31:21,030 --> 00:31:19,600

with warning things that you've been

826

00:31:22,890 --> 00:31:21,040

driving around the states trying to warn

827

00:31:24,390 --> 00:31:22,900

people she's gonna feel a bit of a goose

828

00:31:27,390 --> 00:31:24,400

she has a little so you gonna be living

829

00:31:29,040 --> 00:31:27,400

in a car is the same rapture that Louis

830

00:31:30,420 --> 00:31:29,050

Theroux covered or as they won every

831

00:31:32,270 --> 00:31:30,430

second this is a difference there I'm

832

00:31:34,710 --> 00:31:32,280

sure they'd be very area on another boat

833

00:31:37,500 --> 00:31:34,720

right so when they have them all the

834

00:31:39,390 --> 00:31:37,510

time do they every couple of years

835

00:31:47,760 --> 00:31:39,400

there'll be a cult or someone to say

836

00:31:49,350 --> 00:31:47,770

that you know this is the date that was

837

00:31:54,180 --> 00:31:49,360

that was it that was a very quick bus

838

00:31:58,580 --> 00:31:54,190

announcement would you finish it off

839

00:32:00,930 --> 00:31:58,590

always a big too soon yes look there

840

00:32:02,820 --> 00:32:00,940

james randi wrote about this you know

841

00:32:04,380 --> 00:32:02,830

there are hundreds of predictions of the

842

00:32:06,510 --> 00:32:04,390

world ending in the end

843

00:32:08,280 --> 00:32:06,520

the god or gods coming a little book

844

00:32:09,810 --> 00:32:08,290

along the encyclopedia with paranormal

845

00:32:11,250 --> 00:32:09,820

by james randi that's in there yes an

846

00:32:15,270 --> 00:32:11,260

appendix at the back of hundreds of them

847

00:32:17,790 --> 00:32:15,280

yeah yeah so I'm not too concerned maino

848

00:32:19,980 --> 00:32:17,800

and on predictions a person has been on

849

00:32:21,150 --> 00:32:19,990

this show Jessica Adams claims that one

850

00:32:24,120 --> 00:32:21,160

of her predictions has come true she

851

00:32:25,680 --> 00:32:24,130

pursuers the astrologer yeah sushi

852

00:32:27,480 --> 00:32:25,690

monster Shii particular online that

853

00:32:29,130 --> 00:32:27,490

there would be an amount of money given

854

00:32:31,190 --> 00:32:29,140

to Papua New Guinea as aid in the

855

00:32:34,920 --> 00:32:31,200

Australian budget and that has occurred

856

00:32:36,990 --> 00:32:34,930

Wow who could have seen you think that

857

00:32:38,820 --> 00:32:37,000

killing who would have think she's also

858

00:32:40,290 --> 00:32:38,830

in an astrological chart for our douglas

859

00:32:42,330 --> 00:32:40,300

adams and she said that he shares a

860

00:32:44,250 --> 00:32:42,340

similar chart to Doctor Who now I'm

861

00:32:46,770 --> 00:32:44,260

assuming she did the chart for the TV

862

00:32:49,760 --> 00:32:46,780

show as one for the Time Lord would be

863

00:32:52,050 --> 00:32:49,770

bearing actually wrote for you me

864

00:32:54,960 --> 00:32:52,060

douglas adams wrote for i want to hang

865

00:32:56,820 --> 00:32:54,970

on but doctor he was born on Gallifrey

866

00:32:58,770 --> 00:32:56,830

is go to war year so what I saw that's

867

00:33:00,780 --> 00:32:58,780

why I'm hoping she did it for the

868

00:33:02,310 --> 00:33:00,790

Tickells if you were born on Gallifrey

869

00:33:04,770 --> 00:33:02,320

the stars would be completely different

870

00:33:06,810 --> 00:33:04,780

and also a year and also when he when he

871

00:33:11,070 --> 00:33:06,820

regenerates does is that the that count

872

00:33:12,840 --> 00:33:11,080

as a rebirth yeah so that's proly worth

873

00:33:14,370 --> 00:33:12,850

a look to for your fans of dr. acquiring

874

00:33:16,680 --> 00:33:14,380

a mind and want to know let me quickly

875

00:33:19,140 --> 00:33:16,690

mention a website of interest to people

876

00:33:26,120 --> 00:33:19,150

in Australia which is HTTP colon slash

877

00:33:30,060 --> 00:33:26,130

slash say community net a USC I Co mm UN

878

00:33:33,120 --> 00:33:30,070

ity dot net a you and that's the website

879

00:33:38,400 --> 00:33:33,130

sharing Australian science communication

880

00:33:40,830 --> 00:33:38,410

events worth checking oh I have a segue

881

00:33:42,660 --> 00:33:40,840

Richard whoa but you're riding around on

882

00:33:44,790 --> 00:33:42,670

all weekend don't know not that kind of

883

00:33:46,800 --> 00:33:44,800

thing I is a tree that guy what fell off

884

00:33:48,510 --> 00:33:46,810

a cliff that's a wait yeah it's yeah

885

00:33:50,460 --> 00:33:48,520

I've ridden a Segway they're so easy

886

00:33:51,810 --> 00:33:50,470

have you yeah I'm never really a Segway

887

00:33:53,490 --> 00:33:51,820

it's basically I've seen them on

888

00:33:55,560 --> 00:33:53,500

arrested development is easy as falling

889

00:33:58,080 --> 00:33:55,570

on her placement about yeah

890

00:34:00,650 --> 00:33:58,090

just my life I live my life through

891

00:34:02,910 --> 00:34:00,660

arrested development it's a coincidence

892

00:34:05,490 --> 00:34:02,920

anyway I would using one main I'd

893

00:34:07,680 --> 00:34:05,500

mentioned the budget and we the budget

894

00:34:09,540 --> 00:34:07,690

was announced at seven-thirty p.m. on

895

00:34:12,300 --> 00:34:09,550

tuesday in australia this is the federal

896

00:34:14,960 --> 00:34:12,310

economic out for the next to the three

897

00:34:17,220 --> 00:34:14,970

years yeah and we were worried that

898

00:34:18,930 --> 00:34:17,230

Australia would lose a lot of funding to

899

00:34:20,490 --> 00:34:18,940

medical research and as a result of that

900

00:34:23,090 --> 00:34:20,500

many Australians would know this but

901  
00:34:25,020 --> 00:34:23,100  
maybe our internationalists don't know

902  
00:34:26,990 --> 00:34:25,030  
scientists took to the streets and there

903  
00:34:29,760 --> 00:34:27,000  
were rallies all across the country and

904  
00:34:31,620 --> 00:34:29,770  
we ran a bit campaign on Twitter called

905  
00:34:34,050 --> 00:34:31,630  
protect research and discoveries need

906  
00:34:35,610 --> 00:34:34,060  
dollars and we were very pleased on

907  
00:34:37,110 --> 00:34:35,620  
Tuesday that we actually got a four

908  
00:34:39,000 --> 00:34:37,120  
point three percent increase in funding

909  
00:34:41,690 --> 00:34:39,010  
as opposed to four hundred million

910  
00:34:45,960 --> 00:34:41,700  
dollars cut from fantastic yeah good

911  
00:34:47,910 --> 00:34:45,970  
budget as well yeah our own we'll have

912  
00:34:50,280 --> 00:34:47,920  
some excellent sicom coming out sometime

913  
00:34:51,870 --> 00:34:50,290

soon the only thing that that is now a

914

00:34:53,490 --> 00:34:51,880

bit of a concern we're very very happy

915

00:34:55,290 --> 00:34:53,500

with the way the campaign went but the

916

00:34:57,810 --> 00:34:55,300

synchrotron is now under threat in

917

00:35:00,420 --> 00:34:57,820

Victoria lots of state isn't it that in

918

00:35:01,440 --> 00:35:00,430

Victoria well it kind of is but also the

919

00:35:04,080 --> 00:35:01,450

federal government did apparently

920

00:35:05,700 --> 00:35:04,090

promise to give some money so a friend

921

00:35:07,830 --> 00:35:05,710

of mine suggested that maybe we just get

922

00:35:10,020 --> 00:35:07,840

some bogans to drive do some circle work

923

00:35:11,340 --> 00:35:10,030

in the car park when they kind of hit

924

00:35:12,810 --> 00:35:11,350

each other and bounce off each other

925

00:35:14,130 --> 00:35:12,820

that could be the equivalent of the

926

00:35:17,870 --> 00:35:14,140

synchrotron I don't know for those

927

00:35:20,700 --> 00:35:17,880

international listeners a bogan is is

928

00:35:22,980 --> 00:35:20,710

true trailer park trash would you say

929

00:35:25,500 --> 00:35:22,990

yeah ready okay it's a chav isn't it

930

00:35:27,150 --> 00:35:25,510

mature yeah chavs are a bit more urban

931

00:35:29,790 --> 00:35:27,160

than bouillon a bogans a bit more sort

932

00:35:32,070 --> 00:35:29,800

of thing regional are than urban what

933

00:35:33,690 --> 00:35:32,080

would you pull a boner city in the UK

934

00:35:35,730 --> 00:35:33,700

I'm not really sure don't think we have

935

00:35:38,310 --> 00:35:35,740

the equivalent it's sort of like a

936

00:35:41,340 --> 00:35:38,320

little britain that the character Sharon

937

00:35:43,080 --> 00:35:41,350

isn't Vicki Vicki sorry the couch is

938

00:35:45,000 --> 00:35:43,090

very urban she's very inner city let's

939

00:35:47,160 --> 00:35:45,010

iboga not so much beauty there could be

940

00:35:48,600 --> 00:35:47,170

a broken man maybe yeah something like

941

00:35:50,310 --> 00:35:48,610

that also there's been two billion

942

00:35:52,920 --> 00:35:50,320

dollars given to mental health in

943

00:35:54,540 --> 00:35:52,930

Australia in this budget but pointed out

944

00:35:56,340 --> 00:35:54,550

by Tony Abbott the opposition leader or

945

00:35:58,110 --> 00:35:56,350

not I'd like I haven't investigated as

946

00:35:59,790 --> 00:35:58,120

myself he was claiming that the rebate

947

00:36:01,950 --> 00:35:59,800

that you get on Medicare for going to

948

00:36:03,840 --> 00:36:01,960

the psychiatrist will either stay the

949

00:36:05,040 --> 00:36:03,850

same or not get increased or go down so

950

00:36:06,870 --> 00:36:05,050

there is more money for mental health

951  
00:36:07,990 --> 00:36:06,880  
but if you go to the psychiatrist the

952  
00:36:09,370 --> 00:36:08,000  
men you've carried

953  
00:36:10,990 --> 00:36:09,380  
isn't as good so I'd like someone to

954  
00:36:13,680 --> 00:36:11,000  
check that out is that research on this

955  
00:36:16,510 --> 00:36:13,690  
no I do dinner on Twitter today saying

956  
00:36:18,520 --> 00:36:16,520  
that GPS are a bit annoyed about it

957  
00:36:20,470 --> 00:36:18,530  
because it's going to take some stuff

958  
00:36:22,150 --> 00:36:20,480  
away from your family practitioners and

959  
00:36:24,220 --> 00:36:22,160  
put it more into mental health units and

960  
00:36:25,600 --> 00:36:24,230  
they're a bit annoyed but I haven't done

961  
00:36:27,730 --> 00:36:25,610  
the research so I'm going to bug out at

962  
00:36:29,980 --> 00:36:27,740  
this one is also quite annoyed about it

963  
00:36:31,480 --> 00:36:29,990

as well yeah now you were part of the

964

00:36:33,580 --> 00:36:31,490

campaign you actually took to the

965

00:36:36,340 --> 00:36:33,590

streets or to the park with banners dr.

966

00:36:38,050 --> 00:36:36,350

AJ execute what do scientists look when

967

00:36:39,400 --> 00:36:38,060

they look like when they all protest in

968

00:36:41,230 --> 00:36:39,410

a group in the one place as a whole

969

00:36:42,700 --> 00:36:41,240

bunch of white coats and waving of

970

00:36:44,620 --> 00:36:42,710

things like you know like honestly the

971

00:36:46,540 --> 00:36:44,630

professor on The Simpsons it's in London

972

00:36:49,720 --> 00:36:46,550

it was just like that but with test

973

00:36:51,910 --> 00:36:49,730

tubes now we actually put down upper

974

00:36:55,350 --> 00:36:51,920

pets and our test tubes but we did March

975

00:36:58,300 --> 00:36:55,360

you know in our lab coats yep and we had

976  
00:37:00,190 --> 00:36:58,310  
big banners the theme was orange and

977  
00:37:03,790 --> 00:37:00,200  
blue which I think orange is a symbol of

978  
00:37:06,310 --> 00:37:03,800  
hope apparently or optimism I'm not

979  
00:37:08,470 --> 00:37:06,320  
exactly sure so yeah we had big sort of

980  
00:37:09,970 --> 00:37:08,480  
placards like he did you know in the 80s

981  
00:37:11,980 --> 00:37:09,980  
when you're marching against the Vietnam

982  
00:37:14,080 --> 00:37:11,990  
War man that was his extincted made

983  
00:37:17,590 --> 00:37:14,090  
there so you left your run a bit late

984  
00:37:19,210 --> 00:37:17,600  
too much against Vietnamese it made the

985  
00:37:21,430 --> 00:37:19,220  
TV news though did it I look the

986  
00:37:22,570 --> 00:37:21,440  
coverage was huge and there's a couple

987  
00:37:24,730 --> 00:37:22,580  
of people that were really instrumental

988  
00:37:27,510 --> 00:37:24,740

mostly they were from the white Walter

989

00:37:30,010 --> 00:37:27,520

and Eliza Hall Institute in Melbourne

990

00:37:31,720 --> 00:37:30,020

they sort of kicked it off and in Sydney

991

00:37:34,360 --> 00:37:31,730

the garvan institute were the ones that

992

00:37:36,310 --> 00:37:34,370

I got in touch with but but what was

993

00:37:37,930 --> 00:37:36,320

interesting about it too was that the

994

00:37:40,390 --> 00:37:37,940

Twitterverse was really critical to the

995

00:37:42,280 --> 00:37:40,400

success of this campaign first of all

996

00:37:43,990 --> 00:37:42,290

because when my director sent me an

997

00:37:45,790 --> 00:37:44,000

email one thursday night at nine o'clock

998

00:37:49,150 --> 00:37:45,800

at night and said can you organize a

999

00:37:50,860 --> 00:37:49,160

rally do you remember i Skyped you and I

1000

00:37:53,050 --> 00:37:50,870

swear my head's exploding that's not

1001  
00:37:55,150 --> 00:37:53,060  
going to happen I jumped onto Twitter

1002  
00:37:57,910 --> 00:37:55,160  
and said we want to do a rally in Sydney

1003  
00:37:59,650 --> 00:37:57,920  
who can help me do you I do I remember

1004  
00:38:01,810 --> 00:37:59,660  
that message going right yeah and

1005  
00:38:04,450 --> 00:38:01,820  
immediately I got people responding and

1006  
00:38:08,050 --> 00:38:04,460  
saying we're doing this will email you

1007  
00:38:11,380 --> 00:38:08,060  
tomorrow and then we also ran sort of

1008  
00:38:13,720 --> 00:38:11,390  
Twitter campaigns when the rallies were

1009  
00:38:15,850 --> 00:38:13,730  
running in different states in support

1010  
00:38:17,050 --> 00:38:15,860  
of the people walking if you weren't in

1011  
00:38:18,990 --> 00:38:17,060  
that state you would have a Twitter

1012  
00:38:20,780 --> 00:38:19,000  
campaign for an hour so we'd all tweet

1013  
00:38:23,120 --> 00:38:20,790

to em

1014

00:38:25,250 --> 00:38:23,130

pays or to julia gillard our prime

1015

00:38:27,500 --> 00:38:25,260

minister or to mark butler the guy who

1016

00:38:29,600 --> 00:38:27,510

holds the health portfolio and they just

1017

00:38:33,020 --> 00:38:29,610

got so they got slammed with tweets and

1018

00:38:34,670 --> 00:38:33,030

with questions and and I really think

1019

00:38:36,500 --> 00:38:34,680

that critical to us collaborating

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00:38:40,160 --> 00:38:36,510

through our Australia on this project

1021

00:38:42,170 --> 00:38:40,170

was Twitter absolutely yeah I in fact I

1022

00:38:44,630 --> 00:38:42,180

send out a Twitter just last week I said

1023

00:38:46,490 --> 00:38:44,640

do you think as a general thing I said

1024

00:38:48,050 --> 00:38:46,500

who thinks will still be using Twitter

1025

00:38:50,150 --> 00:38:48,060

in 10 years that occurred to me are we

1026  
00:38:51,290 --> 00:38:50,160  
still in you know ten years time are we

1027  
00:38:52,700 --> 00:38:51,300  
still going to be pouring over our

1028  
00:38:54,560 --> 00:38:52,710  
devices looking at what people are

1029  
00:38:55,700 --> 00:38:54,570  
twittering all that be just something we

1030  
00:38:58,910 --> 00:38:55,710  
used to do and there'll be something

1031  
00:39:00,830 --> 00:38:58,920  
bigger and better I wanna reminds me of

1032  
00:39:02,330 --> 00:39:00,840  
that question of where's my jetpack you

1033  
00:39:04,240 --> 00:39:02,340  
know I don't actually think we're going

1034  
00:39:06,560 --> 00:39:04,250  
to have anything different to Twitter

1035  
00:39:07,760 --> 00:39:06,570  
because I think some of the responses

1036  
00:39:09,590 --> 00:39:07,770  
you got was people saying they'll be

1037  
00:39:12,050 --> 00:39:09,600  
microchips in our head and we'll try you

1038  
00:39:13,310 --> 00:39:12,060

know different interface at that point

1039

00:39:14,480 --> 00:39:13,320

you might still have the hundred and

1040

00:39:16,160 --> 00:39:14,490

forty character thing going on we'll

1041

00:39:17,750 --> 00:39:16,170

just think it instead of typing any well

1042

00:39:19,370 --> 00:39:17,760

but well it will be it would there be

1043

00:39:20,810 --> 00:39:19,380

something which is so much better than

1044

00:39:23,660 --> 00:39:20,820

twitter twitter was just one of the

1045

00:39:25,370 --> 00:39:23,670

things we used to do well who knows can

1046

00:39:27,350 --> 00:39:25,380

predict that i can read that yeah but

1047

00:39:29,270 --> 00:39:27,360

will you would think that like video on

1048

00:39:31,250 --> 00:39:29,280

twitter hasn't really taken off like a

1049

00:39:33,320 --> 00:39:31,260

short video messages to each other that

1050

00:39:35,990 --> 00:39:33,330

sort of thing audio things on Twitter

1051  
00:39:37,700 --> 00:39:36,000  
are there you can use them but but but

1052  
00:39:38,930 --> 00:39:37,710  
but people don't seem to click on them

1053  
00:39:40,490 --> 00:39:38,940  
as much people are happy just to read

1054  
00:39:42,710 --> 00:39:40,500  
the text and get on with it or not read

1055  
00:39:44,600 --> 00:39:42,720  
the text even on facebook you put audio

1056  
00:39:46,640 --> 00:39:44,610  
links and video links up on facebook

1057  
00:39:48,880 --> 00:39:46,650  
people will like them without looking at

1058  
00:39:50,690 --> 00:39:48,890  
them often because people just can't be

1059  
00:39:52,790 --> 00:39:50,700  
asking for that is going to be the

1060  
00:39:56,960 --> 00:39:52,800  
interface and how the clients handle

1061  
00:39:59,120 --> 00:39:56,970  
video and images and audio so hdf5 was

1062  
00:40:01,750 --> 00:39:59,130  
that would be bought by twitter if that

1063  
00:40:03,860 --> 00:40:01,760

starts running video in the browser and

1064

00:40:06,320 --> 00:40:03,870

sound in the browser i mean does to an

1065

00:40:08,210 --> 00:40:06,330

extent now but it has more universal

1066

00:40:09,740 --> 00:40:08,220

support then it'll be great and of

1067

00:40:13,340 --> 00:40:09,750

course skype has been bought by

1068

00:40:15,650 --> 00:40:13,350

microsoft I feel dirty I feel dirty it's

1069

00:40:20,470 --> 00:40:15,660

going to be a dear but Scott by

1070

00:40:22,910 --> 00:40:20,480

microphone as well no I the skype I

1071

00:40:25,930 --> 00:40:22,920

think the time for that now it told me

1072

00:40:28,640 --> 00:40:25,940

about the skype issue good Heaven skype

1073

00:40:30,170 --> 00:40:28,650

skype to meet to me has been more

1074

00:40:31,359 --> 00:40:30,180

important over the years than twitter

1075

00:40:34,509 --> 00:40:31,369

yeah me too

1076

00:40:36,640 --> 00:40:34,519

definitely yeah I don't know I don't

1077

00:40:38,440 --> 00:40:36,650

have a small group whereas Twitter's you

1078

00:40:40,870 --> 00:40:38,450

know twitter us a bit of a broadcast and

1079

00:40:42,819 --> 00:40:40,880

a gathering in medium well I mean a lot

1080

00:40:45,489 --> 00:40:42,829

of the skeptic zone well I latte

1081

00:40:47,440 --> 00:40:45,499

percentages done over over Skype what

1082

00:40:50,349 --> 00:40:47,450

time australia was organized over skype

1083

00:40:52,509 --> 00:40:50,359

it was it was of course dr. 'he that the

1084

00:40:54,160 --> 00:40:52,519

five of us on the committee would meet

1085

00:40:56,440 --> 00:40:54,170

week after week after week over skype

1086

00:40:57,789 --> 00:40:56,450

for hours when i was up to three three

1087

00:41:00,819 --> 00:40:57,799

and a half hours every wednesday night

1088

00:41:02,920 --> 00:41:00,829

the sky media scope to know the panel's

1089

00:41:05,739 --> 00:41:02,930

the panel I was on with brian and those

1090

00:41:06,700 --> 00:41:05,749

guys we did that over skype initially to

1091

00:41:09,940 --> 00:41:06,710

sort out what we're going to talk about

1092

00:41:13,210 --> 00:41:09,950

I think I think SG you get together over

1093

00:41:15,579 --> 00:41:13,220

skype to do this so skype is bloody

1094

00:41:17,680 --> 00:41:15,589

important and just officially this year

1095

00:41:18,999 --> 00:41:17,690

the ABCA started to use skype for some

1096

00:41:21,099 --> 00:41:19,009

of its recorded interviews with in the

1097

00:41:22,930 --> 00:41:21,109

ABC like we haven't used it before this

1098

00:41:24,370 --> 00:41:22,940

officially people have used it

1099

00:41:25,930 --> 00:41:24,380

unofficially but now the ABC is

1100

00:41:27,789 --> 00:41:25,940

sanctioned it and we were using it that

1101  
00:41:29,589 --> 00:41:27,799  
way as an alternative to phone lines but

1102  
00:41:32,019 --> 00:41:29,599  
not live we don't use it live because

1103  
00:41:33,849 --> 00:41:32,029  
it's not reliable no well that I can

1104  
00:41:35,829 --> 00:41:33,859  
understand that I don't know what that's

1105  
00:41:38,229 --> 00:41:35,839  
got to do with skepticism exactly but

1106  
00:41:41,789 --> 00:41:38,239  
skype is really important to us and I

1107  
00:41:45,190 --> 00:41:41,799  
just hope that Microsoft don't try to

1108  
00:41:47,620 --> 00:41:45,200  
fix something that's not broken well the

1109  
00:41:49,509 --> 00:41:47,630  
other thing is I use it on a mac so they

1110  
00:41:51,509 --> 00:41:49,519  
have said that they can continue to

1111  
00:41:53,769 --> 00:41:51,519  
support it on an Apple platform but

1112  
00:41:56,289 --> 00:41:53,779  
maybe they'll just put so many bugs in

1113  
00:42:01,690 --> 00:41:56,299

it it won't work anymore who knows full

1114

00:42:04,660 --> 00:42:01,700

disclosure on imax microsoft is a most

1115

00:42:05,920 --> 00:42:04,670

especially now one one person is not

1116

00:42:08,859 --> 00:42:05,930

going to be twittering anymore of course

1117

00:42:10,690 --> 00:42:08,869

as a sama bin Laden and i'm not going to

1118

00:42:12,640 --> 00:42:10,700

talk about the conspiracy theories that

1119

00:42:16,150 --> 00:42:12,650

he is going to be treating you not seen

1120

00:42:19,210 --> 00:42:16,160

it what obama's ghost Osama's ghost

1121

00:42:24,410 --> 00:42:19,220

sorry really yeah yeah what is he saying

1122

00:42:30,260 --> 00:42:28,190

um did you see that facebook message he

1123

00:42:33,680 --> 00:42:30,270

left as well well there's someone tagged

1124

00:42:35,200 --> 00:42:33,690

at least at some what was it alarm about

1125

00:42:39,200 --> 00:42:35,210

or whatever it was but I bought about

1126

00:42:41,240 --> 00:42:39,210

Nixon dude turn off the tag the one else

1127

00:42:43,820 --> 00:42:41,250

with it you can turn it off yourself man

1128

00:42:53,720 --> 00:42:43,830

untag me at them to see out see I I went

1129

00:42:57,620 --> 00:42:53,730

see you in a sec well who say's uh thank

1130

00:42:59,510 --> 00:42:57,630

you may not look sorry host an excellent

1131

00:43:03,740 --> 00:42:59,520

of course they were all as soon as he

1132

00:43:06,050 --> 00:43:03,750

was killed by the operatives and Baron

1133

00:43:07,760 --> 00:43:06,060

see all the conspiracy theories came up

1134

00:43:09,680 --> 00:43:07,770

pretty quickly which didn't surprise me

1135

00:43:11,630 --> 00:43:09,690

at all what has surprised me is that

1136

00:43:13,580 --> 00:43:11,640

they've all sort of done it away pretty

1137

00:43:15,350 --> 00:43:13,590

quickly I mean they were a flash in the

1138

00:43:16,970 --> 00:43:15,360

pan and now no one's still running

1139

00:43:19,880 --> 00:43:16,980

around saying oh it's all a lie it's all

1140

00:43:22,010 --> 00:43:19,890

alive but they'll be simmering away now

1141

00:43:24,170 --> 00:43:22,020

this simmering away but but I think once

1142

00:43:27,140 --> 00:43:24,180

al Qaeda said yeah he's dead a lot of

1143

00:43:30,650 --> 00:43:27,150

the conspiracy theories sort of sat down

1144

00:43:32,570 --> 00:43:30,660

trust al Qaeda that's right over that I

1145

00:43:34,070 --> 00:43:32,580

trust al Qaeda but Maynard you were

1146

00:43:36,620 --> 00:43:34,080

telling me of something that I haven't

1147

00:43:39,740 --> 00:43:36,630

caught up yet caught up with the it cold

1148

00:43:42,080 --> 00:43:39,750

what's us what's Oh summer watching

1149

00:43:44,810 --> 00:43:42,090

what's Osama bin watching what's

1150

00:43:46,760 --> 00:43:44,820

O'Sullivan watching and what it is it's

1151

00:43:49,010 --> 00:43:46,770

it's the still of him having a look at

1152

00:43:51,560 --> 00:43:49,020

one of these videos on TV I'm a little

1153

00:43:54,110 --> 00:43:51,570

13-inch TV and what they've done is it

1154

00:43:57,220 --> 00:43:54,120

is that replaced the existing TV program

1155

00:44:00,080 --> 00:43:57,230

with any YouTube URL you want to put in

1156

00:44:01,880 --> 00:44:00,090

you can put whatever you whatever you

1157

00:44:03,890 --> 00:44:01,890

can get on YouTube you just you tag that

1158

00:44:05,570 --> 00:44:03,900

into what's Osama bin watching he can be

1159

00:44:07,190 --> 00:44:05,580

watching the skeptic zone doing a bit of

1160

00:44:09,140 --> 00:44:07,200

work on the powerbands you can be

1161

00:44:10,490 --> 00:44:09,150

watching anime nerd video of us at sexpo

1162

00:44:11,900 --> 00:44:10,500

he give you watching anything this it's

1163

00:44:13,940 --> 00:44:11,910

just a still of him with the remote but

1164

00:44:14,750 --> 00:44:13,950

it is pretty funny is it Merrill all

1165

00:44:18,980 --> 00:44:14,760

right you should be watching that

1166

00:44:20,540 --> 00:44:18,990

Merrill I speak about that the Merrill

1167

00:44:22,040 --> 00:44:20,550

she's been a bit quiet lately hasn't she

1168

00:44:23,720 --> 00:44:22,050

doctor aging oh yeah because she's got a

1169

00:44:25,130 --> 00:44:23,730

court case on the seventeenth of May

1170

00:44:28,220 --> 00:44:25,140

hasn't she Justin

1171

00:44:29,809 --> 00:44:28,230

the rapture yeah yeah trouble at the

1172

00:44:32,059 --> 00:44:29,819

moment I don't really want to talk about

1173

00:44:34,789 --> 00:44:32,069

how look and speaking of the summer bin

1174

00:44:37,250 --> 00:44:34,799

Laden I spoke with the co-host of the no

1175

00:44:39,529 --> 00:44:37,260

agenda show adam curry this week for for

1176

00:44:41,059 --> 00:44:39,539

ABC radio and for Manor calm that are

1177

00:44:42,680 --> 00:44:41,069

you and to come up on the skeptic zone

1178

00:44:44,390 --> 00:44:42,690

in the near future beauty of future and

1179

00:44:47,150 --> 00:44:44,400

I had him on specifically to speak about

1180

00:44:49,490 --> 00:44:47,160

the conspiracy well about what the sama

1181

00:44:51,349 --> 00:44:49,500

bin Laden's death means and even he said

1182

00:44:53,420 --> 00:44:51,359

look the why where and what of his death

1183

00:44:55,160 --> 00:44:53,430

isn't important it's how it's used by

1184

00:44:56,870 --> 00:44:55,170

the government to scare people to be

1185

00:44:59,240 --> 00:44:56,880

used as a scare campaign to it because

1186

00:45:01,069 --> 00:44:59,250

he's very big against the the naked body

1187

00:45:03,559 --> 00:45:01,079

scanners that the TSA uses whenever you

1188

00:45:05,059 --> 00:45:03,569

go in out of America I'm going now do

1189

00:45:07,430 --> 00:45:05,069

you opt out or do you go through the

1190

00:45:09,650 --> 00:45:07,440

naked bodies or the naked one and I

1191

00:45:11,960 --> 00:45:09,660

haven't been there since I've had them

1192

00:45:13,759 --> 00:45:11,970

actually that's right so you you might

1193

00:45:15,620 --> 00:45:13,769

be giving it up will you opt out all you

1194

00:45:18,170 --> 00:45:15,630

go through it oh I don't care so you

1195

00:45:20,390 --> 00:45:18,180

what you get touched up or or fatal

1196

00:45:21,920 --> 00:45:20,400

radiation can be sent to toss a coin I

1197

00:45:23,930 --> 00:45:21,930

really don't know mate or cuz I'm still

1198

00:45:25,130 --> 00:45:23,940

alive you know okay well anyway yes so

1199

00:45:26,870 --> 00:45:25,140

you're gonna have a good giggle at me as

1200

00:45:28,279 --> 00:45:26,880

i go through i don't but if you opt out

1201

00:45:29,450 --> 00:45:28,289

that they might do an opt-out opt out

1202

00:45:31,880 --> 00:45:29,460

and point you and that's worth it just

1203

00:45:33,410 --> 00:45:31,890

to do it but bidding like there's any

1204

00:45:34,490 --> 00:45:33,420

view with him on the ABC there so go

1205

00:45:37,249 --> 00:45:34,500

have a look at that it's easy to find

1206

00:45:39,079 --> 00:45:37,259

adam curry media assassin I don't get to

1207

00:45:41,809 --> 00:45:39,089

write that very often for the ABC and

1208

00:45:43,099 --> 00:45:41,819

would then also form a Soviet spy never

1209

00:45:45,230 --> 00:45:43,109

comes up very often in my writings

1210

00:45:46,460 --> 00:45:45,240

either so enjoy that please go and have

1211

00:45:49,309 --> 00:45:46,470

a look at that well coming up in the

1212

00:45:52,039 --> 00:45:49,319

near future growth dr. rich and i are

1213

00:45:55,789 --> 00:45:52,049

heading for town vegas dr. hu will be

1214

00:45:57,410 --> 00:45:55,799

there a good few days before i will i'm

1215

00:45:58,999 --> 00:45:57,420

flying in very quickly i'm going to be

1216

00:46:01,220 --> 00:45:59,009

flying in getting there on the friday of

1217

00:46:04,670 --> 00:46:01,230

town and leaving back to Sydney on the

1218

00:46:07,400 --> 00:46:04,680

sunday so only two days in America the

1219

00:46:10,279 --> 00:46:07,410

reason for that is I will be working

1220

00:46:14,210 --> 00:46:10,289

with the Channel Seven Network here on a

1221

00:46:16,339 --> 00:46:14,220

show called the 1 series 2 of a show

1222

00:46:18,710 --> 00:46:16,349

that I was involved with it involved

1223

00:46:21,650 --> 00:46:18,720

with a few years ago where I'm going to

1224

00:46:25,400 --> 00:46:21,660

be well basically being myself playing a

1225

00:46:27,349 --> 00:46:25,410

skeptical person on this TV show I i'll

1226

00:46:28,970 --> 00:46:27,359

try to give give you all more

1227

00:46:30,920 --> 00:46:28,980

information about that as the months

1228

00:46:32,299 --> 00:46:30,930

progress but that's what I'm doing at

1229

00:46:33,920 --> 00:46:32,309

the moment but Rachel you'll be there a

1230

00:46:34,810 --> 00:46:33,930

few days before me to suss out the

1231

00:46:36,160 --> 00:46:34,820

crabby late

1232

00:46:37,840 --> 00:46:36,170

situation well that's the only reason

1233

00:46:40,270 --> 00:46:37,850

I'm going to Vegas is for the krabby leg

1234

00:46:42,100 --> 00:46:40,280

situation but I do have something more

1235

00:46:46,420 --> 00:46:42,110

important to discuss than that it's

1236

00:46:48,430 --> 00:46:46,430

surely not if that's okay oh just a sec

1237

00:46:50,020 --> 00:46:48,440

I gotta find my breakfast well why you

1238

00:46:52,270 --> 00:46:50,030

just quickly looking for your references

1239

00:46:53,440 --> 00:46:52,280

are job enemy our good old friend Joe

1240

00:46:56,230 --> 00:46:53,450

better move who can't be with us tonight

1241

00:46:58,390 --> 00:46:56,240

has asked me to remind our audience that

1242

00:47:01,690 --> 00:46:58,400

today the recording of this is the 11th

1243

00:47:04,180 --> 00:47:01,700

of me it is the 11th that is the 12th I

1244

00:47:07,210 --> 00:47:04,190

big ones the top of me it's

1245

00:47:10,150 --> 00:47:07,220

international nurses day and a big shout

1246

00:47:12,220 --> 00:47:10,160

out to yes some of the best nights

1247

00:47:14,020 --> 00:47:12,230

drinking I've ever had have been word

1248

00:47:16,330 --> 00:47:14,030

nurses I've got to say nurses like

1249

00:47:17,830 --> 00:47:16,340

doctors know how to party isn't it the

1250

00:47:19,480 --> 00:47:17,840

start with a grouse hunting season two

1251  
00:47:22,810 --> 00:47:19,490  
is this glorious twelfth of May is

1252  
00:47:25,210 --> 00:47:22,820  
another grouse hunting season if you say

1253  
00:47:27,640 --> 00:47:25,220  
so but look a big hello to all the

1254  
00:47:29,410 --> 00:47:27,650  
nurses listening to us the the backbone

1255  
00:47:33,250 --> 00:47:29,420  
of the medical industry if I can put it

1256  
00:47:36,460 --> 00:47:33,260  
that way you are appreciated and Joe

1257  
00:47:39,760 --> 00:47:36,470  
Benna mu a you too congratulations on

1258  
00:47:41,200 --> 00:47:39,770  
your fine work now dr. AG ok so this is

1259  
00:47:42,970 --> 00:47:41,210  
something that is actually quite big

1260  
00:47:44,860 --> 00:47:42,980  
news and I'm a little bit disappointed

1261  
00:47:49,330 --> 00:47:44,870  
that it hasn't been covered to a very

1262  
00:47:51,580 --> 00:47:49,340  
big e % in Australia our sort of medical

1263  
00:47:53,550 --> 00:47:51,590

advice board is called the National

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00:47:56,380 --> 00:47:53,560

Health and Medical Research Council

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00:47:58,410 --> 00:47:56,390

NHMRC and they're kind of the equivalent

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00:48:01,870 --> 00:47:58,420

of the NIH in a sense that they advise

1267

00:48:04,560 --> 00:48:01,880

the public and medical people about

1268

00:48:07,540 --> 00:48:04,570

what's good and bad in terms of drugs

1269

00:48:10,180 --> 00:48:07,550

last week they did something that is

1270

00:48:12,730 --> 00:48:10,190

unprecedented in this country and it

1271

00:48:15,430 --> 00:48:12,740

went under the radar and it really needs

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00:48:17,050 --> 00:48:15,440

to be made to get out there more because

1273

00:48:20,230 --> 00:48:17,060

they actually made released a draft

1274

00:48:22,120 --> 00:48:20,240

statement on homeopathy this is the

1275

00:48:23,170 --> 00:48:22,130

first time they've ever the Australian

1276

00:48:25,060 --> 00:48:23,180

Government has ever made a statement

1277

00:48:28,270 --> 00:48:25,070

about homeopathy in this country and

1278

00:48:31,690 --> 00:48:28,280

basically to summarize it they said that

1279

00:48:34,300 --> 00:48:31,700

it is unethical in other words it

1280

00:48:37,030 --> 00:48:34,310

doesn't work and it is unethical to use

1281

00:48:39,760 --> 00:48:37,040

it now

1282

00:48:41,650 --> 00:48:39,770

you there we know that no well no when

1283

00:48:43,870 --> 00:48:41,660

they say unethical unethical for a

1284

00:48:45,430 --> 00:48:43,880

registered doctor to you yes basically

1285

00:48:47,140 --> 00:48:45,440

yes for practitioner general

1286

00:48:49,180 --> 00:48:47,150

practitioners to prescribe it is

1287

00:48:51,610 --> 00:48:49,190

unethical because it doesn't work now

1288

00:48:55,090 --> 00:48:51,620

interestingly for our UK listeners they

1289

00:48:56,710 --> 00:48:55,100

based this on a couple of things but one

1290

00:48:58,180 --> 00:48:56,720

of them was the findings of the UK

1291

00:49:00,220 --> 00:48:58,190

Science and Technology Committee from

1292

00:49:02,770 --> 00:49:00,230

2010 so Marsh if you're listening

1293

00:49:06,010 --> 00:49:02,780

because I know Martians get this homage

1294

00:49:09,720 --> 00:49:06,020

how much they read through that report

1295

00:49:12,190 --> 00:49:09,730

and they took that on board they also

1296

00:49:13,750 --> 00:49:12,200

considered a couple of recent deaths in

1297

00:49:16,120 --> 00:49:13,760

Australia where homeopathy has been

1298

00:49:17,980 --> 00:49:16,130

implicated one is Penelope Dingle who

1299

00:49:20,440 --> 00:49:17,990

died from untreated bowel cancer and

1300

00:49:22,210 --> 00:49:20,450

glorious am a nine month old baby who

1301

00:49:24,190 --> 00:49:22,220

died from septicemia as a result of

1302

00:49:25,630 --> 00:49:24,200

severe eczema who she was treated with

1303

00:49:28,690 --> 00:49:25,640

homeopathy instead of conventional

1304

00:49:31,000 --> 00:49:28,700

medicine and in addition they also cited

1305

00:49:32,530 --> 00:49:31,010

the fact that there seems to be a lot of

1306

00:49:34,180 --> 00:49:32,540

stuff going around the internets these

1307

00:49:36,430 --> 00:49:34,190

days saying that you can use homeopathy

1308

00:49:40,330 --> 00:49:36,440

to vaccinate your children which I know

1309

00:49:42,760 --> 00:49:40,340

is something tell me yeah I'm currently

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00:49:46,900 --> 00:49:42,770

reviewing a DVD I have reviewed a DVD

1311

00:49:50,920 --> 00:49:46,910

from homeopathy plus which goes into it

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00:49:54,700 --> 00:49:50,930

leaves nothing to to debate it is saying

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00:49:57,970 --> 00:49:54,710

use magic sugar pills to immunize it's

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00:50:00,360 --> 00:49:57,980

it's just unbelievable well this is a

1315

00:50:03,580 --> 00:50:00,370

draft statement and as a result of that

1316

00:50:06,250 --> 00:50:03,590

I blogged about it because it's not for

1317

00:50:09,460 --> 00:50:06,260

general release so I can't put it up

1318

00:50:11,100 --> 00:50:09,470

anywhere for people to see but i

1319

00:50:13,750 --> 00:50:11,110

received it through a couple of sources

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00:50:15,430 --> 00:50:13,760

the energy no mercy are going to consult

1321

00:50:16,810 --> 00:50:15,440

several bodies before they make a final

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00:50:18,370 --> 00:50:16,820

decision about this statement one of

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00:50:21,760 --> 00:50:18,380

them is the TGA the Therapeutic Goods

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00:50:24,070 --> 00:50:21,770

Administration one is the UK government

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00:50:26,170 --> 00:50:24,080

there particularly the Science and

1326  
00:50:28,900 --> 00:50:26,180  
Technology Committee one is the consumer

1327  
00:50:31,510 --> 00:50:28,910  
health forum which is a consumer group

1328  
00:50:33,550 --> 00:50:31,520  
set up to talk to patients and consumers

1329  
00:50:36,730 --> 00:50:33,560  
so consumers will be consulted about

1330  
00:50:38,740 --> 00:50:36,740  
this but I think what's really important

1331  
00:50:41,560 --> 00:50:38,750  
to remember is that one of the

1332  
00:50:44,410 --> 00:50:41,570  
criticisms that this

1333  
00:50:45,400 --> 00:50:44,420  
incurred in the UK when they were when

1334  
00:50:48,700 --> 00:50:45,410  
the UK's Science and Technology

1335  
00:50:50,260 --> 00:50:48,710  
Committee report first came out was

1336  
00:50:52,630 --> 00:50:50,270  
people got up in arms and said it's

1337  
00:50:54,520 --> 00:50:52,640  
going to be banned now that's not what

1338  
00:50:56,940 --> 00:50:54,530

this is about it's not about homeopathy

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00:50:59,230 --> 00:50:56,950

being banned yeah it's actually about

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00:51:01,030 --> 00:50:59,240

the Australian government finally

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00:51:03,040 --> 00:51:01,040

standing up and making a clear and

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00:51:05,080 --> 00:51:03,050

concise statement that it doesn't work

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00:51:07,000 --> 00:51:05,090

and it's not a medicine now the

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00:51:08,890 --> 00:51:07,010

implications for this if this goes

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00:51:11,440 --> 00:51:08,900

through are potentially huge first of

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00:51:14,980 --> 00:51:11,450

all the Australian government spends

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00:51:18,280 --> 00:51:14,990

three billion dollars a year on refunds

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00:51:20,680 --> 00:51:18,290

to private health funds health fund

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00:51:22,540 --> 00:51:20,690

rebates now if you go to a doctor and

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00:51:24,190 --> 00:51:22,550

they prescribe you with homeopathy there

1351  
00:51:27,250 --> 00:51:24,200  
for taxpayers are paying for homeopathy

1352  
00:51:29,110 --> 00:51:27,260  
so inadvertently we're paying so we're

1353  
00:51:31,240 --> 00:51:29,120  
paying for an unethical placebo that

1354  
00:51:33,100 --> 00:51:31,250  
doesn't work so there will be pressure

1355  
00:51:36,570 --> 00:51:33,110  
on the health funds to stop funding it

1356  
00:51:39,160 --> 00:51:36,580  
in there extras the other thing that is

1357  
00:51:41,530 --> 00:51:39,170  
important is potentially and this is

1358  
00:51:42,970 --> 00:51:41,540  
just my speculation hopefully it will

1359  
00:51:45,790 --> 00:51:42,980  
lead on to the fact that it's no longer

1360  
00:51:47,110 --> 00:51:45,800  
sold in pharmacies well will not be

1361  
00:51:49,120 --> 00:51:47,120  
great would I be growing players

1362  
00:51:51,670 --> 00:51:49,130  
officially that it's unethical and

1363  
00:51:54,340 --> 00:51:51,680

doesn't work how can pharmacists

1364

00:51:56,290 --> 00:51:54,350

continue to sell it on the shelves they

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00:51:58,180 --> 00:51:56,300

can but we will do everything in our

1366

00:52:00,100 --> 00:51:58,190

power to shame them and make them stop

1367

00:52:01,540 --> 00:52:00,110

this is why I'm really disappointed that

1368

00:52:05,380 --> 00:52:01,550

this story just got swept under the

1369

00:52:06,820 --> 00:52:05,390

carpet because I know the journalists

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00:52:08,560 --> 00:52:06,830

who wrote about it initially and I know

1371

00:52:10,150 --> 00:52:08,570

he sent it to a lot of other people and

1372

00:52:11,590 --> 00:52:10,160

they just weren't interested and I've

1373

00:52:12,940 --> 00:52:11,600

blogged about it so you can look at the

1374

00:52:14,890 --> 00:52:12,950

skeptics book if you want to see more

1375

00:52:17,140 --> 00:52:14,900

information but it's actually a

1376  
00:52:19,600 --> 00:52:17,150  
potentially a huge story in this country

1377  
00:52:21,160 --> 00:52:19,610  
that's kind of been missed so I'm trying

1378  
00:52:22,990 --> 00:52:21,170  
to get it out there as much as i can so

1379  
00:52:24,850 --> 00:52:23,000  
people can what should people do reach

1380  
00:52:28,030 --> 00:52:24,860  
you to find out more apart from go to

1381  
00:52:29,470 --> 00:52:28,040  
your blog well go to my blog that's all

1382  
00:52:32,200 --> 00:52:29,480  
i can tell you at the moment because the

1383  
00:52:34,450 --> 00:52:32,210  
original stories behind a paywall yes

1384  
00:52:36,010 --> 00:52:34,460  
you can't read the original story the

1385  
00:52:37,720 --> 00:52:36,020  
actual statement itself is not for

1386  
00:52:39,820 --> 00:52:37,730  
circulation so i can't send you that

1387  
00:52:42,310 --> 00:52:39,830  
either that this is probably a good

1388  
00:52:43,840 --> 00:52:42,320

reason why no one's heard about it yeah

1389

00:52:46,000 --> 00:52:43,850

but the journalist who got the original

1390

00:52:47,530 --> 00:52:46,010

leak he sent it to a lot of other jurors

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00:52:50,620 --> 00:52:47,540

who didn't follow it up but I think if

1392

00:52:52,000 --> 00:52:50,630

you're in Australia perhaps the best

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00:52:52,760 --> 00:52:52,010

thing you can do is just keep an eye out

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00:52:58,010 --> 00:52:52,770

for it

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00:53:00,080 --> 00:52:58,020

if you I mean I can give people tips as

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00:53:01,970 --> 00:53:00,090

to whether it's being discussed anywhere

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00:53:04,310 --> 00:53:01,980

if you ever see that the consumer health

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00:53:05,930 --> 00:53:04,320

forum is asking patients do they want

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00:53:07,790 --> 00:53:05,940

that sort of stuff that's going to be

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00:53:09,830 --> 00:53:07,800

the influence that will decide whether

1401  
00:53:11,060 --> 00:53:09,840  
it becomes an official statement so I

1402  
00:53:12,800 --> 00:53:11,070  
guess the only thing I can say right now

1403  
00:53:14,540 --> 00:53:12,810  
is just keep looking at my blog and

1404  
00:53:17,510 --> 00:53:14,550  
listen to the zone all right we shall

1405  
00:53:20,060 --> 00:53:17,520  
link to that blog post dr. AG in the

1406  
00:53:24,800 --> 00:53:20,070  
free newsletter that goes out Dave

1407  
00:53:26,660 --> 00:53:24,810  
people go to ww skeptics on TV and sign

1408  
00:53:28,490 --> 00:53:26,670  
in you can every week get the free

1409  
00:53:31,610 --> 00:53:28,500  
newsletter which accompanies the skeptic

1410  
00:53:33,860 --> 00:53:31,620  
zone so that's very interesting story

1411  
00:53:35,390 --> 00:53:33,870  
really interesting story and I'm really

1412  
00:53:37,550 --> 00:53:35,400  
keen to follow an upsell keep our

1413  
00:53:40,790 --> 00:53:37,560

listeners in the loop that's excellent

1414

00:53:42,320 --> 00:53:40,800

now before we go Maynard here's an

1415

00:53:45,590 --> 00:53:42,330

interesting story that you brought to my

1416

00:53:47,360 --> 00:53:45,600

attention from a beehive well that's

1417

00:53:49,340 --> 00:53:47,370

right and I believe that there's some

1418

00:53:52,190 --> 00:53:49,350

other members at this table of our had a

1419

00:53:55,040 --> 00:53:52,200

rid of it as well it's claimed that

1420

00:53:56,690 --> 00:53:55,050

mobile phones are damaging bees quite

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00:53:58,100 --> 00:53:56,700

seriously a Swedish study that looks

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00:54:00,110 --> 00:53:58,110

like it was done about a year ago and

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00:54:02,450 --> 00:54:00,120

I've done some with Swiss the same

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00:54:03,380 --> 00:54:02,460

Switzerland ah Switzerland all right

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00:54:05,270 --> 00:54:03,390

well that's the other country that

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00:54:06,890 --> 00:54:05,280

starts with SW I knew it wasn't a

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00:54:10,490 --> 00:54:06,900

swaziland they're not called that

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00:54:12,560 --> 00:54:10,500

anymore um and add that the sample size

1429

00:54:15,440 --> 00:54:12,570

was extremely small and the details were

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00:54:18,110 --> 00:54:15,450

extremely shonky so what happened in

1431

00:54:20,510 --> 00:54:18,120

sketchy details but sometime last year

1432

00:54:23,290 --> 00:54:20,520

researcher got for be housed together

1433

00:54:26,390 --> 00:54:23,300

and put some mobile phones in them and

1434

00:54:28,400 --> 00:54:26,400

ran the mobile phones called them that

1435

00:54:32,000 --> 00:54:28,410

can mean you mean he gave them a buzz it

1436

00:54:36,080 --> 00:54:32,010

gives them a buzz oh how do you reset it

1437

00:54:39,080 --> 00:54:36,090

but basically the UM the hives in which

1438

00:54:40,670 --> 00:54:39,090

there were phones he collapsed which is

1439

00:54:42,620 --> 00:54:40,680

not physically collapsed but the

1440

00:54:44,990 --> 00:54:42,630

populations of bees collapsed which was

1441

00:54:46,790 --> 00:54:45,000

kind of terrible they just couldn't take

1442

00:54:49,190 --> 00:54:46,800

the buzzy anymore hey yeah they buzzed

1443

00:54:52,990 --> 00:54:49,200

off it was though no a quick sound

1444

00:55:01,600 --> 00:54:53,000

effects whoopsie so which the up

1445

00:55:04,320 --> 00:55:01,610

I said first up I feel dirty what's the

1446

00:55:06,670 --> 00:55:04,330

upshot of this well the upshot is that

1447

00:55:08,350 --> 00:55:06,680

the blog post looks like it's a

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00:55:09,880 --> 00:55:08,360

legitimate research when you look at it

1449

00:55:12,280 --> 00:55:09,890

a bit further not only have you got the

1450

00:55:13,900 --> 00:55:12,290

wrong country like I had bit you also

1451  
00:55:15,040 --> 00:55:13,910  
you didn't see the sample size and you

1452  
00:55:17,620 --> 00:55:15,050  
didn't see exactly what they were doing

1453  
00:55:19,720 --> 00:55:17,630  
so I think it falls in the the new

1454  
00:55:21,130 --> 00:55:19,730  
scientific news without any looking

1455  
00:55:23,170 --> 00:55:21,140  
further it's actually shonky or not and

1456  
00:55:24,280 --> 00:55:23,180  
its way shonky it does but I think we

1457  
00:55:25,420 --> 00:55:24,290  
should be concerned that I think

1458  
00:55:27,010 --> 00:55:25,430  
Vodafone should be having a little

1459  
00:55:30,340 --> 00:55:27,020  
checkbox on their application forms now

1460  
00:55:31,600 --> 00:55:30,350  
saying are you Abby yes or no and if

1461  
00:55:34,780 --> 00:55:31,610  
there are be don't give him the phone

1462  
00:55:38,830 --> 00:55:34,790  
it's that simple and it makes strange

1463  
00:55:41,350 --> 00:55:38,840

sort of sense to me not much else does

1464

00:55:43,210 --> 00:55:41,360

but that does green and just say thank

1465

00:55:45,580 --> 00:55:43,220

you dude Alice now before we go Richard

1466

00:55:51,160 --> 00:55:45,590

I'm John Campbell who is on Twitter as

1467

00:55:53,350 --> 00:55:51,170

NH 0 j j0 hn oh yes of course yeah

1468

00:55:57,670 --> 00:55:53,360

that's the worst twitter handle John

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00:55:59,790 --> 00:55:57,680

ever he sent me some slippers this way

1470

00:56:03,190 --> 00:55:59,800

some slippers yeah that have sheep

1471

00:56:05,730 --> 00:56:03,200

foreheads but like sheep what actually

1472

00:56:08,650 --> 00:56:05,740

made out of actual sheet no the Rams

1473

00:56:11,410 --> 00:56:08,660

slippers and they're just made of all

1474

00:56:13,180 --> 00:56:11,420

Rams the whole own people yes yes yeah

1475

00:56:16,300 --> 00:56:13,190

you've got a pair of sheepy slippers

1476  
00:56:18,010 --> 00:56:16,310  
black Rams shaping slippers look like so

1477  
00:56:20,140 --> 00:56:18,020  
could someone send me I preferably

1478  
00:56:25,079 --> 00:56:20,150  
something in its shell I'm a big rocket

1479  
00:56:32,469 --> 00:56:30,849  
this time that I bet yeah but that's

1480  
00:56:34,599 --> 00:56:32,479  
keeping your feet warm in this cold

1481  
00:56:37,809 --> 00:56:34,609  
isn't it the last few days freezing cold

1482  
00:56:40,150 --> 00:56:37,819  
freezing cold sunny well while we run to

1483  
00:56:42,609 --> 00:56:40,160  
the bar for our final warming drink I'd

1484  
00:56:47,140 --> 00:56:42,619  
like a Rachel's founder sound effects

1485  
00:56:53,650 --> 00:56:47,150  
are all hope is lost well you're exactly

1486  
00:56:55,539 --> 00:56:53,660  
what we're under the buck idea I'd like

1487  
00:56:58,630 --> 00:56:55,549  
to say thank you very much to Jason

1488  
00:57:00,910 --> 00:56:58,640

Brown for sharing our think tank table

1489

00:57:04,479 --> 00:57:00,920

tonight thank you thank you and thank

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00:57:06,640 --> 00:57:04,489

you to dr. rachy for not doing too many

1491

00:57:09,989 --> 00:57:06,650

sound effects tonight thanks Richard I'm

1492

00:57:13,089 --> 00:57:09,999

not going to do it now cuz he just one

1493

00:57:15,489 --> 00:57:13,099

she had to and of course thank you too

1494

00:57:19,089 --> 00:57:15,499

may not who you can follow on Twitter

1495

00:57:22,599 --> 00:57:19,099

folks oh yes at Maynard dot-com of the

1496

00:57:24,219 --> 00:57:22,609

Maynard com au group com that I you

1497

00:57:25,719 --> 00:57:24,229

without the dot in it and check out the

1498

00:57:27,789 --> 00:57:25,729

adam curry interview because even if

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00:57:29,289 --> 00:57:27,799

you're not on his side of the fence is a

1500

00:57:35,019 --> 00:57:29,299

very interesting character and i'll

1501  
00:57:38,979 --> 00:57:35,029  
leave you with this last sample I see

1502  
00:57:41,950 --> 00:57:38,989  
Thank You Maynard not think you may not

1503  
00:57:44,019 --> 00:57:41,960  
come but may not come out it's like are

1504  
00:57:45,940 --> 00:57:44,029  
you may not kind of got a girl on this

1505  
00:57:48,430 --> 00:57:45,950  
as well and write me something all your

1506  
00:57:51,700 --> 00:57:48,440  
drinking I I feel good let's get back to

1507  
00:57:52,959 --> 00:57:51,710  
eat cheese everybody ours I wish to be

1508  
00:58:05,040 --> 00:57:52,969  
known from now on is the lactose

1509  
00:58:09,819 --> 00:58:07,660  
either everybody my name is chris brown

1510  
00:58:11,710 --> 00:58:09,829  
you see I've got a problem I've got this

1511  
00:58:14,319 --> 00:58:11,720  
really cool podcast called meet the

1512  
00:58:16,180 --> 00:58:14,329  
skeptics where I basically call up all

1513  
00:58:18,190 --> 00:58:16,190

those great critical thinkers and

1514

00:58:21,010 --> 00:58:18,200

skeptics and people like James Randi

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00:58:23,859 --> 00:58:21,020

George Crom J novella Brian Dunning both

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00:58:26,319 --> 00:58:23,869

Derek and swoopy Eugenie Scott Richard

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00:58:28,150 --> 00:58:26,329

Saunders and so many more the enemies

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00:58:31,329 --> 00:58:28,160

are even a perfect length an average

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00:58:33,430 --> 00:58:31,339

between 30 and 45 minutes just right for

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00:58:35,349 --> 00:58:33,440

an average commute to work but I just

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00:58:37,599 --> 00:58:35,359

don't know how to get the word out so do

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00:58:39,849 --> 00:58:37,609

me a favor everybody go to iTunes listen

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00:58:41,589 --> 00:58:39,859

to meet the skeptics you'll find some

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00:58:43,150 --> 00:58:41,599

great interviews on there learn some

1525

00:58:45,640 --> 00:58:43,160

things you probably never knew about and

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00:58:48,099 --> 00:58:45,650

if you have any ideas for how i can get

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00:58:50,140 --> 00:58:48,109

the word out and advertise the podcast

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00:58:53,170 --> 00:58:50,150

just let me know you can write me at

1529

00:58:55,690 --> 00:58:53,180

meet the skeptics @ aol.com or follow me

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00:58:57,069 --> 00:58:55,700

on twitter at meet the skeptics thanks

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00:59:07,640 --> 00:58:57,079

for listening I hope to hear from you

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00:59:13,200 --> 00:59:10,140

thank you for listening to the skeptic

1533

00:59:16,470 --> 00:59:13,210

zone and as ever a big thank you to

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00:59:18,720 --> 00:59:16,480

those people who do chip in with only

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00:59:21,870 --> 00:59:18,730

less than a dollar a week and it helps

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00:59:24,180 --> 00:59:21,880

us keep the show ticking over my

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00:59:26,430 --> 00:59:24,190

heartfelt thanks to you and to those

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00:59:29,070 --> 00:59:26,440

very generous people who chip in a bit

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00:59:31,590 --> 00:59:29,080

more than that every now and then thank

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00:59:33,420 --> 00:59:31,600

you very much I'm so glad that you enjoy

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00:59:36,180 --> 00:59:33,430

the show and the team are very glad you

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00:59:40,170 --> 00:59:36,190

enjoy the show too well next week's show

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00:59:42,180 --> 00:59:40,180

is a bit of a mystery I'll have to

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00:59:44,250 --> 00:59:42,190

consult a few psychics and look at the

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00:59:46,530 --> 00:59:44,260

crystal balls and the tarot cards and

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00:59:49,170 --> 00:59:46,540

maybe a numerologist might be old to

1547

00:59:51,690 --> 00:59:49,180

tell me what's coming up on next week's

1548

00:59:54,150 --> 00:59:51,700

show I think it's probably Maynard with

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00:59:56,070 --> 00:59:54,160

another fabulous interview maybe a

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00:59:58,940 --> 00:59:56,080

doctor a cheese in there somewhere who

1551

01:00:04,050 --> 00:59:58,950

knows who knows who can see the future

1552

01:00:05,880 --> 01:00:04,060

not me but until that episode which what

1553

01:00:08,210 --> 01:00:05,890

may be the last episode if the world

1554

01:00:16,170 --> 01:00:08,220

comes to an end this is Richard Saunders

1555

01:00:19,560 --> 01:00:16,180

signing off from Sydney Australia you've

1556

01:00:24,120 --> 01:00:19,570

been listening to the skeptic zone visit

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01:00:26,640 --> 01:00:24,130

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