

New Zealand :: He's in mid-air now, caged 18m above the ground
alongside a major traffic route
in solitary confinement

It's **AUCKLAND CRANES & THE CAGED ALASTAIR GALPIN**

Alastair Galpin – who has been obsessed with breaking world records for six years, from the senseless to the noble – is now challenging himself to remain in-situ suspended by truck crane for weeks on end, dangling helplessly inside the only refuge available to him in the cage: a portable public toilet.

New Zealand's most active world record-breaker is hanging at Rainbow's End, New Zealand's premier theme park, where he's doing his bit for charity. The Problem Gambling Foundation of New Zealand (www.pgfnz.org.nz) was only too happy to receive the offer of another world record attempt from Galpin. Last year, he and the then-Chief Executive, John Stansfield, took 57 radio interviews in 24 hours, broadcast to much of the globe. That was a year after Galpin had arranged for a helicopter to smash 4 slot machines into a rubbish dump from 296 metres. The American band **Fall Out Boy** has recently beaten Galpin and Stansfield's radio interview best, to which Galpin replied "Our charity message obviously spread worldwide, so much so that our event attracted a well-known rock band".

So what's this world record? It's under the auspices of Record Holders' Republic, titled "*Most Radio Interviews in Suspended Cage*". Galpin is dangling, waiting for your call ...

Just between you and Galpin:

- His "office" is a desk straddling a porcelain public toilet bowl.
- His only pint of coffee was torn off the cage platform by wind gusts - spraying everywhere.
- Wind has thrown Galpin across the 1.8m toilet interior during a live Australian interview.

Dates:

Over Easter 2009.

24 hour interview contacts:

Interview Galpin *now*. The story gets **better** - more **frightening** - more **exciting** by the hour!

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Email Galpin on algalpin@yahoo.co.uk
or Skype him at 'Worldrecordbreaker' to arrange.

Rules:

1. Radio interviews over 2 minutes will qualify.
2. Interviews must be broadcast while the occupant is living in the cage.
3. Debates do not qualify as radio interviews.
4. For each radio interview over 2 minutes in duration, **mail or fax** Galpin a letterhead note with day and time of interview, the interview duration, the day and time of broadcast, and frequency or internet site of broadcast.
5. Non-radio media are welcome too.

Send note of proof to:

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* Available:

- Photos of the cage in action
- Galpin's profile
- Official rules PDF