

DO TRY THIS AT HOME

# HOW TO BE A RECORD-BREAKER

Have you got what it takes to earn a unique GWR certificate? If you think you have, get in touch with us! And if you're stuck for ideas, you'll find five maker-themed records to apply for on the following pages. Good luck!

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### 1. Apply online

Your first step on the path to GWR glory begins at our website: [www.guinnessworldrecords.com](http://www.guinnessworldrecords.com). Click on "Apply to set or break a record" and tell us as much as you can about the record you have in mind. We want the Who, What, Where, When and Why, to help us decide if it really is worthy of the name Guinness World Records!

### 2. Get the guidelines

If we like your idea, or if you want to try to break an existing record, then we'll send you the official guidelines that you have to follow when attempting the record. (And if we reject your proposal, we'll tell you why.) You should receive them from us in around 12 weeks. Everyone MUST follow the same rules so that each attempt can be fairly judged.

### 3. Attempt your record

Now it's time to plan and practise, practise, practise! It's important that you factor in the time you'll need for this. When you're finally ready for your record attempt, be sure to video your efforts and get lots of photographs and at least two independent eyewitness statements. Full instructions are set out in the guidelines.

### 4. Send your evidence

Collate all your evidence as per the guidelines and upload/post it to GWR HQ. Our Records Management Team will sift through your clips, photos, witness statements, log books and so on, and make a decision. If you're successful, then you'll know about it when your official GWR certificate arrives in the post. This is the confirmation that you are OFFICIALLY AMAZING!



Coordinate with some like-minded people and you could be well on your way to a GWR title! On 8 Mar 2018, a total of 316 Tomb Raider fans came together to form the largest gathering of people dressed as Lara Croft. The event was organized by Warner Bros. Pictures (CHN) in Beijing, China.



Max Verstappen (NLD, b. 30 Sep 1997) receives his GWR certificate as the **youngest driver to win an FI World Championship race**. He won the Spanish Grand Prix on 15 May 2016, aged 18 years 228 days.



Could you be a record-breaking collector, like Tai-Ting Tseng (TPE)? He owns the **largest collection of Final Fantasy memorabilia**: 3,782 items, as of 22 Jul 2017.

## -TOP TIP -

MAKE SURE YOU PROVIDE A FULL SET OF EVIDENCE FOR YOUR CLAIM: VIDEO, PHOTOS, TIME SHEETS, SIGNED WITNESS STATEMENTS - AND ANYTHING ELSE THAT WE CAN USE TO VERIFY YOUR ACHIEVEMENT. INCOMPLETE EVIDENCE WILL ONLY DELAY YOUR CLAIM!