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Deep Space LIVE: Red Bull Rampage in 3D

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(Linz, October 17, 2011) Guests at the next Deep Space LIVE event on Thursday, October 10, 2011 will need nerves of steel. This time, the focus is on the world's most extreme freeride mountain bike competition: Red Bull Rampage. The course through Zion National Park in Utah demands that riders master meter-high jumps and breakneck descents. And just to make sure viewers get maxed out on adrenaline too, the whole clip is in 3D.

Red Bull Rampage

Gigantic sandstone cliffs, high plateaus and deep, labyrinthine canyons are the trademarks of Utah's Zion National Park. This picturesque landscape is the setting for the Red Bull Rampage, probably the world's most extreme mountain bike competition. In 2010, riders had to negotiate a downhill run with an altitude difference of 457.2 meters from start to finish. They're judged on the basis of the difficulty of the course they take, their technical skills, and the complexity of their tricks, whereby wooden structures and ramps are cleverly designed to help them spend as much time in midair as possible!

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The Ars Electronica Center is now hosting a Deep Space LIVE event every Thursday (except holidays) at 8 PM. Each presentation will feature ultra-high-definition imagery in 16x9-meter format and will be accompanied by expert commentary, entertaining stand-up repartee, and musical improvisation. Whether great works from the history of art, space travel, journeys of discovery in the Nanoworld, or a live concert is what you've come to behold, Deep Space LIVE stands for enlightening entertainment amidst breathtaking worlds of imagery. Admission is €2. Holders of a valid Museum ticket are admitted free of charge.

Red Bull Rampage (Wikipedia http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Red_Bull_Rampage)
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