

CHILL The Horror Roleplaying Game

Sebastian Geistman

Player Adrian Fairbairn
Height 5ft 11in
Weight 13 stone
Nationality British
Profession Occult & Rare Book Dealer
Age 42
Description



Edges

Optimistic

Positive outlook to life, cheery and difficult to bring down. Most people like this, but can get annoying for others.

Charismatic Voice

Has a deep voice that has a tendency to command respect and attention.

Good Looking (1)

Has always been something of a looker

Contacts, Occult Collectors

Spent a lot of time getting to Occult antiques and rarities collectors.

Drawbacks

Phobia – Enclosed Spaces (5)

Does not like to be confined in small spaces.

Phobia – People in Masks (4)

Gets nervous about people wearing masks or make up that covers their face.

Body

Agility (AGL) 13
Constitution (CON) 15
Dexterity (DEX) 12
Strength (STR) 13

Mind

Charisma (CHA) 16
Intelligence (INT) 13
Perception (PER) 15
Willpower (WPR) 14

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Lost to Fear

Sanity 13

Traumas

1 – Being watched

Spirit

	Max	Current
Luck (LUCK)	12	
Psyche (PSY)	8	
Sanity (SAN)	13	

Stamina 15

Lost to Wounds

Wounds

Scratch	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Light	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Medium	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Heavy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Critical	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Arts

	Base	Level	Total
Sense Unknown PER/5	3	0	3
Cartomancy (CHA+PER+LUCK)/10	4	6	10

Style Points

Insight Points

Skills

	Base	Level	Total
Brawl (AGL STR)	13	1	14
Dodge (AGL PER)	14	1	15
Climbing (AGL DEX STR)	13	0	13
Drive Car (DEX PER WIL)	14	3	17
Jumping (AGL DEX STR)	13	0	13
Swimming (AGL CON STR)	14	2	16
Anthropology, Ancient Egypt (INT WPR)	13	5	18
Books, Rare & Occult (INT WPR)	13	8	21
Deception (CHA INT WPR)	15	4	19
Forgery (DEX INT PER)	13	6	19
History (INT WPR)	13	3	16
Literature (INT WPR)	13	6	19
Persuasion / Seduction (CHA PER WPR)	15	10	25
Psychology (CHA INT WPR)	15	4	19
Antiques, Occult Items (INT WPR)	13	5	18
Art (CHA INT WPR)	15	6	21
Magic Studies (INT WPR)	13	8	21
Magic, Cabalistic Rituals (CHA PER WPR)	15	4	19
Magic, Circles (CHA PER WPR)	15	5	20
Occult Studies (INT WPR)	13	12	25
Spiritualism (CHA INT WPR)	15	9	24
Studies, Tarot & Cartomancy (CHA INT WPR)	15	10	25

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Sebastian is a very charming man. He makes friends easily and, especially in his youth, could charm many a lady into his bed.

Marriage

He spent most of his youth married to a rich older woman called Sara Cartagena, a Spanish lady who had very rich parents, as well as a mutual interest in occultism. He was not good to Sara and ended up sleeping around behind her back, although she knew all about it. She tolerated this because he was so charming, as well as he was a good liar.

He spent a lot of those years going to parties, hanging around with rich people and indulging his interests. He especially became interested in rare Occult Books and Occult Items and those who collected them. His wife's connections allowed him to get to know a number of secretive, rich people who liked to collect such things.

Their marriage finally broke down and they divorced. He was able to get some money, but as he was accused of adultery and she had expensive lawyers, he got a lot less than half of her money.

New Dawn

In his late 20s and early 30s he became involved in an occult society called the Order of the New Dawn. It was based loosely on the Golden Dawn, but it encourages members who were interested in various different areas of occult and mystical study to indulge and practice their interests and share them with the group.

Members were encouraged to give themselves Magical Names and use them.

It was hosted by a rich man who's Magic Name was Arthur Pendragon but his real name was John Scott. Sebastian assumed Arthur was the leader of the Order, but it soon became clear that Dagda, a very alpha-male type into Celtic Mysticism, was giving the orders. Dagda clashed a lot with Crowley, another alpha-male type who was clearly a bit of a Satanist.

There were other members, the most notable from Sebastian's point of view was Ramesses, a member very interested in Egyptology.

The internal fighting in the Order became worse over the years, especially between Dagda and Crowley. Members came and went and two factions developed. They both tried to recruit Sebastian, but he wisely didn't commit either way.

The Order finally collapsed when Arthur resigned from the Order and announced he did not want them meeting at his house anymore. There was no agreement as to a new location, each faction wanting it hosted at one of their member's houses and the other side refusing. Each faction their own way and Sebastian decided to leave them to it.

Spiritualism

He later became more involved in Spiritualism and séances. Through that he met a talented young medium called Claire Welling, who he got into a significant relationship with.

Being a social type, he began to host séances with Claire as the medium and him directing. These went well, until a certain séance in 2014 went badly wrong and he had a terrible experience, with some sort of magician into Egyptian magic interfering.

Shortly after Claire left him without much explanation and he began to suspect she was complicit in the events at the séance.

Magical Dual

He somehow knew it was Ramesses from the New Dawn who was behind it. He did not know his real name but was able to find out by digging around and contacting previous members he was still friends with. He contacted Hector Romany aka Ramesses but he denied any knowledge.

Shortly after that, he began to find himself feeling odd, dizzy and seeing strange things, which had an Egyptian theme. He knew he was under psychic attack. He began to look further into his occult and magic knowledge to counter this, but it took him a while to get his act together.

It took over a year before he was able to build effective magical defences and shut "Ramesses" out, during which time his stress levels were very high. While he suspected that Ramesses was not trying that hard to kill him, he would have been happy to drive Sebastian crazy.

This experience left him a little shaken and, while he still enjoys being sociable, he keeps it lower key in his shop rather than high society these days.

The Third Eye

He was always the favourite of his Aunt Jessica. She gave him an interest in the occult from a young age. She had him help out in her second hand book shop.

When she retired he took over the shop and he began to change its focus to occult and New Age, as well as old books, renaming it the Third Eye. He was able to tap into his interest in rare Occult Books and does a secret trade in them whenever he can.

The shop is not in a rich part of London, but it is in a narrow but very sociable shopping arcade that includes a café where lots of people hang out.

Family

Father Mark and mother Hyacinth.

Has younger siblings. Brother Stephen and sister Liz (Elizabeth).

Timeline

1993 (18) – Went to Warwick University to study Literature.

1996 (21) – Graduated from Warwick with 2-2 in Literature.

1998 (23) – Married Sara Cartagena, a beautiful Spanish heiress.

1999 (24) – Joined the Order of the New Dawn.

2001 (26) – Marriage starts to become strained.

2003 (28) – Divorced.

2004 (29) – New Dawn began to fall apart from in-fighting.

2005 (30) – Started to get involved in his aunt Jessica Myers's book shop.

2010 (35) – Began to become involved in spiritualism.

2011 (36) – Met Claire Welling, a talented medium and began a relationship with her.

2013 (38) – Aunt Jessica retires from running the shop and hands over to Sebastian.

2014 (39) – Holds a séance that goes terribly wrong. Claire leaves him shortly afterwards. He suspects "Ramesses" from the New Dawn is involved and confronts them.

2015 (40) – Renames book shop to The Third Eye and focuses more on occult and New Age. Magical dual with Ramesses. Begins to develop his knowledge of magic circles.

2016 (41) – Magical dual appears to come to an end.

Current Situation

He knows a lot of people. One of his closer friends is Daisy Zimmermann, someone very interested in New Age occultism. Her husband Gerald (Chris's character) is involved in Psychic study and he invited Sebastian and some other people who hang around in the shop to visit the Winthorpe Institute for Dream Research. This peaked Sebastian's curiosity and he signed up for it.