# **Prince Brown ~ Fact Sheet**

Born in Montreal, Canada; Lived in Los Angeles, California; Raised in Toronto, Ontario and now resides in Vancouver, British Columbia.

Reverted back to using his birth name Prince Brown; He is no longer using the moniker SwaggStar.

**Musical Influences:** 2Pac, Jay-Z and Notorious B.I.G. Prince also appreciates music from various genres including RnB, Jazz and gospel.

#### **Social Media (Beginning)**

First started getting recognized on MySpace [gaining an international buzz (300k+ plays), collaborating with other artists and getting booking requests]. Prince has grown his social media following to a combined 100K plus and growing (Instagram and Twitter respectively).

#### Social Media accounts:

http://www.twitter.com/ht swaggstar

https://www.instagram.com/ht\_swaggstar

Prince was previously signed to Vancouver label Flight Academy Records. He is now an independent recording artist.

Prince has toured Japan and Asia. Recently toured Florianopolis, Brazil where he recorded a record with rising Portuguese star,

His mother is Music Executive who became known as the liaison exposing Jamaican artist to the South African and North American markets.

# **Skateboarding (Beginnings)**

Prince's mother purchased his first skateboard in Compton, California then took him to Venice Beach.

Learned how to do an Ollie (skateboard trick) in a gravel lot in Jamaica. Through practice he has added to his arsenal more tricks including the kick flip and more.

# Skateboarding Accomplishments (Including Tours and Contest Appearances):

- > Slam City Jam World Skateboard Championships appearances (Vancouver, Canada)
- ➤ **Monkee Skate Tour** (Throughout the province of British Columbia)
- ➤ Internationally competed in s skateboard competition in Brazil
- > Skateboard in Japan
- Met and/or skate with skateboarding' elite: **Stevie Williams, Tony Hawk, Kareem Campbell, Trevor Houlighan and Sammy Baptista** to name a few.

#### **Past Career Sponsorships and Endorsements:**

**Skate Board Brands:** GrindKing Skate Board Company (Trucks), Traction Wheels, Monkey Hardware

**Clothing Brands**: Double Hard (Japan), Ov3rdos3 Clothing (Compton) and Oakbay Street Wear.

#### Skateboarding Video and Documentary Features

➤ Featured in the "Slice Life" skateboard documentary

#### **Charitable Contribution**

Founder of Hip Hop 4 Hunger Society; Net proceeds from his debut album was donated towards the "Hip Hop 4 Hunger Annual Christmas Dinner and Dance" (feeding over 15,000 Low Income Families over a period of years)

### **Music Catalog**

Prince has 5 mixtapes: 1 released in (Japan) and currently has 4 (unreleased). He sold 7000 copies of the Hungry Child CD as a member of the group DPX; Net proceeds were donated to charitable causes including Hip Hop 4 Hunger's Annual Christmas Dinner.

## **Entrepreneurial**

Launched a professional photography and video production company, Global Film Works in 2017.