

THUNDERBOLT



Identity: Shawn Wests

Sex: Male

Experience: 2,000

Side/Affiliation: Good/RONIN

Age: 21

Level: 2

STR	17	1.4	+3
END	16	1.8	+3
AGL	16	1.6	+3
INT	14	1.1	+2
CHR	14	N.A.	+2

{ INT DEF +/- : emo ctrl [6/10]; mind ctrl [7/11] } or { CHR DEF +/- : emo ctrl [5/9]; mind ctrl [8/10] }

Training: Strength {Lv 1}, Intelligence {Lv 2}

Skills:

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| 1. Area Kno {Empire City} | 7. Kno {Underworld/Crime} | 13. Streetwise | 19. _____ |
| 2. Driving | 8. Language {Italian} | 14. Stealth | 20. _____ |
| 3. Firearms | 9. Language {Japanese} | 15. _____ | 21. _____ |
| 4. Investigation | 10. Mechanic | 16. _____ | 22. _____ |
| 5. Kno {Criminology} | 11. Observation [+30%] | 17. _____ | 23. _____ |
| 6. Kno {Martial Arts} | 12. Profession {Mechanic} | 18. _____ | 24. _____ |

Powers/Abilities:

1. Lightning {Electrical} Control = Ra 32", {2d8 damage}, PR=4 [Electrify Body; Control Electronic Device 32" {Save vs INT, Mishap vs Agil}
& Shortout Electronic Devices 32" {32%} - PR=4/attempt 'both']
* { **Base ATT:** 15 '21#'; robotc bdy 17 '23#'; andbdy/bioncs 16 '22#'; strch pw 14 '20#'; chm pw 9 '15';
life supp 7 '13'; astrl prj 6 '12'; HTH 3 '9'; adptn/FF/lghtng ctrl/magn pw/non-corp 0 '6'}
2. Magnetic Powers = Ra 17", Capacity 1,700lbs, As Defense - PR=1/per attack [Magnetic Blast = {+3hit, 1d10 damage}, PR=5/shot;
Manipulate Metallic Objects - PR=5/+5per dur, Dur - 16rds]
+ {Speed 1/10th Cap - Dam: 481lbs - 122" [+2hit, 3d8] / 30lbs - 167" [2d8+1]}
- Parry Factors = **1** {30lbs}, **2** {120lbs}, **3** {480lbs}, **5** {1,920lbs}; Object - **3** {sword}, **5** {shield}; Parry Mod +7dam {HE, Acc, DM}
* { **Base ATT:** 13 '19'; robotc bdy 15 '21#'; bioncs 14 '20#'; chm pw 10 '16'; life supp 6 '12'; TK 5 '11';
astrl prj/grav ctrl 3 '9'; adptn/HTH/lghtng ctrl/magn pw/non-corp 0 '6'}
3. Flight = 272mph {1,196.8"}, PR=1/hour
4. Heightened Expertise = +4 hit with ALL Weapons
* { **Base ATT:** 5 '11'; andbdy/bionc/lghtng ctrl 3 '9'; chm pw/ life supp/light ctrl/rob bdy/sonic/strch 2 '8';
flam pw/ice pw/pow bls/ TK 1 '7'; asproj/disntgr ry/FF/grav ctrl/magn pw/non-corp/will/vibra 0 '6'}
5. Armor B {Technological} = ADR 48, SR 4
+ 6. **Armor Power:** Heightened Senses - Radar Sense {Focus} = 4x Perception, LoS {11 miles max}

Weakness: *Vulnerability (Water)* = Takes damage from own lightning if using his lightning control when wet;

Low-Self Control; Secret Weakness = Vulnerability (Magnetic Attack - Shawn is considered metallic object of his weight)

Weapons / Equipment: Pistol {.50Cal Desert Eagle} = +3 to hit, 1d8 damage, Ra {A x 6} 96";

Sword {Katana} = +2 to hit, +1d6 damage, Parry Factor: 3/ 18; 9x Shuriken = +3 to hit, HTH+1 damage, Ra 16" ;

2x Kyogetsu Shoge 'Hooked Blade & Weighted End on Chain'

- Hooked blade - +2 to hit, HTH+1d2, Ra 16", Parry Factor: 1/ 18

- Weighted End/light Club = +2 hit, HTH+1, Ra 16") 80'ft cable, Parry Factor: 1/ 18

* ninja weapon - except the weighted chain is a metal cable 80'ft length with a 4,000lbs cap.);

6x Metal Discus - 1lbs each = Parry Factor: 1/ 18; Metal Mesh Armor Costume w/Cloak = Parry Factor 2/ 18;

Cell Phone {Personal}; 2x Cell Phone {Spare}; Police Scanner Radio; PDA;

Protectors Communicator {Machinist Gadget}

Inventions: _____

Weight: 185lbs/ 6'2"

Hit Points: 16

Power: 63

Accuracy Mod: +2 {+6 w/Weapons, +8 w/Katana & Kyo. Sho., +9 w/.50 Cal}

Carrying Capacity: 623lbs

Public Standing: Good +1

Movement Rates: 49" ground / 272mph {1,196.8"} - flight

Perception: 10% {40% w/Observation / 70% w/Radar Sense} **Intuition:** 14%

Inventing Points: 2.8

Inventing: 52%

Legal Status: *No criminal record*

Basic Hits: 3.6

Healing Rate: 1.44

Hero Points: 1

Basic HTH Damage: 1d8

Evil: -1

Agility Mod: -

Actions: 2

Damage Mod: +1

Evasion: -6{-9 katana}
{ **Parry Factor** fist: -/ 7}

Origin and Background: **Shawn West** gained his powers when retrieving his sister from a drug-rave party he and **Sarah** were kidnapped by unknown assailants and taken to a junkyard and given experimental drugs of some sort. Shawn managed to escape and turn the tables on their attackers. In their escape there was a violent thunderstorm going on at the time and Shawn and Sarah were both in contact with a crane assembly that was struck with lightning. It triggered something in Shawn's genetics... perhaps exacerbated by whatever drugs they have been given... and he did not die. Shawn's powers manifested then and he took out a brutal vengeance on the kidnappers. **THUNDERBOLT** was born. Sarah was rescued and returned home... but it was unsure what if any powers she has gained. Sarah is not talking about it. From that point on THUNDERBOLT waged a one man war on the drug-dealers and organized crime families in Empire City... leaving behind his signature burned in the surroundings or formed from twisted metal lumps of the criminals own weapons and or whole vehicles.

Notes: Knowledge Area = Law Enforcement; Knowledge Area = Sports/Mechanic [Cycle Racing];

Income: {Part-Time} \$4,116 / {Full-Time} \$41,160 - {Saved - \$576.24pt / \$5,762.40ft }; {On-Hand} Lvl2 - \$8,232

Appearance:

Hair: Once Short curly Auburn Brown (Now Pure White and straight worn long in a pony-tail or braided - Think the X-Men's Storm look)

Eyes: Hazel (Golden/Amber when angry)

Ethnicity: Black American - mixed (Mother was Caucasian, Father is Black American)

Skin: Brown

Costume: Maroon & Black Kevlar/Metal Woven Mesh Armored suit with metal inserts, Maroon & Black Armored-Metal fiber Meshed Duster {never buttoned closed} with White Metal-fiber Meshed Cloak, Mask Black with white 'spidy' eyes... open topped so hair hangs loose. Maroon Metal Shoulder Epaulets, Gorge, Forearm Bracers and Shin Guards with 6x (1lbs) yellow Iron discus inset. White Thunderbolt on center chest. Katana back-sheath left shoulder draw, .50cal Desert Eagle in left shoulder holster (right draw). 2 x Kyogetsu Shoge carried in duster's outside pockets and 9x Shuriken carried in duster inside pockets.

Personality and Character Traits: A Black American vigilante with a history of punishing evil-doers with a harsh but fair hand. He does his best to look after his younger sister **Sarah West** (sister, age 15) High-School student, "Wild-Child" {Wt: 115, HT: 5'2"; Mutant Power 'P'} and his abusive alcoholic father **Thomas West** (father, age 48) Ex-ECPD Officer, 'Now' Security Guard at GENOM™ Pharmaceuticals – USA branch. A very bright intelligence and well read, often makes quotes from Sun Tsu's "Art of War" in battle to explain his actions and inspire his allies. He NEVER ignores a plea for help and has made a personal vow to not step across the line of Justice and Vengeance obeying as many of the laws as possible in apprehending criminals. A true Hero at heart, if a bit angry and frustrated at the daily injustice he sees in the world. An abused child but trying to work his way through his anger issues and yet protect those who cannot protect themselves. Very respectful and supportive of the Police as his father was once an honest Investigative Police Detective.

Dependent NPC's: Shawn loves his sister... perhaps too much. He is over protective of Sarah and she rebels against all authority - making it particularly hard on Shawn. Shawn became a hero to protect his sister from those who would harm her or street kids like her. Shawn would tear down heaven and smash hell to protect Sarah. His father... Shawn remembers a time when he was a child when his father was all the things a good father should be... then mom, **Carla 'Holman' Wests**, died {Cancer}... and his father never adjusted to it - lost his badge in the same year. He knows his father was once a good man... and does not hate him... despite how violent their relationship has turned over the years... he pities his father and accepts the occasional back-hand to the face knowing dad is hurting inside and doesn't know how to deal with it. It's not a healthy situation for any of them... but his father refuses to get help. So Shawn shoulders the responsibility bearing his bruises knowing he must for Sarah.

Shawn has taken extensive training in martial arts before his powers and especially now with them ...trying to improve his efficiency as a street vigilante. The lightning seems to have improved his reaction/reflex time and Shawn's martial skills have far outstripped what he used to be capable of. Shawn is now ambidextrous. His Tae Kwon Do - instructor **Master Youn Pi Choy** has noticed and suspects something has dramatically changed in Shawn.

Ah...LOVE!: Shawn is in love with the supervillainess... **KALI** {Shenna Grey, Age 20, WT: 130, HT: 5'8"; Powers: Heightened Expertise: Martial Arts, Special Weapon: Power-chucks, Heightened Defense; Carries Katana and 6 Shuriken}. She knows Shawn loves her and has used it to her advantage in many of their encounters... but she is not entirely sure if those feelings are not mutual. She knows she can get over on him... she knows he will not hurt her and will not likely try too hard to stop her from getting away should he run across her involved in a theft her modus-operandi. She is an art/artifact martial artist thief.

It all started... when Shawn met her at martial arts tournament, it was a distraction she used to entertain herself while she was in town awaiting an auction that was taking place for some warrior-priestess Egyptian artifacts she planned to steal in Empire City. They ended up spotting each other during the tournament and Shawn thought she was pretty and obviously highly skilled and he asked her out for lunch with him and his Master - Youn Pi Choy. She had also seen his fighting prowess and was amused by the young handsome Thunderbolt in his secret ID - Shawn West and agreed. Well Shawn's master Choy saw that he was the third wheel soon enough during the lunch and found an excuse to leave. Shawn and Sheena spent the rest of the day together finding they had a lot in common and spent the night together. For the next few days they saw each other on and off again - Sheena had originally no intention of staying in Empire City longer than it took for her to make her heist and leave but Shawn was a charming distraction.

As fate would have it the night she choose to make the heist Thunderbolt was out following up some street rumors that some big underworld dealers were in town for a art sale on a heist that was going down. Thunderbolt was present for Kali's attempted heist and the two battled furiously through the museum. Thunderbolt ...as usual was resistant to throw lightning at a woman martial artist and fought her Katana to Katana trying to subdue her. Kali realized she could hardly deal with his magnetic control abilities and changed tactics. She caught Thunderbolt off guard with a power blast from her power-chucks that breached his armor and burned his side in reaction his electric body triggered and burned her hands when he parried her Power-chucks with his conductive katana. The power blast started a fire and knocked a heavy pillar on top of a security guard pinning him and endangering him with burning to death. Thunderbolt chose to let her go and save the guard. Her parting words were, **"That's what you get tough guy for hurting a woman!"**

Thunderbolt retorted back, **"You'd be surprised what you could survive!"**

Kali lost her opportunity to steal the objects that evening as with Thunderbolt's interference the Museum beefed up their security so she decided to steal the objects at the auction right after the sale where there would be a lot of cover she could use to make good her escape by causing a panic.

As it turns out it was a black tie kind of gala fund raiser for charity all the sales going to various relief charities. Again as fate would have it Shawn's master Youn Pi Choy was friends with one of the Asian art collectors and bidders for the Egyptian artifacts. Shawn was pretty sure Kali would try again for the objects and learned his master would be attending the art sale with his friend Cuong Dinh and convinced his master to take him to the party and auction.

While there dressed in a suit and tie Shawn met Sheena also dressed in a slinky red dress and matching long arm gloves. At first they thought it was fortunate coincidence. As the gala spun up Sheena dragged Shawn to the dance floor for a final dance figuring she would have plenty of time before the auction was over to get her goods. Shawn took her hand in his and she flinched from her covered burns from his electric body at the same time she wrapped an arm around his waist to pull him close – right on the spot her power-chucks had scored a hit with her power blast he also flinched.

Sheena commented, ***"Ouch! Gentle tough guy I burned my hand cooking breakfast!"***

Shawn replied, ***"Ehh! Go easy yourself tigress... I pulled a muscle in the gym this morning..."***

Smiling Sheena commented, ***"Awe, poor baby! That's what you get tough guy for hurting a woman!"***

Not missing a beat Shawn retorted before he realized what he was saying, ***"Well sweetie - you'd be surprised what you could survive~!!!"***

It was at that moment they both looked each other in the eyes...shocked and suddenly realizing who each other was!

In a very poignant moment Sheena said, ***"Can we finish our dance darling before we start fighting?"***

Shawn was too shocked to say anything other than, ***"Uh... ok honey."***

They held each other close unsure what to do and not really wanting to fight...

But the decision was taken from them as apparently the local mob in the city had their own plan for a heist as armed masked men in suits stormed the gala with guns and began robbing everyone and taking the art themselves by force!

Shawn and Sheena looked each other in the eyes and parted each to get into their costume to deal with the attacking thugs.

Shortly Thunderbolt and Kali tore into the thugs each for their own reasons but still they fought side by side not wanting to think about what would happen once the thugs were subdued.

As fate would have it they got separated in the fight and each had to deal with the thugs in their own way. When the fight was over Thunderbolt was seeing to the innocent bystanders getting them safely away.

Thunderbolt and Kali meet one last time as he re-entered the museum to make sure he got all the thugs. Kali had collected a piece or two of art she was stealing and Thunderbolt confronted her, ***"Don't do this Sheena!"***

She smiled, ***"Do what Shawn? The museum already has the cash for this from the auction... I'm just turning it over to a new owner... for a not-so-small finder's fee!"***

Shawn felt his heart breaking, ***"Don't make me do this... what about ... us?"***

She paused, ***"Don't worry lover... I'll be in touch!"***

Sheena blew him a kiss and winked then slipped through a sky light and made good her escape in the confusion... Shawn didn't have the heart to stop her.

Regular Life: Shawn works as a mechanic at *"Tony's Cycles & Scooter Repair"*... he dreamed of someday racing the Motocross Racing circuit professionally. He owns his own finely tuned dirt-bike that he races the occasional amateur heats he can afford to enter... hoping to get a sponsor's attention.

Then... he became a vigilante... things seem so different now... he is not entirely sure what to do with his dreams anymore.

Possessions:

Suzuki Hayabusa GSX1300R – Racing Cycle
Suzuki 2007 RM250 Dirt Bike Racer