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ROTH HITS THE ROAD WITH HIS FAMILY TO CLEAR HIS HEAD, AND HEAL DEEP WOUNDS

Written by John Gigio | Photos by Dwayne Larson | Additional photo supplied by the Roth Family

This March, James Roth did the impossible: he won four matches in two nights and won the inaugural WPW Voyageur Cup tournament. The Real Deal had racked up 15 straight wins heading into the WPW Championship match at FIGHT AT THE MUSEUM, but this was his biggest challenge yet: The Canadian Hercules. Roth and Colton had a vicious back and forth, but the match would end with referee stoppage after Mrs. Roth threw in the towel to save her husband from further injury.

In May at THE YOUNG & THE WRESTLERS, Colton was in the ring running down Roth and his family when Mrs. Roth ran out of the crowd to confront Wrestling's Strongest Champion. After a stiff slap to the dome, Colton would grab onto Mrs. Roth's hair and was clearly looking to add injury to insult. The Real Deal would come out of the back, held back by event staff, and make the save for his beloved bride. Colton would respond with a powerbomb so devastating it would cause severe internal injuries. Roth and family have taken to the open road, visiting half a dozen U.S. National Parks, gaining some perspective on life. Will we ever see James Roth again?



BRYCE BENTLEY BRANCHES OFF BESTIE

THE STAR'S FUTURE IS LOOKING BRIGHT

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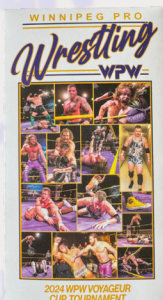
Ever since Bryce Bentley kicked Sammy Peppers in the face in May, fans have been dying to know... "why Bentley, why?!" Well, at I KNOW WHO YOU PINNED LAST SUMMER, we found out why. Sammy Peppers came out to the ring and demanded answers, and we were introduced to the new look of "The Star" Bryce Bentley. Bentley would go on to dress Peppers down and tell fans that while he was out with a serious illness in January, Peppers found another partner to defend the tag titles, and the resentment Bentley felt when fans would heap praise and adulation on his partner and not him. Well, it seems that Bentley has found a new home with WPW Tag Team Champions, The Prosperity Gospel. Their 'Part-Charles-Manson-Part-Jim-Jones' leader Tommy Lee Curtis welcomed Bentley with open arms. Bentley would interfere in Peppers match and hit him with a pedigree, showing fans that this break up is far from over.



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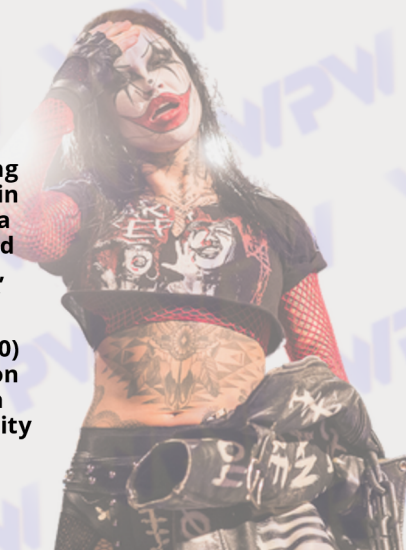


THE VILE VILLAIN WANTS GOLD

TARA ZEP STAKES HER CLAIM TO THE WOMEN'S TITLE

Written by Barbara Schofield | Photo by Dwayne Larson

Tara Zep has taken the wrestling world by storm in a very short amount of time. Zep has only appeared in WPW twice this year, but has already become one of the company's most popular athletes. After debuting in March and picking up a submission win, The Vile Villain was thrust into the spotlight with a triple threat against Allie Katch and Ava Lawless. Zep wasn't victorious, but it was another opportunity for the Villain to learn new tricks and hone her craft even further. At (500) SLAMS OF SUMMER, Zep will take on 'Bitter' Beaa Moss, someone with a chip on their shoulder and the ability to match. A win for either woman will surely earn them a WPW Women's Championship Match.



DANIELS CONTINUES TO FIND NEW WAYS TO WIN

THE MAN YOU LOVE TO HATE CONTINUES TO RACK UP WINS

Written by Sid Carreiro | Photos by Dwayne Larson

Whether you love him, hate him, or love to hate him, you can't deny that Chad Daniels is on a roll. Since turning his back on AJ Sanchez last year, Daniels has had one of the most impressive win/loss records in WPW. He's picked up victories over WARHORSE, Storm Grayson and "Speedball" Mike Bailey, but these victories come with an asterisk, as they usually involve his trusty chisel or a low blow. But, a win is a win in pro wrestling. Chad's latest victory came at the hands of Cheeks, when he placed the chisel in Cheeks' hands and laid on the mat to feign injury. The referee, believing Cheeks used the weapon, called for a DQ and awarded the match to Chad. What other lows will Chad sink to to win? And how far will it take him?



A DARK CLOUD HANGS OVER WPW... AND THERE'S NO END IN SIGHT

WPW GM JAMES KORBA CONTINUES TO RUN ROUGHSHOD OVER WPW WITH HIS GANG OF GOONS

Written by Bruno Schofield | Photos by Dwayne Larson

It's been a rough year in WPW. In January, Bobby Schink was one moment away from regaining the WPW Championship, until he was screwed over by WPW GM James Korba. Korba would be joined by Anderson Tyson Moore at COLD OUT and went on to make Schink's life hell for the next three months. After picking up a narrow victory over ATM at the Manitoba Museum, ATM and Korba would take up chairs and look to continue their battery of Bobby. Long time rival AJ Sanchez made his way to the ring to chase out Korba and ATM, and offered his hand to Schink, but Schink would rebuff his offer of friendship. Perhaps old wounds run deep from their bitter rivalry over the WPW Championship in 2022? Whatever the case, AJ Sanchez had shown that he was standing up to the tyranny of WPW General Manager James Korba and his new best friend ATM.



AJ Sanchez would take up the cause and challenge ATM at May's THE YOUNG & THE WRESTLERS. At the end of the match, Korba and ATM would pounce on Sanchez like hyenas. Sanchez attempted to fight back but they were quickly joined by one of the most controversial men in wrestling... Danny Duggan! Duggan made his WPW return after five years to attack Sanchez and leave him laying. Now, three of the most despicable men in wrestling united in WPW. During this vicious assault on Sanchez, fans were heard chanting for Bobby Schink, hoping he would return the favour and save his former rival. Unfortunately for Sanchez, Schink was nowhere to be found.



July's I KNOW WHO YOU PINNED LAST SUMMER would see Sweet Bobby picked up a hard fought victory over one of Canada's best, Mark Wheeler. GM Korba and his goons would interrupt Bobby's post-match celebration and bar him from the venue. Korba gave Duggan a chance to explain his return and how their sick partnership came together. GM Korba, Danny Duggan and ATM are out to destroy WPW, one fan favourite at a time. Just like that, the familiar theme of the Prisoner would hit and out came local wrestling legend and Ukrainian Sex Machine, VINKO. Vinko has reminded Korba that he has over 30 years experience in Winnipeg wrestling and has seen his share of greasy promoters, but Korba and Duggan are the worst. He would go on to say that if Sanchez and Schink can get on the same page that they can end this "Redheads Reign of Terror". Korba and his Krew didn't take this kindly and laid into Vinko in a way we've never seen in WPW. Vinko suffered severe bloodloss and needed to get over a dozen stitches. Can Schink and Sanchez put their differences aside and get on the same page to take out Korba and his Krew?



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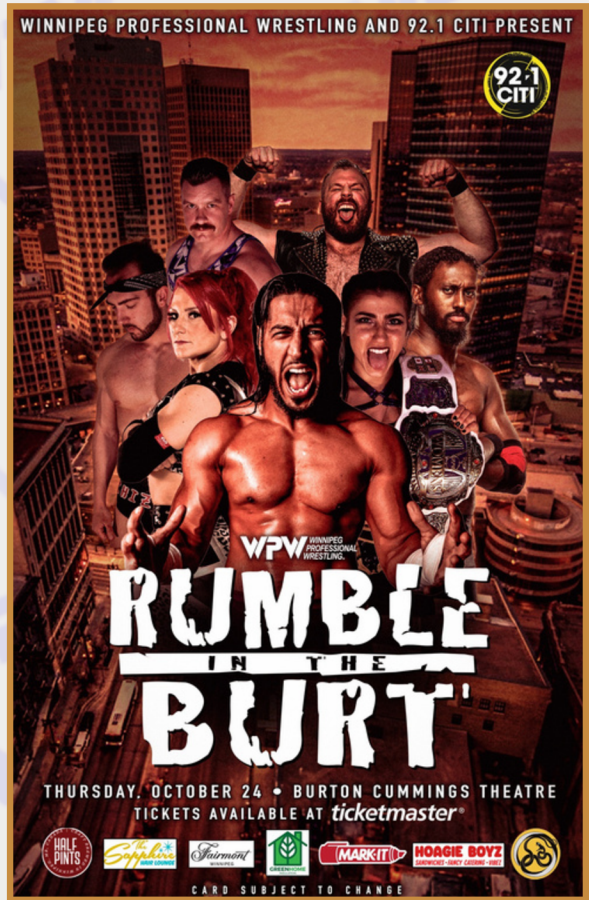
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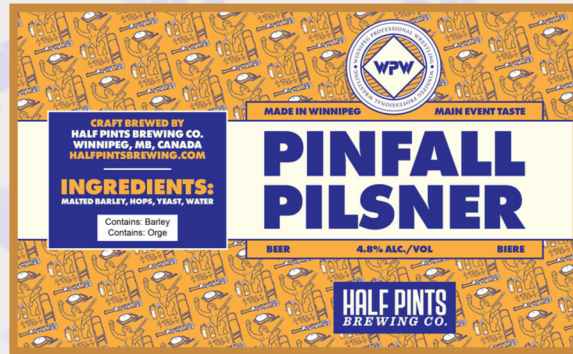
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