

NEW SHIRT FOR SANCHEZ! DETAILS INSIDE



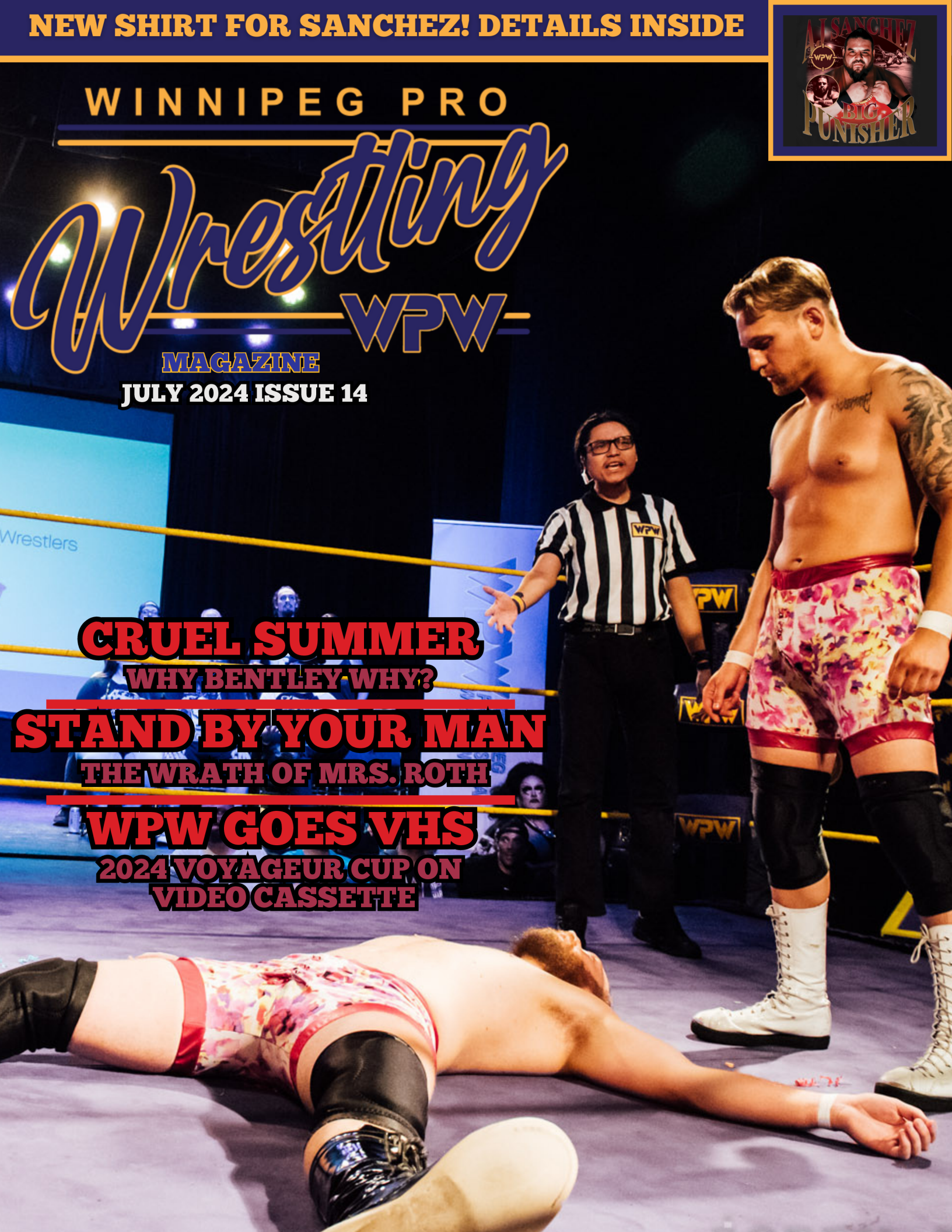
WINNIPEG PRO

Wrestling

WPW

MAGAZINE

JULY 2024 ISSUE 14



CRUEL SUMMER

WHY BENTLEY WHY?

STAND BY YOUR MAN

THE WRATH OF MRS. ROTH

WPW GOES VHS

**2024 VOYAGEUR CUP ON
VIDEO CASSETTE**

CRUEL SUMMER, LEAVING ME HERE ON MY OWN

SAMMY PEPPERS WAS LEFT LAYING BY BRYCE BENTLEY. BUT WHY?

Written by John Gigio | Photos by Jenny Ramone

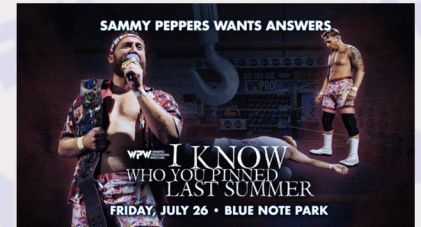
After a year of holding the WPW Tag Team Championship, fans were beginning to think summer would never end. Bryce Bentley and Sammy Peppers, aka Red Hot Summer, first won the WPW Tag Team Championship in May 2023 against Technical Difficulties, a feud that saw both teams evolve and flourish into stronger units and form even tighter bonds. Over the next year, Red Hot Summer would defeat some of the best teams in independent wrestling: The Cannon Corporation, The Voros Twins, ATO and many more. Their friendship, some would say brotherhood, felt stronger than ever.

It wasn't always smooth sailing, but fans and industry experts believed these were just growing pains and part of the process that tag teams go through. Bryce Bentley was out with a life threatening illness for COLD OUT, and Sammy Peppers found another partner in former rival Moses the Deliverer to defend the title. This writer is wondering if Bentley felt slighted by being replaced so easily, and by a former rival, even if there is mutual respect there.

Peppers would take on Scott Ripley III at WRECK ROOM, picking up the win after Bentley was barred from ringside mid-match. At the next WRECK ROOM event, Ripley pinned Bentley after bending the rules. Could Bentley have felt let down by his partner, angry that Peppers didn't ensure his victory?

After being thrown through a table and assaulted at WINNIPEG STREET FIGHTER, Red Hot Summer defended their titles against The Prosperity Gospel in a tables match at the Manitoba Museum. After Bentley and Ripley were taken out it was down to TLC and Peppers, Peppers managed to hold out and secure the win for his team. Would this cause some resentment from Bentley?

In May at THE YOUNG & THE WRESTLERS we saw the unthinkable, Bentley kicked Peppers in the face and cost them the WPW Tag Titles. At I KNOW WHO YOU PINNED LAST SUMMER, Peppers will demand answers, but will he get the answers he needs?



ABSOLUTE POWER CORRUPTS

KORBA, DUGGAN AND ATM ALIGN TO DESTROY WPW

Written by Elizabeth Mancini | Photo by Jenny Ramone

Fans at THE YOUNG & THE WRESTLERS were shocked when one of the most controversial figures in wrestling united with WPW GM James Korba and Anderson Tyson Moore.

CWE Owner Danny Duggan made his return after four years and assaulted AJ Sanchez, forming a horrifying triad with Korba and Moore. Bobby Schink was seen in the back, able to come to the aid of Sanchez, but the wounds of their past rivalry run deep. Will these men be able to put aside their personal differences for the betterment of WPW?

Or, will GM Korba and his merry band of monsters continue to run roughshod?

We'll find out more at I KNOW WHO YOU PINNED LAST SUMMER!

WINNIPEG PRO WRESTLING AND THE MANITOBA SUNFLOWER FESTIVAL present

WPW SUNFLOWER Slamboree

SUNDAY, JULY 28 • 8:30PM
ALTONA MANITOBA
WWW.WPWPROWRESTLING.COM

UPCOMING WPW EVENTS

WPW in Altona
FREE
3:30 pm
Sunflower Ice Gardens

August 23 - Blue Note Park
September 14 - WECC
TICKETS TBA

RUMBLE IN THE BURT
October 24
Burton Cummings Theatre

Tickets available at
www.wpwtix.com

WINNIPEG PROFESSIONAL WRESTLING AND 92.1 CITI PRESENT

92.1 CITI

RUMBLE IN THE BURT

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24 • BURTON CUMMINGS THEATRE
TICKETS AVAILABLE AT [ticketmaster](http://ticketmaster.com)

CARD SUBJECT TO CHANGE

NEW SHIRT TO HONOUR 20+ YEAR CAREER

WPW STARTS NEW SUPERSTAR COLLECTION

Written by Sid Carreiro | Photos by Dannyel Carranza



T-shirts are a great way to show your support for your favourite wrestler, but can often come with large upfront costs for the athlete.

WPW is launching a new Superstar Collection where the upfront costs are covered and 100% of the proceeds go directly to the wrestlers.

The first wrestler in this initiative is THE BIG PUNISHER, AJ SANCHEZ!

A 20+ year veteran and backbone of prairie wrestling, Sanchez main evented the first WPW event and was the first WPW Champion. The Big Punisher is responsible for training several of the top athletes in WPW today and boasts one of the most impressive win/loss records.

A product of Justice, Manitoba, the Big Punisher has established his own brand of Manitoba Corrections this past year, righting wrongs in WPW and standing up to tyrants like WPW GM James Korba.

Pick up your new AJ SANCHEZ T-shirt at the next WPW event!



STAND BY YOUR MAN

MRS. ROTH LAYS THE SMACK DOWN ON COLTON

Written by Bruce Wellington | Photos by Jenny Ramone

James Roth's wife, Nicole, has been ringside for some of his biggest matches. She was there for his big Voyageur Cup win, and she was there for his first WPW Championship match at FIGHT AT THE MUSEUM. Nicole has seen her husband in pain before, whether it's from professional wrestling or his career as a firefighter, but after seeing her husband suffer through four powerbombs at the Manitoba Museum she couldn't take any more. She threw in the towel for James, ending the match.



WPW Champion Tyler Colton came back to the West End and began to run down James Roth, knowing he wasn't able to compete or get physical with Manitoba's Strongest Man.

But James wasn't the only Roth in the building... Nicole ran down to the ring and tried to hold her husband back, but after hearing some horrible insults, Nicole turned to Colton and belted him with a slap heard around the city. Colton grabbed Nicole by the hair and fans worried it was all over for Mrs. Roth, but an injured James jumped into harm's way to protect his beloved. Suffering from bruised ribs, Roth was quickly overtaken by the Champion and driven down with a devastating final powerbomb.

Doctors had warned WPW and Roth that one more powerbomb could lead to early retirement or serious injury. We are still waiting for test results on the future of James Roth's career.



THE FUTURE IS NOW

TWO OF WPW'S YOUNG GUNS BATTLE IT OUT TO BE THE NEXT BIG THING

Written by Elizabeth Mancini | Photos by Dwayne Larson

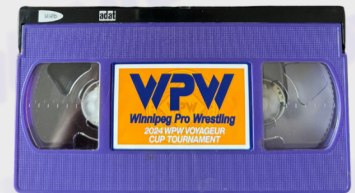
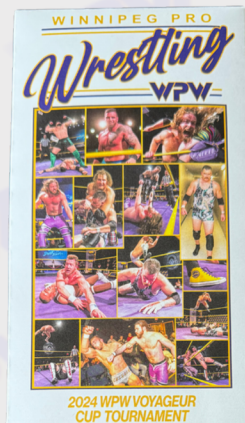
Josh "Cheeks" Holliday and "Chizzled" Chad Daniels are both hungry, young and talented, and that's about where the comparisons end.

Cheeks approaches the sport with humility and a quiet reverence, eager to learn and become a better wrestler each match. Daniels is a brash, cocky and downright rude person who thinks he's miles ahead of those who have wrestled for decades. Both men have had a meteoric rise in WPW, but only one man can be THE Man. Chad holds a victory over Cheeks in tournament action, but can Cheeks even the odds at Blue Note Park?



VH-YES!

RELIVE THE 2024 WPW VOYAGEUR CUP BROUGHT TO YOU BY WPW HOME VIDEO



WPW is on VHS for the very first time.

Limited copies available!

Get yours now at:

www.wpgprowrestling.com

SPONSORS & PARTNERS



Cushnie Tattoos
www.cushnietattoos.com



513 Osborne St



greenhomeinsulation.net



INTERESTED IN SPONSORING?
WINNIPEGPROWRESTLING@GMAIL.COM

WPW

The Young and the Wrestlers



RESULTS

May 24 2024 at The West End Cultural Centre

AJ Sanchez defeated Anderson Tyson Moore

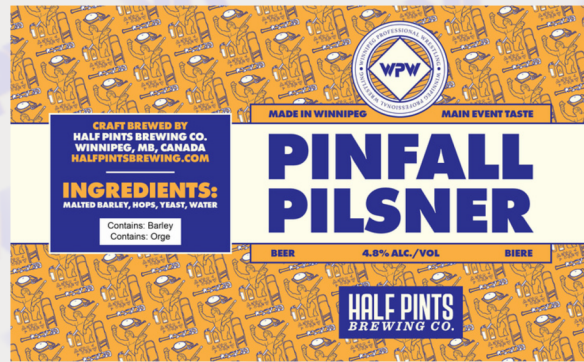
Bobby Schink defeated Ronnie Attitude

Josh Holliday defeated Tyler Colton by Count Out

Allie Katch defeated Ava Lawless and Tara Zep

WPW Tag Team Championship: The Prosperity Gospel (Scott Ripley III & Tommy Lee Curtis) defeated Red Hot Summer (Bryce Bentley & Sammy Peppers) to become the new WPW Tag Team Champions

Chad Daniels defeated "Speedball" Mike Bailey



FOLLOW
WPW

ON
SOCIAL
MEDIA!



WINNIPEGPROWRESTLING
FULL MATCHES, PROMOS AND MORE!



@WPWPRO



/WINNIPEGPROWRESTLING



@WPGPRO

