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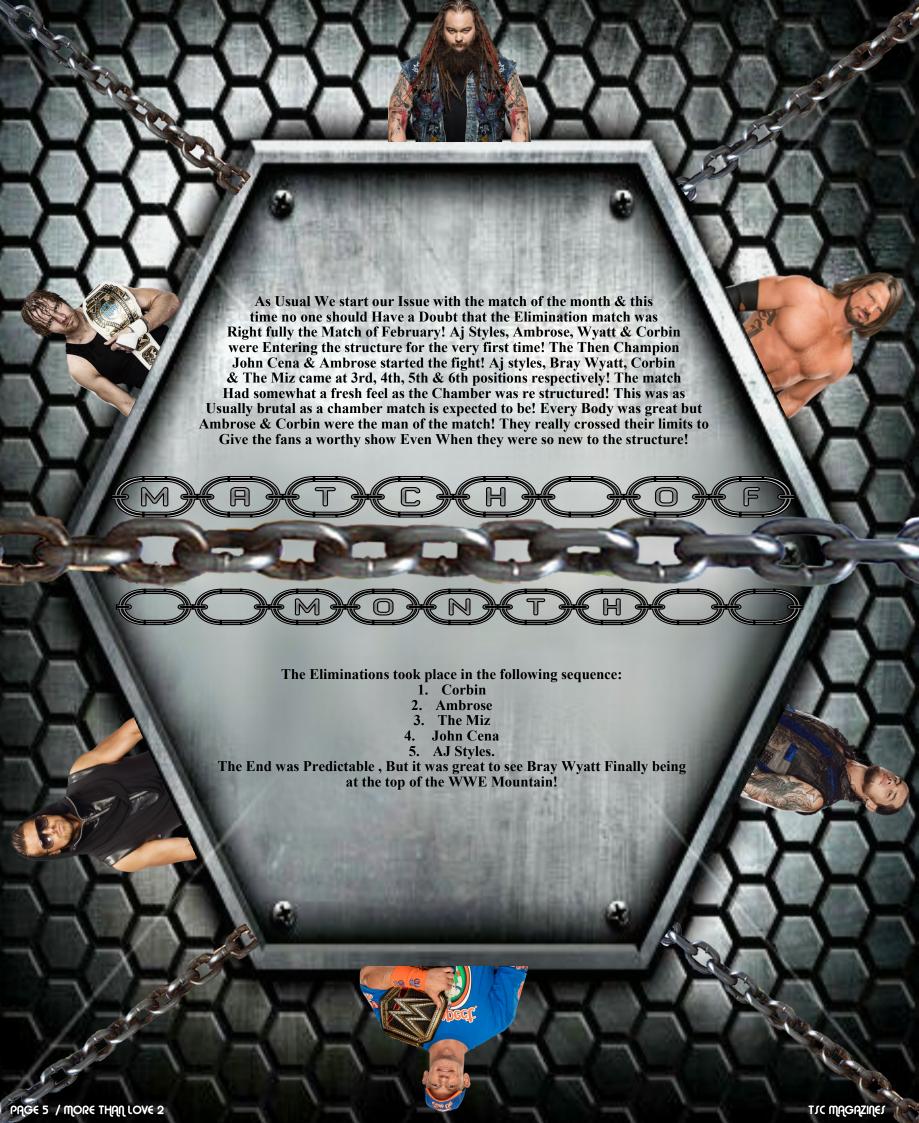
> ts 28th February Finally, The Most Awaited Issue of the THE SQUARED CIRCLE MAGAZINE Is Out! Its 14 Days after the valentine's day that means 14 February + 14 So there's Double the love in the Air! The Last Time We Introduced The 'MORE THAN LOVE' Issue In November Of 2016, The Concept We Thought Was "The Insane Love For Wrestling". But this Time When We Were Just Stepping In the Month of love, I thought to Bring Back The 'MORE THAN LOVE' concept, This Time When I thought about it was All About this Beautiful Month & This Beautiful Business! So We Bring a Brand New Concept, In this Issue We Bring you some of the most beautiful Love Stories In The Business with special focus on Ricochet & Tessa. We always Try To Bring You Something Really New & Which Never Happened Before And this Issue Is One Of our Efforts to Do so! This date 28th February Actually Has a Very Deep Effect in My life. Some years Ago On this Date something Really Bad Happened to me & I was Broken as Hell but it was also the time when I was introduced to Pro Wrestling! I still Remember This date as The worst Date In My Life span & Every Single year I'm Afraid That something Bad Will Happen Again! But as I said If there was No 28th February 2013, I might have Never started Watching Pro Wrestling, I started & It Has Given Me a lot of love! So Here is The Second Edition of More Than Love Series. BROTHERS & THEIR SISTERS GET INTRODUCED TO THE.....

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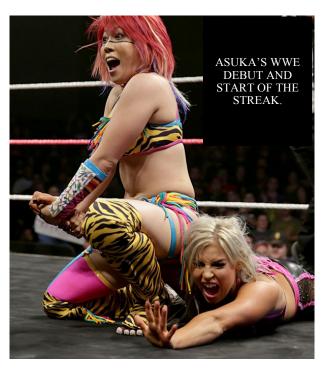


Is WWE Setting Up Asuka To Beat Goldberg's Undefeated Streak? If you are not watching NXT then you are missing out on NXT Women's Champion Asuka. She has not lost a match since debuting with WWE in September 2015. Asuka has victories over Dana Brooke, Bayley, Nia Jax, and many others and she has been booked as an unstoppable athlete similar to the way WCW booked Bill Goldberg during his first year and a half with the company. The commentators on NXT haven't really made a huge deal over Asuka's undefeated streak which is why it may come as a surprise to most of us that she is now 149-0. Goldberg was 173-0 (the number was inflated by WCW so the legit number is less than that) before he was defeated by Kevin Nash at Starrcade 1998.

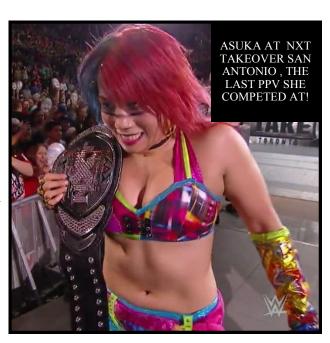
There is plenty of time between now and NXT Takeover: Orlando and, if WWE wanted, they could position Asuka so that she would have to win her match in Orlando to either tie or break Goldberg's streak. It would be a nice added hook for the show if they decided to go in that direction. Asuka will be working several live events over the next month or so so it won't he hard to get her up to 173 wins.



GOLDBERG'S WCW DEBUT & START OF HIS STREAK!



Asuka is scheduled to take on another undefeated woman at Takeover: Orlando, Ember Moon has not lost a match since she made her debut at Takeover: Brooklyn II last August and she is the next in line for a title shot. The NXT crew has done an excellent job at protecting her so this upcoming match with Asuka will feel extra special. One of the things that WWE has done with NXT is that they've gone back to basics with their booking. People like Bobby Roode and Asuka do not wrestle every week.



You also never see them get pinned and they are treated as larger than life. They also save most of the big match-ups for the Takeover shows. It will be interesting to see what happens with Asuka at Takeover: Orlando. If she loses then that will raise questions on her NXT future. She's been there for over a year and a half and she would be a great asset for the main roster. A loss to Ember Moon could be seen as a passing of the torch and a step up for Asuka if it means that she'll be moved up to Raw or Smackdown Live.

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# TO VE JUNE A JAR

THIS IS A VALENTINE'S MONTH SPECIAL ISSUE SO THE SQUARED CIRCLE MAGAZINE BRINGS YOU **THE LOVELY 14** COUPLES IN THE BUSINESS TODAY.



#### #1 Bryan & Brie

So here is the #1 couple of The List! A pair made in heaven, Daniel Bryan & Brie Bella! Bryan's pro wrestling career might be over but he got a really lovely gift from the business in the form of her beautiful wife, Brie Bella! And We all can't really wait for the Yes Baby!



#### #2 Tessa & Trevor

Here Comes the Main Focus of our More than love 2 Issue. The Cutest Young couple in the Industry right now. The Future of Flight & the Third Generation the Blanchard Wrestling Family, Tessa are together from a long time & one of the two couples in the list that faced their partner in the Squared Circle. Not going really deep about their relation as you have a really great & exclusive Interview coming up!



#### #3 Will & Bea

Will & Bea a very very sizzling Love story that is also featrured onscreen in What Culture Pro Wrestling! We Actually don't Know from when they are together but this trash talking couple is really you can't miss to see, Then it might be Their Onscreen super hot chemistry or off air social media posts! This hot couple may have beaten every single couple here to openly & most Insanely Show their love every single place & every single time!



#### #4 Alexa & Murphy

This is another Guy really Really lucky! First of all we should congratulate them for their recent engagement in January of This new Year. They were together before Alexa started teaming up with Blake & Murphy and many even say that this storyline was put because they had a really cool chemistry off screen!



#### #5 Paige & El Patron

This Hot Couple is really a hot topic of our Industry! Paige & Alberto has crossed each & every limit to Show their utmost love for each other! They went public about their relation in the may of 2016 & got engaged in October of 2016. Despite A lot of age gap Between the couple nor them neither their family have any objections, Which is good. Age actually Don't matter in love & as people rightfully say" Love Is Blind" which is realy true as it only sees the pure Soul of your partner!



#### #6 John & Nikki

This is a great power couple right Here, A couple that Rule's the WWE Today as Our 16 Times World champion & our longest reigning WWE Diva's champion! They both are extremely committed to each other. Though Cena is not ready for marriage right now, we hope Nikki can convince him in some upcoming Years!

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#### #7 Rusev & Lana

A lot of men's Hearts were broken when This Couple Announced that they are in a Relationship. (Side note: Mine was one!) but we all are happy for our Bulgarian brother! Lana & Rusev first met while they were working together in 2014 at WWE's Developmental Area, NXT! Rumours were also there that WWE Had to change their storyline of their onscreen breakup Because this Couple were openly posting about their real life relation on social media even during that time!



#### #8 The Miz & Maryse

The Miz Seems to be really a lucky man, As He Headlined the Grandest Stage of all Wrestlemania 27 & not even that he also beat john cena for the WWE Title there! But this is not all the luck I'm talking about Miz is lucky as he Managed to marry the super hot French Blonde, Maryse who is also a former Divas & Champion. Her Current return in the WWE has also turned out lucky for Miz as he became a 2 Times WWE Intercontinental champion since then!



#### #9 Johnny & Candice

This Couple is One of the Two in this List, which have wrestled against each other. Johnny faced and not only faced her but.......lost to her in a intergender match at Absolute Intense Wrestling in 2015. They got engaged in January in 2016. Candice is a Disny Enthusiast & that's why Johnnny & Candice got married at Disney Land on September 16.



#### #10 Deano & Renee

This Is one of the Cutest Couple in the Business today. Though this Couple is not open about their relation but love can't hide by any means! Renee Young last year opened up that she's in a relationship with Dean but didn't revealed much! Its really a big dream come true to see them featured on Total Divas! There are also rumours rounding up on Social media with a image Containing text which is said to be written by Dean that says they are getting married soon! Great if its True!



#### <u>#11 Tyson & Natalya</u>

Tyson & Nattie are together since their childhood & this couple is an Example of a perfect love story! Trained together at the Hart Dungeon, Natalya & Tyson fall in love with each other. Their Love story was greatly presented in the first season of Total Divas which also featured their actual wedding ceremony! This Couple was also seen on WWE TV Together till Tyson infortunately hurt his neck retiring from the business.



#### #12 Punk & AJ

The Longest reigning WWE Champion of the modern Era & the 2nd Longest reigning Divas Champion in the history of WWE, might be away from the business forever but still lives in the hearts of the fans as the most straight edged & the best in the world couple the business ever saw! They might have left The Business but the Business will never leave them alone. Their name won't & can't ever be erased from the History till moon & stars exist!



#### #13 Cody & Brandi

When This Star left them in the Dust her girl too left the company soon. See I'll talk Frankly that all the couples that made in this list were ones who always were in the media, I mean Their love was so powerful that they always covered the headlines. But despite this couple left such a big stage, they still managed to show the world how much they love each other! I still remember Grado Posting on social media Selfies where these two were seen in the background. Brandi re pursuing her Dreams to be a wrestler & cody supporting her is an example of their pure love!



#### #14 Hunter & Stephanie

If we are talking about love this Old but still cute couple which is the Ultimate power couple in the Business Today can't be neglected at all. Many have Been Doubting Triple H's Decision to go after His Boss's Daughter because if anything went wrong it might be bad for his career but Hunter & Stephanie fought everything that came infront of their love & are together from 15 Years now! This couple has a lot of load on their shoulders as they carry the WWE On them but they have still managed to Have Three Beautiful Daughters! We Just Wanted to end this article with a bang & this couple has given it that kick!



i. It looks Like you have a Really great what I have to do to win but I do what Story To tell the fans About how Neces- works. Sometimes I need to dig into the sary a Ring gear is! Please Share it with old bag of tricks, so be it. This is an inus?

I have said before that if you don't invest in yourself, others will not invest in you. 3. Do you prefer working with a team? If you're serious about your career, save your money and get some top quality I'm currently apart of a 3 man wrecking gear. If given the option between a polo crew in Pittsburgh, PA known as Team and a suit, the suit always looks better. Storm and I've have it no other way. We My first match in Calgary-AB, Canada, I all have each others backs and all delve was booked so quickly (the day after my into other adventures outside of Pittstraining was over) that I didn't even have burgh but when we are together its magi- It will take a LONG time to get there but I my gear together. I made enough friends cal. It's like growing up in a house with 2 in the area that I borrowed some quality brothers... eventually we're all going to stuff. Had I gone out in front of that go off and do our own thing but we alcrowd in the gym shorts and a TShirt ways have Mom and Dad's (Pittsburgh) from my closet, I myself would lose some to meet at and get into excellent misrespect for JaXon Argos as a performer. chief. You have to take serious what you love and dress the part from Day 1. Take 4. Eventually teams turn on each other in yourself serious and others just might.

ii. We've heard A lot about your be done for your career? "Creativity". can You Name Some Creative Ideas That Can Change This That's where you are mistaken. Team **Beautiful Business?** 

ries. Where guys are focused on one and have a bond that other people cant opponent for some time and the crowd touch. We fight, we bicker, we disagets to see the frustration that grows gree... who wouldn't alone in a car with when an opponent adapts to your style each other for 8 hours? At the end of the or changes their own. Most of my crea- day, we are together until we are TOLD tivity is shown backstage with my plot- that we can no longer associate. There ting, planning, and dare I say, scheming. is no "back stabbing" with a brotherhood Most of my ideas I like to keep close to as strong as ours. myself and then watch the reaction of everyone when a plan comes together and "everything adds up" in the end. As far as matches go, anytime a person is on the line standing atop a fork-lift, I think the ball is rolling in the right direction.

- iii. Some Questions from his fans:
- 1. If you added a name to Jaxon Argos what would it be? For example we call Rollins the Architect, The Man What name would fit you?

I've been referred to as "The Hot Rod With A Dad Bod", "The Rookie of the Year", and apparently people call me "The Loudmouth" which is just absurd!

2. Eventually your going to have to decide if your Heel or Face which would you prefer and why?

I don't think I understand the question but I prefer winning. I'm a chameleon and adjust my in-ring style to whoever I am facing. Some people may not like

dustry where every single win counts. I do what I have to do.

wrestling will this bother you? or will you be able to embrace it and do what has to

Storm isn't like every other team, we aren't some guys thrown together and I'd like to see more "Best Out of #" se- told to get along. We found each other



5. Do you see yourself main eventing Wrestle Mania and how long do you think it will take you to get there?

I'd like to first use my phrase, "You need to learn to walk before you want to learn to fly." With that being said, I'd like to remind everyone wrestler on the planet to think of themselves as a child watching Wrestlemania and think of that feeling you had imagining yourself standing on the second rope with your hands raised. That kid inside of me will not rest until I've accomplished that...ONE day.



think every single wrestlers dream is to one day stand atop that mountain.

iv. Everyone don't Have the same Style & Everyone can't Do The Same stuff & use the same move sets in the ring, we wanna Know A Move That Really Is Difficult to Perform for you?

Springboards are always fun. I don't perform moves, I deliver them... I find that a lot of power moves are difficult because most of my opponents are bigger than me. I keep myself grounded and practice submission wrestling and striking to wear down my opponents.

v. You've Been Trained By Lance Storm in The Storm Wrestling Academy, share Us Some of the best Experience you had there?

Lance is the most gifted teacher I've ever had the privilege of learning under. I stepped foot in a wrestling ring for the first time ever on May 1st 2016 and finished training on July 22nd... my first match was July 23rd. Lance took someone with no prior experience and turned me into something...not something amazing, but something. Lance deserves all the credit in the world for my progress. One of my favorite stories is the last thing that Lance ever said to our class. He said, "Everyone safe travels and please, all of you, keep in touch.... Except for you!" while pointing at me. Too bad I don't follow directions well... I've annoyed him frequently since my depar-

- vi. We'll Play a Rapid Fire Now Answer in one sentence or less!
- 1. Favorite Wrestler of all time?

#### **Stone Cold Steve Austin**

2. Chris Jericho or lance storm?

Lance for Dinner, Jericho for the Late **Night Party.** 

#### 3. Heels or Faces?

I'd rather kick someone's face as opposed to their heel.

4. Wrestling or Money?

Hotdogs and Pizza aren't options? Fine... Wrestling.

5. Wrestling or fame?

Depends on what I'm famous for...it could be bad. Wrestling.

vii. Your thoughts On WWE's Plans Of holding Asian & Latin American Tournaments after the Success of UKCT & If there should be a Canadian Tournament & a WWE Canadian Title?

I am a tournament junky. I love tournaments and think that there can never be too many. I think that the amount of talent grown in Canada is phenomenal and that a tournament for the Maple Leaf flagged country would be a great, technical spectacle... especially if I could find a way to weasel myself into the bracket!

viii. Your Thoughts On Canada Lacking Somewhat Behind in the Current race of Nations to be the servers of Best Prowrestling in the world while Japan & UK Are rising to the top at a lightening Speed?

All in due time. All in due time. Canada is the kind of place that humbly, quietly does things well. There is a lot going on that just needs the proper spotlight. Trust me, it will happen.

ix. Sir, You've Been Good In Football & Singing Besides Wrestling. Which Field have you enjoyed the most?

I loved playing football through my life and miss when the game was just a game and not taken to levels of extreme seriousness that I cannot even begin to explain. I've enjoyed wrestling more than anything in my entire life and wish that I had started sooner.

x. Last Question, Your Reply To the people Who Say Wrestling Is fake?

I like guinea pigs, chicken wings, and Godzilla movies, specifically the Toho LTD. Productions. I'm also a massive fan of anything that Ray Harryhausen did.



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## JORDAN GARBER STORY

It all started in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada. My mom would never let me watch wrestling on TV. When she finally did I was around 14. I was a late bloomer when it came to being a fan. I remember the first time I ever watched wrestling, this was during the time when I wasn't allowed to. It was a parking lot segment with Kurt Angle and Eddie Guerrero (god rest his soul). I kept looking back so my mom wouldn't catch me but she eventually did. Not too long after that around 2002 I got the new " WWE SmackDown Shut your Mouth" video game. Still to this day that is my favorite video game of all time. I used to play it all the time growing up as a kid. Around this time was the time frame when I saw professional wrestling for the first time until I was allowed to watch wrestling on TV in 2007. About my childhood a little bit. I remember playing Basketball and Football in leagues for a while. I played for the Nomads and played for Maples and Garden City for the WMBA. I sort of sucked but whatever. I was just a kid. Pretty much my whole life my experience with peers go 60/40. Most of the time people are really cool with me but there are some people that don't like me at all. It's usually like that with the average person, except all my life I dealed with OCD, ADHD and Asperbergers Syndrome. It was kind of a social disadvantage but so far things end up working out in the long run. I still have my bad days but that is a story for another day. Now it's time for wrestling!



When I was allowed to watch wrestling in 2007 I believe.. I started out by watching RAW. In my opinion 2007 was an entertaining experience for someone who was actually watching a wrestling show for the first time. If I had to break it down I'd say Chris Jericho (also from Winnipeg) and Jeff Hardy were my favorite wrestlers growing up. About a year later I was scrolling on my Facebook news feed and I found an advertisement for an upcoming independent wrestling event based in Selkirk, MB called Steeltown Pro Wrestling run by Rob Stardom. I knew nothing about the independent scene at this time. I was young but I can remember I was really entertained and engaged. After that event which was called "Fight For the Right" my dad took me to a few more shows in Selkirk. As far as I can recall after going to the local wrestling events for around 6 months. I



decided I'd like to get involved in someway. I started doing little interviews for a website I made up called "WrestlingWorld247.com". I got the idea while working my first ever job at 15. I worked for 2 weeks as a "street cleaner" for the Winnipeg Boys and Girls Club. It was while I was walking in St. James while working when I thought about this "wrestling interviewing" gimmick. I thought it was pretty cool so I thought I'd give it a go. My first interview was with an Alberta based wrestler named CamiKazee in 08. I kept doing this until I lost interest in the business for a few years. During these early years the first names I was familiar with on the local scene were Rob Stardom, Matt Fairlane and former River City Wrestling promoter Wayne Stanton. Starting out. I knew people looked at me as a joke. One people still do. I did my thing and absorbed as much as information as I could.

When I came back in December 2012. It was definitely a great time to come back and actually dig into things. I returned by doing the usual email interview with Brian Hardy for WrestlingWorld247. 2013 was the year things picked up. That was my last year in high school and I just discovered podcast ing. I only did one audio interview earlier with Border City Wrestling's Chuck Fader. Moving along. There was this fan from West Virginia by the name of Siki Asad. He wanted to launch a podcast on WW247 named "Wrestling Radio Ultimate" this was right after I graduated as far as I can recall. Prior to graduating I earned a spot on the Winnipeg Invational Tournaments on air crew for Tec Voc High school and



their RTB class After that event I fully realized that wrestling journalism was what I wanted to do. Going back to the podcast. We started out getting some good names like Kid Kash, Antonio Thomas and Kacee Carlisle. After the podcast ended in the beginning of 2014 I started to get more involved with the local scene. During that time I made my debut for a big name podcast called "AngryMarks.com" a podcast I still work for to this day. I started doing weekly shows with a chill dude named "Nickolyde". In alternation to that I began to party with the Canadian Wrestling Elite and Premier Championship Wrestling crew. Yes I got ribbed... alot. Just like I was ribbed in the early days on the PCW message boards. I never really took any offense. I just went with it and enjoyed myself and I still do to this day. The more shows I've attended or watched on TV the more I realized pro wrestling was my passion, and the more I realized pro wrestling was my passion the more experiences I've had. 2013 and 2014 was more of a bigger introduction for me and interviewing some big names helped with that. But 2015 was good to me and that's when the journey picked up... I went on the road for the first time to Souris MB for a CWE event with CWE Star Tyler Colton. I learned quite a bit during that 3 hour drive. After the drive when I got home.

I was sort of looking at my place in the business. Tyler was explaining that "wrestlers were here to be wrestlers and that my role isn't highly looked at" those sort of things. It kind of put me down but like with anything when I get down I get back up and taking that advice into perspective helped me with scoring some more podcast bookings. June 2015 was the break I was looking for.. In June 2015 thanks to Rob Kellum (The Maestro in WCW)

helped me find work with another podcast named the VOCNation now run by Pro Wrestling Illustrated Writer Brady Hicks. After going over everything with Brady I made my debut when I interviewed playboy covergirl Maria Kanellis. The interview gave me good exposure. It reached tons of wrestling news websites including the top sites in the world like Pro Wrestling Illustrated, WRESTLINGINC.com and The Wrestling Observer. I received all of this news before going to The Ex (a carnival in Winnipeg) so I was in a pretty wicked mood. "I made headlines" I said to my friends and when it sinked in that I technically made headlines I was just hungry to get at it some more and make more "Headlines". A week or two after we did another interview with Impact Wrestling's Mike Tenay and that interview also reached the headline mark. Another few weeks go by and the magic keeps happening and before you know it Jordan Garber is officially on a roll

In total for 2015 I reached the headline level about half a dozen times all thanks to the crew at IN YOUR ROOM. For a few months I was on a roll and that led me to another opportunity. Mentallo a talent who has worked around the world sent me a Facebook message. He explained that HIW (High Impact Wrestling) was short a referee for their upcoming show on Saturday in Saskatoon. He eventually asked if I would be willing to make the trip and fill in. I had no prior experience working at all in the ring so it was very nerve racking knowing that will be going into a ring not knowing what to do. The week by and it was my Friday overnight shift at McDonald's and I decided I'd no show Saturday's overnight shift I was straight up as well with my boss about it. I almost got fired but I knew it was worth it knowing that im going into that ring to live my dream. I get picked up and we're off to Saskatoon! When I get there I get in the back and I get immediately notified by King Kash that I'm up soon to ref my first ever match. Sounds exciting? Absolutely! But I was nervous as fuck. Thankfully I calmed down, had some mood relievers and went out there. It was Ace Rivera vs Tony Gill and the referee was Jordan Garber! The bell



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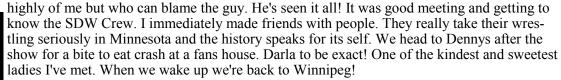
rang and I was immediately focused on the wrestlers and staying out of their way. I made a lot of mistakes. Some noticeable some not but it's wrestling this was my first day in the ring on a huge journey of which was pro wrestling. Also to mention I had a ref spot in the main event. between Dice Steele and Mentallo which was done pretty well for the most part.

That one off appearance for High Impact Wrestling was unfortunately my last for the company. After looking at my options for the rest of November and December in 2015 I thought I'd get on as many podcasts as I can. While I kept making noise on the podcast scene, this new promotion in Winnipeg that started up gave me an opportunity and booked me for the first show they had for January and they gave me a shot. This promotion is called the "Canadian Wrestling Association" run by Canadian legend Caveman Broda alongside Greg and Lori Lavis. The CWA gave the Winnipeg wrestling scene a breath of fresh air due to having another place to work, a good venue and and good training school in which I will be attending soon. Anyways... My segment was in my comfort zone, all I had to do was walk out to the ring to my music enter the ring and create a 45 second promo putting over the new podcast I launched with them that only lasted one episode lol. I finish my promo and I walk to the back and my nervousness immediately turns into euphoria. Expect for the following show I was on CWA since. I go to the ring and do my Garbers Corner segments and most of the time they end up great. I'm grateful that I get to share this chapter about my journey and I can't wait to be on more CWA Shows in the future.

While working for the CWA I also created a lot of opportunities for myself. Winnipeg wrestler Danny Duggan is one of the most travelled on the Winnipeg scene. He is usually in the states 3 weekends out of the month! He works for this company in Minnesota many die hard fans have probably heard of and that is "Steel Domain Wrestling" run by Ed Hellier. After realizing I had some extra cash I offered to pay 40 bucks American in gas to come along on the trip, eventually he let me come along, that's when I learned the most. Sometime on a Saturday in January 2016 I was supposed to be at Dannys house for

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9 am I showed up at 845. This was exciting for me not only because I haven't been to the states since 5 years ago to see the Fargo Moorhead Redhawks play Winnipeg at Newman Outdoor Field, but this marks the first time I've seen wrestling in the United States, I was pumped! Travis Cole and Tommy Lee Curtis also made the trip. From when I stepped in that car door. It was a great experience listening to these 3 standout talent tell stories about the business and hear about there experience on the road. It's engaging. Why? Let's see to guess combined these talent have over 25 combined years in the business. Just that number shows that there is so much to learn about the industry. We stop in Fargo pump some gas up I buy myself some Marlboro's and some Mountain Dew and we're off to Minnesota! After being frightened being in the same car as Travis Cole while he's driving for 4 hours we arrive in Minneapolis. It reminded me right away of my times as a kid going here. We get off the busy freeway and arrive in Richfield, Minnesota at the American Legion Auditorium Danny introduces me to infamous SDW promoter Ed Hellier. This guy is super conservative and has dealt with some of the biggest names in the business. From the start I knew he didn't think to



I continued to go on the road with the boys. Including 2 trips to Wisconsin. The Minneapolis trips were pretty much the same but always worth it. But the two Wisconsin trips deserve at least a little bit of a synopsis. Around April the boys got a booking for a promotion named Under the Lights Entertainment for an event in Oconto Falls, WI. We make our drive down pick up Cooter (a respected veteran in this region)

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When we get to Eau Claire we hit the gym. I didn't really know what the fuck. I was doing since I rarely go to the gym unfortunately but I got a workout in and we were on our way to Green Bay! We head to the venue and I run into Bob Holly and his wife. Great people! I was talking to them about the good days of the business and NASCAR. I also received some advice which was perfect. You know when you receive advice from Holly that it's always right. Just my opinion. Checking out the whole show and watching the merchandise table gave me an opportunity to get introduced to the Wisconsin scene and embrace on a new experience. After the show we hit up the after party. I can't share too much about that. I was really messed up let's just say i made tons of new friends and lost money. The 2nd time was like being in a wrestling learning center. Danny Duggan received a tryout for Ring of Honor Wrestling and I made the trip down with him and Travis. We hit up Hopkins and head to the venue. We all did our thing and chatted with the ROH guys and since Danny had a good match we were off to Milwaukee the following night. If I could say one thing. The ROH crew is full of class acts. Very professional had an issue with nobody. It's just too bad I looked like a hobo while we were there. I literally had to look my worst during this time. Still to this day I look back and say to myself that a first impression lasts forever. Imagine if I took just a bit of extra time to

look good. I'm sure an overall impression would change. Anyways. To go on the road and witness a tryout with a major company in Milwaukee is a huge deal for a kid from Winnipeg looking to learn as much as he can about the business. Definitely unforgettable!

While taking a break from going on the road for awhile. I continued my work with CWA and debuted for another local company named "Primos Wrestling" run by Marc Merric. I did business with Marc before but things ethier didn't work out or come to plan. This time it did though and after working my ass off setting up a cage with the crew and of course seshing it at the same time got me a spot as a manager. I looked like a porn star! I had weird creepy moustache growing and my hair was wild. Due to appearing to the venue like this we determined that my stage name will be Caddyshack J! I came up with it while having a cigarette outside and Merric was with it. I managed one of the first people I met in the business Rob Stardom. My job was to throw the golf club into the cage. That went okay and overall my part went good but it's just that I have so much to learn and this was my first time. Overall not bad. It was quite the topic on The Snakepit which i will discuss briefly.. While roading with CWEs Danny Duggan like I mentioned earlier we determined that I would debut for CWE on the newest segment of their YouTube channel "The SnakePit" and my name was "The Garber Snake" (I got that name through a rib). It was ridiculous but meant to be and it was over! People loved the unfiltered, outlandish comments made by myself on the program. This eventually led to future opportunities for me. About Primos I'm upset how they stopped running. I felt like I had a huge





opportunity. If they were still running I would of been on more shows probably. Howeve I appreciate Marc for giving me an opportunity and making it a well worthy opportunity. Unfortunately when Primos went out of business I was doing less shows overall. Not much happened for 5 months besides one minor headline, a weekly podcast segment and the CWA shows every 2 months. That gives me an opportunity to talk about my life a little bit. By no means is my life perfect. I struggled from elementary to high school and life beyond. I've made lots of mistakes, had drug problems, been homeless and kicked put of my mom and dad's house. But through life's struggles. Wrestling makes me feel like I have a part in society and that I belong and it gets things off my mind. Wrestling makes me feel good at something and helps me get through life's worst.

Around November 2016 I attend a CWE event at Rookies Sports Bar. The regular Winnipeg Wrestling fans greet me and I sit and relax. While having a beer I run into Shane Madison. Probably one of the most straight up honest people on the local scene. We were talking and caught up and than we were discussing doing a SnakePit live on a rookies show. Duggan agreed and wanted to do it that night but unfortunately I couldn't because I smoked to much pot. Really good pot to be exact. God's bud! Anyways after Madison really convinced Danny about this idea was the time I was pumped. Not just pumped about the upcoming CWE Rookies show but about going back to Minnesota! Me Duggan and his girlfriend were on our way to Coon Rapids for "Minnesota Extreme Wrestling" I remember talking to the current promoter of MEW who is around my age and I was explaining if he needed an extra segment I'd deliver. It was intermission and he asked if I was ready I said yup and I got booked. I delivered a really good in ring interview with Maru and to make things better when I walked out the promoter says I'm glad I gave you a chance. Really good US debut. A week after I had a spot on that CWEs Rookies event! I remember walking down Melrose Street and walking to Rookie's before the show and when I get there the ring truck shows up so I help out and catch up with everyone you know the usual. I go outside have a smoke and go back inside and the bookers are scheduling everything and Madison tells me what's on tap. The biggest part of my journey so far. This wrestling journalist will be taking a bump for the first time! So the show starts I get focused mentally and than all of a sudden out

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of nowhere I'm in the ring as an extra bringing a table in. That was the 3rd segment we were the 6th and ever since I left the ring after the 3rd segment I had a really trippy and nervous vibe. Probably the one most nervous I've been in a long time. We go over everything in the back it was a process but we eventually got through the crasher course about what I was going to do. Intermission is over and I'm up! Shane Madison's music plays and Madison enters the ring. And says that he returned to CWE for The SnakePit and eventually introduces me. I walk to the ring still with a somewhat nervous grin on my face and I look tense. But my talking and my personality are saving me from getting eaten alive by the crowd. As the first part of the segment wasn't the greatest 2 wrestlers named Jacob Creed and Kevin Cannon walk to the ring and interrupt the segment and Cannon gets in Madison's face eventually Madison throws a shot and Creed attacks him from behind and I get powerslammed into the Canvas. However I seeked revenge when Cannon got The Stunner from The Garbersnake and than eventually after celebrating in the ring having a beer I stun Shane Madison and the crowd went wild and loved it! I wasn't great by any means how I did but it was good enough for me to get over and that's what counts!

HIn January 2017 on a snowy day in Winnipeg I walk to work. Good things continue to be in my favor as I get a message on my cellphone. It's the ring crew leader asking me if I







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