

## **Selections from the Opera “One Shot PPV Stars – WWF Edition”:** by Chris Harrington

*Credit to Graham Cawthon and his fine work at TheHistoryofWWE.com without which I could never have written this piece.*

In the last thirty years, over three thousand people have competed for the World Wrestling Federation. However, only about five hundred people have wrestled on a PPV. Less than half of them have had 5 or more PPV matches, and those bottom 250 wrestlers represent <10% of the PPV matches.

So, here is a salute to one shot pay-per-view stars.

- Some, like Ivan Putski, were too old, representing fading stars whose last runs with the company corresponded with the rise of the new PPV technology.
- Others, like Dan Severn, only had short runs with the WWE never really finding their place in the mix.
- Some were spot attractions – celebrities like Lawrence Taylor brought in for publicity and hopefully more eyes on the product.
- A few were results of strange international talent exchanges like Aja Kong or Perro Aguayo.
- A handful were aging legends like Gerald Brisco or Mae Young brought back partially for nostalgia and more just to tickle Vince McMahon’s odd fancy.
- Managers like Paul Ellering or Jose Lothario got back in the ring one last time.
- Waves of random women from the original Dawn Marie to paramedic BB have ran the ropes.
- And footnotes to a trivia contest, many regional legends (Terry Gordy, Buddy Rose, Lord Littlebrook) have graced the ring but a single time on WWE pay-per-view.

My concentration is on matches that had the wrestler as a featured competitor. Rumbles are noted, but were not counted since often these wrestlers were simply bodies to fill a quota.

This piece pays homage to them all.

**Wrestlemania            3/31/1985            Madison Square Garden (New York City, NY)**

- **Buddy Rose**, wearing the Executioner's hood, losing to Tito Santana's figure-four in less than five minutes. Rose wouldn't return to the WWF until the early 90's, this time bringing his blow-away diet but losing more matches than pounds.
- Perennial jobber **SD Jones** didn't even last 30 seconds against King Kong Bundy in Special Delivery's sole wrestling PPV appearance. In 1987, in the yonder days where they held a King of the Ring Tournament but didn't broadcast it as a PPV, Jones did manage to vanquish opening round opponent Sika with the dreaded small package, but again was stymied in the wrestling tournament by Bundy's deadly elbow drop.
- The legendary Bruno Sammartino never competed directly on WWF pay-per-view, but he did accompany his son **David Sammartino** in junior's PPV-debut (and PPV-finale) appearance at Wrestlemania in a bout that ended in a double DQ against "Man of a Thousand Names" Brutus Beefcake. Sammartinos then had a series of tag matches against Beefcake and manager Johnny V throughout May & June culminating in a steel cage match in Bruno's Pittsburgh stomping grounds.
- WWE Hall of Famer, **Wendi Richter**, accompanied by the far more iconic Cyndi Lauper, managed to not only secure a win, but capture the WWF Women's Championship belt by rolling through Leilani Kai's crossbody. Her opponent managed by Fabulous Moolah, diligently did her job componently enough to continue to crop up in WWF for ages, even appearing at Wrestlemania X to lose to Alundra Blayze.

**The Wrestling Classic            11/7/85            Rosemont Horizon (Chicago, IL)**

- In an enjoyable tournament featuring a myriad of 80's stars, the opening round featured the sole appearance of former WWF champion, the Polish Hammer **Ivan Putski**, on the losing end of the proposition to Mr. Madness Randy Savage (accompanied by the lovely Miss Elizabeth). Savage would dispatch legendarily talented foes such as Ricky Steamboat and the Dynamite Kid before losing via count-out to The Junkyard Dog in a decision that Jesse Ventura's certainly did not agree with and may have blamed on the Illuminati. Following his induction to the WWF HOF in 1995, Ivan returned to the ring in 1997 to team with his son Scott for a dual father/son match against Jerry Lawler and Brian Christopher.

**Wrestlemania II**                      **4/7/86**                      **Long Island, NY / Chicago, IL / Los Angeles, CA**

- The zany **George “The Animal” Steele** was certainly a mainstay of the WWF throughout the 80’s, but he only had one singles PPV match. While Steele showed fortitude (and copious amounts of backhair) by kicking out of Intercontinental champion Randy Savage’s legendary elbow drop, it was still not enough. At subsequent Wrestlemanias, Steele was in Steamboat’s corner for his legendary bout with Macho Man and at WM4 failed to win the battle royal that Bad News Brown ended up victorious.
- **George Wells** fell victim to Jake Robert’s DDT in his sole PPV appearance. The future Master Gee moved on to Continental Wrestling Association and WCCW during the rest of the year.
- **Uncle Elmer** was not successful in his quick three-minute-ditty against Adrian Adonis in what was essentially his farewell match for the World Wrestling Federation. Cousin Luke was left to fend for himself in the backwoods in 1986 WWF.
- It was the scheming Texans **Dory Funk** and Terry Funk who recorded the win at Wrestlemania II when they defeated Tito Santana and The Junkyard Dog courtesy of a well-hidden megaphone shot loaned by manager Jimmy Hart. Dory would continue on tagging with the newly adopted Jimmy Jack Funk as Terry would endlessly feud with JYD and on his off-days, plan subsequent retirement tours. A decade later, Dory re-emerged at Royal Rumble 1996 as the #8 draw.

**Wrestlemania III**                      **3/29/87**                      **Silverdome (Pontiac, MI)**

- The Z-Man himself **Tom Zenk** only had a solitary PPV appearance when he teamed up with Rick Martel in a winning endeavor against Don Muraco and Bob Orton Jr. Zenk spent his whole ’87 tenure in WWF teaming with Martel against the likes of Rhythm & Blues, Volkoff & the Iron Sheik, Kamala & Sika, the Shadows, the Islanders, Demolition, the Hart Foundation, Don Muraco and Bob Orton Jr and the not-so-legendary duo of Tiger Chung Lee and The Gladiator.
- Hercules had a double count-out with master of the full nelson, **Billy Jack Haynes**. The two fought in chain matches across the Northeast and eventually Haynes would find himself a new partner in the returning McDonalds strongman Ken Patera for a series of tag matches against Demolition.
- King Kong Bundy’s elbow drop on **Little Beaver** remains an iconic image of how the bald pick on the tiny. Along with **Little Tokyo**, **the Haiti Kid** and **Lord Littlebrook**, these Lilliputian wrestlers never again wrestled on a WWF PPV.

**Survivor Series**                      **11/26/87**                      **Colliseum (Richfield, OH)**

- One of the largest women’s elimination tag matches on PPV had several one-shot stars including **Donna Christianello**, the **Jumping Bomb Angels** (Noriyo Tateno and Itsuki Yamazaki) and the original **Dawn Marie**. Also, at twenty minutes, it is the longest WWF pay-per-view match ever involving women wrestling (beating out 2006’s six-person ECW ONS with Funk/Foley/Dreamer/Edge and Beulah & Lita that went under 19 minutes.)

**Survivor Series****11/24/88****Colliseum (Richfield, OH)**

- **Sam Houston** was sacrificed to the wrestling gods following a Ron Bass powerslam about ten minutes into the show's opening five-on-five elimination match. As the son of Grizzly Smith and half-brother of Jake Roberts Houston would stay in the WWF as an enhancement talent through early 1991 with occasional wins over the other jabronis like Barry Horowitz, Conquistador #1 (Jose Luis Rivera) and Steve Lombardi. Houston was also the first person eliminated in the 20-man battle royal at WM4.
- Innovators of Gold lame bodysuits, **The Conquistadors** (Jose Luis Rivera and Jose Estrada Sr.) only appeared on a single WWF PPV (which was also the last appearance of The Dynamite Kid) but that didn't prevent the dangerous duo from having a substantial impact on the wrestling universe throughout the 1980's. Luis would continue to crop out under masks and gimmicks as the Black Demon, one of the Shadows while Jose Estrada would join the list of superstars whose son, Jose "Crypt Keeper" Estrada, Jr. followed in his footsteps and competed for the same wrestling company as his pa had from 1997-1999.
- **Scott Casey** only had a single PPV match, being B. Brian Blair's sub in the Robert's vs Andre's 32-minute elimination match. Casey outlasted Ken Patera, but fell victim to Dino Bravo side suplex and would continue to boost the W column for notables such as Iron Mike Sharpe, Red Rooster, Blue Blazer and the Big Bsosman through March 1989.

**Wrestlemania V****4/2/89****Trump Plaza (Atlantic City, NJ)**

- While former WWWF Tag Team champion **Mr. Fuji** managed wrestlers for over a decade from the birth of pay-per-view onwards, he only had a single PPV match – as the pinfall victim in a handicap match where his Powers of Pain fell to former employer, leather enthusiast, and current tag champions Demolition. On PPVs, the meddling manager threw the salt and handled the contract negotiations for Don Muraco (85-87), Demolition (87-88, 90-91), Muraco & Bob Orton Jr (87), Powers of Pain (89), Orient Express (90-92), Berzerker (92) and Yokozuna (92-96) while concluding at least 38 other PPV appearances with his teams.

**Royal Rumble****1/21/90****Arena (Orlando, FL)**

- Leaping Lanny Poffo as **The Genius** only had one televised PPV match, but he made the most of it as he brawled with Brutus Beefcake to a double DQ. A veteran of WWF lockerrooms from 1985 to 1992, once Lanny donned the robes he split his time between applying his wits to managing others (namely Mr. Perfect and the Beverly Brothers – including five PPV appearances with those teams) as well as his mostly futile wrestling efforts (sadly not wearing a suit of armor) against Jim Powers, Koko B Ware, Virgil, Jimmy Snuka and Dustin Rhodes.

**Wrestlemania VII**                      **3/24/91**                      **Sports Arena (Los Angeles, CA)**

- Legendary wrestler **Genichiro Tenryu** and cranky former sumo **Koji Kitao** brought the power of Super World of Sports (SWS) to Wrestlemania and defeated Crush and Smash in a five minute match on the same card as the start of Undertaker's streak. **Kitao** would later fight (and win) on the inaugural Pride card against future WWE headcase (and fellow one-shot WWE PPV star) Nathan Jones. **Tenryu** did return in 1993 (#9 draw) and 1994 (#24 draw) at the Royal Rumble as well as starting the Japanese promotion WAR (Wrestle and Romance/Wrestle Association R) from 1992-2000, known especially for its' wacky 6-man tag assortments.

**Summerslam**                              **8/26/91**                              **Madison Square Garden (New York City, NY)**

- WWWF wrestler Billy White Wolf returned to the ring as evil Iraqi **General Adnan** on the losing end of a handicap match where he tagged with Colonel Mustafa (The Great Hossein Arab) and Sgt. Slaughter (Super Destroyer Mark II) against Hulk Hogan (Sterling Golden) and The Ultimate Warrior (Blade Runner Rock). Amazingly, by the next card it was the Sheik of Sheiks of Baghdad (Adnan) who was still involved with WWF while tassled main eventer Hellwig wasn't seen again for seven months due to a clash with Vince McMahon. While he rarely was in the ring as a competitor, Adnan worked a lot of PPVs as a manager from 1990 to 1992.

**King of the Ring**                      **6/13/93**                      **Nutter Center (Dayton, OH)**

- Mr. Curtis "Big Cat" Hughes (**Mr. Hughes**) lost a KOTR quarter-final match to Mr. Perfect when the antics of Harvey Wippleman and a urn-shot (the arch-nemesis of the rim-shot) resulted in a disqualification. Sadly, while this was his only WWF PPV singles match, Mr. Hughes does hold the distinction of being the man who wrestled with El Gigante/Giant Gonzalez in both WCW and WWF. His return to WWF was as a manager alongside future champions Hunter Heart Helmsley (Royal Rumble 1997) and Chris Jericho (Unforgiven 1999).

**Survivor Series**                      **11/24/93**                      **Boston Garden (Boston, MA)**

- In a display that could probably only be rivaled by Villanos in Mexico or Armstrongs in Smokey Mountain, four brothers teamed together in a match as the Harts (Bret, Owen, **Keith, Bruce**) took on Shawn Michaels and his three Knights (Barry Horowitz, Greg Valentine and **Jeff Gaylord**). Until his bank robbing days, Gaylord was a mainstay of USWA and frequent partner of double JJ. Bruce Hart would reappear as the guest referee in the chairshot debacle that was Vince McMahon vs Bret Hart (WM 2010). Keith Hart exists.
- Men on a Mission and the Bushwhackers beat Bam Bam Bigelow, **Bastion Booger** and the Head Shrinkers in a match dominated by hijinx, wacky antics and shenanigans. **Mike Shaw** provided ample malarkey during his lone PPV appearance on WWF which came between his original "mad monk" Friar Ferguson character and his "in-love-with-Luna" phase of early 1994.

**Summer Slam**                      **8/29/94**                      **United Center (Chicago, IL)**

- Future Monster Truck Driver Alundra Blayze (later Madusa) conquered the mighty future LPGA Golfer **Bull Nakano** with a German suplex. As a 18-year old, Nakano won several Prime Time Wrestling matches back in 1986 alongside mentor and partner Dump Matsumoto. Blayze and Nakano would continue their feud overseas at November's legendary 10-hour Big Egg Wrestling Universe Women's wrestling event at the Tokyo Dome. Nakano's tenure in WWF was not long as she was suspended in conjunction with allegations involving cocaine use, and eventually left the promotion in April. She did interfere on Jerry Lawler's behalf to score him a win over Bret Hart on the March 13, 1995 RAW.

**Survivor Series**                      **11/23/94**                      **Freeman Coliseum (San Antonio, TX)**

- In the last weekday Survivor Series (Thanksgiving Eve), Jerry Lawler and team (**Sleazy, Queasy, Cheesy**) managed to score the important win over Doink the Clown and crew (**Dink, Pink, Wink**). Not until Kane defeated Pat, Nat, Rat and Fat Hardy on an August 2004 RAW were there so many insipidly named little people milling about in a WWF ring.

**Wrestlemania XI**                      **4/2/95**                      **Civic Center (Hartford, CT)**

- **Lawrence Taylor**, NFL Hall of Famer, faced the "Beast from the East" Bam Bam Bigelow stemming from an incident at the Royal Rumble where Bigelow had a confrontation with ringside "fan" L.T. The Main event match included aringside appearances from fellow NFLer and future WCWer Steve 'Mongo' McMichael.

**In Your House #3**                      **9/24/95**                      **Civic Center (Saginaw, MI)**

- Savio Vega utilized his dreaded Caribbean Kick (spin wheel kick) in a winning effort over **Waylon Mercy**. In his previous incarnation, Danny Spivey electrified the tag ranks alongside partner Mike Rotundo and mildly entertain the dozens with his Lanny Poffo, Outback Jack, Scott Casey and Jerry Allen singles matches.

**Survivor Series****11/19/95****US Air Arena (Landover, MD)**

- In the battle of the most gimmicks, Skip (Blonde Bomber, Chris Candido), **Rad Radford** (Madonna's Boyfriend, Louie Spicolli), Tom Prichard (Zip) and 1-2-3 Kid (Sean Waltman, Lightning Kid, Syxx, Cannonball Kid, Kamikaze Kid, The Kid, X-Pac) vanquished Hakushi (Jinsei Shinzaki), Barry Horowitz (who was an early 80's jobber 'Bret Hart' in WWF before The Canadian Bret Hart joined), Bob Holly (Thurman "Sparky" Plugg, Hardcore Holly) and Marty Jannetty (possibly record holder for most hirings/firings). During his 10-year career, Spicolli had stints in most North American Wrestling companies starting from his days as a WWF jobber in the late 80s as Louie Spicolli, 1991 "Cutie Pie" in Herb Abrams' UWF, 1991 Mercenary in FMW (both in Japan and California), AAA in Mexico, 1994 Smoky Mountain Wrestling, WWF again as Rad Radford, ECW in 1996 and WCW from 1997 until his death in 1998.
- In Bertha Faye's last appearance, she teamed with a group of female Japanese wrestlers who also would not be seen on WWF PPV ever again. **Aja Kong, Lioness Asuka, Tomoko Watanabe** and the Monster Ripper Rhonda Singh utilized powerful back-fists to punish Alundya Blayze's team including **Kyoko Inoue, Sakie Hasegawa** and **Chaparita Asari**. In 1986, as one-half of the Crush Gals, Lioness Asuka & Chigusa Nagoya had beat up perennial women jobbers Leilani Kai & Penny Mitchell for Prime Time Wrestling at MSG. On the following nights, they taped a match for 11/27 RAW where Tomoko Wannabe & Aja Kong beat Blayze & Inoue, Superstars where Blayze gave Asuka a concussion during her win and 12/11 RAW where Aja Kong pinned Asari. Madusa. A few weeks after this PPV, Blayze jumped to WCW and famously threw the WWF Women's Title belt in a trash can.

**In Your House #5****12/17/95****Hersheypark Arena (Hershey, PA)**

- In Shane Douglas' last appearance for the WWF (as Dean Douglas), Ahmed Johnson dismantled his replacement opponent "the (other) Nature Boy" **Buddy Landel** (who did come out to Ric Flair's old music) in under a minute. Landell bounced around throughout the 1990's appearing in NWA, Smokey Mountain Wrestling, WWF and WCW.

**In Your House #6****2/18/96****Louisville Gardens (Louisville, KY)**

- After Razor Ramon managed to defeat arch-nemesis the 1-2-3 Kid in a "Crybaby match", 26-year old Hunter Hearst Helmsley took the Trashman himself with a garbage lid shot to the dome of **Duke "The Dumpster" Droese**. Mike Droese spent two years performing with WWF working with Adam Bomb, Bastion Booger, Jerry Lawler, IRS, Stephen Dunn, Kwang, Charlie Hunter, Timothy Well, Mantaur, Jean Pierre Lafitte, Savio Vega, Leif Cassidy and most notably Hunter Hearst Hemsley who had to enter the 1996 Royal Rumble at #1 after losing via disqualification a Free-for-all match against Duke. Duke participated in both the 1995 & 1996 Royal Rumbles along with Gimmick Battle Royal from Wrestlemania X-7.

**In Your House: Mindgames**                      **9/22/96**                      **CoreStates Center (Philadelphia, PA)**

- Shawn Michael's manager **Jose Lothario** pinned Vader's manager **Jim Cornette** in under a minute. Lothario was brought to WWF as a courtesy to HBK and helped "train" Michaels in the lead-up to the WrestleMania XII Iron Man match. Lothario was Shawn's wingman from April to November 1996 and again for Shawn's January '97 win over Sid at the AlamoDome Royal Rumble.

**In Your House: It's Time**      **12/15/96**                      **Memorial Auditorium (West Palm Beach, FL)**

- **Terry Gordy's** brief singles run in WWF was highlighted by the return of the ancient jobber persona **The Executioner** (unsuccessful at WM1, unsuccessful at IYH #12) and his plastic axe he brought to the ring. His lone PPV appearance was a losing effort against The Undertaker in a last man standing match where Mankind unsuccessfully interfered several times. Gordy's debut as the Executioner had come at the October PPV (IYH: "Buried Alive") attacking Undertaker with a shovel following Mick's defeat. Foley and Gordy had previously fought the previous year in the 1995 IWA King of the Deathmatch Tournament during the Quarter Final's Barbed Wire Baseball Bat & Thumbtacks match. As part of the Fabulous Freebirds, Gordy actually had an incredibly brief stint back in 1984 where Buddy Roberts, Michaels Hayes and Terry Gordy joined together a dozen matches in WWF. During that stint, they were actually managed by Cyndi Lauper (and her manager David Wolff) and repeatedly beat the tar out of likes of the Moondogs, Joe Abbey, Butcher Vachon and Ron Shaw.

**Royal Rumble**                                      **1/19/97**                                      **AlamoDome (San Antonio, TX)**

- In January 1997, the airwaves were filled with Toni Braxton and Spice Girls, and the WWF rings were filled with AAA wrestlers. All six men in the tag match (**Perro Aguayo, Canek, & Hector Garza** vs. **Fuerza Guerrera, Heavy Metal, & Jerry Estrada**) had but a fleeting moment in the annals of WWF Pay-per-view history, this collection of Mexican stars certainly provided a stark contrast to tag stylings of Godwinns & Headbangers. This card was loaded with AAA talent including: Perro Aguayo, Jr., Venum, Maniaco, Mosco de la Merced, Octagón, Blue Demon Jr., Tinieblas Jr. Abismo Negro, Mascarita Sagrada, La Parkita, Mini Mankind (Espectrito II), Mini Vader (Espectrito). **Heavy Metal** actually performed double duty wrestling on both the pre-show and the pay-per-view.

**In Your House: Canadian Stampede**                      **7/6/97**                      **Saddledome (Calgary, Alberta)**

- One of the greatest WWF pay-per-views ever held, included the debut of Kaientai's Taka Michinoku and sole PPV appearance of **The Great Sasuke**. The other WWF appearance of the 28-year old Sasuke was the on the following night's RAW, where he again defeated Taka Michinoku. However, it was Taka who ended up staying in the WWF from the Light Heavyweight Tournament in 1997 until September 2001. Meanwhile, Sasuke returned to Japan and eventually was elected to the Iwate Prefectural Assembly in 2003 creating history (and minor controversy) when he refused to appear without wearing his mask while in the legislature.



**Survivor Series**                                  **11/9/97**                                  **Molson Centre (Montreal, Quebec)**

- At an event more notorious for the main event double cross, an earlier Gang Warz tag match between the Truth Commission and Disciples of Apocalypse marked several firsts and lasts. It was the single PPV wrestling appearance for Don “**The Jackyl**” Callis. Partner Luc “Sniper” Poirer would team with Barry “Recon” Buchanon at WM XIV while this event marked the last appearance of Brian “Crush” Adams as part of DOA’s stable. When Adams returned four years later, it was in the legendarily poor tag match between Kronik and the Brothers of Destruction which resulted in Clark & Adams leaving the WWF. Kurrigan the Interrogator spent several years in WWF, eventually joined the Oddities before graduating to beating up Spartans and Sherlock Holmes.

**Royal Rumble**                                  **1/8/98**                                  **Arena (San Jose, CA)**

- With Sunny at the referee’s helm, Max Mini & Nova & Mosiac vanquished **El Torito**, Tarantula and **Battalion**. The other four minis had a tag match on the Badd Blood PPV (the original Hell in a Cell masterpiece) as a replacement match for Pillman vs Dude Love after Brian Pillman died the previous night. El Torito had several matches as Mini Vader.

**King of the Ring**                                  **6/28/98**                                  **Civic Arena (Pittsburgh, PA)**

- In the KOTR semi-final, former NWA Champion, sweat-suit enthusiast and UFC Hall of Famer **Dan Severn** lost to The Rock in a short match which included interference from other Nation members (D-Lo Brown, Mark Henry, The Godfather). Severn’s WWF tenure included feuds with Owen Hart, fellow UFC Hall of Famer Ken Shamrock and Steve Blackman. Severn did second Owen Hart in his “Lion’s Den” match at Summer Slam 1998 and unsuccessfully rumbled in 1999. Originally, a favorite for the Brawl for All tournament, Severn won his first round bout utilizing wrestling takedowns over The Godfather. However, he quit the tournament which quickly featured ever-evolving point rules. Severn has alleged that he was asked to “step aside” in the tournament.

**Summer Slam**                                  **8/30/98**                                  **MSG (New York City, NY)**

- When the Oddities took on Kaientai, one of the tallest men ever to compete in WWF (the **Giant Silva**) took on one of the biggest Terry Funk fans (Mens Teioh). Silva only wrestled a few dozen times during his year in WWF teaming with Golga (John Tenta) and/or Kurrigan and chokeslamming the stuffing out of Shawn Stasiak in his occasional singles match. Silva did move on to fight in Pride where he managed to win the New Year’s Eve Freak show bout against Akebono. When the Headbangers battled the Oddies (Golga & Kurrigan) at the Rock Bottom PPV, Silva & Luna dutifully performed their duties accompanying their partners to the ring.

### Judgment Day

10/18/98

Rosemont Horizon (Chicago, IL)

- When the famous manager for the Road Warriors, **Paul Ellering**, returned to the WWF in June 1998 after a six year absence, he did the only acceptable thing in the Russo-era – he immediately turned on the Legion of Doom (swerve!) and joined up with the Disciples of Apocalypse. For the rest of the year, he provided the briefcase power (for instance, at Fully Loaded) needed so the bald Harris brothers could feud with LOD. Unlike his 1992 run (including Summer Slam 1992 in Wembley Stadium where Paul and the Rocco Dummy – really! – went alongside LOD), Ellering didn't wrestle much, but he step in the ring during the six-man tag at the 1998 Judgment Day PPV. However, it was the newest LOD member Droz who scored the winning pin after Hawk & Animal successfully executed a Domsday Device on their former friend and manager.

### Survivor Series

11/15/98

Kiel Center (St. Louis, MO)

- Between 1990 and 1995, **Duane Gill** lost over a hundred matches. Alongside partner Barry Hardy, Gill lost to oodles of tag teams including High Energy, The Rockers, The Natural Disasters, Demolition, Men on a Mission, the Steiners, the Smoking Gunns, Rhythm and Blues, the Beverly Brothers, the Nasty Boys, the Legion of Doom and the Bushwhackers. As a singles competitor, Gill boosted the win column for a dozens of superstars – from Jimmy Snuka to Dino Bravo to Mr Perfect to Razor Ramon to Jim Duggan to The Undertaker to Kamala to Virgil to Tatanka to The Texas Tornado to Terry Taylor to Adam Bomb to Bob Backlund to Owen Hart to Lex Luger. Even Jim Powers, Max Moon, Aldo Montoya, Rich Meyers and Jim Brunzell scored wins over Duane. However, by far his most intriguing run started at the 1998 Survivor Series as the mystery opponent to WWF Hardcore Champion Mankind in a 31-second loss. A true embodiment of the JOB Squad, during Gillberg's next match, following Scorpio's interference, he pinned Christian and won the WWF Light Heavyweight Championship. He finally scored some WWF wins that year (with JOB Squad help) against Marc Mero, Taka Michinoku and Matt Hardy as well as competing (unsuccessfully) at the 1999 Royal Rumble as Gillberg.

### Over the Edge

5/23/99

Kemper Arena (Kansas City, MO)

- Building on her reputation from Howard Stern appearances and following a brief stint in ECW in 1998, **Nicole Bass** graduated to the WWF and arrived as Sable's bodyguard for the March Wrestlemania XV. Her sole wrestling PPV match was a mixed-tag event pitting Val Venis & **Nicole Bass** against Jeff Jarrett & Debra. Bass time in the WWF included acting as Sable's surrogate in matches and defeating Tori and Debra, kissing Jerry Lawler and losing to Women's Champion Ivory before she was terminated a few months after she first debuted. She sued the WWF for Sexual Harrassment and Wrongful Termination in a case that took years to go to court and was eventually settled with a ruling against her claim.

**Fully Loaded**                                      **7/25/99**                                      **Marine Midland Arena (Buffalo, NY)**

- The glory that is **Michael PS Hayes'** mullet was in full display when he fell victim to the Acolytes spike powerbomb in the No DQ Handicap match which pitted Dox Hendrix & the Hardy Boyz against Ron Simmons and Justin Bradshaw Layfield. This marked the end of Hayes managing Matt & Jeff as the Acolytes won the belts by defeating the trio. Hayes would return to the commentary table and working as a longtime writer. He would step in the ring once more during the Gimmick Battle Royal at Wrestlemania 2001 only to be tossed out by One Man Gang.

**Survivor Series**                                      **11/14/99**                                      **Joe Louis Arena (Detroit, MI)**

- In the ultimate “one of these things is not like the others” matchup: Val Venis, Mark Henry, Gangrel & Steve Blackman won an elimination match against Mean Street Posse (**Pete Gas, Rodney, Joey Abs**) and *Davey Boy Smith* (!?). Technically the Mean Street Posse did have two other PPV appearances – at Armageddon 99 during the 8-team battle royal and Wrestlemania 2000 15-man hardcore battle royal. All three men would continue to operate on the fringes of the WWF card through end of 2000 alongside The Dupps, Just Joe, Scott Vick and Lo Down (Chaz & D-Lo Brown).
- After managing Fabulous Moolah at No Mercy 1999, 76-year old **Mae Young** teamed with 76-year old Fabulous Moolah, Tori and Debra to beat Ivory, Jackie, Luna and Terri in a two minute match at the Survivor Series. Another of Mae's PPV appearance was the horrific prosthesis exposure at the Royal Rumble 2000 Bikini Contest. Besides the antics of her Mark Henry relationship (including the Hand birth) and calling LayCool “Sluts” on live TV, her most famous moment on WWE TV was taking a Bubba bomb off the stage through a table on the March 13, 2000 RAW. **Mae Young** will outlive us all.

**Armageddon**                                      **12/12/99**                                      **National Car Rental Center (Ft. Lauderdale, FL)**

- In one of the least technical title changes, Jerry Lawler's then-wife Miss Kitty (later The Kat) defeated Jackie , **BB**, and WWF Women's Champion Ivory in a swimming pool evening gown match. Kitty not only won the belt, but also proceeded to flash the audience. Mae Young's attempts were (luckily) foiled before she could join in the nudity bandwagon. Barbara Bush, **BB**, (no relations to 80's jobber BB Coleman) final appearance was February 8, 2000 Smackdown! where the former EMT was put through a table following a Edge & Christian vs the Dudleyz match.

**King of the Ring**                                      **6/25/00**                                      **FleetCenter (Boston, MA)**

- Wrestling Legends **Pat Patterson** and **Gerald Brisco** returned to the ring in 2000 as McMahon's stooges. They ended up doing a lot of ridiculous things during the Hardcore phase of their life including a Hardcore Evening Gown Match held at the King of the Ring PPV. Following his loss to Kurt Angle in the KOTR semi-finals, Crash Holly interfered in the Stooges' match, used a garbage can lid shot and pinned Pat Patterson to win the title. Both men's last steady run in WWF were back in 1984 when the Brisco brothers were teaming together and Patterson moved into a color commentary role.

**Backlash****4/29/01****AllState Arena (Chicago, IL)**

- Rising through the ranks, **Justin Credible** began his WWF career in 1993 as jobber PJ Walker getting beat up by Lex Luger, the Steiners, Yokozuna, Crush, Mr Perfect, Adam Bomb, the Headshrinkers, Ludvig Borga, the Quebeccers, the Heavenly Bodies, Well Dunn, Bam Bam Bigelow, IRS, Bastion Booger, Jeff Jarrett, Owen Hart, Bob Backlund and Nikolai Volkoff. Even Steve Lombardi's short-lived baseball persona, Abe "Knuckleball" Schwartz scored some wins. When he signed with WWF, Justin became Aldo Montoya, the Portuguese Man O' War. After a brief push beating Brooklyn Brawler, Kwang and jobbers like Mike Bell, Tony Devito and Nick Barbarry, Montoya became fodder for the likes of Henry Godwinn, Triple H, Kama, Skip, Waylon Mercy, Jean Pierre Lafitte, The Sultan, Owen Hart and Steve Austin. He competed in two Royal Rumbles (1995 & 1996). He left WWF in 1997 (providing some wins to future jobber-turned-superstar Scotty "Too Hotty" Taylor) and rose to the top of ECW as the rechristened Justin Credible. Following Extreme Championship Wrestling's bankruptcy in 2001, Justin Credible returned to WWE and formed X-Factor alongside X-Pac and Albert. In their sole PPV wrestling match, the X-Factor trio was victorious over fellow ECW alums Dudley Boyz (Bubba, Devon and Spike) in an eight minute match. He also did unsuccessfully compete in the Survivor Series 2001 22-man "immunity" battle royal.

**Invasion****7/22/01****Gund Arena (Cleveland, OH)**

- In one of the most purchased non-core pay-per-views (over 775,000 buys), Mick Foley acted as the special referee in the match where **Earl Hebner** (representing WWE referees) pinned **Nick Patrick** (representing the WCW/ECW Alliance). Son of wrestler Assassin Jody Hamilton, Nick Patrick joined WWE in 2001 after the WCW acquisition and remained until he was released in August 2008. Hebner's legendary tenure in the WWF started as part of February 1988 The Main Event match between Andre the Giant and Hulk Hogan where the world was introduced to the twin referee brothers Dave & Earl and continued through the Montreal Screwjob in 1997 until Summer of 2005 where he was fired from the WWE in conjunction with allegations related to selling WWE merchandise. Hebner joined TNA in 2006 and continues to referee in that organization.
- Tough Enough trainer and phallus pun champion (WCW's General E. Rection), **Bill DeMott** single PPV wrestling appearance came as part of the Alliance Team (Hugh Morrus, Shawn Stasiak, & Chris Kanyon) who defeated the trifecta of men who have a B in their name: IC Champion Albert, the Big Show and Billy Gunn. He lasted several years including a failed stint at the "immunity" battle royal for Survivor Series 2001 and 2003's Royal Rumble.

**Judgment Day** **5/18/03** **Coliseum (Charlotte, NC)**

- A month after losing to World Champion Brock Lesnar, John Cena teamed up with WCW Italians Chuck Palumbo and **Johnny Stamboli** (Johnny the Bull) to defeat the intriguing trifecta of men under 6' tall: Chris Benoit, Rhyno and Brian Kendrick. Rehashing an ECW gimmick, Stamboli (with partner Nunzio – such as at No Mercy 04) called themselves the Full-Blooded-Italians (FBI) and hung around until October 2004 battling with the likes of Kenzo Suzuki & Rene Dupree, the Bashams, Billy Gunn & Hardcore Holly, Haas & Rico, Billy Kidman & Paul London and Rikishi & Scotty 2 Hotty. He also got to be part of butt-whipping Bradshaw brought to the APA's Bar Room Brawl at the Vengeance 2003 PPV in Denver.

**Survivor Series** **11/16/03** **American Airlines Center (Dallas, TX)**

- In an effort to create the team of largest hosses in the known WWE Universe, Brock Lesnar, Big Show and Albert added newcomers **Nathan Jones** and **Matt Morgan** to face off against Kurt Angle, Chris Benoit, John Cena, Bradshaw and Hardcore Holly. Jones, who *almost* teamed with Undertaker at Wrestlemania XIX (attacked pre-show and thus 'Taker instead had a handicap match), the wacky Australian, quit the WWE in December 2003. **Matt Morgan**, long a top prospect in Jim Cornette's eyes oscillated between WWE and OVW, competed in the 2004 Royal Rumble, reappeared in 2005 with a stuttering gimmick and accompanying Carlito and eventually left the promotion all-together and resurfaced in 2007 for TNA.

**No Way Out** **2/15/04** **Cow Palace (San Francisco, CA)**

- Wedged between Royal Rumble and Wrestlemania, Smackdown!'s No Way Out PPV was headlined by the magic moment of Eddie Guerrero defeating champion Brock Lesnar. In a unique moment, two Tough Enough winners had their first and last PPV wrestling matches at the same event. "The Redneck Messiah" Jamie Noble faced his former girlfriend **Nidia** (Nidia Guenard - TE Season 1 co-winner) in a Blindfold Match while **Linda Miles** (as the dominatrix Shaniqua – TE Season 2 co-winner) joined the Basham Brothers in a losing effort against Rikishi and Scotty 2 Hotty. 2004 marked the end of both **Miles** and **Guenard's** WWE careeers. The majority of Nidia's other PPV appearances were at the arm of Mr Noble as well as in the losing school girl battle royal won by Trish for the Taboo Tuesday PPV. Shaniqua would accompany the Basham brothers through thick and thin including an appearance at 2003's Survivor series. Tough Enough Season 1 co-winner Maven Huffman last from 2002-2005 in WWE with the memorable highlight of eliminating the Undertaker with a Maven dropkick™ at the 2002 Royal Rumble. TE Season 2 co-winner Jackie Gayda highlighted her WWE run with a famously terrible match involving Trish Stratus, Bradshaw and Harvard Chris Nowinski in 2002, and 2004-2005 run mostly on Smackdown! and future marriage bliss with WWE wrestler Charlie Haas.

**Wrestlemania****3/14/04****MSG (New York, NY)**

- **Ultimo Dragon** (Yoshihiro Asai) managed to overcome a botched 1998 arm surgery which ended his WCW run, and return to North America in 2003. His respectable though unremarkable year in WWE included his sole PPV appearance at the legendary Madison Square Garden in 2004 where he competed unsuccessfully in the Cruiserweight Open for the WWE Cruiserweight Championship won by fellow WCW alums Chavo Guerrero Jr. During his eighty-some matches in WWE, Dragon's top opponents were fellow cruiserweights Jamie Noble, Rey Mysterio Jr., Tajiri, Shannon Moore and Nunzio.

**Taboo Tuesday****10/19/04****Bradley Center (Milwaukee, WI)**

- Former Playboy playmate, future NFL Player wife and diva search contestant **Carmella DeCesare** was the losing end of the highly technical *Lingerie Pillow Fight* at the inaugural Taboo Tuesday PPV to fellow playboy model and diva search contestant Christy Hemme. The other options were an Evening Gown match and Aerobics Challenge. The Lingerie Pillow Fight would end up being a signature match for Christy Hemme who would win her next three future LPFs against Stacy Kiebler, Maria and Candice Michelle. However, this was not the first WWE Lingerie Pillow Fight – that honor belongs to Terri Runnels who bested Stacy Kiebler on the September 2, 2002 RAW most famous for Triple H being awarded the brand new RAW-exclusive World Championship by Eric Bischoff.

**Armageddon****12/12/04****Gwinnett Center (Duluth, GA)**

- The last stop before winning the million dollar Tough Enough contest, **Daniel Puder** defeated Mike “The Miz” Mizanin in a Dixie Dog Fight (Boxing Match). A month prior, the MMA-trained Puder had distinguished himself by humbling Kurt Angle during a challenge where he locked on a Kimura on the former gold medalist and nearly legitimately tapped him out. While Puder was the TE victor, he did not last long in the WWE as veterans used him for chopping practice during the 2005 Royal Rumble and he spent most of his 1-year \$250,000 contract training at the developmental OVW territory. After the appointed time, WWE terminated his high-dollar contract and Puder turned down their offer for a lower developmental deal. Puder did graduate to an undefeated and successful MMA career (mostly in Strikeforce) and brief stints in Ring of Honor and New Japan wrestling. Meanwhile, the man who Puder built his name by almost submitting, Kurt Angle, spent the Armageddon event wrestling (and defeating) **Santa Claus** in under 30 seconds in a Kurt Angle Invitational.
- In a match that marked the debut of the controversial custom “Cena” US Championship spinner belt and the first PPV appearance and last WWE appearance of his opponent, **Jesus** (Aaron Aguilera). Aguilera's short run in WWE included a handful of victories over Hardcore Holly and Charlie Haas, accompanying Carlito at the Survivor Series PPV and providing Cena's kayfabe excuse (stabbing him in a nightclub on behalf of Carlito Caribbean Cool) while John filmed *The Marine*. Following Jesus' lost at the PPV in a Streetfight, Aguilera took time off for surgery and healing and was released in 2005. Last Christ-like named man in WWF was Los Boricuas' Jesus Castillo.

**Wrestlemania** **4/3/05** **Staples Center (Los Angeles, CA)**

- In an unusual bid to appeal to the Japanese market, the first American-born ever to reach the top Sumo Wrestler rank (Yokozuna) **Chad “Akebono” Rowan** was brought in to face Big Show in a “sumo match” at Wrestlemania 21. **Akebono’s** less than stellar MMA record included losses to former WWF PPV One Shot star Giant Silva at K-1’s New Year’s Eve show. Since leaving Sumo Wrestling and struggling at shoot-fighting (both Kickboxing and MMA), Akebono has supplemented his income with plenty of pro-wrestling appearances for Japanese groups (All Japan, New Japan, HUSTLE) as well as Dragon Gate USA matches in North America.

**Backlash** **5/1/05** **Verizon Wireless Arena (Manchester, NH)**

- Popular OVW and mildly homoerotic tag team “The Heart Throbs” (**Antonio Thomas and Romeo Roselli**) short-lived WWE run included a tag team turmoil match against the William Regal & Tajiri (champions) and a cavalcade of mid-card tag teams including Hurricane & Rosey (winner and new champions), Rob Conway & Sylvian Grenier and Maven & Simon Dean. **Antonio** and **Romeo** lasted until February 2006 as the perpetually losing opponents of Rosey & The Hurricane.

**Armageddon** **12/18/05** **Dunkin Donuts Center (Providence, RI)**

- Remarkably, **Paul Burchill’s** 4½ WWE run only had a single PPV wrestling match – about four months after his debut (a run-in in late August 2005 on WWE Velocity). The UK-native teamed with fellow Brit William Regal in losing effort during a handicap match against Bobby Lashley. Over the next several years, **Burchill’s** gimmick ranged from Regal’s tag team partner, Pirate/Buccanner (famously inspired by Vince McMahon’s sudden interest in Johnny Depp’s Pirates of the Caribbean character), Big Brother alongside Katie Lea (including accompanying her at Night of Champions 2008 for her match with Mickie James) and a short-lived masked gimmick The Ripper during a ECW feud with The Hurricane. Burchill’s most frequent opponents were superstars such as Mexicools (Super Crazy and Psychosis), Road Warrior Animal, IC Champion Kofi Kingston, Gregory ‘The Hurricane’ Helms and Val Venis.

**Wrestlemania** **4/2/06** **AllState Arena (Chicago, IL)**

- Booker T’s wife **Sharmell** only PPV wrestling match was a handicap affair against the worm-eating Boogeyman at the event headlined by John Cena submitting “King of Kings” Triple H. Originally one of the Nitro Girls (Storm) and becoming the valet and occasional WCW wrestler Paisley, Sharmell eventually arrived in WWE in 2005 quickly becoming attached to Booker T. While only rarely wrestling (notable match - August 16, 2005 Smackdown! episode where Melina & Joey Mercury defeated Sharmell & Booker T), Sharmell (later Queen Sharmell with King Booker) often made her presence known, especially when she was invited to do guest commentary. She accompanied Booker no less than 15 times at PPVs from 2005-2007.

**ECW One Night Stand****6/11/06****Hammerstein Ballroom (NYC, NY)**

- Starting with 2005's One Night Stand, the revival of the ECW brand brought several Extreme pioneers into the WWE fold – Sabu, Sandman, Balls Mahoney. However, it was Tommy Dreamer's wife, **Beulah McGillicutty**, who has the distinction of being the ECW alumni with a single WWE PPV under their belt. Lita, Edge and Mick Foley won an intergender match over Terry Funk, Tommy Dreamer and Beulah. During the original ECW cross-over angle on RAW back in 1997, Beulah had also been in Tommy Dreamer's corner when he pinned D-Von Dudley.

**Vengeance****6/25/06****Bobcats Arena (Charlotte, NC)**

- DX made short work of the five-man Spirit Squad in the non-title handicap match at the Vengeance PPV. This would mark the single wrestling PPV match for only one of the male Cheerleaders – **Mitch (Nick Mitchell)**. Johnny (Johnny Jeter) had two PPV matches including Survivor Series 2006 facing the legends team of Ric Flair, Ron Simmons, Dusty Rhodes and Sgt. Slaughter. Mikey (Mike Mondo) had four PPV matches including Survivor Series 2006, Unforgiven 2006 (teaming with Kenny and beating the McAllisters) and Cyber Sunday 2006 (teaming with Kenny and losing the belts to Ric Flair and Roddy Piper). Kenny (Kenny Dykstra) had five PPV matches including Mondo's four and a singles match as the rechristened Kenny Dykstra against Ric Flair at New Year's Revolution 2007. The Spirit Squad member who leads the PPV counts (30+) by far is Nicky (Nick Nemeth) who returned to PPV as the repackaged Dolph Ziggler at the Great American Bash 2009 and has remained a WWE title contender and fixture since. **Nick "Big Time" Mitchell's** tenure with WWE started as an eliminated contestant on Tough Enough Season Four and ended with DX shipping the Spirit Squad "back to OVW" in a crate in November 2006. Mitchell was released in May 2007 from the WWE.

**Great American Bash****7/23/06****Conseco Fieldhouse (Indianapolis, IN)**

- Former Barker Beauty, Diva Search Contestant and Teddy Long heart-attack inducing temptress **Kristal Marshall** lost alongside Michelle McCool and Jillian Hall in a bra & panties match to Ashley. Kristal's in-ring debut was also a Bra & Panties match on March 7, 2006 Smackdown! episode. This was the PPV debut for Undertaker's future wife Michelle McCool. It was also Jillian Hall's second PPV match after winning a singles match against Melina at the previous Smackdown! PPV in May (Judgment Day). Kristal's other PPV appearance was in a 12-diva battle royal at Summer Slam 07. The Great American Bash Bra & Panties match didn't include the queens of genre matches – Torrie Wilson (48 matches – with 27 in 2002 alone) or Dawn Marie (41 matches – with 31 in 2002 alone). The historic inaugural Bra & Panties match dates back to 1999 during Sable's last appearance for four years, when Debra defeated the WWF Women's Champion and won the title.



**No Mercy****10/8/06****RBC Center (Raleigh, NC)**

- Idol Stevens (Aaron Steven Haddad) and **KC James** (James Curtis) were introduced as Michelle McCool's "Teacher's Pets" on Smackdown! for a cup of tea from August to October 2006. They unsuccessfully challenged the Smackdown! Tag Team Champions Paul London & Brian Kendrick at the PPV and soon after disappeared off television again. Years later, following a stint outside of WWE, Stevens returned to television in 2012 as the repackaged as Damien Sandow appearing on several PPVs alongside partner Cody Rhodes. KC James became James Curtis and infrequently popped on the ECW brand television show offering wins to a myriad of superstars before being released in August 2008.
- The debut of Montel Vontavious Porter (MVP) at No Mercy marked the lone PPV appearance for **Marty Garner (Cham Pain)**. With a background alongside the Hardy Boyz in OMEGA, Marty Garner wasn't much of a winner in WWF but he did leave his mark as a frequent jobber from 1995 to 1997 padding the records of Jeff Jarrett, Jerry Lawler, Ron Simmons, Jake Roberts, Marc Mero and a young Yoshihiro Tajiri. Famously, he spiked himself in a brutal looking Pedigree from Hunter Hearst Helmsley. After a period away from a WWE ring, Garner had appeared on Smackdown! earlier that Summer during the Jamie Noble & Kid Kash (Pitbulls) tag team debut.

**December to Dismember****12/3/06****James Brown Arena (Augusta, GA)**

- The infamous December to Dismember ECW PPV in 2006 was a one of a kind of a show. It was a debacle that won Wrestling Observer's "Worst Major Wrestling Show of the Year", marred the Elimination Chamber's streak as a drawing stipulation, ended Heyman's association with WWE, and essentially killed off the ECW PPV brand. At 90,000 total buys (and only an estimate 52,000 domestic) was the least bought WWE PPV ever – even lower than the weakest In Your House Cards. It was against this backdrop that two people made their only WWE PPV appearances in wrestling matches. In better news, at least they both won their bouts!
- **Sylvester Terkay** teamed with Elijah Burke to defeat the ECW originals Little Guido (Nunzio) and Tony Mamaluke. A former K-1 and MMA fighter and Japanese Pro Wrestling as "The Predator", **Terkay** (and opponent Mamaluke) were released from WWE contract a month later. Terkay stay in WWE was characterized by a lot of matches against Tatanka.
- Kevin Thorn & **Ariel** beat Mike Knox & Kelly Kelly as Ariel pinned Kelly Kelly. Thorn's adventures in WWE began years earlier (2002) and included a legendarily momentary run as Mordecai (up in the annals of failed pushes with Luke Gallows as Fake Kane) prior to his return in 2006 as the ECW Vampire Kevin Thorn. His valet Ariel (Shelly Martinez) also was repackaged from 2005-2006's OVW Shelly and Burchill's wench, to a fortune teller on ECW television. She lasted about 6 more months before being released. Mike Knox and his epic beard hung around until April 2010. Kelly Kelly (Barbara Blank) left WWE in September 2012.

**Armageddon****12/17/06****Coliseum (Richmond, VA)**

- With decades of experience, 49 year-old **Dave Taylor**'s lone WWE pay-per-view appearance was in a four-team ladder match at the December 2006 PPV. WWE Smackdown! Tag Team Champions Paul London and Brian Kendrick managed to retain their titles in against MNM (Nitro & Mercury), Hardy Boyz and the reunited WCW Blue Bloods (William Regal & **David Taylor**). This match is contained the horrific injury from Joey Mercury where his face and a ladder met in a most unpleasant manner. Taylor was hired a trainer for WWE's developmental league Deep South Wrestling (DSW) in Georgia and returned to the WWE television in October 2006. He remained with WWE until he (and Balls Mahoney) were released from WWE contract in April 2008. Taylor's tenure in WWE was split between tagging with British wrestlers - William Regal, Paul Burchill and Drew McIntyre. The majority of his tag matches were with London & Kendrick, The Major Brothers (Curt Hawkins & Zack Ryder), Deuce & Domino, Ray Gordy & partners (Ray Gordy, Luke Gallows/Henry Godwinn) and the McAllisters (Robbie & Rory).

**No Way Out****2/18/07****Staples Center (Los Angeles, CA)**

- When Fit Finlay and Boogeyman feuded, there was only one way to take it to the next level – add midgets. So the future McMahon spawn, Hornswoggle (then called “Lil Bastard”) and aptly named **Little Boogeyman**. Little Boogeyman continued to second Boogeyman for several months until June 2007 when Mark Henry managed to remove him from the equation.

**Wrestlemania****3/30/08****Citrus Bowl (Orlando, FL)**

- In a no holds barred match, Olympic Bronze medalist **Floyd Mayweather, Jr.** the 5'8" champion boxer KOed the 7' Big Show. Mayweather had previously appeared during February's PPV when he became involved during Big Show's return after the Rey Mysterio vs Edge match. Some previous WWF boxing matches held include Mr. T defeating Bob Orton Jr. on Saturday Night's Main Event #5, Ray Rougeau knocking out Owen Hart in the 4<sup>th</sup> Round for a August 1996 Montreal card, Wrestlemania XV had Butterbean knocking out Brawl for All winner Bart Gunn in under a minute (trivia note: Gorilla Monsoon's last TV appearance) and August 2009 RAW contained the Sweet Science that was Hornswoggle beating Chavo Guerrero Jr. via disqualification.

**Backlash****4/27/08****1<sup>st</sup> Mariner Arena (Baltimore, MD)**

- Deuce & Domino's valet **Cherry** (Kara Drew) debuted with the team in January 2007 She was released from WWE in August 2008. Her only PPV match was a 12-diva tag match that went less than seven minutes. Prior to 2008, she spent the prior year accompanying the Greasers at No Way Out, Vengeance “Night of Champions” and Unforgiven PPVs. **Cherry** only had a few dozen in-ring moments during her 18 months run, her main opponents were Victoria, Natalya and Maryse.

**Night of Champions**                      **6/29/08**                      **American Airlines Center (Dallas, TX)**

- **Katie Lea**, Paul Burchill's storyline sister, lost her one-on-one match with the women's champion Mickie James at the NOC PPV. She also competed in a Halloween costume contest at Cyber Sunday 08 and 25-diva battle royal at Wrestlemania 25.

**Great American Bash**                      **7/20/08**                      **Nassau Coliseum (Long Island, NY)**

- Son of Fabulous Freebird, Executioner and wrestling legend Terry Gordy, **Jesse Dalton (Ray Gordy)** team with Festus (Luke Gallows) sole PPV appearance was July's Great American Bash in four-team Smackdown! tag match won by Hawkins & Ryder.

**Summerslam**                      **8/15/10**                      **Staples Center (Los Angeles, CA)**

- **Michael Tarver** career started with great promise as part of the Nexus alongside Wade Barrett, Heath Slater, Darren Young, Skip Sheffield, Justin Gabriel and Daniel Bryan. However, NXT's master of the Superman punch didn't last long in the WWE.

**Survivor Series**                      **11/21/10**                      **American Airlines Arena (Miami, FL)**

- Independent wrestling superstar Low-Ki (**Kaval**) ran all the circles alongside Daniel Bryan and CM Punk before debuting on NXT as a popular superstar. However, his time in WWE wasn't long and his only wrestling PPV match was a ten minute affair with Dolph Ziggler that he lost while challenging for the IC Title.

**Wrestlemania**                      **4/3/11**                      **Georgia Dome (Atlanta, GA)**

- **Snooki** made her presence known and performed respectfully (first time that word has been used with her) in the six person tag pitting John Morrison, Trish and the Jersey shore star against Ziggler and LayCool (Layla & Michelle McCool).

**Wrestlemania**                      **4/1/12**                      **Sun Life Stadium (Miami, FL)**

- **Maria Menounos** and Kelly Kelly defeated Eve & Divas Champion Beth Phoenix in a seven minute battle at Wrestlemania. The entertainment reporter from Extra scored the winning pin on Phoenix after the heels collided together.

**Over the Limit**                      **5/20/12**                      **RBC Center (Raleigh, NC)**

- **Camacho** only PPV wrestling match was an unadvertised squash where Ryback (Skip Sheffield) threw him about like a dummy. **Camacho** is the sometimes tag partner of Hunico though hasn't given his teammates much luck as they came up short at the 2012 Royal Rumble and against Sin Cara at No Way Out 2012. Perhaps he would do better strolling to the ring alongside his father, the legendary afro-shiny pants warrior that is Haku (King Tonga/Meng).

## SYNOPSIS OF WWF PAY-PER-VIEW WRESTLING RECORDS

1985 – 2012

### More than 125 matches

Triple H: 142 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 7 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)

Undertaker: 139 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 9 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)

Glen Jacobs: 126 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 15 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)

### More than 100 matches

Edge: 111 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 5 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)

Big Show: 106 wrestling matches (involved in 9 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)

Chris Jericho: 105 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 7 rumbles)

John Cena: 104 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 5 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)

Shawn Michaels: 101 wrestling matches and won 2 battle royals (involved in 10 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)

### More than 75 matches

Randy Orton: 93 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 5 rumbles)

Rey Mysterio Jr: 79 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 4 rumbles)

Christian: 76 wrestling matches and won 2 battle royals (involved in 6 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)

### More than 50 matches

Kurt Angle: 74 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)

Jeff Hardy: 70 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles)

Matt Hardy: 70 wrestling matches (involved in 8 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)

Rock: 67 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 3 rumbles)

Bradshaw: 65 wrestling matches and won 2 battle royals (involved in 7 rumbles)

CM Punk: 63 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles)

Chris Benoit: 62 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 3 rumbles)

Batista: 61 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 4 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)

Steve Austin: 58 wrestling matches and won 3 battle royals (involved in 3 rumbles)

Billy Gunn: 54 wrestling matches (involved in 7 rumbles)

Bret Hart: 54 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 6 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)

### More than 35 matches

Booker T: 50 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 8 rumbles)  
Mick Foley: 49 wrestling matches (involved in 7 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Owen Hart: 48 wrestling matches (involved in 7 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Bubba Ray Dudley: 47 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Sean Waltman: 47 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 4x accompanied others)  
John Morrison: 46 wrestling matches (involved in 7 rumbles)  
Mike Mizanin: 46 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
D-Von Dudley: 45 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Eddie Guerrero: 45 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Mark Henry: 45 wrestling matches (involved in 7 rumbles, 4x accompanied others)  
Davey Boy Smith: 44 wrestling matches (involved in 6 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Rob Van Dam: 40 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 6 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Kofi Kingston: 39 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Road Dogg: 39 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Trish Stratus: 39 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (9x accompanied others)  
Dustin Rhodes: 38 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 7 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Ron Simmons: 37 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 7 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)

### More than 25 matches

Dolph Ziggler: 35 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Ric Flair: 35 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 4 rumbles, 14x accompanied others)  
Cody Rhodes: 34 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Hulk Hogan: 33 wrestling matches and won 2 battle royals (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Bob Holly: 32 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 8 rumbles)  
MVP: 32 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles)  
Sheamus: 32 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 1 rumbles)  
William Regal: 32 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Jack Swagger: 31 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Shelton Benjamin: 31 wrestling matches (involved in 8 rumbles)  
Beth Phoenix: 30 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 3 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Big Bossman: 30 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Rikishi: 30 wrestling matches (involved in 10 rumbles)  
Chavo Guerrero Jr: 29 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 6 rumbles)  
Ron Killings: 28 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles)  
Scott Hall: 28 wrestling matches (3x accompanied others)  
Test: 28 wrestling matches and won 2 battle royals (involved in 5 rumbles, 1x accompanied)  
Jeff Jarrett: 27 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Ken Shamrock: 26 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)

### More than 20 matches

Brock Lesnar: 25 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal  
Viscera: 25 wrestling matches (involved in 10 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Al Snow: 24 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Fit Finlay: 24 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles)  
Randy Savage: 24 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles)  
Kevin Nash: 23 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Michelle McCool: 23 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Mickie James: 23 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 2 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Umaga: 23 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Val Venis: 23 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 4 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
D-Lo Brown: 22 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 6x accompanied others)  
Jerry Lawler: 22 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Road Warrior Animal: 22 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 3 rumbles)  
Yokozuna: 22 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Alberto Del Rio: 21 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal  
Melina: 21 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 11x accompanied others)  
Shane McMahon: 21 wrestling matches (9x accompanied others)

### More than 17 matches

Albert: 20 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Carlito Caribbean Cool: 20 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles, 1x accompanied)  
Jake Roberts: 20 wrestling matches (involved in 6 rumbles)  
Lita: 20 wrestling matches (22x accompanied others)  
Road Warrior Hawk: 20 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Savio Vega: 20 wrestling matches (involved in 6 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Ted Dibiase: 20 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 20x accompanied others)  
Vader: 20 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Brian Adams: 19 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 4x accompanied others)  
Charles Wright: 19 wrestling matches (involved in 8 rumbles, 5x accompanied others)  
Daniel Bryan: 19 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Great Khali: 19 wrestling matches (involved in 7 rumbles)  
Jacques Rougeau: 19 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Tajiri: 19 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Tito Santana: 19 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles)  
Bam Bam Bigelow: 18 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Dennis Knight: 18 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Marty Jannetty: 18 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Victoria: 18 wrestling matches (involved in 6 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Vince McMahon: 18 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (5x accompanied others)  
Wade Barrett: 18 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)

### More than 13 matches

Bart Gunn: 17 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Bobby Lashley: 17 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Chyna: 17 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 31x accompanied others)  
Kelly Kelly: 17 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Layla: 17 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 5x accompanied others)  
Scotty 2 Hotty: 17 wrestling matches (involved in 7 rumbles)  
Ultimate Warrior: 17 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Henry Godwinn: 16 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles)  
Hercules: 16 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Hurricane Helms: 16 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Jim Neidhart: 16 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Marc Mero: 16 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Spike Dudley: 16 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Ted Dibiase Jr: 16 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles)  
Ahmed Johnson: 15 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Charlie Haas: 15 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Drew McIntyre: 15 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles)  
Jim Duggan: 15 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Ken Kennedy: 15 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Mike Rotundo: 15 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Santino Marella: 15 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 4 rumbles, 4x accompanied others)  
Sid: 15 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Eve: 14 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 5x accompanied others)  
John Tenta: 14 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles)  
Mr Perfect: 14 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Rick Martel: 14 wrestling matches (involved in 7 rumbles)  
Roddy Piper: 14 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Torrie Wilson: 14 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Greg Valentine: 13 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Lance Storm: 13 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Natalya Neidhart: 13 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 8x accompanied others)  
Paul London: 13 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Rhyno: 13 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Scott Steiner: 13 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Steve Blackman: 13 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Tatanka: 13 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)

More than 9 matches

Barry Darsow: 12 wrestling matches (involved in 6 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Brutus Beefcake: 12 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Crash Holly: 12 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Evan Bourne: 12 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Ivory: 12 wrestling matches (5x accompanied others)  
Jacqueline: 12 wrestling matches (5x accompanied others)  
Jamie Noble: 12 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Lance Cade: 12 wrestling matches (1x accompanied others)  
Molly Holly: 12 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Sable: 12 wrestling matches (15x accompanied others)  
Tazz: 12 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Billy Kidman: 11 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Brian Christopher: 11 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Headbanger Mosh: 11 wrestling matches (involved in 6 rumbles)  
Joey Mercury: 11 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Rene Dupree: 11 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Sylvian Grenier: 11 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Andre the Giant: 10 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 2 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Brian Kendrick: 10 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Bull Buchanon: 10 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles)  
Don Harris: 10 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Headbanger Thrasher: 10 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Ricky Steamboat: 10 wrestling matches  
Rob Conway: 10 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Ron Harris: 10 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Sho Funaki: 10 wrestling matches (involved in 6 rumbles)  
Tommy Dreamer: 10 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Warlord: 10 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)



### More than 7 matches

Barbarian: 9 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Candice Michelle: 9 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Dino Bravo: 9 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Dynamite Kid: 9 wrestling matches  
Honkytonk Man: 9 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Jazz: 9 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Jimmy Snuka: 9 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Justin Gabriel: 9 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Lex Luger: 9 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Nikolai Volkoff: 9 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Perry Saturn: 9 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Raymond Rougeau: 9 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Rick Rude: 9 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Sgt Slaughter: 9 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Sin Cara: 9 wrestling matches  
Trevor Murdoch: 9 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Tyson Kidd: 9 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Bill Eadie: 8 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Bushwhacker Butch: 8 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Bushwhacker Luke: 8 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Chris Masters: 8 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Chuck Palumbo: 8 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Dusty Rhodes: 8 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Eugene: 8 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Haku: 8 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles)  
Koko B Ware: 8 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles)  
Maryse: 8 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 4x accompanied others)  
Nunzio: 8 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Taka Michinoku: 8 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Tom Prichard: 8 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)

### More than 5 matches

Alicia Fox: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Ashley: 7 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (1x accompanied others)  
Bill Goldberg: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Don Muraco: 7 wrestling matches  
Fred Ottman: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles)  
Gail Kim: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Heath Slater: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Jillian Hall: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 5x accompanied others)  
JTG: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles)  
Junkyard Dog: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Luna Vachon: 7 wrestling matches (11x accompanied others)  
One Man Gang: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles)  
Paul Roma: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Ryback: 7 wrestling matches  
Samu: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Scorpio: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Shad Gaspard: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Steven Richards: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 6x accompanied others)  
Super Crazy: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Virgil: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 12x accompanied others)  
Vladimir Kozlov: 7 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Bad News Brown: 6 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Brian Lee: 6 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Chris Candido: 6 wrestling matches  
Danny Basham: 6 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Dawn Marie: 6 wrestling matches (1x accompanied others)  
Dean Malenko: 6 wrestling matches  
DH Smith: 6 wrestling matches  
Doug Basham: 6 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Ezekiel Jackson: 6 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Gangrel: 6 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
John Heidenreich: 6 wrestling matches  
King Kong Bundy: 6 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Primo Colon: 6 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Raven: 6 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Rosey: 6 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Sabu: 6 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Terry Funk: 6 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)

### 5 wrestling matches

Beau Beverly: 5 wrestling matches

Blake Beverly: 5 wrestling matches

Brian Knobbs: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)

Bryan Clark: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)

Darren Young: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)

Elijah Burke: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)

Gene Snitsky: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)

Hornswoggle: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 10x accompanied others)

Iron Sheik: 5 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 2 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)

Jerry Saggs: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)

Jimmy Yang: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)

Jonathan Coachman: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)

Kenny Dykstra: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)

Kerry Von Erich: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)

Luther Reigns: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)

Maria: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)

Maven: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)

Pat Tanaka: 5 wrestling matches

Paul Orndorff: 5 wrestling matches

Rick Steiner: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)

Rico: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)

Stacy Keibler: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 8x accompanied others)

Zack Ryder: 5 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)

### More than 3 matches

Adrian Adonis: 4 wrestling matches  
Alundra Blayze: 4 wrestling matches  
Arn Anderson: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Barry Windham: 4 wrestling matches  
Boogeyman: 4 wrestling matches  
Boris Zhukov: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Brodus Clay: 4 wrestling matches (1x accompanied others)  
Carl Oulette: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Christy Hemme: 4 wrestling matches (1x accompanied others)  
Damien Sandow: 4 wrestling matches  
David Otunga: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Diamond Dallas Page: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Doink the Clown: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 4 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Doug Furnas: 4 wrestling matches  
Epico: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Eric Bischoff: 4 wrestling matches  
Fabulous Moolah: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Harley Race: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Jey Uso: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Jimmy Uso: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Kevin Thorn: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Kid Kash: 4 wrestling matches  
Mark Jindrak: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Mike Mondo: 4 wrestling matches  
Orlando Jordan: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Phil LaFon: 4 wrestling matches  
Psychosis: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Sandman: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Tamina: 4 wrestling matches (3x accompanied others)  
Terry Taylor: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles)  
Titus O'Neil: 4 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Tori: 4 wrestling matches (7x accompanied others)  
Tyson Tomko: 4 wrestling matches (5x accompanied others)

### 3 wrestling matches

Akio Sato: 3 wrestling matches (1x accompanied others)  
Antonio Cesaro: 3 wrestling matches  
Barry Horowitz: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Bob Backlund: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 5 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Bob Orton Jr: 3 wrestling matches (3x accompanied others)  
Bobby Heenan: 3 wrestling matches (34x accompanied others)  
Brian Pillman: 3 wrestling matches

Brie Bella: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Butch Reed: 3 wrestling matches  
Danny Davis: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Dean Douglas: 3 wrestling matches (1x accompanied others)  
Deuce: 3 wrestling matches (1x accompanied others)  
Dick Togo: 3 wrestling matches  
Domino: 3 wrestling matches  
Droz: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Hakushi: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Hunico: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Jackie Gayda: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Jesus Castillo: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Jim Brunzell: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Jimmy Del Ray: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Juventud Guerrera: 3 wrestling matches  
Kat: 3 wrestling matches (7x accompanied others)  
Ken Patera: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Kenzo Suzuki: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Kurrigan: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Lelani Kai: 3 wrestling matches  
Luke Gallows: 3 wrestling matches (2x accompanied others)  
Matt Striker: 3 wrestling matches (4x accompanied others)  
Max Mini: 3 wrestling matches  
Mens Teioh: 3 wrestling matches  
Michael Cole: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Miguel Perez: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Mike Knox: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Mo: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 7x accompanied others)  
Muhammad Hassan: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Robbie McAllister: 3 wrestling matches  
Ron Garvin: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Rory McAllister: 3 wrestling matches  
Sensational Sherri: 3 wrestling matches (12x accompanied others)  
Shannon Moore: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 4x accompanied others)  
Shawn Stasiak: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Simon Dean: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Stephanie McMahon: 3 wrestling matches (12x accompanied others)  
Terri: 3 wrestling matches (12x accompanied others)  
Tully Blanchard: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Tyler Reks: 3 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)

## 2 matches

Alex Riley: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles, 6x accompanied others)  
B Brian Blair: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Balls Mahoney: 2 wrestling matches  
Bertha Faye: 2 wrestling matches  
Berzerker: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Blue Meanie: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Butterbean: 2 wrestling matches  
Chris Kanyon: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Christopher Nowinski: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Corporal Kirchner: 2 wrestling matches  
Curt Hawkins: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Daivari: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 5x accompanied others)  
Debra: 2 wrestling matches (9x accompanied others)  
Dink the Clown: 2 wrestling matches (1x accompanied others)  
El Torito: 2 wrestling matches  
Essa Rios: 2 wrestling matches  
Fake Razor Ramon: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Giant Gonzalez: 2 wrestling matches  
Hillbilly Jim: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 3 rumbles, 7x accompanied others)  
Jim Powers: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Jim Ross: 2 wrestling matches (1x accompanied others)  
Johnny Jeter: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Jose Estrada Jr: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Judy Martin: 2 wrestling matches  
Kaitlyn: 2 wrestling matches  
Kamala: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Ludvig Borga: 2 wrestling matches  
Marcus Cor Von: 2 wrestling matches  
Masato Tanaka: 2 wrestling matches  
Mason Ryan: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Mike Awesome: 2 wrestling matches  
Moondog Spot: 2 wrestling matches  
Mosaic: 2 wrestling matches  
Mr T: 2 wrestling matches  
Nailz: 2 wrestling matches  
Nikki Bella: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Nova (AAA): 2 wrestling matches  
Patriot: 2 wrestling matches  
Paul Diamond: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Paul Heyman: 2 wrestling matches (16x accompanied others)  
Ricky Morton: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Robert Gibson: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Rockin' Robin: 2 wrestling matches

Rodney Mack: 2 wrestling matches  
Ron Bass: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Sapphire: 2 wrestling matches (1x accompanied others)  
Sean O'Haire: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Skinner: 2 wrestling matches (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Tarantula: 2 wrestling matches  
Teddy Long: 2 wrestling matches (7x accompanied others)  
Tony Mamaluke: 2 wrestling matches (1x accompanied others)  
Velvet McIntyre: 2 wrestling matches  
Vickie Guerrero: 2 wrestling matches (27x accompanied others)  
Zach Gowen: 2 wrestling matches (1x accompanied others)  
Zeus: 2 wrestling matches

### One Shot Stars

Aaron Relic: 1 wrestling match  
Aja Kong: 1 wrestling match  
Akebono: 1 wrestling match  
Antonio: 1 wrestling match  
Ariel: 1 wrestling match(1x accompanied others)  
Battalion: 1 wrestling match  
BB: 1 wrestling match  
Beulah McGillicutty: 1 wrestling match  
Big John Studd: 1 wrestling matches and won 1 battle royal (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Billy Jack Haynes: 1 wrestling match  
Bruce Hart: 1 wrestling match  
Buddy Landell: 1 wrestling match  
Buddy Rose: 1 wrestling match  
Bull Nakano: 1 wrestling match  
Camacho: 1 wrestling match(2x accompanied others)  
Carmella Descanre: 1 wrestling match  
Chaparita Asari: 1 wrestling match  
Cheezy: 1 wrestling match  
Cherry: 1 wrestling match(3x accompanied others)  
Dan Delany: 1 wrestling match  
Dan Severn: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Daniel Puder: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles)  
Danny Spivey: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles)  
Dave Taylor: 1 wrestling match  
David Sammartino: 1 wrestling match  
Dawn Marie (orig.): 1 wrestling match  
Dean Ambrose: 1 wrestling match(1x accompanied others)  
Donna Christianello: 1 wrestling match  
Dory Funk Jr: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles)

Duke Droese: 1 wrestling match(involved in 3 rumbles)  
Earl Hebner: 1 wrestling match  
El Canek: 1 wrestling match  
Floyd Mayweather: 1 wrestling match  
Fuerza Guerrera: 1 wrestling match  
Gen Adnan: 1 wrestling match(3x accompanied others)  
Genichiro Tenryu: 1 wrestling match(involved in 2 rumbles)  
George Steele: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
George Wells: 1 wrestling match  
Giant Silva: 1 wrestling match(1x accompanied others)  
Gillberg: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles)  
Great Sasuke: 1 wrestling match  
Haiti Kid: 1 wrestling match(1x accompanied others)  
Head: 1 wrestling match  
Heavy Metal: 1 wrestling match  
Hector Garza: 1 wrestling match  
Hugh Morrus: 1 wrestling match(involved in 2 rumbles)  
Ivan Putski: 1 wrestling match  
Jackyl: 1 wrestling match  
James Curtis: 1 wrestling match  
Jay Hatton: 1 wrestling match  
Jeff Gaylord: 1 wrestling match  
Jerry Estrada: 1 wrestling match  
Jesus: 1 wrestling match(1x accompanied others)  
Jim Cornette: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles, 35x accompanied others)  
Jinder Mahal: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles)  
Joey Abs: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles)  
John Laurinaitis: 1 wrestling match(1x accompanied others)  
Johnny Stamboli: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Jose Estrada Sr: 1 wrestling match  
Jose Lothario: 1 wrestling match(7x accompanied others)  
Jose Luis Riveria: 1 wrestling match  
Jumping Bomb Angels: 1 wrestling match  
Justin Credible: 1 wrestling match(involved in 3 rumbles)  
Katie Lea: 1 wrestling match(involved in 2 rumbles)  
Kaval: 1 wrestling match  
Keith Hart: 1 wrestling match  
Koji Kitao: 1 wrestling match  
Kristal: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles)  
Kyoko Inoue: 1 wrestling match  
Lanny Poffo: 1 wrestling match(5x accompanied others)  
Lawrence Taylor: 1 wrestling match  
Lioness Asuka: 1 wrestling match  
Little Beaver: 1 wrestling match



Little Boogeyman: 1 wrestling match  
Little Tokyo: 1 wrestling match  
Lord Littlebrook: 1 wrestling match  
Louie Spicolli: 1 wrestling match  
Mae Young: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Maria Menounos: 1 wrestling match  
Marty Garner: 1 wrestling match  
Matt Borne: 1 wrestling match  
Matt Morgan: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Michael Hayes: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Michael Tarver: 1 wrestling match  
Mike Shaw: 1 wrestling match  
Mr Fuji: 1 wrestling match(38x accompanied others)  
Mr Hughes: 1 wrestling match(3x accompanied others)  
Naomi: 1 wrestling match(4x accompanied others)  
Nathan Jones: 1 wrestling match  
Nick Mitchell: 1 wrestling match(3x accompanied others)  
Nick Patrick: 1 wrestling match  
Nicole Bass: 1 wrestling match(1x accompanied others)  
Nidia: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles, 6x accompanied others)  
Pantera: 1 wrestling match  
Pat Patterson: 1 wrestling match  
Paul Burchill: 1 wrestling match(1x accompanied others)  
Paul Ellering: 1 wrestling match(2x accompanied others)  
Perro Aguayo: 1 wrestling match  
Pete Gas: 1 wrestling match(involved in 2 rumbles)  
Pink: 1 wrestling match  
Queazy: 1 wrestling match  
Ray Gordy: 1 wrestling match  
Ricardo Rodriguez: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles)  
Rob Grymes: 1 wrestling match  
Rodney: 1 wrestling match(involved in 2 rumbles)  
Roman Reigns: 1 wrestling match(1x accompanied others)  
Romeo: 1 wrestling match  
Sakie Hasegawa: 1 wrestling match  
Sam Houston: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles)  
Santa Claus: 1 wrestling match  
Scott Casey: 1 wrestling match  
Scott Putski: 1 wrestling match  
SD Jones: 1 wrestling match  
Seth Rollins: 1 wrestling match(1x accompanied others)  
Shaniqua: 1 wrestling match(1x accompanied others)  
Sharmell: 1 wrestling match(15x accompanied others)  
Sleazy: 1 wrestling match

Sniper: 1 wrestling match(involved in 1 rumbles)  
Snooki: 1 wrestling match  
Steve Lombardi: 1 wrestling match(involved in 2 rumbles, 4x accompanied others)  
Sylvester Terkay: 1 wrestling match  
Tama: 1 wrestling match  
Terry Gordy: 1 wrestling match(1x accompanied others)  
Tom Zenk: 1 wrestling match  
Tomoko Watanabe: 1 wrestling match  
Ultimo Dragon: 1 wrestling match  
Uncle Elmer: 1 wrestling match  
Wendi Richter: 1 wrestling match  
Wink: 1 wrestling match

### Others

Abraham Washington: (1x accompanied others)  
Afa: (10x accompanied others)  
AJ: (1x accompanied others)  
Aksana: (3x accompanied others)  
Alice Cooper: (1x accompanied others)  
Armando Allejandro Estrada: (8x accompanied others)  
Bam Neely: (2x accompanied others)  
Baron: (1x accompanied others)  
Big Guido: (2x accompanied others)  
Bill Alphonso: (1x accompanied others)  
Bill Fralic: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Bill Irwin: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Brooke: (involved in 2 rumbles)  
Brother Love: (involved in 2 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Bruiser Mastino: (1x accompanied others)  
Bruno Sammartino: (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Cameron: (4x accompanied others)  
Carl Banks: (1x accompanied others)  
Carlos Colon: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Chavo Guerrero Sr: (4x accompanied others)  
Chester McCheeserton: (1x accompanied others)  
Chris Spielman: (1x accompanied others)  
Clarence Mason: (10x accompanied others)  
Colin Delaney: (1x accompanied others)  
Cybernetico: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Cyndi Lauper: (1x accompanied others)  
Damien Demento: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Diana Hart Smith: (3x accompanied others)  
Dick Murdoch: (involved in 1 rumbles)

Dominick: (1x accompanied others)  
Donald Trump: (1x accompanied others)  
Doug Gilbert: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Drew Carey: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Dutch Mantel: (4x accompanied others)  
Ernest Miller: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Ernie Holmes: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Freddie Blassie: (2x accompanied others)  
Frenchy Martin: (5x accompanied others)  
Great Kabuki: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Harvey Martin: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Harvey Wippleman: (12x accompanied others)  
Headhunter A: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Headhunter B: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Hector Guerrero: (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Hiroku: (2x accompanied others)  
Howard Finkel: (1x accompanied others)  
Hurricane: (involved in 4 rumbles)  
Husky Harris: (involved in 1 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)  
Ice-T: (1x accompanied others)  
Insane Clown Posse: (1x accompanied others)  
Jamison: (1x accompanied others)  
Jenny McCarthy: (1x accompanied others)  
Jimbo Covert: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Jimmy Hart: (56x accompanied others)  
Joe Frazier: (1x accompanied others)  
John Tolos: (1x accompanied others)  
Johnny V: (4x accompanied others)  
Joy Giovanni: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
JT Smith: (1x accompanied others)  
Ken Norton Jr: (1x accompanied others)  
Kharma: (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Latin Lover: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Lena: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Linda McMahon: (2x accompanied others)  
Lou Albano: (5x accompanied others)  
Lou Duva: (1x accompanied others)  
Luna: (1x accompanied others)  
Mama Benjamin: (1x accompanied others)  
Mantaur: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Manu: (2x accompanied others)  
Marlena: (17x accompanied others)  
Matt Cappotelli: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Michael McGillicutty: (involved in 2 rumbles, 2x accompanied others)

Mikey Whipwreck: (1x accompanied others)  
Mil Mascaras: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Miss Elizabeth: (16x accompanied others)  
Oliver Humperdink: (1x accompanied others)  
Oscar: (6x accompanied others)  
Ozzy Osbourne: (1x accompanied others)  
Palmer Canon: (1x accompanied others)  
Pamela Anderson: (1x accompanied others)  
Paul Bearer: (53x accompanied others)  
Pedro Morales: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
PG-13: (4x accompanied others)  
Pierroth: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Reggie White: (1x accompanied others)  
Ricky Jackson: (1x accompanied others)  
Robert Fuller: (3x accompanied others)  
Rocco Rock: (1x accompanied others)  
Rosa Mendes: (involved in 1 rumbles, 3x accompanied others)  
Runjin Singh: (13x accompanied others)  
Russ Francis: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Ryan Shamrock: (2x accompanied others)  
Sara: (1x accompanied others)  
Sean Evans: (involved in 1 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Serena: (4x accompanied others)  
Shane Douglas: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Sika: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Sinister Minister: (1x accompanied others)  
Sir Oliver Humperdink: (1x accompanied others)  
Slick: (24x accompanied others)  
Steve McMichael: (1x accompanied others)  
Steven Dunn: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Stu Hart: (1x accompanied others)  
Sunny: (involved in 1 rumbles, 11x accompanied others)  
Superstar Billy Graham: (2x accompanied others)  
Takao Omari: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Ted Arcidi: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Tiffany: (involved in 2 rumbles, 1x accompanied others)  
Tiger Ali Singh: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Timothy Well: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Tom Brandi: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
Tony Anthony: (1x accompanied others)  
Tony Atlas: (involved in 2 rumbles, 7x accompanied others)  
Tracy Smothers: (1x accompanied others)  
Trinity: (1x accompanied others)  
unknown: (3x accompanied others)

Vito: (1x accompanied others)  
Walter Payton: (1x accompanied others)  
William Perry: (involved in 1 rumbles)  
WWF referees: (1x accompanied others)  
Yamaguchi-san: (4x accompanied others)  
Yoshi Tatsu: (involved in 3 rumbles)