



# The IWA Report

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## Johnny B Says

We're kicking off our 33rd year in imaginary existence by implementing two suggestions submitted by our awesome players! First, of course, is the new Elite Championship that everyone's been talking about. Congratulations to manager **Louis Ruggiero** for his stellar performance this cycle! Wear your real-life belt with pride.

The other request concerned the disparity between the World Champion's staggering \$300,000 purse and the U.S. Champion's paltry (by comparison) sum of \$60,000. Long ago, when we raised the World prize from \$100,000 to its current level, we neglected to share the love with our other major titles. It's time to rectify that.

From now on, our United States Champion will receive a more respectable \$100,000. The Metropolitan belt, instead of \$0, will be worth the same \$25,000 as our other Specialty titles. Federation champions, as well as the Ladies' World Champion, will enjoy a \$10,000 boost, and IWA-wide regional titleholders, the Ladies' U.S. Champion, and our U.S. Tag-team and Six-man Champions will see an extra \$5,000 on their checks.

The World Champion will be awarded the same amount of imaginary money and number of

free matches as before, but will no longer forfeit his federation prize. Listing that information separately eliminates the need, when reading the Federations section of the *Report*, to know and keep in mind that one of the six wrestlers did not receive the stated prize.

There is a third request from our players we are honoring this cycle, but it's a request to *not* do something: we recently asked you to decide the fate of our "six holds in a row" rule, and you voted to keep the rule by a ratio of just over two-to-one. We greatly appreciate everyone taking time out of their busy schedules to think about this important issue, and offering such valuable feedback on the subject.

Next time, our **Specialty Championships** return!

## Hall of Fame Inductees – engraved plaque

Terrance Haggard of Illinois  
**TJH INC: Christopher Brian**  
(CCL)  
1,115-308-68, \$2,785,700 \*42

Richard King of Pennsylvania  
**AJ Sabotage** (NWL)  
1,036-164-50, \$1,352,500 \*4

## World, U.S., King of the Ring

World Champion  
**IMT/ARMY: Nailz** (XWL)  
*Jeff Chambers of Iowa; 500; Diamond Federation prize + \$250,000 + 75 free matches or a real wrestling belt & 25 free matches*

U.S. Champion  
**IMT/ARMY: Chainz** (XWL)  
*Jeff Chambers; 500; \$100,000 + a large plaque or 25 free matches; edged BLOOD MONEY; Senor Lucha (IWL)*

King of the Ring  
**VIRUS: Big Baller Lavar Ball**  
(HRL)  
*Derek Tuttle of Florida; 500; a large plaque or 25 free matches; 276 KotR total; hold positions were 3, 4, 6, 7, 9, 12, 13, 15; battle royal hold positions were 1, 2, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14*

## Specialty Titles – \$25,000 + 10 free matches

American Champion  
**"The UNnatural" Vic Villain**  
(ASL)  
*Louis Ruggiero of Massachusetts; 500*

Asiatic Champion  
**VIRUS: Big Baller Lavar Ball**  
(HRL)  
*Derek Tuttle of Florida; 500*

Elite Champion  
**Vic Villain**  
*60 free matches or a real wrestling belt & 10 free matches*

Hardcore Champion  
**IMT/ARMY: Nailz** (XWL)  
*Jeff Chambers of Iowa; 500*

Metropolitan Champion  
**Vic Villain**

**Federation Play-offs – \$50,000 + 25 free matches**

Iron Federation Champion

**Jimmy “The Body” Janos** (QPL)  
*Steven M. Shottliff of Minnesota;*  
500

Steel Federation Champion

**IMT: “Grey Ghost”  
Mittons the Cat** (IIL)  
*David Trousdale of Michigan;*  
*edged VIRUS/LOR:*  
*Annoying Reveler #4 (OSL),*  
*BURN/LOR: King Butcher (AWL),*  
*BUCS: Chad Chad (LPL)*

Gold Federation Champion

**“The UNnatural” Vic Villain**  
(ASL)  
*Louis Ruggiero of Massachusetts;*  
500

Diamond Federation Champion

**IMT/ARMY: Nailz** (XWL)  
*Jeff Chambers of Iowa;*  
500

Bronze Federation Champion

**VIRUS: Big Baller Lavar Ball**  
(HRL)  
*Derek Tuttle of Florida;*  
500

Jade Federation Champion

**IMT/ARMY:  
Wal-Mart Photographer** (TGL)  
*Jeff Chambers*

**National, IWA-wide Regionals – \$25,000**

National Champion

**IMT: The Grappling God  
Gerald Robinson #12** (SVL)  
*Gerald Robinson of Tennessee; 501;*  
*a large plaque or 25 free matches;*  
*Northern region*

Atlantic Champion

**EDGE: Gold Ninja #3** (KHL)  
*Joshua Haight of Wisconsin; 500;*  
*edged EDGE/H25:*  
*Amfetameen Antelope (AOL),*  
*FOE/LOR: Sylar Enigma (SHL),*  
*VIRUS: Mascara de los Muertos*  
(HRL)

Central Champion

**EDGE: Mike Hotshot** (SVL)  
*Joshua Haight; 499; edged*  
*UL/FOE: Violent Vinas Athena*  
(GRL), *EDGE/ROT:*  
*“Pop Culture” Peter Cross (CWL),*  
*VIRUS/TK: Good Ol’ Bob Wilkers*  
(KHL), *EDGE: Operation (MEL)*

Dixie Champion

**EDGE: Travis Thunder** (SVL)  
*Joshua Haight;*  
500

Eastern Champion

**IMT/ARMY: Norman Smiley  
impersonating The Rock** (CCL)  
*Jerry Anderson of Michigan;*  
*500; edged TM:*  
*Nicholas “The Flood” Rysen (XPL)*

Mountain Champion

**IMT/ARMY: Norman Smiley  
impersonating The Big Show**  
(CCL)  
*Jerry Anderson;*  
501

Pacific Champion

**IMT/ARMY: Larry Larry Barry**  
(APL)  
*Jerry Anderson; 500*

Prairie Champion

**The Masked Texas Outlaw** (BRL)  
*Anonymous from the Collective,*  
*Parts Unknown;*  
500

Southern Champion

**IMT/ARMY: Hulk Cosby** (APL)  
*Jerry Anderson; 500*

Western Champion

**IMT: Welfare Willie** (SVL)  
*Gerald Robinson; 500; edged*  
*VIRUS/AI: Crown (XWL)*

**Ladies’ Titles**

Ladies’ World Champion

**EDGE: Finding Nena** (VUL)  
*Michael Cook of Kentucky;*  
*\$50,000 + a plaque*  
*or 15 free matches*

Ladies’ U.S. Champion

**TM: “The Elegant”  
Eloise Mackinac** (VUL)  
*Cevon Whitehead*  
*of North Carolina; \$25,000; edged*  
*VIRUS/VD: Hairy Carrie (MDL),*  
*VIRUS/VD: Krabby Patty (LLL),*  
*Winter Gore (RWL)*

Queen of the Ring

**IMT/LPPF:  
Mistress of the Underworld #4**  
(FFL)  
*Michael Eaves of Mississippi; 499;*  
*269 QotR total*

Ladies’ National Champion

**IMT/LPPF:  
Masked Misfit Toy #2** (VUL)  
*Michael Eaves; 499; edged*  
*Mistress of the Underworld #4,*  
*VIRUS: Miss Thing (MDL),*  
*VIRUS: Miss Leading (MDL),*  
*EDGE: Spider-Woman (VUL)*

Ladies’ Tag-team Champions

**VIRUS: Carnage Clan Catalyst  
& VIRUS/VD: Ms. Perky** (VVL)  
*Michael Drake*  
*♠ Frank Jay Belcher III; 516*

Ladies’ U.S. Tag-team Champions

**VIRUS: Carnage Clan Crusher  
& VIRUS/VD: Zombie #69**  
(VVL)  
*Michael Drake*  
*♠ Frank Jay Belcher III; 516*

World Six-woman Champions

**VIRUS: Bloodshed Brawler  
Becky, F. Burger, VIRUS/BOD:  
Snake Charmer** (VUL)  
*Michael Drake of New Jersey,*  
*Mitchell Johnson,*  
*Frank Jay Belcher III,*  
*both of Michigan; Belcher*  
*held titles 3 cycles in a row; 521*

U.S. Six-woman Champions

**VIRUS: Devastation Destroyers  
Debbie, Dutch,  
VIRUS/BOD: Corn Hole** (VUL)  
*Michael Drake*  
*♠ Frank Jay Belcher III (Hole); 521*

## Tag-team Titles

World Tag-team Champions

**Quebec Hitman MRP**

**& The Russian Reaper** (UNL)

*Maurice Plante of Canada;*  
*ranked #5 last time; share of*  
*\$50,000 + 15 free matches*

**EDGE: Ghostface Killa**

**Sully Annable**

**& Factory Supervisor Mike Cook**

(OSL)

*Jamie Davis & Michael Cook,*  
*both of Kentucky*

**IMT/AR15: Close the Borders**

**& Second Amendment** (NDL)

*Kevin Elrod of Ohio*

**IMT: Intellectual Hero**

**& IMT/ARMY: Brickwall Blood**

(WDL)

*Solomon Shaw of Maine*

*& Robbie "Blood" Pawelek of Texas*

Top Contenders

5. IMT/LPPF: Lenny

*& IMT/VS: Sheik Achmed*  
*Abdul Juan Tiki Tiki (GRL)*

6. VIRUS/LOR: Oliver Canada

*& Loco Brooks (CCL)*

7. IMT: Jim Dalen

*& "The Brother of Jim Dalen"*  
*Mark (IIL)*

8. IMT/ARMY: Moldy Pistachio

*& IMT: Gerald*

*"The Enforcer" Robinson*  
*(MEL)*

*ranked #3 last time,*  
*champions before that*

*IMT: The Grappling God*

*Gerald Robinson #6 &*

*VIRUS: IWA Savior #1 (SVL)*

*IMT/ARMY:*

*Man of a Thousand Gifs*

*& Pigmy Penguin (HWL)*

*ARMY/IMT: Col. Dirk*

*& IMT/ARMY: Sgt. Dagger*  
*Vanderback (BRL)*

*VIRUS/FOE: Masked Mauler*

*#7 & VIRUS: Gweedo (KKL)*

13. VIRUS/LOR: "Terrific"

*Terrance Davis*

*& BURN/LOR: "Terrible"*

*John Haggard (AWL)*

14. EDGE: Gene's

*Tag Factory Worker #12*

*& The Silent Assassin (QPL)*

*ranked #3 last time*

15. Bronze Bruiser #13

*& EDGE: "The Challenger"*

*Rick Dodge (EHL)*

*IMT/ARMY: Larry Larry*

*Terry & Hulk Cosby (APL)*

*VIRUS/FOE: Mark Madness*

*& Pedro Enigma (CSL)*

*VIRUS: Parvo & Polio (WEL)*

19. EDGE/H25: Buff Sackgood

*& Diamond Houston Leaflet*

*(SWL)*

20. VIRUS: White & Green

*Rangers (CZL)*

21. Milton Schnozzbuster

*& Pokey McSnail (CWL)*

22. VIRUS: Salmonella & Masked

*Millionaire #28 (HRL)*

*previous champions*

*VIRUS/FOE: Majestic Mar-*

*shall Magnum & Spectacular*

*Spencer Spectrum (REL)*

24. EDGE: Scrabble & Balderdash

*(IGL)*

*previous champions*

25. ARMY/IMT: "Extreme One"

*Vic Carver & "Patriarch of*

*Violence" Kelvin Black (AAL)*

26. IMT/LPPF: Reginald Taylor

*& IMT/SUPER\*: Bonecrusher*

*Bobby Stryker (PKL)*

*last of the teams with 516*

U.S. Tag-team Champions

**VIRUS: Tonsillitis & Shingles**

(SWL)

*Frank Jay Belcher III of Michigan;*

*share of \$25,000*

**VIRUS: Ponyboy & Arthur** (IIL)

*Randall Angel*

*from the Republic of Texas*

**EDGE: Factory Janitor Jerry**

**Jeffy & EDGE/ROT: Tres** (OSL)

*Michael Cook & Rich Reilly*

*of New Jersey; 516; edged IMT:*

*The Ghost of Christmas Present*

*& IMT/ARMY: "Superstar" Robbie*

*Blood (WEL), IMT: Gerald*

*"The Magnificent" Robinson &*

*IMT/ARMY: Masked Intruder #1*

*(MEL; missed titles by point flow*

*last time, champions before that),*

*IMT/ARMY: Bear & George Fore-*

*man Grills (HWL), IMT/ARMY:*

*Lord Sheldon Bishop & IMT/???:*

*Classy Eddie Degrassi (BRL),*

*VIRUS/FOE: Masked Mauler #9*

*& VIRUS: Medusa "The Serpent"*

*Burns (KKL), VIRUS: Masked Mil-*

*lionaire #22 & Aneurysm (HRL),*

*MWC: Guy from Minnesota &*

*Joe Dirt (IGL), IMT/ARMY: Anti-*

*Inflammatory & Antibiotics*

*(AOL), VIRUS/FOE: Kid Extreme*

*& "Simpleminded" Chris Phoenix*

*(NDL), ARMY/IMT: Stitches*

*O'Malley & Botch Armstrong*

*(AAL)*

## Six-man Titles

World Six-man Champions

**VIRUS/FOE: Buttersworth**

**Henchmen I, II, III** (JDL)

**VIRUS/FOE: Chinese Delivery**

**Man Wong, Bootleg-selling**

**DVD Man, Major Blud** (PGL)

*Hamilton Ortiz of New York;*

*manager retained titles; share of*

*\$50,000 + 15 free matches*

**VIRUS/FOE:**

**Carpet, Rug, Sun Burn** (TDL)

*Jerry Martin of Indiana*

**VIRUS: Raven, Dysentery,**

**Jakarta Flu** (EEL)

*Randall Angel*

*from the Republic of Texas*

**VIRUS: Stan Steve,**

**Really Tall Jim, The American**

**War Veteran** (GWL)

*Derek Tuttle of Florida*

**VIRUS: Scrambled Egger,**

**Biscuits, Fedor** (HWL)

*Frank Jay Belcher III of Michigan*

*& Michael Drake of New Jersey*

*(Fedor)*

**IMT: The Monster of Florence,**

**Godlike Johnny Phoenix,**

**Omen of Death** (YJL)

*Solomon Shaw of Maine;*

*manager retained titles*

**IMT/AR15: Icon, Articles of Confederation, Due Process (NDL)**  
**IMT: Scissor Me Timbers, Lindsay Lohan's Liquor Cabinet, Sandusky Tickle Monster (CSL)**  
*Kevin Elrod of Ohio*  
**IMT/ARMY: Randall, Billy Bones, Mr. Scott (AWL)**  
**IMT/ARMY: Dr. Octavia, Graveyard Disciple, 28 Floods Later (NBL)**  
*Jeff Chambers of Iowa*  
**IMT: BOTB Six-man Sociopaths #1, #2, #3 (DXL)**  
*"The Game" from Parts Unknown*  
**IMT/ARMY: Blood Threats 1, 2, 3 (MUL)**  
*Robbie "Blood" Pawelek of Texas*  
**IMT: Chief Grady, Downtown Bruno, IMT/ARMY: Rhino Jones (IML)**  
*"The Game," Gerald Robinson of Tennessee, Robbie Pawelek*  
**IMT/ARMY: Sinister Steve Harvey, See the Battle Royal, Yargh! the Swervey Pirate (MML)**  
*Jerry Anderson of Michigan*  
**MWC: The Rockin' Redneck, Commissioner's Bodyguard, The Scramblin' Hillbilly (QPL)**  
*Steven M. Shotliff of Minnesota*  
**TBABIT: Frederick Xavier, Graham Underwood, Kennedy Cage (IWL)**  
*Seth Brubaker of Ohio*  
**EDGE: Mike "Duves" Cook, Cook's Tag Partner, EDGE/ROT: Rye Guy 8 (MEL)**  
*Michael Cook of Kentucky & Rich Reilly of New Jersey (Guy)*

#### Top Contenders

19. IMT/VIS: Arson, Wonderful Wally Brown, Deadly David Death (GRL)
20. VIRUS/FOE: Satanicos I, II, III (SWL)

21. EDGE: Living Legend, Elite J.H., Excellence (WEL)  
*last of the teams with 521*

#### U.S. Six-man Champions

**IMT/ARMY: Aditya Swervhotra, Masked Wrestler #5, ARMY/IMT: Sugar Skull Charlie (QPL)**

*Jeff Chambers, Jerry Anderson, Donald Henry of Illinois; Henry retained titles; share of \$25,000*

**IMT: Saul, Moondog Spot, IMT/ARMY: T.S.T. (IML)**  
*"The Game," Gerald Robinson, Robbie Pawelek*

**VIRUS/FOE: Scrubbing Bubbles, Mr. Clean, Toilet Duck (MUL)**  
*Jerry Martin*

**VIRUS/FOE: Masked Messiahs #2, #3, #4 (CSL)**  
*Chris Miler of Michigan*

**VIRUS: Ares, Dionysus Royal, Robin (EEL)**  
*Randall Angel*

**VIRUS: General Whoshenburger, Nick Gage, Reigns (HWL)**  
*Frank Jay Belcher III (Whoshenburger) & Michael Drake*

**EDGE/H25: Bret "The Hitman" Hart, EDGE/ROT: Rye Guy 14, EDGE: Candy Land (MEL)**  
*Michael Cook, Rich Reilly, Jeff Annable of Canada; 521*

#### Top 10 Leagues

1. NWL (1,193 matches) 476.863
2. BRL (1,021 matches) 492.327
3. LWL (754 matches) 488.792
4. ASL (709 matches) 488.349
5. LNL (683 matches) 491.952
6. UWL (677 matches) 489.571
7. CWL (633 matches) 492.679  
*won the two matches for \$1 cycle for having the highest average strategy total (counting only active wrestlers)*

8. QPL (572 matches) 489.298
9. DXL (545 matches) 490.953
10. IWL (526 matches) 490.796

#### Top 20 Victories – active wrestlers only

1. Arsenal (PGL) 19,044-2,416-636
2. VIRUS: Mike Drake (HWL) 11,481-1,245-310
3. VIRUS: Cpl. Punishment (LBL) 9,871-578-145
4. Kaptain Kryptonite (NBL) 9,233-1,833-535
5. IMT/DoD: Sir Gunther Kinderwacht (BRL) 8,896-783-221
6. Death Warrant (CWL) 7,107-621-129
7. DFI: American Freedom Fighter E.J. (SHL) 6,688-1,042-279
8. LPPF: Medieval Tymes (GRL) 6,645-919-166
9. Dan the Man (HSL) 6,585-1,147-221
10. IMT/VIS: Wonderful Wally Brown (GRL) 6,503-605-210
11. "Mr. Everything" Kirk Lockran (AWL) 6,380-1,529-316
12. NGAA: Rydia Stormer (MDL) 5,765-1,680-318
13. EDGE: Demon (BBL) 5,614-2,461-110
14. MWC: Pete the Geek (IGL) 5,082-998-161
15. IMT/???: Sinister Steve Stryker (BRL) 4,842-567-183
16. NGAA: Hawkeye Science (HLL) 4,803-1,202-192
17. VIRUS: Mike Drake (EEL) 4,562-859-128
18. MC: Merlin (STL) 4,454-1,556-121
19. BWE: Cujo (GRL) 4,443-1,138-271
20. MC: White Tiger Mask (STL) 4,345-2,028-55