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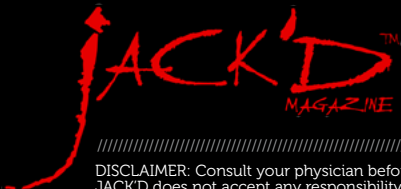
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derek hart

Welcome to the Arnold Classic Special Edition of JACK'D MAGAZINE!

Wow, another year of the Arnold Sports Festival has come and gone – and what a show it was. This is the biggest tradeshow and festival of the year in the sport of bodybuilding and fitness and the one weekend brings in 25% of the yearly revenue for the city of Columbus; so when people tell you this show is big, they mean it! From MMA, to fencing, strongman to bikini, power lifting to arm wrestling, and of course bodybuilding and so much more, it's no wonder that The Arnold Sports Festival was #7 on our bodybuilding bucket list from issue #2 featuring MuscleMeds Athlete Kai Greene on the cover. In this Arnold Classic Special Issue we have over 250 pages of contest coverage featuring every IFBB Pro athlete who was invited to take part in this amazing weekend. Figure, Fitness, Bikini, Women's and Men's Bodybuilding, as well as some of the strongest men in the world who competed in the Arnold Strong Man Competition each and every one of these athletes deserves our applause and admiration for competing in this great event and helping it make the success it was!

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Arnold Classic Champion  
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## JACK'D PAYS TRIBUTE TO THE ONE & ONLY JOE WEIDER

In every industry there has to be a 'first,' somebody who's blood, sweat and tears launched a movement; somebody who's vision paved the way for everyone else. And much as the auto industry has Henry Ford, and Silicon Valley has Steve Jobs, we in the sport of bodybuilding have Joe Weider, a man who's legacy stretches as far back as 1940 when he first launched the magazine *Your Physique*, which later became known as *Muscle Builder*.

Weider's contribution to the launch of the bodybuilding and fitness movement will never be matched. Not only was he a publishing mogul responsible for countless books and for the likes of *Muscle & Fitness*, *Flex* and *Men's Fitness* magazines, he also launched exercise equipment, sports nutritional supplements and of course, is the man behind the creation of the Mr. Olympia contest, the biggest show on the bodybuilding calendar; and along with his brother, the IFBB (International Federation of Bodybuilders). Modern day competitive bodybuilding, as we know it, was created by Joe Weider.

Weider discovered and mentored countless professional bodybuilders over the years, not the least of which is one Arnold Schwarzenegger. His continued commitment to promoting the health and fitness movement, including the advancement of the Weider training principles, changed people's lives and set the table for the movement, and the sport as we know it today.

On March 23, 2013 Joe Weider passed away at his home in Los Angeles, California. Left to carry on his legacy is his wife Betty, his daughter Lydia, his three grandchildren ... and all of us. Whether you call him the Master Blaster or the Godfather of bodybuilding, never forget that not only was Joe Weider the first, he was the best.

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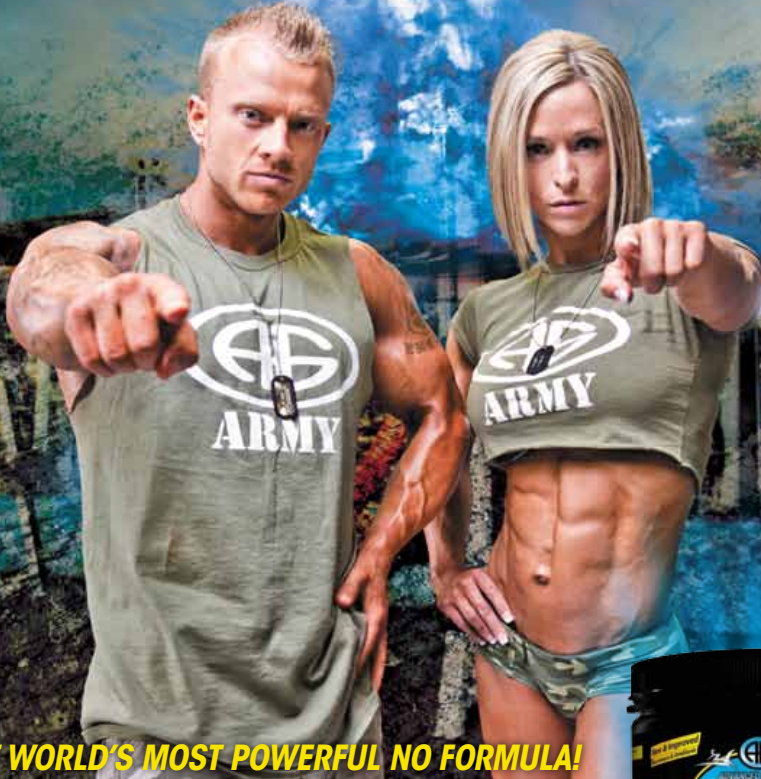
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# REVIEW

What can you say, the 25th Anniversary of the Arnold Sports Festival was a huge success; it was bigger and better than ever! As soon as you started getting close the convention center you could see the hordes of fans making their way to take part in the biggest event in bodybuilding next to the Olympia, and certainly the biggest event for the city of Columbus and even the world; only a handful can come close. This is why hundreds of thousands of people flock to Columbus every year to take part in the event. Words can't describe how crazy the city gets and how you can actually feel the excitement in the air. There's no doubt about it, you need to experience the Arnold Sports Festival at least once in your lifetime – especially if you are a hard-core bodybuilding fan! Not only will you see some of the best bodybuilders, fitness, figure, bikini, strongmen, power lifters, arm wrestlers etc. etc, (it goes on forever), you'll have a chance to meet and greet them on the expo floor as well.



Not only that, you get to experience the Fitness International, Figure International, Ms. International, Bikini International, the Arnold Strongman competition and of course, the Arnold Classic competitions live on stage. There's nothing that compares to seeing these athletes live in person, competing on stage in front of thousands of fans. Sure you see them in the pages of magazines and on tv screens around the world, but nothing compares to seeing them live and feel the energy as they hit each pose perfectly as they compete for one of bodybuilding's greatest titles.

Within the following pages we'll highlight every IFBB Pro and Strongman who competed the weekend of March 1st and try to give you a sample of what it felt like to be at the show if you weren't able to make it this year. Sit back, relax and enjoy JACK'D's coverage of the 25th Anniversary of the Arnold Sports Festival.



CANDICE KEENE



Figure International

## FIGURE INTERNATIONAL

This year was the 10th anniversary of the Figure International competition and it wasn't without some noticeable highlights, most of which was that of Candice Keene taking her first Figure International title and besting reigning Figure Olympia champion Erin Stern who took third, and Heather Dees who placed second. Will this be a preview of the battle that will happen at this year's Olympia? We'll have to wait until September to find out, but in any case it means that the title is certainly up for grabs.

With great muscle tone, shape and symmetry, Candice battled it out with Stern in prejudging and held her shape into the finals where she took the title of Figure International champion as well as a check for \$16,000 and a Tony Nowak Originals Champions Jacket. Congratulations Candice on your win!

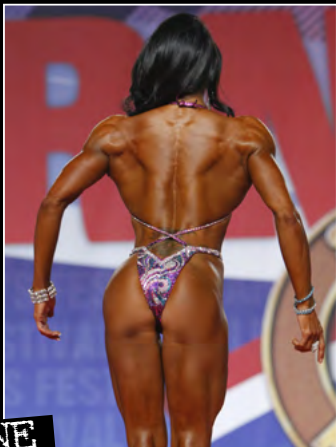
Heather Dees of Utah, who placed fifth in the Figure International last year, went from third place in prejudging to second place during the finals at night and earned herself a nice take home of \$10,000. Her light up the room smile and almost flawless physique won the judges and the crowd over; look for Heather to do great things in the future.

Erin Stern, reigning Figure Olympia champion finished third and earned herself an \$8,000 prize. Erin looked great during prejudging where it was a fight with Candice but she seemed to have spilled over and flattened out a little bit which held her back from taking the title at night. She still looked amazing; but at this level even the slightest hiccup can make or break you. We predict that this will only add fuel to Erin's fire as she trains for the Olympia and her title defence.

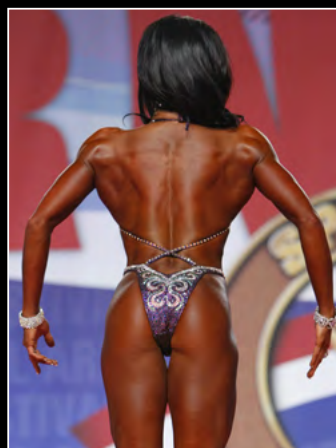
Fourth-place went to Candice Lewis of Arizona. Along with a check for \$5,000. Candice is another one to watch for in the figure ranks as her muscle tone and flawless skin pop on stage. In fifth-place was Mallory Haldeman of Las Vegas, taking home \$3,000 and sixth-place was Camala Rodriguez of Colorado who took home \$2,000. These ladies are the best of the best in figure and we applaud each and every one of them for taking part in the show!



**FIGURE**



**1. CANDICE KEENE**



**2. HEATHER DEES**



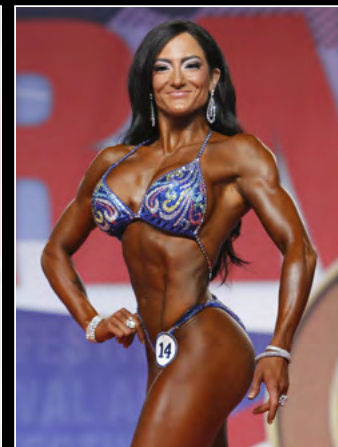
**3. ERIN STERN**



4. CANDICE LEWIS



5. MALLORY HALDEAN



6. CAMALA RODRIGUEZ

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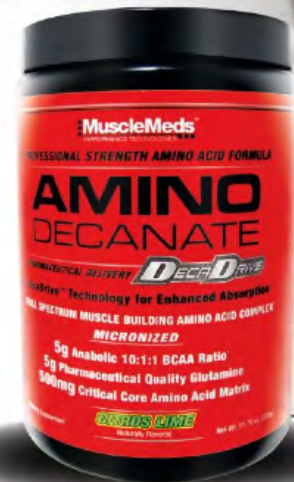
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**1<sup>ST</sup>**  
**CANDICE**  
**KEENE**



**CELEBRATING HER BIRTHDAY AT THE ARNOLD, CANDICE TOOK FIRST WITH A LEAN, WELL-SCULPTED PHYSIQUE. HER DELTS AND BACK LOOKED AMAZING... FUTURE MS. OLYMPIA IN THE MAKING HERE!**



**2<sup>ND</sup>**  
**HEATHER**  
**DEES**



**AFTER PLACING 4<sup>TH</sup> AT THE OLYMPIA HEATHER DIALED IT IN AND ALMOST TOOK FIRST AT THE ARNOLD. A FEW WEEKS LATER SHE TOOK FIRST AT THE GOVENORS CUP ... LOOK FOR A BATTLE THIS YEAR BETWEEN HER, CANDICE AND ERINI!**



**3<sup>RD</sup>**  
**ERIN**  
**STERN**



**ERIN LOOKED GOOD BUT WAS BESTED BY CANDICE DURING THE CALLOUT AT NIGHT. WE'RE CERTAIN THAT ERIN WILL GO ALL OUT TO DEFEND HER OLYMPIA CROWN IN VEGAS.**



**4TH**  
**CANDICE**  
**LEWIS**





**A TINEE, TINY WAIST WITH A WIDE BACK AND SHOULDERS EARNED CANDICE HER 4<sup>TH</sup> PLACE FINISH. WE EXPECT GREAT THINGS FROM THIS MASTERS OLYMPIA CHAMPION IN 2013 ON THE IFFP PRO STAGE!**



**5<sup>TH</sup>**  
**MALLORY**  
**HALDEMAN**



**AFTER TURNING PRO IN 2012, MALLORY IS ON FIRE TAKING 5<sup>TH</sup> AT THE ARNOLD COMPETING AMONG THE WORLD'S BEST! SHE CONTINUED WITH A 4<sup>TH</sup> PLACE FINISH IN AUSTRALIA AND 3<sup>RD</sup> PLACE AT THE GOVENOR'S CUP ... WHAT'S NEXT, 2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE AT THE OLYMPIA? TIME WILL TELL.**



**6<sup>TH</sup>**  
**CAMALA**  
**RODRIGUEZ**



**CAMALA'S MOVE FROM FITNESS TO FIGURE WAS A SMART ONE AS SHE TOOK A WELL-DESERVED 6<sup>TH</sup> PLACE. AS SHE LEARNS TO DIAL IT IN FOR FIGURE JUDGING, THERE'S NO WHERE BUT UP IN THE RANKINGS.**



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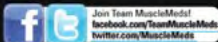
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7<sup>TH</sup>  
AYA  
COWAN





**AVA COWAN IS ONE OF THE MOST RECOGNIZED NAMES IN THE RANKS OF THE IFBB FIGURE ELITE AND IS A CROWD FAVORITE WHEN SHE STEPS ON STAGE. DURING THE CALLOUTS THE CROWD LET THE JUDGES KNOW THEIR DISAPPOINTMENT IN AVA'S PLACING.**



**8<sup>TH</sup>**  
**GENNIFER**  
**STROBO**



**GENNIFER TOOK 8<sup>TH</sup> PLACE AND JUST NEEDS A BIT MORE CONSISTANCY TO PLACE HIGHER AT THE BIG SHOWS. WITH SEVERAL 1<sup>ST</sup> AND 2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE FINISHES IN THE PAST TWO YEARS, THERE'S NOTHING BUT GREAT THINGS IN HER FUTURE.**



**9<sup>TH</sup>**  
**CHERYL**  
**BROWN**



**CHERYL WAS ON A ROLL IN 2011 WINNING THE EUROPA SHOW OF CHAMPIONS IN ORLANDO, THE PITTSBURGH PRO AND THE NEW YORK PRO BUT SEEMS TO BE STRUGGLING SINCE. A CHANGE IN STRATEGY MAY BE ALL SHE NEEDS TO TAKE THE MOMENTUM BACK AND BECOME A TOP CONTENDER.**



**10<sup>TH</sup>  
KAMILA  
MACKO**

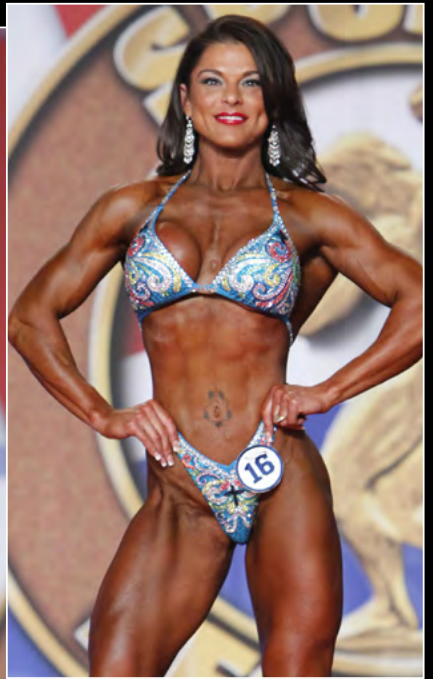


**NEW TO THE PRO SCENE, EARNING HER CARD AT THE 2012 USA'S, KAMLA HAS A BRIGHT FUTURE AHEAD OF HER. A LITTLE MORE WORK ON BRINGING UP HER BACK AND QUADS AND SHE'LL BE BREAKING INTO THE TOP 5 VERY SOON ... WE PREDICT GOOD THINGS IN HER FUTURE.**



**11<sup>TH</sup>  
ANN  
TITONE**





**ANN SEEMS TO SUFFER A BIT OF INCONSISTENCY AS WELL WITH PLACINGS RANGING FROM 1<sup>ST</sup> TO 12<sup>TH</sup> IN THE PAST YEAR. ANN HAS ALL SHE NEEDS TO BE ONE OF THE BEST AND JUST NEEDS TO DIAL IT IN EVERY TIME SHE HITS THE STAGE.**



**12<sup>TH</sup>  
ALEISHA  
HART**



**KNOWN FOR HER SHREDDED ABS, ALEISHA WAS OFF AT THE ARNOLD THIS YEAR SHOWING A BIT SOFT BUT DIALED IT IN AT THE ST. LOUIS PRO SHOW A FEW WEEKS LATER. IF SHE CAN MAINTAIN THAT CONDITIONING SHE WILL DO WELL IN THE REST OF 2013.**



**13<sup>TH</sup>  
CANDICE  
JOHN**



**CANDICE IS ANOTHER ONE OF THE FIGURE GIRLS WHO SUFFERS FROM THE YO-YO SYNDROME WITH HER PLACINGS. GOOD DELTS AND GREAT LOOKING AT THE 3/4 TURN, SEEMS TO LOOK SMALLER STRIGHT ON.**



**14<sup>TH</sup>  
NICOLE  
SIMS**



**NICOLE HAD A GOOD STAGE  
PRESANCE WITH A WELL-  
SCULPTED PHYSIQUE WITH  
GREAT CURVES AND A  
FANTASTIC SMILE. WITH A  
LITTLE MORE POLISH HER  
PLACINGS WILL GO UP.**

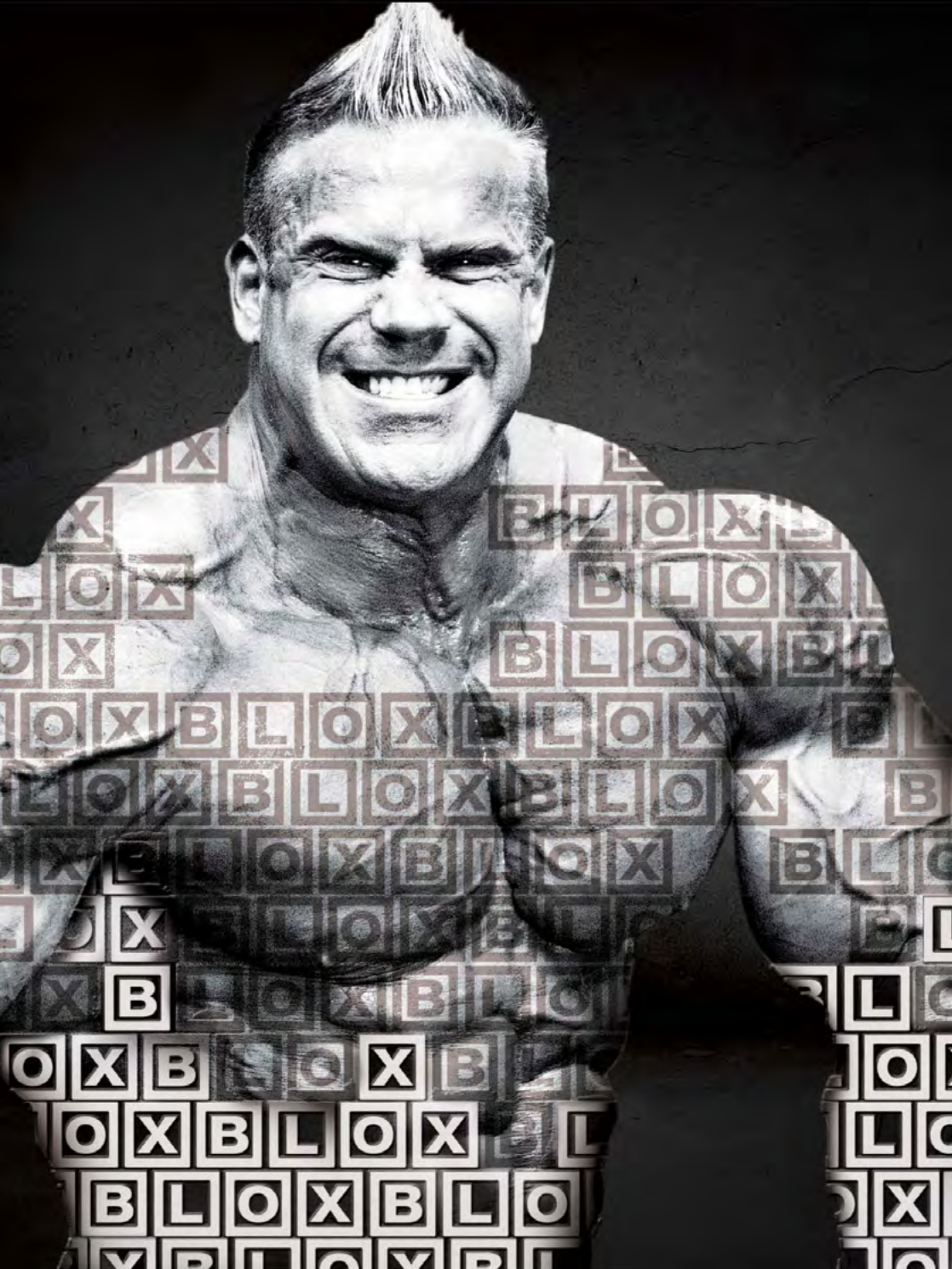


**15<sup>TH</sup>**  
**ALEA**  
**SUAREZ**





**ALEA HAS GREAT POTENTIAL AND JUST NEEDS TO DIAL IT IN A BIT MORE TO PLACE HIGHER. THAT BEING SAID, A FEW WEEKS AFTER THE ARNOLD ALEA TOOK FIRST PLACE AT THE ST. LOUIS PRO!**



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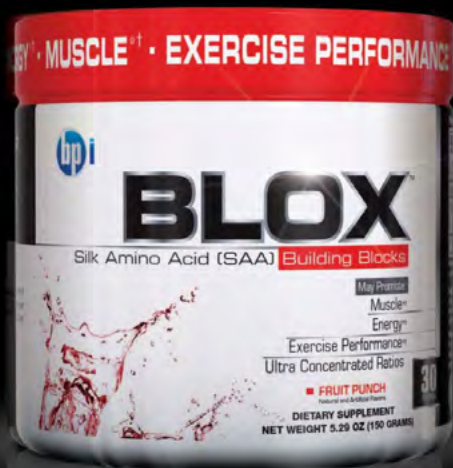


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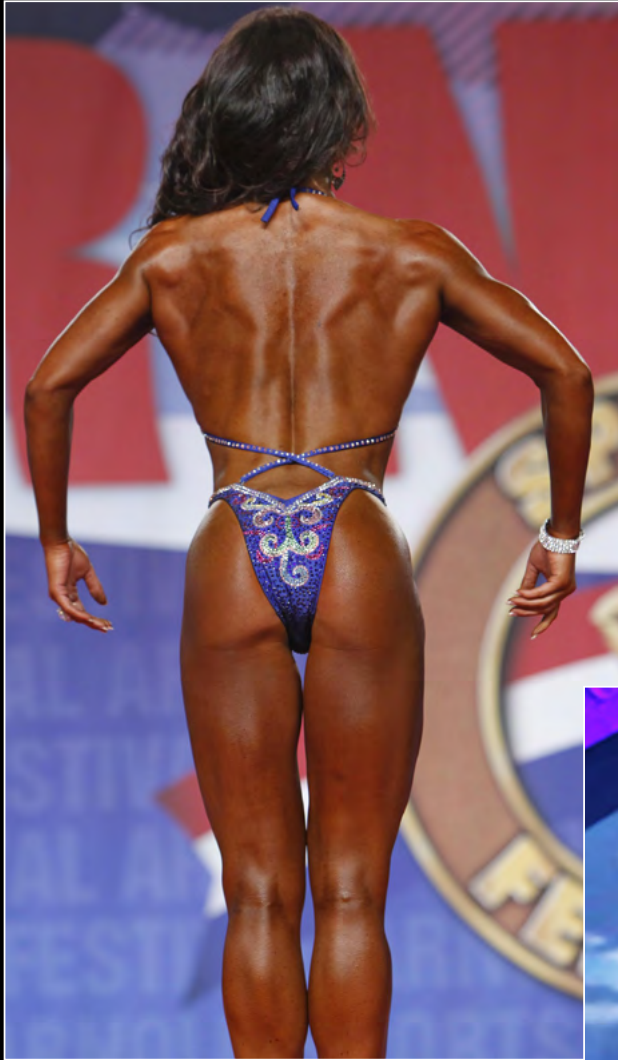
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**16<sup>TH</sup>  
NATALIE  
WAPLES**



**NATALIE WAPLES BROUGHT HER SMALL WAIST AND AMAZING STAGE PRESENCE TO THE ARNOLD THIS YEAR. ALTHOUGH SHE PLACED 16<sup>TH</sup> NATALIE LEFT HER MARK IN THE MINDS OF THE JUDGES AND IN THE HEARTS OF THE FANS IN THEIR CROWD; BRIGHT FUTURE AHEAD.**



**16<sup>TH</sup>  
OLGA  
MORALES**



**WINNER OF THE ARNOLD FIGURE AMATURE IN 2012, OLGA EARNED A PLACE AT THE TABLE AT THIS YEARS EVENT COMPETING WITH THE IFBB'S FIGURE ELITE. AS YOU CAN SEE ABOVE, HER TINY WAIST AND WIDE BACK POPPED ON STAGE.**



**16<sup>TH</sup>  
GIADA  
SIMARI**





**GIADA WHO HAILS FROM ITALY BROUGHT A MUSCULAR PACKAGE TO THE STAGE WITH A GOOD SET OF ABS. A LITTLE MORE POLISH ON HER POSING AND SHE MIGHT HAVE PLACED HIGHER.**

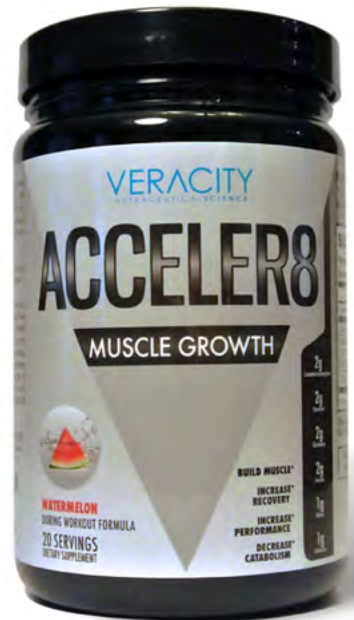
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# Fitness International

TANJI JOHNSON



## FITNESS INTERNATIONAL

The 2013 Fitness International competition was outstanding. These ladies are not only beautiful but are exceptionally athletic as shown in their fitness routines. Some of the moves they do leave you staring in silence as you think to yourself – damn, I couldn't do that! Tanji Johnson of Washington, took the crown of Ms. Fitness International beating out some amazing competition. For the win, Johnson earned a cool \$25,000 and a Tony Nowak Originals Champions Jacket.

Placing second was Oksana Grishina of California. Oksana is known for her athletic ability and creativeness when it comes to her fitness routines. Could she top her Avatar themed routine from last year? Yes - and then some! Based on the Joker from the Dark Knight, Oksana had by far the most entertaining routine of the night – the crowd went nuts! Oh yeah, her physique made up with her balanced muscle, symmetry and conditioning was crazy!

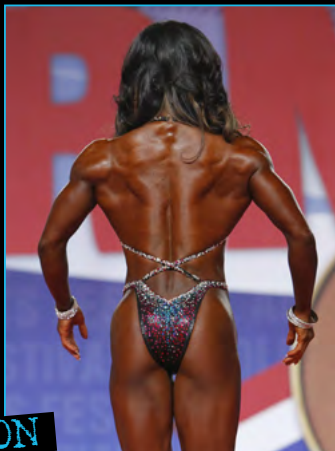
Third place went to Bethany Cisternino of New Jersey. This was a career high for her as she took home \$8,000 with a tight physique and cheerleader routine that entertained the crowd showing that she is climbing the ranks of the fitness elite.

Fourth place went to Trish Warren of Texas and a check for \$5,000. Trish unveiled her post baby physique with a bang! Her energetic and rocking routine wowed the crowd and you could hear Branch cheering his wife on from the auditorium. You know those Texans have to throw in a little metal into their routines and rock it out. In Texas it's go hard or go home and Trish definitely went all out!

Regiane DaSilva of Germany place fifth and took home \$3,000 after placing 12th last year. She has worked on her routine and stage presence over the past year and deserved her placing. Look for her to climb the ladder of success in the future as well.

Sixth place went to Ryall Vasani of Canada and she received \$2,000 in prize money. She has been steadily climbing up the fitness ranks with her best placing of third at the Master's Olympia. You heard that right, masters! She definitely proves that age is just a number, she looked great!





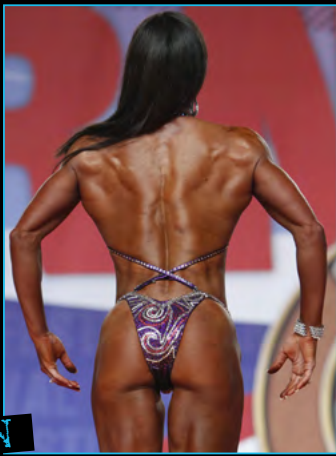
1. TANJI JOHNSON



2. OKSANA GRISHINA



3. BETHANY CISTERMINO



4. TRISH WARREN



5. REGAINE DaSILVA



6. RYALL VASANI

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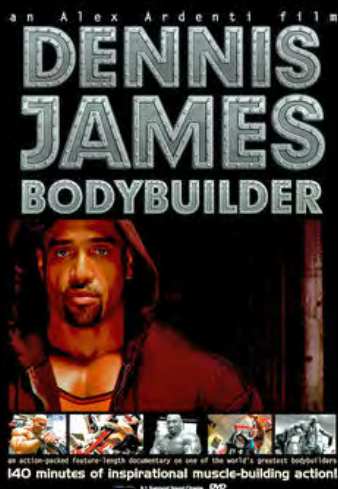




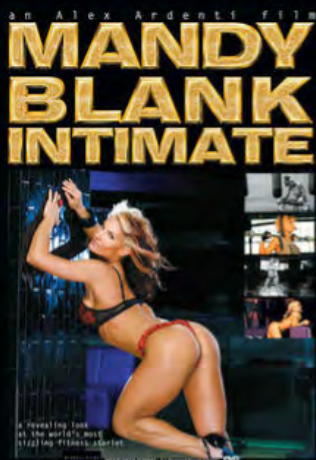
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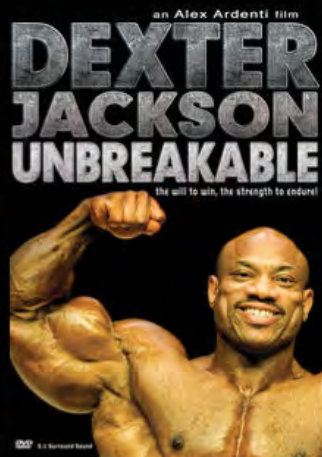
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**BETHANY LOOKED GREAT IN HER TWO PIECE AND WOWED THE CROWD WITH HER ROUTINE. HER TINY WAIST BRINGS OUT HER UPPER BODY MAKING HER STAND OUT IN THE LINEUP.**





**4TH**  
**TRISH**  
**WARREN**





**WHAT CAN YOU SAY,  
FOR HAVING A BABY  
LESS THAN A YEAR  
AGO TRISH BROUGHT  
IT TO THE STAGE  
WITH HER PHYSIQUE  
AND HER ROCKIN'  
ROUTINE - WAY TO  
GO MRS. WARREN!**



**5TH**  
**REGIANE**  
**DASILVA**



**REGIANE WHO  
HAILS FROM  
GERMANY  
ALWAYS POPS  
WHEN SHE'S  
ON STAGE DUE  
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# Ask The General

**Q** When it comes to training for mass, what do you recommend for sets and reps? When I start getting ready for my show, should I go higher reps to burn fat?

**A** Let me answer your questions in order. The normal recommendation for gaining mass is reps of 6-8 for three sets on anywhere from 3-6 exercises per body part. Personally I think you can still gain mass on reps of 10-12 or even more! In my experience changing the rep range, the exercises and the tempo of each set on a frequent basis is what leads to continual gains. Muscles are smart and adapt to similar stresses very quickly. I suggest changing things up every 4-6 weeks, if not more often.

Now on to your second question. Probably the biggest mistake I see bodybuilders do is changing up their training to exclusively high reps when getting ready for a show. The notion that training with higher reps will burn more fat is kind of crazy. Certainly training with less rest time between sets will help cardiovascularly, but by simply lightening the weights you are telling your muscles that you don't require them to lift heavy weight anymore. The result? Your muscles will shrink. Keep your weights as heavy as you can, making safety priority number one, and you will retain more muscle leading to your show.

**Q** Is pre/intra and post workout nutrition important?

The nutrition you take in pre-workout is probably THE most important nutrition of your day. You want to supply yourself with high quality carbohydrates and protein before, during and after your weight training session. For pre and post, carbohydrates like sweet potato, basmati rice and red potato are great. Look for protein sources like chicken breast, turkey and lean red meats for protein.



During exercise you will want a quick absorbing protein like whey isolate and a fast carbohydrate that requires little digestion like waxy maize. I recommend ISO-Phase and GLYCO-Phase. ISO-Phase is a whey isolate with added glutamine and BCAAs. GLYCO-Phase is a waxy maize with added vanadyl and chromium



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*Chris Johnson is the CEO of Advanced Genetics and PureForce Nutrition. He is a national CBBF champion and certified personal trainer and is considered one of Canada's leading experts on sports nutrition and supplementation.*





**6<sup>TH</sup>  
RYALL  
VASANI**

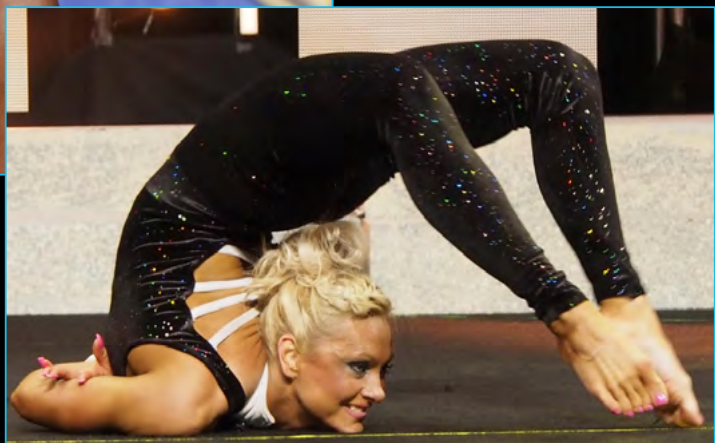


**CANADIAN  
RYALL VASANI  
LOOKED GREAT  
AND SHOWED OFF  
HER ENERGY AND  
STRENGTH WITH  
HER DYNAMIC  
ROUTINE.**



**7<sup>TH</sup>**  
**KIZZY**  
**VAINES**





**KIZZY PULLED OFF SOME CRAZY MOVES DURING HER ROUTINE. HER COLOR WAS OFF AND HELD HER BACK FROM PLACING HIGHER.**



**8TH**  
**NICOLE**  
**DUNCAN**



**NICOLE HAD TONS OF SPUNK WHEN SHE HIT THE STAGE BUT WAS A BIT OFF AND NOT AS DIALED IN AS SOME OF THE OTHER GIRLS WHICH RESULTED IN HER PLACING 8<sup>TH</sup>.**



**9TH**  
**FIONA**  
**HARRIS**



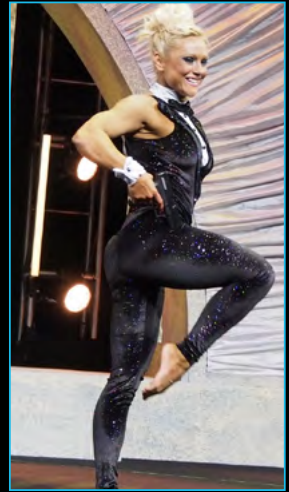
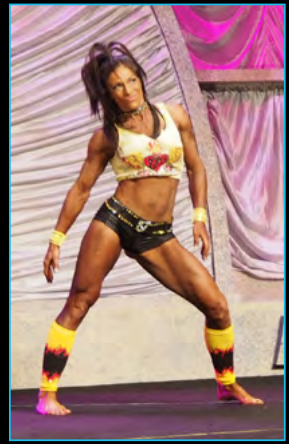
**FIONA HARRIS WHO WON THE ARNOLD AMATEUR LAST YEAR EARNED A PLACE AT THIS YEAR'S COMPETITION. SHE HAD GREAT SHAPE BUT WAS STILL A BIT GREEN COMPARED TO THE OTHER PROS AND NEEDS TO WORK ON BRINGING OUT BOTH HER LATS WHEN POSING.**



**10<sup>TH</sup>  
AMANDA  
HATFIELD**



**JUST TURNING PRO  
LAST YEAR, AMANDA  
MUST HAVE FELT  
GREAT TAKING PART  
IN THE COMPETITION.  
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TRADESHOW!



## TRADESHOW

One word can describe the Arnold Sports Festival tradeshow – crazy! On your travels throughout the tradeshow floor you could stop by the MHP booth and see the likes of Victor Martinez, Jose Raymond, Craig Richardson, John Delarosa and Marco Rivera. Even the world's strongest men Mark Henry and Brian Shaw as well as the super shredded Dana Lynn Baily. Next door to that you had Kai Greene taking the time to talk to each one of his fans which created a line-up that filled the entire isle leading up to his spot at the MuscleMeds booth. Around the corner from that was past and present Mr. Olympia Phil Heath, Jay Cutler, Ronnie Coleman and Dorian Yates. Turn into the next isle and you have the legends of bodybuilding like Lou Ferrigno, Frank Zane, Franco Columbo and if you're lucky you can bump into the man himself, Arnold Schwarzenegger as he always walks the tradeshow floor on Saturdays. At the Arnold Sports Festival you have it all!

Then you have the best of the best in every category in the bodybuilding and fitness world, when walking the floor you could easily bump into Jamie Eason, Kris Gethen and Furious "Pete" at the bodybuilding.com booth, TNA superstar Kurt Angle and other wrestling greats like HHH, who is a bodybuilding fanatic. Then you can meet Tina Durkin, Allison Frahn and Adela Garcia at the GNC booth, Jeff Cumberland from the New York Jets, Randy Couture and a ton of other UFC fighters, wrestlers, you name it. That is why the Arnold Sports festival is one crazy weekend for anyone, it has it all!

**THE PREVIOUS IMAGE SHOWS THE MADNESS THAT FOLLOWS ARNOLD EVERYWHERE HE GOES. IF YOU'RE LUCKY ENOUGH, YOU MIGHT GET TO MEET HIM!**





Vic Martinez and Mark Henry ham it up for the camera at the MHP booth.

Charles Glass, trainer of champions.



Nick Trigili and Anthony Marchione showin' off the guns at the MUSCLEMEDS booth.

The arm wrestling tournament is a big draw and takes place on the main stage before the ladies of the IFBB compete.





One of Randy Couture's fans actually got to go up on to the stage and meet and shake the hand of his idol.



Wrestling Superstar Kurt Angle had a seminar with his fans right as you walked into the show!

Kai Greene of MUSCLEMEDS took the time to talk to everyone of his fans! The line to meet him up went around the corner and down the hall!

Michael Johansson and Erika Bostrom of GASP and BETTER BODIES were showing off their new line of clothing at the GASP booth which was jammed!



Seth Feroce poppin' out a quick front double bi as he sets up at the MUSCLETECH booth!



Shawn Rhoden took time off this year from the Arnold Classic to prep for the 2013 Mr. Olympia.



Super MUTANT Rich Pina shows off his crazy arms to the fans!

212 OLYMPIA Champion FLEX Lewis can always be found at the GASPARI booth interacting with fans.

Noy Alexander after she wowed us on stage at the Bikini International.



Don't mess with this guy, he'll f@#k you up! LOL Cain Velasquez is a great guy and signed autographs at the BSN booth.

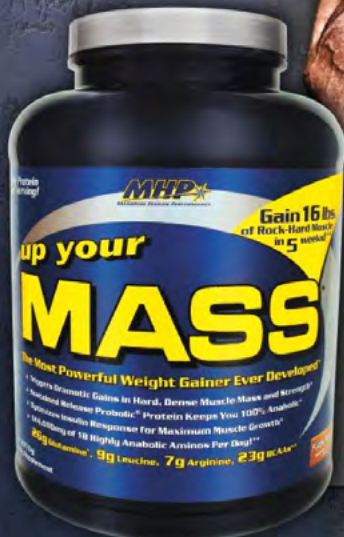
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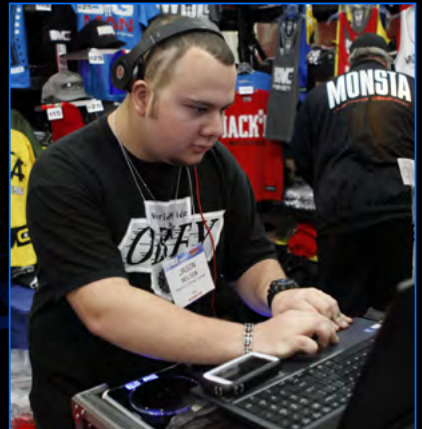
Is it the macho man? No, it's Canadian IFBB Pro Michael Johnson.



DJs keeping the expo Rock'n.



Big Sean Allan working the SPECIES booth meeting fans.



The US military is always represented at the Arnold.



Kempo is just one of the many sport tournaments taking place at the Arnold.



Not a Vegas girl but straight from the new downtown Casino.



Everybody's flexing it up this weekend!

The MHP/Mark Henry challenge. If you could lift this up and over your head you'd win \$10,000!





If you don't think the AC has your sport, think twice. Check out the Ping Pong Demo.

You'll never know who you'll bump into in the expo; like IFBB Pro Dennis James

Natural bodybuilder Michael Lockett at the Sheik booth showin' off his pipes.



American Gladiator Mike O'Hearn representing at the Magnum booth.



They even had photo shoots taking place on the expo floor.

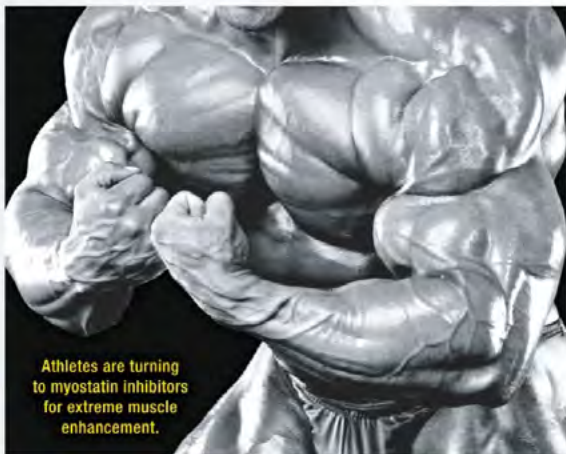


# Myostatin Inhibitors Spark Muscle Building Controversy

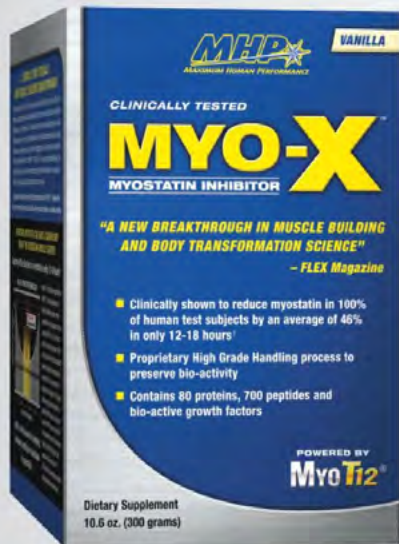
*The secret to extreme muscle enhancement may be myostatin inhibition.*

It's been all the rage of the muscle building press. It's been touted as the emerging bane of the existence of the World Anti-Doping Agency, as they try to keep athletes away from the sheer and ominous power of this new class of muscle building and performance enhancers known as myostatin inhibitors. While the International Olympic Committee may shudder to think of all the records that may be shattered, the United States Anti-Doping Agency actually went so far as to ban substances that utilize this approach as far back as 2008 by creating a new banned category.

So why are these athletic regulatory bodies so concerned about the use of myostatin inhibitors in sports? To best answer this question, let's discuss what myostatin is and exactly how it can positively affect muscle growth and athletic performance.



Athletes are turning to myostatin inhibitors for extreme muscle enhancement.



## WHAT IS MYOSTATIN?

Myostatin is the greatest single catabolic limiting factor of muscle growth. This natural growth factor protein exists in our bodies and works to regulate and limit muscle growth in a genetically predetermined pattern. Clinical evidence and case studies have confirmed how myostatin suppresses muscle growth. It is theorized that this vestigial control over muscle gains was evolutionarily needed to prevent the human body from being overly muscled. Unfortunately, thanks to this evolutionary process, your ability to put on more muscle is being restricted by myostatin regardless of how hard you train.

This is why there has been such incredible interest among scientists and athletes and such concern by athletic governing bodies over the use of myostatin inhibitors. The governing bodies of sports look at this as cheating, while athletes look at it as a way to enhance muscle growth and improve athletic performance. You should look at the use of myostatin inhibitors as a new and effective way to help you activate muscle growth and build the muscular physique you've been working so hard for in the gym.

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Hidetada the day after competing at the Classic meeting fans!



Eduardo Correa with a beauty at the PROBIOTICA booth.



Fun and games at the BSN booth with the tradeshow girls.

Kris Gethin at the always busy bodybuilding.com booth.



Canadian MUTANT Big Ron Partlow hangin' out at the MUTANT booth with the rest of the mutants.

IFBB Pro Juan Morel at the Ten.1 booth.





The girls at this round table making plans of which after party they'll attend.

Nachooooooooo Libre!  
This is one diced luchador!



The World's Strongest Man Brian Shaw flexin' his mits at the MHP booth. His hand is the size of a small fridge! He's only 6'10" and weights a near 450 lbs!



Got milk? The ladies of CYTOSPORT sure do!

These kids look like they're having fun, can we try?





Show's how big the strongmen are... here's Big Country Adam Scherr with a fan... looks like he may soon see him in the ring with the WWE!



Ooooooooooooooooooooooooooh yeah!

You can meet some of the greats like Mr.Olympia Frank Zane - one of the pioneers of bodybuilding.



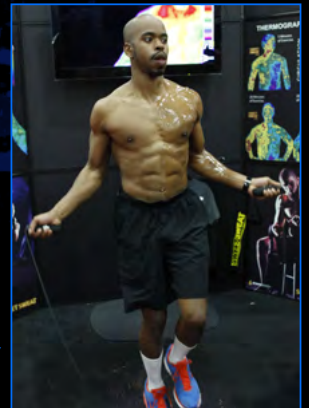
There's a huge Brazillian Ju-Jitsu tournament held here every year with thousands of competitors.



You can test your strength and see if you got what it takes!



You got me... noooooooooo clue what this guy is doin'? Some sort of sweat prevention product.





Light weight, light weight!  
There were plenty of photo  
ops for you to chose from  
while at the show.

Stan McQuay hanging out  
with the guys at the  
Infinite Labs booth.



The shirt says  
it all!

There was creative artwork that was created  
during the actual event that was  
displayed and for sale to anyone.



Hey, you guys are on  
the wrong planet!  
The Star Wars  
convention get's  
JACK'D at the Arnold!



The "Guvornator" Arnie checks out the action high above the crowd with his friend actor Ralf Moeller of Gladiator fame. Moeller actually played Conan on tv; so there were 2 Conans side by side.

The Big Nasty himself Ronnie Coleman singing some 8x10s for some of his fans at the RONNIE COLEMAN SELECT booth which was really a huge, decked-out, touring bus!

Hey, isn't this the guy from Venice Beach? Even this little girl couldn't get him to move.



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The BPI booth had to be one of the craziest with the line up to meet 4x Mr. Olympia Jay Cutler. Each fan got an autograph signed by Jay, the chance to take a photo with him and a memory that will last forever.

Jaime Baird working the GASPARI booth after taking sixth place at the Bikini International the night before.



Joe Thomas of TEAM FUEL at the TWINLAB booth showing off his set of twins flexin' the front double bi.



The line up to meet Phil at the MUSCLETECH booth was equally impressive as fans waited patiently to see the two-time Mr. Olympia.

Words of advice from father to son; wouldn't you love to know what was said.



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Craig Richardson was great talking and interacting with fans at the MHP booth.

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IRIS KYLE



Miss International

## MS INTERNATIONAL

Records were set this year at the Ms. International competition as Iris Kyle of Texas, continued her reign high atop the IFBB Pro League women's bodybuilding mountain by winning the Ms. International crown for a record seventh time. Iris is now the best female bodybuilder on the planet and one of the most decorated bodybuilders male or female in history with seven wins at the Arnold and eight wins at the Olympia! What can you say, she was muscular and shredded to the bone and deserved to make history with the Ms. International title along with \$25,000 and a Tony Nowak Originals Champions Jacket.

Yaxeni Oriquen of Fla., finished second place and took home \$13,000. Oriquen has been a five-time Ms. International champion in the past and she and Iris continue to battle it out for the title of best female bodybuilder on the planet.

Debi Laszewski of Fla., who took second place to Yaxeni in 2012, did not look happy at all when she was called out third and took home a prize of \$8,000. Who can blame her, Yaxeni and Iris have held the top spots since 2002 and she feels it's time for a change. We'll see at the Olympia.

Fourth-place went to Brigita Brezovac of Slovenia with a check for \$5,000. She presented a well-balanced physique with very symmetrical lines and is climbing up the ranks of female bodybuilding.

Cathy LeFrancois of Canada took home \$3,000 with a fifth-place finish. Cathy's either on or off, there's no in between and she was on. Full and striated, her classic hamstring pose showed the world that she is still a top contender.

Angela Debatin of Florida took sixth place and \$2,000 in prize money. Angela has been competing in the pro ranks for over 13 years and is still going strong. After taking 5 years off from competition she hasn't missed a step but will have to bring a lot more to the stage if she wants to knock off Iris and Yaxeni from the top.



MS. INTERNATIONAL



1. IRIS KYLE



2. YAXENTI ORIQUEN



3. DEBI LASZEWSKI



4. BRIGITA BREZOVAC



5. CATHY LEFRANCOIS



6. ANGELA DEBATIN



**1ST**  
**IRIS**  
**KYLE**





**IRIS HAS ONE CRAZY PHYSIQUE; DELTS, ABS, A WIDE BACK, SPLIT BICEPS AND EVEN STRIATED GLUTES! IT'S NO WONDER SHE IS THE MOST DECORATED BODYBUILDER OF ALL TIME.**



**2<sup>ND</sup>**  
**YAXENI**  
**ORIQUEN**



**YASENI IS NO SLOUCH EITHER!  
SECOND TO IRIS WITH THE  
NUMBER OF WINS NOTCHED  
IN HER BELT, SHE AND IRIS  
BATTLED IT OUT FOR THE  
TITLE THIS YEAR AND TOOK A  
WELL-DESERVED SECOND.**



**3<sup>RD</sup>**  
**DEBI**  
**LASZEWSKI**



**DEBI CAME IN BIGGER THAN EVER AND WAS SHREDDED AND DRY TO THE BONE. ONLY THE LIKES OF IRIS AND YAXENI COULD TOP THIS PHYSIQUE AND BOY DID SHE LOOK PISSED WHEN SHE GOT CALLED FOR 3<sup>RD</sup> PLACE.**



**4TH**  
**BRIGITA**  
**BREZOVAC**



**BRIGITA TOOK THE STAGE WITH A BALANCED PHYSIQUE AND A WELL PROPORTIONED BODY. IT SEEMED SHE PEAKED AT THE NIGHT SHOW AND COULD HAVE PLACED HIGHER IF SHE WAS A BIT MORE DIALED IN AT PRE-JUDGING.**



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5TH  
CATHY  
LEFRANCOIS



**RIPPED AND STRIATED AS USUAL CATHY TONED DOWN THE MASS BRINGING A MORE BALANCED BODY TO THE STAGE. IF SHE HAD JUST TIGHTENED HER WAIST A BIT SHE WOULD HAVE PLACED HIGHER.**



6<sup>TH</sup>  
**ANGELA  
DEBATIN**



**ANGELA IS LIKE THE  
ENERGIZER BUNNY, SHE  
KEEPS GOING AND GOING.  
COMPETING SINCE THE 90'S  
SHE STILL LOOKS GREAT  
COMPETING. A TIGHTER WAIST  
WOULD HELP HER HIGHLIGHT  
HER PHSYIQUE MORE.**



**7<sup>TH</sup>  
KIM  
BUCK**



**KIM LOOKED GREAT ON STAGE AND HAD A GREAT PRESENCE. TO PLACE HIGHER SHE WOULD NEED TO BRING UP HER ARMS TO MATCH THE REST OF HER UPPER BODY AND TIGHTEN THE WAIST.**



**8<sup>TH</sup>**  
**OLGA**  
**PUZANOVA**





**RIPPED TO THE BONE, OLGA HAD STRIATIONS ON EVERY MUSCLE ON HER BODY. ADDING A BIT MORE SIZE TO COMPETE WITH THE LIKES OF IRIS, WHILE KEEPING HER CONDITIONING SHE'LL BE A CONTENDER FOR SURE.**



9<sup>TH</sup>  
TAZZI  
COLOMB



**TAZZI WAS ANOTHER WHO WAS RIPPED AND SHREDDED TO THE BONE. WE FEEL SHE SHOULD HAVE PLACED HIGHER BASED ON HER CONDITIONING ALONE, BUT WOULD NEED MORE MASS TO COMPETE.**



**10<sup>TH</sup>  
JEANNIE  
PAPARONE**



**JEANNIE HAD A GREAT SIDE TRICEP POSE BUT WAS SOFT IN THE LEGS AND ALL AROUND COMPARED TO SOME OF THE OTHERS ON STAGE WHICH RESULTED IN HER 10<sup>TH</sup> PLACE FINISH.**



10

11<sup>TH</sup>  
ELENI  
KAYVA



**ELENI WHO HAILS FROM GREECE HAS GREAT POTENTIAL WITH HER SMALL WAIST AND LEG DEVELOPMENT. WITH BETTER CONDITIONING TO SHOW OFF HER PHYSIQUE SHE WILL PLACE HIGHER.**









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# Arnold Strongman

VYTAUTAS LALAS



## ARNOLD STRONGMAN

Vytautas L alas of Lithuania battled it out with former Arnold Strongman winner Brian Shaw to win and eight others for his first major strongman contest victory to win the 12th Annual Arnold Strongman Classic Sponsored by MHP. The victory earned L alas \$60,000 and the coveted Louis Cyr trophy which weighs about 50 pounds itself.

The Arnold Strongman Classic is all about points. Lylas was in a battle with Shaw right up until the evening show and the contests final event until he was able to pass him in the point standings by pressing the 264-pound Circus Dumbbell overhead with one had five times where Shaw pressed four. If Shaw had tied, he would have taken the title.

Brian Shaw of Colorado, finished second and earned a check for \$20,000. Shaw set a world record in the Manhood Stones by lifting 540 pounds (245 kilos) three times and set another world record by deadlifting 1,122 pounds until Mark Felix pulled an exhibition lift of 1,127 pounds. Both Shaw and Felix pulled 1,122 pounds in the official competition and that's some crazy amount of weight!

Mikhail "Misha" Koklyaev of Russia was third and earned \$15,000. Misha is the "clown" of the bunch and liked by all. You can see his personality shine through on stage, but when it's time to compete he's all business and his third place finish proves it.

Krzysztof Radzikowski of Poland earned \$10,000 for his fourth place finish and Mike Burke of Colorado, finished fifth to a tune of \$8,000.

There's always some sort of injury at the Arnold Strongman as these guys are working with enormous amounts of weight with the most awkward of devices; Brian Shaw tore his bicep last year at the first event and went on to complete the rest of the contest with his bicep hanging from his shoulder! For example, look at the Austrian Oak below. That bad boy weighs over 450 pounds and is extremely wide so when the athlete cleans it up to his chest preparing to press the thing, the back of their heads are almost touching their ass! Nothing like an Olympic bar in the gym! Anyway, both Derek Poundstone and Adam Scherr both suffered injuries in the competition early on which affected their standings.





1<sup>ST</sup>  
VYTAUTAS  
LALAS



**TITLES: LITHUANIA'S STRONGEST MAN**

**AGE: 30**

**HEIGHT: 5'10"**

**WEIGHT: 300 POUNDS**

**HOMETOWN: MAZEIKIAIA, LITHUANIA**

**FAMILY: WIFE SIMONA**

**OCCUPATION: CO-OWNER OF ANIMAL  
BARBELL GYM IN IRELAND**

# 2ND BRIAN SHAW







**TITLES:**  
2011 WORLD'S STRONGEST MAN,  
2011 ARNOLD STRONGMAN CHAMPION  
**AGE:** 30  
**HEIGHT:** 6'8"  
**WEIGHT:** 440 POUNDS  
**HOMETOWN:** FURT LUPTON, COLORADO  
**FAMILY:** GIRLFRIEND KRISTEN PARULESKI  
**OCCUPATION:**  
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**3<sup>RD</sup>**  
**MIKHAIL**  
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AGE: 34  
HEIGHT: 6'3"  
WEIGHT: 350 POUNDS  
HOMETOWN: CHELYABINSK, RUSSIA  
FAMILY: WIFE, OKSANA  
SON MIKHAIL AND DAUGHTER DIANA



**4<sup>TH</sup>**  
**KRZYSZTOF**  
**RADZIKOWSKI**



**TITLES: 1<sup>ST</sup> 2012 WSF STRONGMAN**  
**AGE: 31**  
**HEIGHT: 6'1"**  
**WEIGHT: 320 POUNDS**  
**HOMETOWN: GLOWNO, POLAND**

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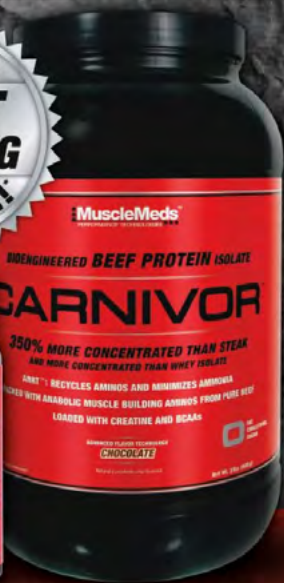
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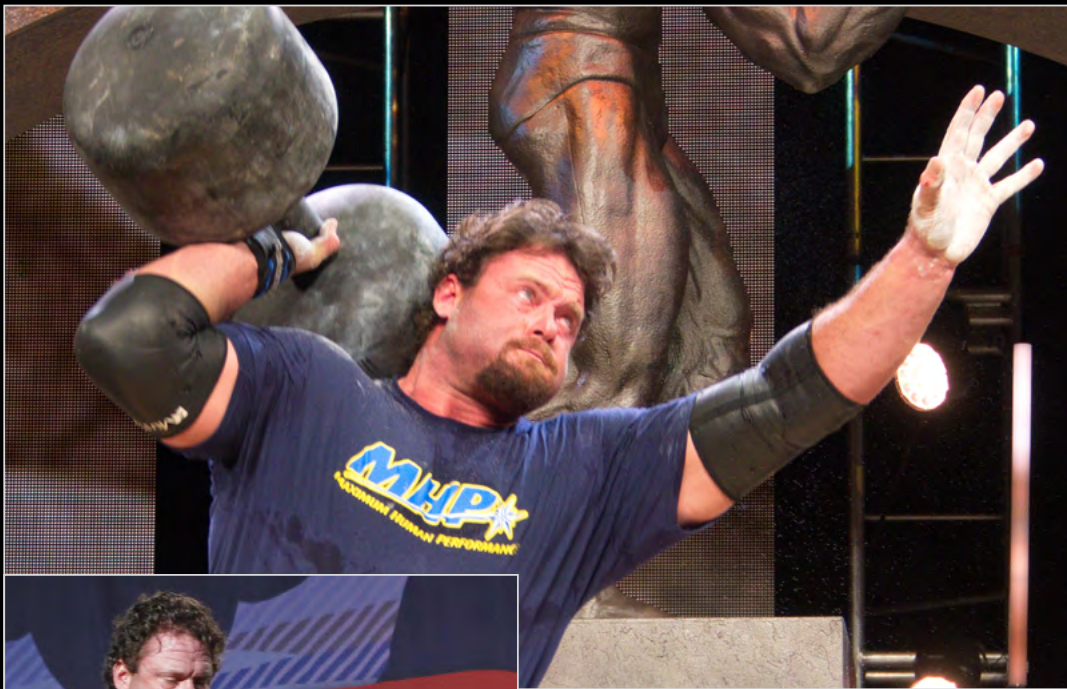
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**TITLES:**  
**2012 AMERICA'S STRONGEST MAN**  
**AGE:** 38  
**HEIGHT:** 6'6"  
**WEIGHT:** 330 POUNDS  
**HOMETOWN:** AURORA, COLORADO  
**FAMILY:** WIFE MAREE BURKE,  
SON MICHAEL AND DAUGHTER ISABELLA  
**OCCUPATION:** FRAMING CONTRACTOR

# 6<sup>TH</sup> MARK FELIX





**TITLES:**  
2008/09 ROLLING THUNDER CHAMPION  
**AGE:** 46  
**HEIGHT:** 6'4"  
**WEIGHT:** 295 POUNDS  
**HOMETOWN:** GRENADA, ENGLAND  
**FAMILY:** WIFE DENNY AND 3 CHILDREN  
**OCUPATION:** PLASTERER

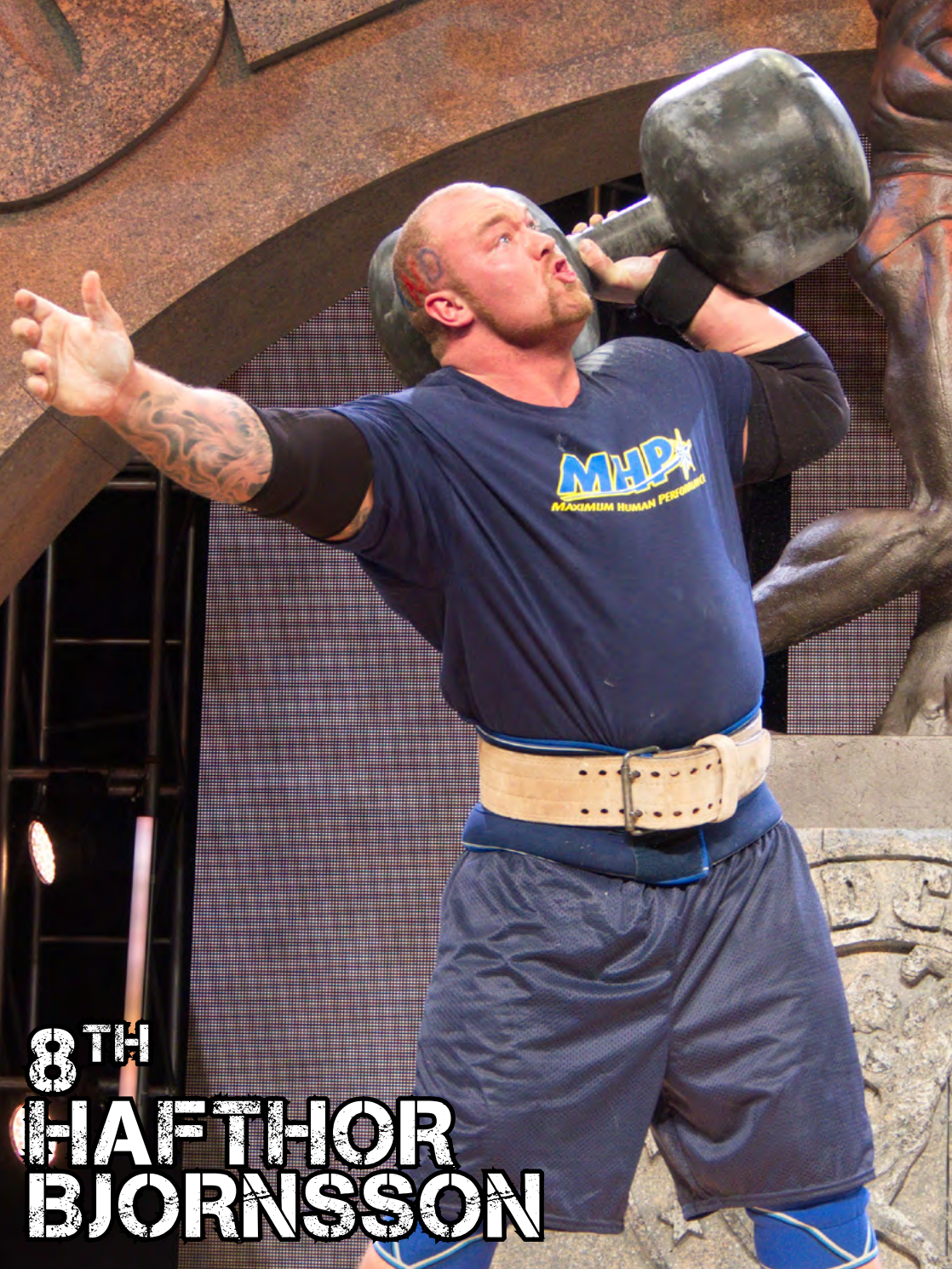


**7<sup>TH</sup>  
JERRY  
PRITCHETT**

THE U.S.A.



**AGE: 32**  
**HEIGHT: 6'4"**  
**WEIGHT: 340 POUNDS**  
**HOMETOWN: PHOENIX, ARIZONA**  
**FAMILY: WIFE KASEY,**  
**DAUGHTER ABIGAIL AND SON JAMES**  
**OCCUPATION:**  
**METAL FABRICATOR**



8TH

**HAFTHOR  
BJORNSSON**



**TITLES: ICELAND'S STRONGEST MAN**

**AGE: 24**

**HEIGHT: 6'7"**

**WEIGHT: 430 POUNDS**

**HOMETOWN: KOPAVOGUR, ICELAND**

**FAMILY: GIRLFRIEND KOLBRUN**

**LINDA SIGUROARDOTTIR, DAUGHTER**

**THERESA LIF**

**OCCUPATION: BANK SECURITY GUARD**



9<sup>TH</sup>  
DEREK  
POUNDSTONE





This is point where Derek tore his bicep - and he still kept competing!

**TITLES: 2009/10 ARNOLD STRONGMAN**

**AGE: 31**

**HEIGHT: 6'1"**

**WEIGHT: 340 POUNDS**

**HOMETOWN: WATERBURY,  
CONNECTICUT**

**FAMILY: WIFE KRISTIN**

**OCCUPATION: POLICE SERGEANT**

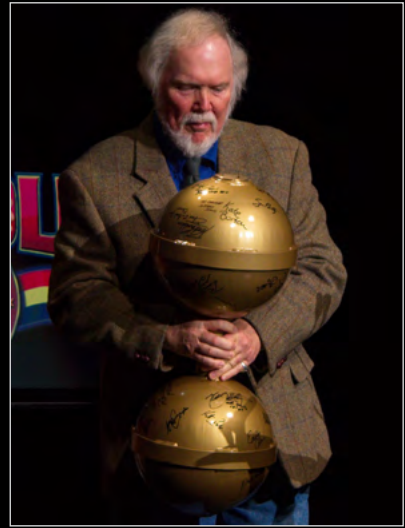


Big Country Adam Scherr suffered an injury as well and he was only able to do this one lift.

# 10<sup>TH</sup> ADAM SCHERR

**TITLES:** AMATEUR ARNOLD  
STRONGMAN WINNER  
**AGE:** 29  
**HEIGHT:** 6'8"  
**WEIGHT:** 410 POUNDS  
**HOMETOWN:** SHERRILLS FORD, NORTH  
CAROLINA  
**OCCUPATION:** MECHANIC

**HAFTHOR BJORNSSON GETS THE CROWD GOING AS HE LIFTS THE 264 POUND CIRCUS DUMBBELL DURING THE FINALS.**



**TERRY TODD RECEIVES A LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD GIVEN TO HIM AND SIGNED BY ALL OF THE COMPETITORS.**



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# Bikini International

INDIA PUALINO



# BIKINI INTERNATIONAL

The Bikini International is now in its third year and India Paulino of Florida, beat reigning Bikini Olympia winner Nathalia Melo to become the third champion to wear the crown and continuing her winning streak following her first place finish at the Maters Olympia. Paulino with the win earned \$7,000 and the Tony Nowak Originals Champions Jacket. India brought the perfect package to the stage and it was a well-deserved win.

Nathalia Melo also of Florida took a close second bringing to the stage a physique that made all the audience jaws in the audience drop – both men and women! A lean body with beautiful lines, and when she turns around – bam! Let the photos do the talking; enough said. Nathalia earned herself \$3,000 and is ready for battle with India at the Olympia.

Nicole Nagrani, once again from Florida; (is there something in the water there???) with her beautiful eyes and rockin' curves in all the right places came in third and earned herself \$2,000. She has an all-American, girl next door look that you can't help but be enamored by. Like Mary-Ann from Gilligan's Island; sweet and innocent, but far sexier than Ginger. Nicole is also one to watch for on the Olympia stage.

In fourth-place was the sultry Yeshaira Robles of New York of brought in the Va-va-voom factor. Yeshaira has it goin' on in all the right places and is a super-nice girl to boot. For only been a pro about a year now, she held her own extremely well against a field of 16 of the world's best in her first Bikini International competition. Watch for great things in her future, she is a rising star and will definitely grace the pages of JACK'D one day.

Fifth-place went to the platinum-blond bombshell Jessica Paxson of Ohio. Jessica delighted her hometown fans by placing in the top 5 and showing everyone that there's something in the mid-west water as well and it's not all on the east coast.

In sixth-place was Jamie Baird of Florida. Her physique improves every time she steps on stage and with a little more polishing and refinement to her details and presentation she will make a big name for herself in the industry.



**BIKINI**



**1. INDIA PAULINO**



**2. NATHALIA MELO**



**3. NICOLE NAGRANI**





**4. YESHAIRA ROBLES**



**5. JESSICA PAXSON**



**6. JAIME BAIRD**



**1<sup>ST</sup>**  
**INDIA**  
**PAULINO**



**INDIA LOOKED GREAT AND HER YELLOW SUIT AND SHIMMERING, STRIGHT, BLACK HAIR REALLY POPPED ON STAGE. OH YEAH, AND HER BODY WAS ROCKIN' AS WELL!**



2<sup>ND</sup>  
**NATHALIA  
MELO**



**THE RIEGNING MS. O,  
NATHALIA LOOKED AMAZING  
AS ALWAYS, WITH TIGHT ABS,  
A GORGEOUS SMILE AND THE  
BEST ASS IN BIKINI BY FAR!  
HAND IT UP FOR BRAZIL!**



**3<sup>RD</sup>**  
**NICOLE**  
**NAGRANI**



**A FORMER MS. OLYMPIA  
HERSELF, NICOLE AND HER  
CURVATIOUS POSING LIT UP THE  
STAGE AND SHOWED EVERYONE  
WHY SHE HAS ONE OF THE  
BEST BIKINI BODIES THERE IS -  
BOOM GOES THE DYNAMITE!**



**4TH**  
**YESHAIRA**  
**ROBLES**





**SULTRY YESHAIRA ROBLES IS BURNIN' UP THE STAGE RECENTLY AND TOOK 4<sup>TH</sup> AT THE ARNOLD. HER BRIGHT RED BIKINI WOULD HAVE MADE ANYONE STOP LIKE A DEER IN THE HEADLIGHTS AND GAZE IN WONDER.**



**5TH**  
**JESSICA**  
**PAXSON**



**BLOND BOMBSHELL JESSICA BROUGHT HER BEST PRESENTATION TO DATE AS SHE COMMANDED THE STAGE AS SHE WOWED THE CROWD ... YES, BLONDES DO HAVE MORE FUN!**



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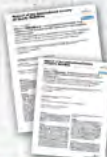
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6<sup>TH</sup>  
**JAIMÉ  
BAIRD**



**STRAIGHT DARK HAIR SEEMED TO BE THE THEME THIS YEAR AS JAIME HIT HER POSES ON STAGE IN A DARK RED SUIT. DIALED IN A BIT TIGHTER SHE WOULD HAVE PLACED HIGHER BUT WE'RE NOT COMPLAINING, SHE LOOKED GREAT!**



**7<sup>TH</sup>  
JENNIFER  
ANDREWS**





**JENNIFER ANDREWS BROKE THE STRIGHT HAIR TREND WITH FULL WAVY LOCKS THAT CASCADED DOWN HER SHOULDERS HIGHLIGHTING HER SCULPTED ABS AND KICK-ASS CURVES!**



**8<sup>TH</sup>  
TIFFANY MARIE  
BOYDSTON**



**TIFFANY SHINED AS SHE TOOK THE STAGE WITH HER INFECTIOUS SMILE AND BUBBLY ATTITUDE. SHE LOOKED LIKE SHE WAS HAVING A BLAST ON STAGE AND WHY NOT - SHE'S COMPETING AT THE ARNOLD!**



9TH  
**TAWNA  
EUBANKS**



**TAWNA HAS A TINY WAIST AND SHE KNOWS HOW TO SHOW IT OFF. GREAT STAGE PRESANCE AND LIGHTS UP THE AUDITORIUM WITH HER SMILE; BRIGHT FUTURE AHEAD FOR HER.**



**10<sup>TH</sup>  
ASHLEY  
KALTWASSER**



**TURNING PRO LAST YEAR AT THE TEAM UNIVERSE, THIS WAS ONLY ASHLEY'S SECOND CONTEST TO DATE AND SHE LOOKED INCREDIBLE. GREAT CURVES AND STAGE PRESANCE; SHE WILL BE ONE TO WATCH!**

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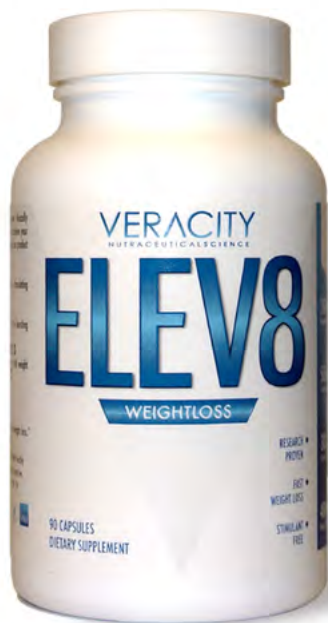
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**11<sup>TH</sup>  
ANNA  
VIRMAJOKI**



**ANNA WHO JUST LAST YEAR  
COMPETED IN THE ARNOLD  
AMATEUR LOOKED GREAT AND  
HAS A BRIGHT FUTURE AHEAD  
OF HER. WITH SOME POLISH SHE  
WILL BREAK THE TOP 10 MAYBE  
EVEN TOP FIVE NEXT YEAR.**



**12<sup>TH</sup>  
LACEY  
DELUCA**



**LACEY COMMANDED THE STAGE AS SHE WENT THROUGH HER MANDATORIES. YOU COULDN'T HELP BUT BE MESMORIZED BY HER TIGHT WAIST AND STAGE PRESENCE.**



13<sup>TH</sup>  
**ABIGAIL  
BURROWS**



**ABIGAIL SHOWED OFF HER GREAT "ASSESETS" AS SHE PLACED 13<sup>TH</sup> THIS YEAR. A LITTLE SOFT COMPARED TO SOME OF THE OTHER COMPETITORS BUT WOULD STILL STOP TRAFFIC!**



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**14TH**  
**ALEXIS**  
**KAUFMAN**



**ALEXIS WHO'S BUBBLY PERSONALITY SHONE ON STAGE AS SHE POSED AND WOWED THE CROWD. HER COLOR WAS OFF WHICH HURT HER PLACING BUT SHE STILL LOOKED AMAZING.**





**15<sup>TH</sup>  
NO. 1  
ALEXANDER**



**TURNING PRO LAST YEAR AT THE USA'S NOY LOOKED GREAT AND JUST NEEDS TO PERFECT HER PHYSIQUE TO COMPETE IN THE PRO RANKS. A TIGHT WAIST AND CURVES THAT NEVER END, NOY WILL HAVE A GREAT CAREER.**



**16<sup>TH</sup>  
MARCELA  
TRIBAN**



**MARCELA WITH HER FLOWING, BLOND HAIR, SHAPELY CURVES ONLY HAS TO WALK ON STAGE AND YOU STOP EVERYTHING YOU'RE DOING TO LOOK. SHE HAS THE "IT" FACTOR AND HAS A GREAT FUTURE AHEAD.**

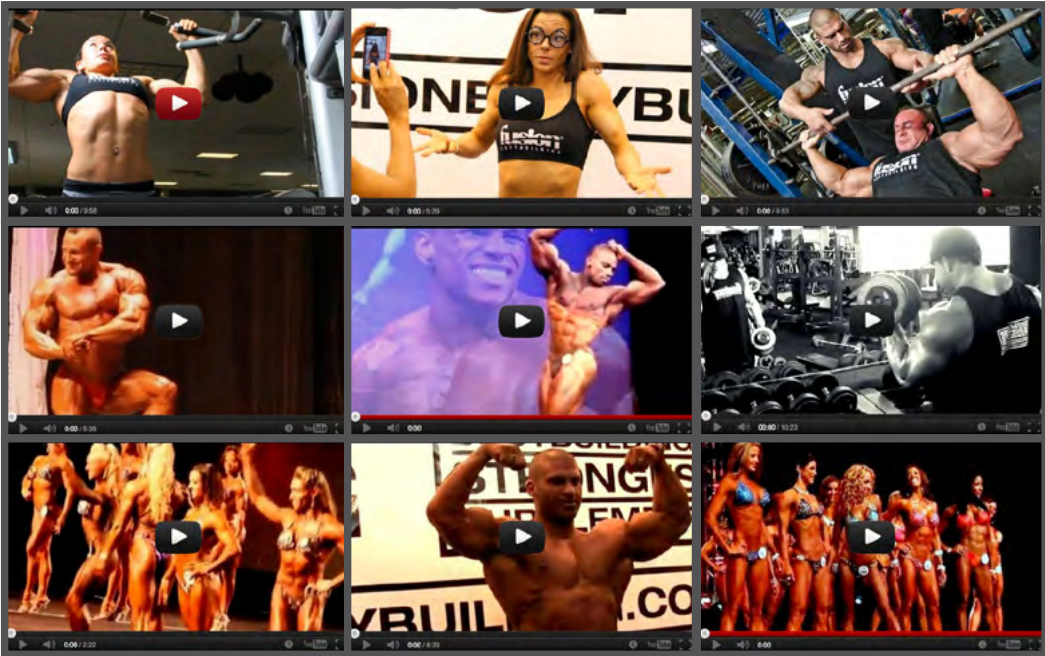
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DEXTER JACKSON

## ARNOLD CLASSIC

The 25 Anniversary Arnold Classic this year did not disappoint as Dexter "The Blade" Jackson made history winning his fourth "Arnold" title to tie the record held by Flex Wheeler for the most wins at the Arnold Classic. He previously won in 2005, 2006 and 2008 and is on a roll and going strong to potentially make history next year in 2014! Everyone in the audience knew he had won the show when he was called out with Ben Pakulski and Toney Freeman for the first set of comparisons and then asked to leave the stage. Dexter wasn't even called out during the final comparisons which was the nail in the coffin for the rest of the field – the Arnold Classic was his! The prize for Jackson who's now 43; a check for \$130,000, the Arnold Classic trophy and a Tony Nowak Originals Champions Jacket.

Ben Pakulski of Canada put his money where his mouth is after calling out Branch at the Olympia and finished in second place earning himself \$75,000 and the contest's Most Muscular Trophy. "Pak Man" has brought up his upper body in the past few years to match his freakishly JACK'D legs and brought a total package to the stage. Even at his first level one show Ben had a set of wheels that could beat most pros and now that he's balanced his body out he'll be out for blood at the Olympia!

Toney Freeman of Atlanta who's now 46 – if you can believe it, finished in third place and earned himself \$50,000. The "X-Man" looked great and seems to be getting better with age and for a tall man who has to hold more muscle than the rest of the pack to compete is giving the younger bodybuilders a lesson on how it's done!

Fourth-place was awarded to Johnnie Jackson of Texas along with a check of \$30,000. Johnnie looked great and brought his massive physique to the stage. You don't get an appreciation of just how thick Johnnie's upper body and traps are until you see him in person – it'll blow your mind. In Texas it's go hard or go home, and Johnnie always trains balls-to-the-wall!

Hidetada Yamagishi of Japan earned \$15,000 for his fifth place finish. He brought his most complete package to date with an excellent posing routine that entertained the crowd, all with a broken wrist.

Sixth-place went to Cedric McMillan of New Jersey and a check for \$10,000. Many felt that Cedric looked smooth and that others in the field deserved to place higher. Cedric's classic lines and size are what got into the top six and his posing routine included some of the poses made famous by Arnold and only Cedric, other than Arnold himself, can pull them off to full effect.



ARNOLD CLASSIC



1. DEXTER JACKSON



2. BEN PAKULSKI



3. TONEY FREEMAN



4. JOHNNIE JACKSON



5. HIDEYADA YAMAGISHI



6. CEDRIC McMILLAN

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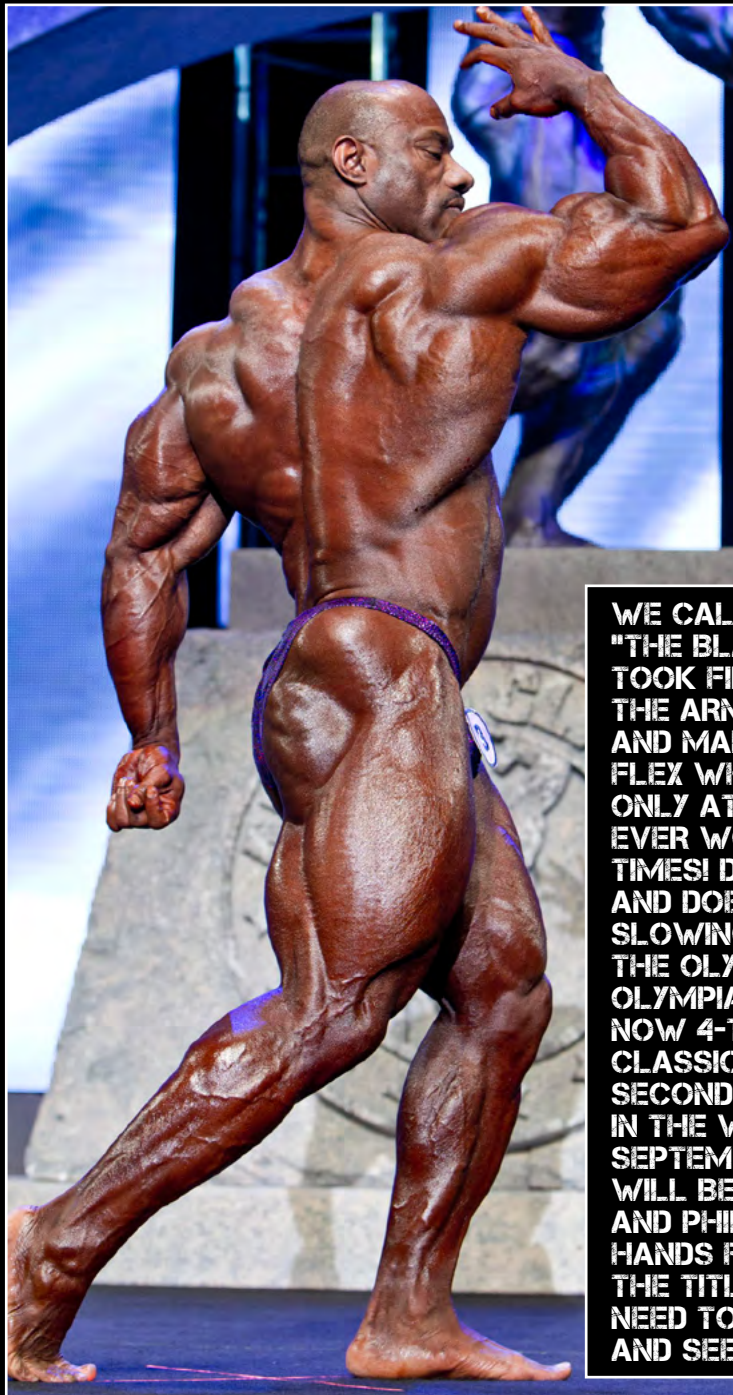


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**1ST**  
**DEXTER**  
**JACKSON**





**WE CALLED IT, DEXTER "THE BLADE" ONCE AGAIN TOOK FIRST PLACE AT THE ARNOLD CLASSIC AND MADE HISTORY TYING FLEX WHEELER AS THE ONLY ATHLETE TO HAVE EVER WON THE TITLE FOUR TIMES! DEX IS ON A ROLL AND DOESN'T SEEM TO BE SLOWING DOWN; 4<sup>TH</sup> AT THE OLYMPIA, MASTERS OLYMPIA CHAMPION AND NOW 4-TIME ARNOLD CLASSIC CHAMPION, IS A SECOND OLYMPIA TITLE IN THE WORKS? THIS SEPTEMBER THE OLYMPIA WILL BE A BARN BURNER AND PHIL WILL HAVE HIS HANDS FULL DEFENDING THE TITLE THIS YEAR - YOU NEED TO GO TO VEGAS AND SEE FOR YOURSELF!**





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TO WATCH DEXTER'S  
POSING ROUTINE.**





**2ND**  
**BEN**  
**PAKULSKI**



**WOW, DID BEN EVER "PUT UP" AND YOU CAN'T EVER TELL HIM TO "SHUT UP" AFTER BRINGING IT TO THE ARNOLD CLASSIC STAGE THIS YEAR! BEN'S BEEN WORKING IT HARD IN THE GYM AND HE'S FOCUSED HIS ATTENTION ON MATCHING HIS UPPER BODY WITH HIS "FREAKISH" LEGS. EXPECT BIG THINGS FROM BEN THIS YEAR, MAYBE EVEN ATO BE IN THE TOP 5 AT THE OLYMPIA AND GIVE PHIL AND THE BOYS A RUN FOR THEIR MONEY!**





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**3<sup>RD</sup>**  
**TONY**  
**FREEMAN**

**WHAT CAN YOU SAY ABOUT THE X-MAN, HE GETS BETTER WITH AGE! THE DUDE IS JUST MASSIVE, AND FOR HIS TALL STATURE, THAT'S PRETTY IMPRESSIVE. WE CALLED TOP 3 AND TONEY DELIVERED. FULL, STRIATED MUSCLE BELLIES, TIGHT, DRY SKIN; THE X-MAN SHOWED THE WORLD WHY HE'S ONE OF THE BEST IN THE INDUSTRY RIGHT NOW AND HE'LL BE A FAN FAVORITE FOR YEARS TO COME!**







**CLICK ON THE IMAGE BELOW  
TO WATCH TONEY'S  
POSING ROUTINE.**





**4TH**  
**JOHNNIE**  
**JACKSON**



**JOHNNIE CAME TO THE ARNOLD FEELING BETTER THAN EVER AND FELT THAT EVERYTHING WAS RIGHT ON WITH HIS CONTEST PREP AND HE WAS RIGHT. HIS WAIST WAS TIGHT WHICH MADE HIS SHOULDERS LOOK EVEN MORE MASSIVE; IF THAT'S EVEN POSSIBLE! IF JOHNNIE CAN BRING UP HIS LOWER LEGS TO MATCH, HE'LL BE TOUGH TO BEAT BECAUSE NO ONE, AND WE MEAN NO ONE, HAS AN UPPER BODY AS THICK AS JOHNNIE JACKSON'S.**







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TO WATCH JOHNNIE'S  
POSING ROUTINE.**





**5TH**  
**HIDETADA**  
**YAMAGISHI**

**"THE DRAGON" WAS BREATHING FIRE AS HE HIT THE STAGE AND HELD HIS OWN AGAINST THE BIGGER GUYS IN THE TOP 5 POSE FOR POSE. THIS EARNED HIM A WELL-DESERVED 5<sup>TH</sup> FINISH. HIDETADA IS POISED TO WIN AT LEAST ONE SHOW ON THE IFBB CALENDAR THIS YEAR ALLOWING HIM TO TAKE PART IN THE OLYMPIA IN VEGAS ONCE AGAIN.**







**CLICK ON THE IMAGE BELOW  
TO WATCH HIDETADA'S  
POSING ROUTINE.**





**6<sup>TH</sup>  
CEDRIC  
MCMILLAN**



**WITH A PHYSIQUE THAT REMINDS MANY OF THE AUSTRIAN OAK HIMSELF, CEDRIC MCMILLAN'S MASSIVE BODY TOOK OVER AND DWARFED MANY OF THE OTHER ATHLETES ON STAGE THIS YEAR AT THE ARNOLD. THE ONLY THING THAT HELD HIM BACK WAS BEING ON THE SOFT SIDE, BUT HIS PURE MASS AND CLASSIC POSES HELPED HIM TAKE 6<sup>TH</sup> PLACE OVERALL.**









**CLICK ON THE IMAGE BELOW  
TO WATCH CEDRIC'S  
POSING ROUTINE.**





**7<sup>TH</sup>  
FRED  
SMALLS**



**FRED "BIGGIE" SMALLS WON THE HEARTS OF ALL THE FANS IN THE AUDIENCE AND BLEW UP THE STAGE WITH HIS POSING ROUTINE WHICH WON HIM AN ADDITIONAL \$10,000 AS THE NIGHTS BEST POSER. SMALLS HAS COME A LONG WAY IN THE PAST FEW YEARS AND IS ON TRACK TO BECOMING A TOP CONTENDER IN THE RANKS OF THE IFBB. FRED WAS BIGGER, TIGHTER AND LEANER THAN HIS FIRST SHOWING AT THE OLYMPIA THIS PAST SEPTEMBER AND HE HAS THE FIRE, THE PASSION AND A POSING ROUTINE THAT WILL LEAVE YOU WANTING MORE - HE'S ON HIS WAY TO MAKING A NAME FOR HIMSELF THIS YEAR!**



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Nitric Impact (optional) – when you need an extra boost and enhanced pump for training.

**Q** What's up, Chris? I'm getting ready for my first men's physique show. I use GP3 and Nitric Impact before every workout. I'm just starting my diet at 12 weeks out. Should I stack Nitric Impact with F-10 so I get the extra fat burning properties of the F-10?

**A** Now would be the time to swap out Nitric Impact for F-10. Nitric Impact plus F-10 would be quite the overload of stimulants and this can actually have a counter-productive result. Too many stimulants will cause the body to release cortisol, the stress hormone and that's not a good thing. While we're on the topic, you should watch your daily stimulant intake both off-season and contest prep. Limit your stims to AM and pre-workout and you'll be fine. When using F-10



(warm-up with 1 or 2 sets and then do 3 work sets each): Dumbbell curls, one-arm preacher curls, reverse barbell curls, one arm push-downs, close grip bench press, dumbbell overhead press.

On Friday superset the following exercises for 15 reps each for a total of 3 sets each: Rope pushdowns and barbell curls, overhead cable press and EZ bar cable curls,

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**Q** My arms suck. My chest and back are good and my legs are big from years of soccer as a teenager. Please help!!!

**A** Try this out. On Monday train in the rep range of 6-8 with these exercises



Chris Johnson is the CEO of Advanced Genetics and PureForce Nutrition. He is a national CBBF champion and certified personal trainer and is considered one of Canada's leading experts on sports nutrition and supplementation.





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POSING ROUTINE.**



8TH  
ED  
NUNN







**ED FEELS AS IF HE'S ONE OF THE MOST OVER-LOOKED BODYBUILDERS AMONG THE IFBB PRO RANKS IN THE PAST YEAR AND HE MAY BE RIGHT. WITH A PHYSIQUE SIMILAR TO THAT OF TONEY FREEMAN, NUNN IS ONE OF THE TALLER BODYBUILDERS IN THE LINEUP WHO ALSO HAS A CLASSIC X-FRAME - TIGHT WAIST, WIDE BACK AND FULL, MUSCLE BODIES, ED JUST HAS TO KEEP PAYING HIS DUES AND HE'LL SOON BE REWARDED!**





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BELOW TO WATCH ED'S  
POSING ROUTINE.**





9<sup>TH</sup>  
**DARREM  
CHARLES**



**DARREM WAS DICED AS USUAL, FEATHERED QUADS, OBLIQUES CARVED OUT AS IF THEY WERE ETCHED IN STONE, HE JUST NEEDS TO ADD A BIT MORE MASS TO CERTAIN AREAS AND POLISH UP A BIT AND HE WILL BE BACK IN FULL FORM. IT WILL BE INTERESTING TO SEE WHERE HE COMPETES NEXT THIS SEASON.**







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**10<sup>TH</sup>**  
**FOUAD**  
**ABIAD**





**FOUAD WAS DRY TO THE BONE AND WE HAD HIM PLACING HIGHER THAN 10<sup>TH</sup> PLACE SO WE CAN ONLY GUESS AS TO WHY SOME OTHERS PLACED ABOVE HIM. THE ONLY THING WE CAN THINK OF IS THAT HE NEEDS TO BRING OUT THE FULL WIDTH OF HIS BACK WHILE HE'S POSING ON STAGE... BUT 10<sup>TH</sup> PLACE, WE'RE STILL SHAKING OUR HEADS AT THAT ONE!**





**CLICK ON THE IMAGE  
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FOUAD'S POSING ROUTINE.**





**11TH**  
**MARCUS**  
**HALEY**



IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE MARCUS HAS HIT THE STAGE AND IT SHOWS. ALTHOUGH HE WOULD STAND OUT AS A FREAK IN ANY GYM, HE WAS ON STAGE WITH SOME OF THE BEST PROS IN THE WORLD AND YOU HAVE TO BRING YOUR A-GAME TO COMPETE. WE'RE SURE HE'LL DIAL IT IN AS THE YEAR GOES ON AND WILL COME IN BETTER SHAPE AT HIS NEXT SHOW.









**CLICK ON THE IMAGE  
BELOW TO WATCH  
MARCUS AT PREJUDGING.**





12<sup>TH</sup>  
**MICHAEL  
KEFALIANOS**



**THE EVER-SHREDDED MIKE KEFALIANOS SEEMED A BIT OFF HIS NORMAL, SUPER-SHREDDED, FREAKISHLY DICED-UP PHYSIQUE WHEN HE HIT THE ARNOLD STAGE THIS YEAR. ALL MIKE HAS TO DO IS BRING OUT THE WIDTH OF HIS BACK AND TIGHTEN HIS WAIST LINE WHEN HE'S POSING ON STAGE. WHEN MIKE DOES THIS, HE WILL SHOW OFF THE FULL POTENTIAL HIS MASSIVE PHYSIQUE HAS TO OFFER AND HE'LL PLACE HIGHER AT THE BIG SHOWS.**





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MICHAEL AT PREJUDGING.**



**13<sup>TH</sup>  
RONNY  
ROCKEL**

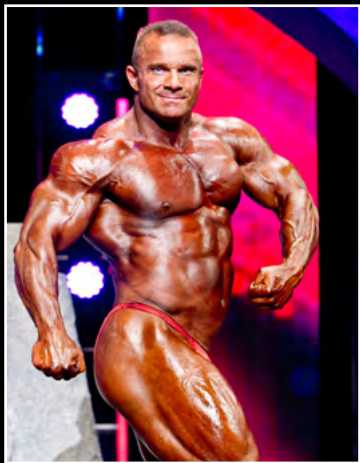


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RONNIE AT  
PREJUDGING.**





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## SCIENTISTS DISCOVER MYOSTATIN INHIBITION LINKED TO MUSCLE GROWTH

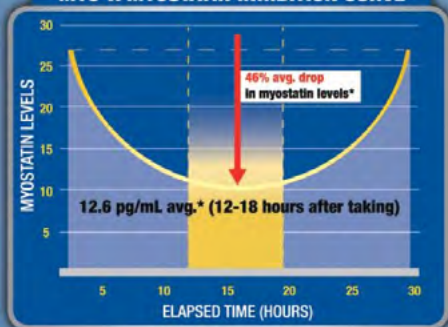
Scientists have been researching a growth factor protein called myostatin and its role in muscle building. Myostatin is a powerful negative regulator of skeletal muscle mass that restricts muscle growth. Documented cases of myostatin deficiency in mammals, including humans, display astonishing muscular growth and reduced body fat levels. “Double muscling” is the scientific term used to describe the extreme muscle hypertrophy found in mammals, including humans, lacking myostatin. Researchers have been studying the rare accelerated growth of a German child deficient in myostatin since he was first referenced in the *New England Journal of Medicine* in 2004, while the tremendous muscularity of the Belgian Blue bull is another prime example of extreme muscle growth due to the absence of myostatin in animals. While normal human beings will not experience the full “double muscling” phenomenon, further research on myostatin has confirmed its influence on muscle building.



## MYOSTATIN INHIBITORS SPARK MUSCLE BUILDING CONTROVERSY

While a reduction in myostatin will not cause “double muscling,” it certainly may have a significant impact on muscle building. This is why there has been such incredible interest among scientists and athletes and such concern by athletic governing bodies over the use of myostatin inhibitors. The governing bodies of sports look at this as cheating, while athletes look at it as a way to naturally enhance muscle growth and improve athletic performance. You should look at the use of myostatin inhibitors as a new and effective way to help you activate muscle growth and build the muscular physique you’ve been working so hard for in the gym.

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<sup>†</sup>Journal of the American College of Nutrition, Vol. 28, No. 3, Abstract 47, October 2009.

*"Research has shown that a reduction in serum myostatin levels is likely to result in clinically significant muscle gains. In my work with elite athletes I have seen first-hand the muscle enhancement impact of MYO-X."*

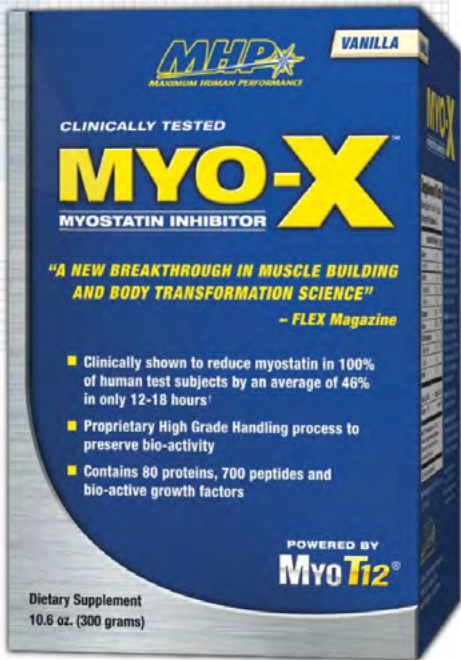
*- Carlton M. Colker, M.D.*



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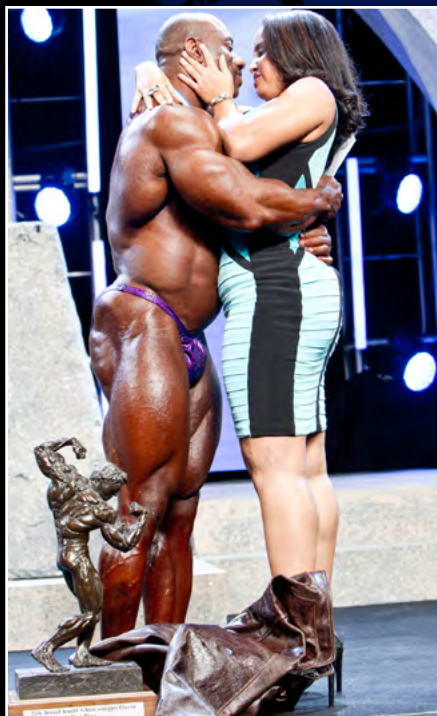
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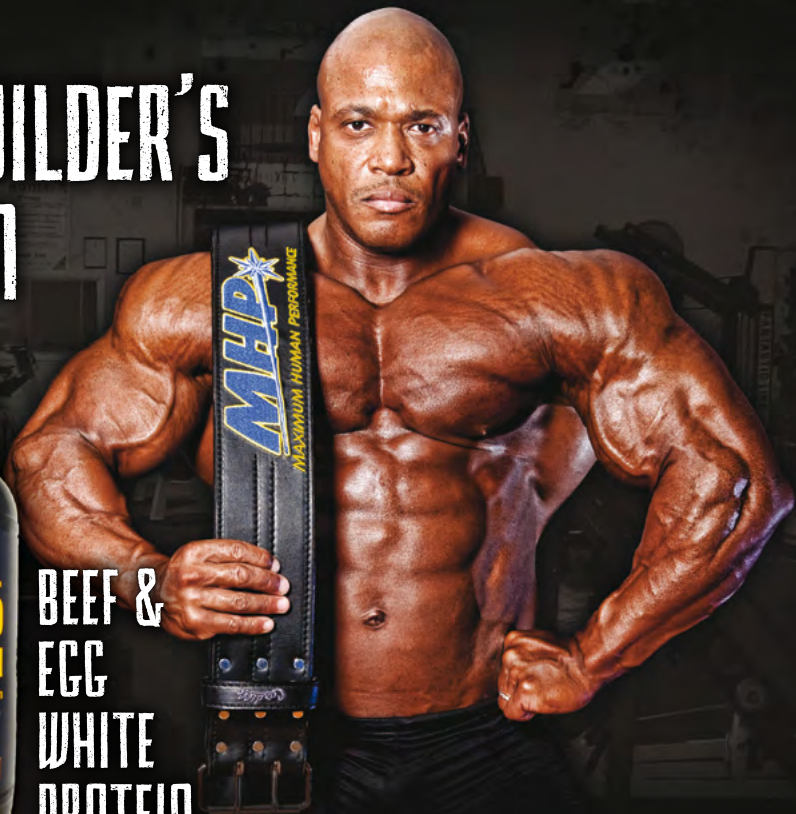
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