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**Monday Night RAW #823 – 1<sup>st</sup> Draft**  
**“History in the Making”**  
**3/02/2009 – Five Weeks to the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of**  
**WrestleMania**

**Location: Boston, MA (72% Utilization, 77% w/ Comps as of 2-27-09)**

**Last Time We Were Here: Boston, MA**

**SURVIVOR SERIES (92% Utilization, 100% w/ Comps on 11-23-08)**

- John Cena returned after being sidelined with an injury to defeat Chris Jericho for his first World Heavyweight Championship.
- Edge defeated WWE Champion Triple H and Vladimir Kozlov in a Triple Threat Match to win the WWE Title. Edge substituted for Jeff Hardy who was found unconscious in his hotel earlier that day.

**SD/ECW TV (73% Utilization, 80% w/ Comps on 4-8-08)**

- World Champion The Undertaker defeated Festus via KO after Hells Gate.
- CM Punk defeated WWE Tag Champion The Miz.

**Opening Match: Kofi Kingston vs. William Regal w/ Lavla**

**Producer: Mike Rotunda**

**\*\*\*BEFORE SHOW: SET UP PIPER'S PIT\*\*\***

**(:15) Signature**

**COLD OPEN: Recap of the Triple H – Randy Orton story from last week, culminating with Triple H stalking Orton backstage with a sledgehammer and Orton with the Legacy barely escaping.**

**Animated Open/Pyro/Ballyhoo**

**GRAPHIC: Triple H – Randy Orton – Orton claims to have an important announcement that will have major implications on the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Wrestlemania**

**GRAPHIC: John Cena vs. Edge – World Heavyweight Championship – After the beating Cena took at the hands of the Big Show on SmackDown just two days ago, Raw Interim GM Vickie Guerrero has decided that John Cena will get his World Heavyweight Championship re-match – TONIGHT**

**Segment One: Piper's Pit with Chris Jericho and “Superfly” Jimmy Snuka**

**Producer: John Laurinaitis**

**Writer:**

**Time:**

- **IN-ARENA: Lilian Garcia announces “Ladies and Gentlemen, the return of Piper's Pit”**

- **IN-ARENA: Classic Old School Piper's Pit set on the stage**
- **Chris Jericho Music (short entrance to stage in suit)**
- **Chris Jericho Promo:** Welcome to Piper's Pit. It wasn't my intention to do this tonight, but I've been reprimanded by so many of you hypocrites telling me how I need to treat the Legends with respect. How Old School is cool. So I took it upon myself to get the original Piper's Pit set and bring it here to Raw and host it myself. Piper's Pit was a groundbreaking show back in its day, filled with classic episodes, the most infamous, being this one:
- **TRON: Clips of Piper's Pit with Superfly Snuka - Piper smashing a coconut into Jimmy Snuka's head**
- **Chris Jericho Promo:** Ladies and Gentlemen, please welcome my guest tonight, WWE Hall of Famer – Superfly Jimmy Snuka
- **Superfly Snuka Music and Entrance**
- **Jericho Promo:** Welcome. Have a seat. First off, I want to take you back to your glory years. After that incident on Piper's Pit, you and Piper engaged in some unforgettable matches. Take a look at this.
- **TRON: Classic Snuka vs. Piper footage from the 80's**
- **Chris Jericho Promo:** That's amazing footage. If there was ever a deserving Hall of Famer, it's you Snuka. But it also serves as a grim reminder. You are the poster child for what the movie "The Wrestler" is all about. In any other sport, a Hall of Famer is retired. But look at you - you're 65 years old and yet you're still competing in independent shows in high school gyms in New Jersey. Even better, you and Piper competed in the Royal Rumble last year. You know how many young aspiring Superstars didn't get to compete that night because of you and Piper's selfishness? Any one of them could've won the Rumble, gone onto headline Wrestlemania but we'll never know because you had to hear those cheers one more time. What few functioning brain cells you still have left in that broken down body needed the spotlight. You, Piper, Steamboat, Flair, Randy "The Ram", you're all alike. You're sick. Consumed by your own egos. I invited you out here to show the current stars what could happen to them if they're not careful. They could end up like you – a pathetic disgrace.
- **Snuka stands up and stares intensely at Jericho**
- **Chris Jericho Promo:** Oh does that anger you Snuka? You're actually registering what I'm saying? Good. Because I want you to know, I've said my peace. I give up. I'm not changing your mind. I'm not changing any Legend's mind. So I say let's have it your way. You want to live in the past Snuka? Let's live in the past. You people want Old School? Let's go Old School. Let's relive the glory days.
- **Jericho grabs a paper bag from under the table and starts removing objects**
- **Chris Jericho Promo:** Look what I brought with me, Snuka. Let's pretend its 1984 all over again. You want to be a big shot, Snuka? You want to feel at home? I got you a pineapple.
- **Jericho pulls out a pineapple**
- **Chris Jericho Promo:** You want a banana? I got you some bananas.
- **Jericho pulls out some bananas**
- **Chris Jericho Promo:** Come on everybody? This is what you want right? Piper said it himself, I shouldn't bury great memories, I should EMBRACE them. That's exactly what I'm doing. I'm giving you hypocrites exactly what you want. I'm giving the Superfly what he craves – isn't that right Superfly?
- **Snuka doesn't respond**

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- **Chris Jericho Promo:** I got one last thing in my bag.
- **Jericho pulls out a coconut**
- **Chris Jericho Promo:** You want to see your name in lights? You want to be like Mickey Rourke? You want to relive history? You got it!
- **Jericho rears back to smash Snuka with coconut**
- **Snuka attacks Jericho**
- **Physicality – Jericho turns it around, smashes Snuka with coconut**
- **Jericho destroys Piper's Pit set**
- **Jericho takes off his belt and whips Snuka with it ala Piper**
- **Jericho exits**
- **No Music**
- **BREATHE**
- **ON-CAMERA:** Jerry Lawler admonishes the actions of Jericho; Cole segues to another beating that occurred three nights ago on SmackDown
- **B-ROLL:** From SmackDown - Edge distracts John Cena leading to Big Show delivering knockout punch and hitting chokeslam for win; Edge stands over Cena with Title
- **BACKSTAGE:** Vickie Guerrero (\*\*\*) is in her office addressing the camera. Vickie says "After careful consideration, I have decided John Cena will be granted his Championship Re-Match TONIGHT (\*\*\*)". Camera pulls out to reveal Edge (\*\*\*) with the World Title on his shoulder standing next to Vickie
- **Crash to Break**

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**Segment Two: Rey Mysterio vs. Kane vs. Mike Knox - Triple Threat Money In The Bank Qualifying Match**

**Producers: Ricky Steamboat / Mike Rotunda**

**Time:**

- **Establish Money in the Bank Briefcase above the ring**
- **Lilian Garcia Announcement:** Ladies and gentlemen, the following is a Triple Threat Match in which the winner will automatically qualify for the Money In The Bank Ladder Match at the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of WrestleMania.
- **Rey Mysterio Music and Entrance**
- **Announcers Note:** CM Punk qualified for the Money in the Bank match last week on Raw.
- **Mike Knox Music and Entrance**
- **B:ROLL:** Mike Knox injures Jamie Noble last week on Raw – Noble is out of action and currently recovering from his injuries
- **Kane Music and Entrance**
- **Announcers Note:** See No Evil on Sci-Fi this Saturday Night and Kane will be on ECW tomorrow
- **Match**
- **Crash to Break**

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\*\*\*DURING THE BREAK: MATCH CONTINUES\*\*\*

**Segment Three: Rey Mysterio vs. Mike Knox vs. Kane - Triple Threat Money In The Bank Qualifying Match**

**Producers: Ricky Steamboat / Mike Rotunda**

**Time:**

- **Match continues**
- **Finish**
- **Music Out**
- **BACKSTAGE: Randy Orton (\*\*\*)** is seen backstage talking to his lawyers. **Cody Rhodes** and **Ted DiBiase** are there as well. **Announcers**

**Note: Randy Orton is here with his lawyers and is scheduled to make an announcement later tonight. An announcement he has said will directly affect the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Wrestlemania.**

- **GRAPHIC: Shawn Michaels vs. Vladimir Kozlov – Winner will face the Undertaker at Wrestlemania – We'll hear from HBK – NEXT!**
- **Crash to Break**

+ 3:30 =

**Segment Four: SHORT #1**

**Writer:**

**Time:**

- **WRESTLEMANIA MOMENT: From Wrestlemania 12 – Iron Man Match – Shawn Michaels defeats Bret Hart for the WWE Championship**
- **BACKSTAGE: Todd Grisham** conducts an interview with **Shawn Michaels (\*\*\*)**. Todd brings up the fact that Kozlov is undefeated in Singles competition, defeating the Undertaker last week on SmackDown. How can Shawn do what no one else has been able to do and defeat Kozlov here tonight? Shawn says Todd doesn't have to remind Shawn of what Kozlov is capable of. Shawn got a glimpse of that firsthand when Kozlov chokeslammed Michaels last week. That being said Shawn almost retired this past year at SummerSlam. Then he was this close to losing everything he had and working for JBL forever. Shawn says "This could've been the worst year of my life, but instead I have overcome every obstacle that's been thrown my way and somehow, someway, I will overcome this one. 11 years ago I was in the Main Event of Wrestlemania in this very building, back broken, career finished. Since then I've come back and stole the show in every Wrestlemania I've been a part of. Is that a little brash, a little cocky? Yeah, it is. But I think I've earned the right to have a little self-confidence. I've earned the right to call myself Mr. Wrestlemania. Which means I'm ending one undefeated streak tonight, then Undertaker, I'm going to Wrestlemania and ending another one."
- **JBL Music and Entrance (in white limo)**

**Story Notes**

- Two weeks ago on *RAW*, Rey Mysterio defeated Mike Knox in singles competition.
- At *NO WAY OUT*, Rey Mysterio eliminated rival Kane.
- Kane and Mike Knox have a storied history with Rey Mysterio; both monsters have targeted Rey with heinous intentions.
- Neither Mike nor Rey have ever participated in a Money in the Bank match; Kane was in the first Money in the Bank match at *WRESTLEMANIA 21*.

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- **JBL Promo:** Shawn Michaels isn't the only one with Wrestlemania aspirations. I believe it is my destiny to do something historic on April 5<sup>th</sup> and after watching clips of Steamboat last week, I now know what it is – walk into my home state of Texas as the NEW Intercontinental Champion. I will bring honor and prestige back to that Title and have what will become the greatest Intercontinental Title match of all time. Earlier tonight I went to Vickie Guerrero who told me if I could beat CM Punk in a Non-Title Match tonight; I'd face him for the Title next week. That is what you call controlling your own destiny – something most people including everyone here don't have the backbone to do. Like it or not, you will all be witnesses to the first chapter of my TRUE destiny when I face CM Punk and...
- **CM Punk Music and Entrance**
- **Crash to Break**

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**DURING THE BREAK: MATCH BEGINS**

**Segment Five: CM Punk vs. JBL – Non-Title Match**

**Producer:** Mike Rotunda

**Time:**

- **Match joined in progress**
- **Finish – DQ**
- **Lilian Garcia Announcement – WINNER of the match due to a disqualification – John “Bradshaw” Layfield**
- **JBL celebrates**
- **JBL Music Out**
- **BREATHE – Commentators throw to:**
- **PACKAGE: 12 Rounds character profile on John Cena's character Danny Fisher**
- **Transition to:**
- **BACKSTAGE: Randy Orton, flanked by Cody Rhodes, Ted DiBiase, two lawyers and a six armed security guards, make their way to the ring. We'll hear from Randy Orton – NEXT!**
- **Crash to Break**

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**Segment Six: Triple H – Randy Orton w/ Legacy Promo**

**Producer:** Dean Malenko

**Writer:**

**Time:**

- **REPLAY OF COLD OPEN – DEPENDING ON TIME**
- **Randy Orton Music and Entrance (w/ Legacy, Lawyers and Security)**

**Story Notes**

- Last week on *RAW*, JBL came up short against HBK in a match where the winner would have a chance to compete against the Undertaker and possibly end his undefeated streak.
- Last week on *RAW*, CM Punk defeated The Miz and John Morrison in a Triple Threat Money in the Bank Qualifying Match.
- CM Punk and JBL battled throughout the summer with their rivalry culminating at *SUMMERSLAM* where JBL failed in his attempt to defeat CM Punk for the World Heavyweight Championship.
- At *NO WAY OUT*, HBK defeated JBL in a “All or Nothing Match” that ended HBK's employment with JBL.

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- **Randy Orton Promo:** To address all the rumors, I did not come out here to shut down Wrestlemania. Quite the opposite. As the winner of the Royal Rumble I am entitled to a Championship Match which is why I am officially challenging the winner of tonight's John Cena – Edge World Title match. I know a lot of you assumed I'd be challenging Triple H for the WWE Title, but that's not going to happen. Unlike myself, Triple H isn't going to Wrestlemania. (PAUSE) I am pressing criminal charges against Triple H tonight (\*\*\*). Last week Triple H committed assault with a deadly weapon. You all saw it. I dropped my sledgehammer, something I never intended on actually using, before Triple H even got in the ring. I was willing to settle our issue like men, but Triple H had no intention of doing that. Triple H concealed a sledgehammer which he used with extreme force on Cody Rhodes and Ted DiBiase. Had I not been able to escape, Triple H would've bludgeoned me and ended my career, if not my very life. Well now it's time for Triple H to face the music. You have something to say to me Hunter, say it now, because you're going away for a long time.
- **Triple H Music and Entrance (w/ sledgehammer to the stage)**
- **Triple H Promo:** I guess you got me Orton. I mean, you have, what do your lawyers call it? IED. You're clearly not in control of your actions. But I'm sure as hell in control of mine.
- **Triple H starts to walk down the ramp holding sledgehammer**
- **Armed guards have their hands on weapons but do not draw**
- **Triple H Promo:** If I'm going away, I might as well go out in a blaze of glory. Before I get taken out by your security, I'm pretty sure I can get one good shot right to the base of your skull.
- **Triple H stands on the ring apron, armed guards ready**
- **Triple H Promo:** But I'm not going to do that.
- **Triple H drops the sledgehammer and gets in the ring**
- **Triple H Promo:** Everybody – from your lawyers to Rhodes and DiBiase, they tell you what you want to hear. I'm going to tell you what you need to hear.
- **Randy Orton Promo:** Here we go. I attacked a 63 year old, an innocent woman, a...
- **Triple H Promo:** This isn't about them, this is about YOU. You know deep down, how you WANT the story to end. You take out the entire McMahon family, then go to Wrestlemania and beat me for the WWE Championship. You beat the man you've despised ever since he brought you into Evolution. The man who watched you become the youngest World Champion in history. You remember what happened next Randy? You remember me turning on you the very next day and beating the hell out of you? How long did you have that first Title before I took it from you? Under a month? I don't hide from my past Orton. I'm not a "good" person. I wasn't happy for your success. You had something that was mine, and I made a conscious choice to take it away from you. And I did. Now you have the same opportunity. You can take this WWE Title from me on the biggest stage there is – the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Wrestlemania and yet you choose to run away. And why? Because you KNOW you don't have what it takes to beat me. You can stand there, with your lawyers and your security and talk all you want, but deep down you're still the same kid I had carrying my bags to my limo all those years ago. Extremely talented... but ultimately gutless.
- **Orton sells this as the Lawyer steps forward**
- **Lawyer Promo:** My client has nothing more to say to you. If you do not willingly turn yourself in to the authorities, security will remove you from this ring and do so themselves.
- **Triple H stares a hole into Orton who can't look him in the eye**

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- **Lawyer gives signal to security who move in on Triple H**
- **Randy Orton Promo:** Wait.
- **Security backs off**
- **Orton walks over to Triple H**
- **Randy Orton Promo:** I've changed my mind. I'm not going to face Edge or Cena, I'm going to face YOU (\*\*\*)). Under one condition. We settle this at Wrestlemania. You cannot put your hands on me unless physically provoked. You don't touch me, I don't touch you. If you violate that, then there is no match, I press charges and in all likelihood you spend Wrestlemania in prison. We have a deal?
- **Triple H thinks about it**
- **Triple H Promo:** Deal
- **Triple H starts to leave when...**
- **Randy Orton Promo:** Oh and one more thing.
- **Triple H turns around**
- **Randy Orton Promo:** Since we're getting so personal, I just wanted to tell you how good it felt. Regardless of whether I could control it, it still felt great when I kicked the old man in the skull. It felt even better when I did it to Shane... but when I hit the RKO on your wife... I've replayed it in my head over and over. I still can smell her perfume, Hunter. And her skin? It was so soft, so frail. That's what I remember. I wonder, what the last thing your wife remembers when I grabbed her by the neck and sent her crashing face first into the mat.
- **Triple H gets in Orton's face, livid**
- **Security holds their weapons**
- **Orton holds his ground knowing Triple H can't do anything**
- **Triple H Promo:** Last time we fought for the Title, I broke your collarbone. And that was when it was just business. Now that it's personal...
- **Triple H puts the mic down and whispers something into Orton's ear**
- **Orton sells this heavily**
- **Triple H exits the ring**
- **Triple H Music Out**
- **BREATHE**
- **GRAPHIC: John Cena vs. Edge – World Heavyweight Championship Match – TONIGHT**
- **GRAPHIC: Shawn Michaels vs. Vladimir Kozlov – Mr. Wrestlemania vs. the undefeated Moscow Mauler – winner will face the Undertaker at Wrestlemania - NEXT**
- **Crash to Break**

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**Segment Seven: Shawn Michaels vs. Vladimir Kozlov – Winner faces the Undertaker at Wrestlemania**

**Producer: Dean Malenko**

**Time:**

- **WWE Rewind: From last week. Shawn Michaels defeats JBL – Vladimir Kozlov**

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**Story Notes**

- Last week on *RAW*, Shawn Michaels defeated JBL in a match where the winner would have a chance to compete against the Undertaker at the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of WrestleMania.
- Vladimir Kozlov has been undefeated in singles competition since his debut in April of 2008.
- Last week on *SMACKDOWN* Vladimir defeated The Undertaker in singles competition.
- The last time Vladimir was featured on *RAW*, he defeated Bret "Hitman" Hass in November of 2008

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- confronts Shawn Michaels, hits Shawn with one handed chokeslam
- Shawn Michaels Music and Entrance
- Vladimir Kozlov Music and Entrance
- Match
- Crash to Break



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\*\*\* DURING THE BREAK: MATCH CONTINUES\*\*\*

Segment Eight: Shawn Michaels vs. Vladimir Kozlov – Winner faces the Undertaker at Wrestlemania

Producer: Dean Malenko

Time:



- Match continues
- Finish
- Music
- Lights go out
- TRON: Undertaker 16-0 Wrestlemania Undeatead Streak (NOTE: During package Kozlov exits – do not shoot)
- Undertaker Music and Entrance (to stage)
- Undertaker makes gesture to Shawn Michaels
- Reactions
- BREATHE
- ON-CAMERA: Commentators react, segue to the historic night this is shaping up to be. Later tonight, John Cena will get his re-match for the World Championship here in his backyard, Boston, Massachusetts. Lawler brings up the last time Cena competed for the World Title in Boston, a few months ago at Survivor Series:
- B-ROLL: John Cena defeats Chris Jericho to become World Champion
- GRAPHIC: John Cena vs. Edge – World Heavyweight Championship – Can John Cena do it again and become World Champion just 48 hours after a brutal beating at the hands of the Big Show – We'll find out – TONIGHT
- Fade to Break

+ 3:00 =

Segment Nine: Hall of Fame Announcement

Time:

- (:15) HOF GRAPHIC: Stone Cold Steve Austin, the Funks, Ricky "The Dragon" Steamboat
- (:15) WIDESHOT: Commentators throw to the next WWE Hall of Fame inductee:
- (1:30) PACKAGE: WWE Hall of Fame Class of 2009 Inductee Announcement – Cowboy Bill Watts

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- **Transition to:**
- **BACKSTAGE: Todd Grisham** interviews World Heavyweight Champion **Edge** and says "Obviously it's no accident; you putting your Title on the line just two days after John Cena was knocked unconscious by the Big Show...." Edge cuts Grisham off and says "I don't care for your tone Todd. Ever since No Way Out, Cena has begged me to give him his rematch. Now I finally do and somehow I'm the bad guy? This has nothing to do with what happened on SmackDown. I wanted to face Cena here from the very start. West Newbury is less than an hour from Boston, I Mapquested it myself. I want Cena's friends and family to be here and witness firsthand Cena's quest to become World Champion squashed. Cena was knocked out by the Big Show when I stood over him on SmackDown, and told him, this Title is MINE. I guarantee you by the end of the night; I'll tell him the exact same thing."
- **Mickie James Music and Entrance**
- **Kelly Kelly Music and Entrance**
- **Mickie and Kelly face Beth Phoenix and Jillian Hall - NEXT**
- **Crash to Break**

+ 3:30 =

\*\*\*DURING THE BREAK: JILLIAN HALL MUSIC AND ENTRANCE\*\*\*

\*\*\*DURING THE BREAK: BETH PHOENIX MUSIC AND ENTRANCE (w/ ROSA MENDES AND SANTINO MARELLA) \*\*\*

\*\*\*DURING THE BREAK: MELINA MUSIC AND ENTRANCE – TO COMMENTARY\*\*\*

Segment Ten: Mickie James and Kelly Kelly vs. Beth Phoenix and Jillian Hall

Producer: Finlay

Time:

- Shot of Diva's in the ring
- Melina on commentary – Melina Music playing
- Match
- Finish
- Aftermath
- Maryse
- Physicality
- Music Out
- **GRAPHIC: John Cena vs. Edge – World Heavyweight Championship Match – LIVE on Monday Night Raw - NEXT**
- **Crash to Break**

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**Segment Eleven: John Cena vs. Edge – World Heavyweight Championship Match**

**Producer: John Laurinaitis**

**Writer:**

**Time:**

- **GRAPHIC: Shawn Michaels and the Undertaker – Face to Face – LIVE on Raw NEXT WEEK**
- **GRAPHIC: CM Punk vs. John “Bradshaw” Layfield – Intercontinental Championship Match – NEXT WEEK**
- **John Cena Music and Entrance**
- **Edge Music and Entrance**
- **Match**
- **Finish**
- **Big Show**
- **Vickie Guerrero comes to stage**
- **Vickie Guerrero Promo**
- **Reactions**
- **Music Out**
- **END OF SHOW**

**Story Notes**

- Last week on *RAW*, Chavo Guerrero was defeated by John Cena.
- Last week on *SMACKDOWN*, Big Show faced John Cena; during the bout Edge distracted Cena giving Big Show the opportunity to hit a knock out punch and a chokeslam for the victory.
- Edge eliminated Cena from the Elimination Chamber at *NO WAY OUT* en route to Edge winning the World Heavyweight Championship.
- The last time Edge defended the World Heavyweight Championship on *RAW*, he lost the title to CM Punk.

**WWE MOBILE: “Top Rope Theatre” – Howard Finkel VO from last week’s episode –** Mickie James leads a man dressed in black with a black hood over his head, hands bound, down a hall. Mickie says, “I got IRS, you have Hacksaw?” **Camera pans** to reveal **Kelly Kelly** with a similarly hooded man, dressed in black with hands also bound. Kelly says, “Yes. Just so you know, we’re being watched.” Mickie unmasks **IRS**. Mickie says, “Now give me Hacksaw and we’ll make this exchange nice and smooth.” Kelly takes the hood off of the other man to reveal... **Tony Garea**. Kelly is surprised as Mickie says, “You double crossed me!” Kelly says “I had no idea.” Tony says, “What are you talking about? It is I, Hacksaw Jim Duggan. USA. USA.” Mickie says, “This is unbelievable. Guys?” **Cryme Tyme** walk in and escort IRS away who points out kidnapping is almost as bad as not paying taxes. Kelly says, “Seriously, I didn’t know.” Garea says, “I simply shaved my beard.” Mickie tells Kelly, “You tell your boss, no deal until we get Hacksaw.” Mickie walks away as Tony turns to Kelly and says, “Hooooo” while giving a thumbs up with his bound hands as Kelly looks at him bewildered. **TO BE CONTINUED....**

## WWE TALENT ROSTER – 2/26/09

| <b>RAW</b>  |  | <b>SMACKDOWN</b>   |  | <b>ECW</b>  |  |
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| INTERIM GENERAL MANAGER: Vickie Guerrero  |  | GENERAL MANAGER: Vickie Guerrero   |  | GENERAL MANAGER: Teddy Long   |  |
| John Cena<br>Shawn Michaels<br>Rey Mysterio<br>CM Punk<br>Kofi Kingston<br>Shad<br>JTG<br>Jamie Noble<br>Goldust<br>Charlie Haas<br>Batista (May) | Randy Orton<br>Chris Jericho<br>JBL<br>Kane<br>Mike Knox<br>William Regal<br>Cody Rhodes<br>Ted DiBiase<br>Santino Marella<br>Sim Snuka<br>Dolph Ziggler | Triple H<br>Undertaker<br>Jeff Hardy<br>The Great Khali<br>(w/ Ranjin Singh)<br>R-Truth<br>MVP<br>Carlito<br>Primo<br>Festus<br>Jesse<br>Jimmy Wang Yang<br>Kizarny (FCW)<br>Kung Fu Naki<br>Hurricane Helms (Mar 20)<br>Mr. Kennedy (Apr) | Edge<br>Big Show<br>Matt Hardy<br>Umaga<br>Vladimir Kozlov<br>Shelton Benjamin<br>Chavo Guerrero<br>The Brian Kendrick<br>Ezekiel Jackson<br>Zack Ryder<br>Curt Hawkins<br>DH Smith<br>Ryan Braddock (FCW) | Christian<br>Finlay<br>(w/ Hornswoggle)<br>Tommy Dreamer<br>Boogeyman<br>Ricky Ortiz (FCW)<br>DJ Gabriel (FCW)<br>Evan Bourne (Mar 2) | Jack Swagger<br>John Morrison<br>The Miz<br>Mark Henry<br>(w/ Tony Atlas)<br>Tyson Kidd (FCW)<br>Paul Burchill |
| <b>DIVAS</b>  |  | <b>DIVAS</b>   |  | <b>DIVAS</b>  |  |
| Melina<br>Kelly Kelly<br>Mickie James<br>Candice (Mar 18)   | Beth Phoenix<br>Layla<br>Rosa Mendes (FCW)<br>Jillian  | Maria<br>Brie Bella (FCW)<br>Nikki Bella (FCW)<br>Eve<br>Gail Kim  | Maryse<br>Michelle McCool<br>Natalya   | Alicia Fox (FCW)<br>Tiffany (FCW)   | Katie Lea Burchill   |
| <b>REFEREES</b>   |  |  |  |   |  |
| Scott Armstrong<br>Mike Chioda<br>John Cone<br>Marty Elias  |  | Jack Doan (crew)<br>Chad Patton (crew)<br>Charles Robinson (crew)<br>Aaron Mahoney (FCW)   |  |   |  |

| <b>FCW</b>   |  |  |   | <b>Miscellaneous</b>             | <b>Transactions</b>  |
|--|--|--|---|----------------------------------|--|
| Alex Riley<br>Brian Button<br>Brett DiBiase<br>Brandon Silvestry<br>Brian Jossie<br>Byron Saxton<br>Byron Wilcott<br>Dakota Darsow<br>Damien Santiago<br>David Otunga<br>Drew McIntyre | Eric Escobar<br>Jason Elliott<br>Jason Garrison<br>Joe Hennig<br>Joe Nobles<br>John Elliott<br>Johnny Curtis<br>Jon Emminger<br>Jon Skrypnik<br>Jose Torres<br>Kipp Christianson | Kris Pavone<br>Matt Walsh<br>Michael Hutter<br>Pat Brink<br>PJ Black<br>Ryan Reeves<br>S. Farrelly<br>Sebastian Slater<br>Stu Sanders<br>Taylor Rotunda<br>Tevita Fifita | Trent Barreta<br>Tristan Delta<br>Tyler Reks<br>Tyson Tarver<br>Wes Brisco<br>Victor Ceron<br>Windham Rotunda<br>Yoshitatsu | Steve Austin<br>Big Dick Johnson | <b>Released:</b> Manu<br><b>Released:</b> Scotty Goldman<br><b>Roster Move:</b> Natalya is still Smackdown |
| <b>DIVAS</b>   |  |  |   | <b>Ambassadors</b>               |  |
| Angela Fong<br>Wesley Holiday<br>Jenny Cash  |  |  |   |                                  |  |
| <b>REFEREES</b>  |  |  |   |                                  |  |
| Justin King<br>Rod Zapata  |  |  |   |                                  |  |
| <b>TRAINERS</b>  |  |  |   |                                  |  |
| Steve Keirn<br>Tom Prichard  | Billy Kidman<br>Norman Smiley  |  |   |                                  |  |

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**Monday Night RAW #823 – TALENT NOT WORKING A MATCH:**

|                           |                           |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Kofi Kingston             | Randy Orton               |
| Shad (NOT AT TV)          | Chris Jericho             |
| JTG (NOT AT TV)           | William Regal             |
| Jamie Noble (NOT AT TV)   | Cody Rhodes               |
| Goldust                   | Ted DiBiase               |
| Charlie Haas (NOT AT TV)  | Santino Marella           |
| Batista (May – NOT AT TV) | Dolph Ziggler (NOT AT TV) |
|                           | Sim Snuka (NOT AT TV)     |

|                     |                   |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| Melina              | Layla             |
| Candice (NOT AT TV) | Rosa Mendes (FCW) |

**Monday Night RAW #823 – TALENT NOT REPRESENTED:**

|                           |                           |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Kofi Kingston             | William Regal             |
| Shad (NOT AT TV)          | Dolph Ziggler (NOT AT TV) |
| JTG (NOT AT TV)           | Sim Snuka (NOT AT TV)     |
| Goldust                   |                           |
| Charlie Haas (NOT AT TV)  |                           |
| Batista (May – NOT AT TV) |                           |

Candice (NOT AT TV)

**Monday Night RAW #823 – DEVELOPMENTAL TALENT:**

|                   |                   |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| Ricky Ortiz (FCW) |                   |
| DJ Gabriel (FCW)  |                   |
| Tyson Kidd (FCW)  |                   |
| Alicia Fox (FCW)  | Rosa Mendes (FCW) |
| Tiffany (FCW)     |                   |