

Slammiversary 2014 Preview

One of the biggest shows of the year is tomorrow and I don't think a lot of people care.

Since MVP is injured and can't wrestle, the main event has been changed to a three way in the cage, because wrestling NEEDS triple threats. Eric Young will still be defending, but his opponents will be determined. Instead of selecting a challenger, the winners of two previously announced matches will be entered in to face Young.

The first qualifying match is Samoa Joe vs. Bobby Lashley. This is the more interesting one of the two and I think they'll keep Lashley strong, even though Joe presents a more interesting case to be champion. Unfortunately this is TNA, so Joe has to look strong one week and then get beaten a few days later.

The other qualifier is Austin Aries vs. Kenny King. I'll take Aries here, even though it looks like they're setting up Young to overcome the odds again and keep the title over the other two members of the Trio.

In case it's not clear, I'll take Young to keep the title. Odds are they'll put the title on someone else at Destination X anyway.

Two of the Von Erich children are having a tag match. This hasn't been advertised on TV much if at all, but if they did we might have to cut out one of 19 segments a given act got o a show. Their opponents are to be announced, but could it possibly be anyone other than the Bro Mans? Von Erichs win.

Ethan wins the Texas Death Match due to Dixie causing trouble. She has to go through a table in New York. I mean....she HAS TO.

Magnus beats Willow, setting up a tag match with Abyss joining Hardy to face the Brits in the future.

Storm beats Anderson but they'll have 97 gimmick matches in the future to keep the feud going way past its expiration date.

Love beats Kim and I don't care enough to go into why.

The other match that hasn't been announced on Impact: Sanada vs. Manik vs. Tigre Uno vs. Crazy Steve vs. Eddie Edwards vs. Davey Richards for the X-Division Title. We're less than two weeks away from Destination X and the X Division Title match can't even get a backstage promo. Is it any wonder why this company is in such horrible shape?

Overall Slammiversary looks like the most thrown together PPV in a long time. The main event isn't their fault, but too much of the card is either tacked on or a match that hasn't been given enough time for people to care about it. The show should set up some interesting stuff in the future with Destination X so soon but instead it feels like they're just filling time until we can get back to the multi way war for control of the company. Then again, Slammiversary has been a very solid show for a few years running now.

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