

WAPLE WORLD™

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A WARM WELCOME FROM THE EDITOR

Hello, and welcome to the very first issue of WAPLEworld. Before I begin, let me clear up the name issue. Waple is NOT pronounced Wapple like apple, nor Wapple like waffle but Waple like maple. Got it? Well, Okay then.

For those of you who are new to this newsletter, and just about all of you are, let me tell you just what this is all about. WAPLEworld is an exciting and FREE publication brought to you via the Wonderful Waple Brothers, who just happen to be the finest wrestling force ever assembled. This newsletter will keep you up to date on the happenings in the world of professional wrestling. We will rate the wrestlers making headlines

and give our unbiased opinions on their careers. For you trivia buffs, Wally "Walla" Waplestaph, esteemed manager of the Wonderful Waple Brothers, will be presenting "Trivial Matters". We will have regular updates on what

the Wonderful Waple Family has been doing so you can keep up with your favorite group of madcaps. As we go, we will be adding more and more. And as a super special treat, WAPLEworld will contain a prediction sheet for the Pay Per View event of the month.

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WAPLE. THE NAME. THE LEGEND.

What, you may be saying, is a Waple? What can a Waple do for me? Well, the Waple legend goes back for eons. Let me tell you the tale.

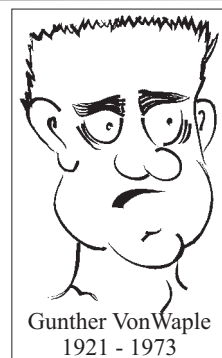
It all started a long time ago, back when TV had no color. In a day where men like Killer Kolwalski, Bruno Samartino, and Larry "the Axe" Henning ruled the squared circle, there stood a man, a man destined for greatness. A man who feared no other and showed no pain. No, this man was not Vader. This man was the awesome, unbelievable, phenomenal, astonishingly neat Gunther vonWaple.

Gunther's wrestling career spanned some 30 years. Though he never held a title, he fought in over 10 different states and 37 arenas. He was well versed in technique with 12 different moves in his repitior. His physical strength was incredible, benching just under 97 lbs. His unique lisping stutter always made for a memorable interview. He was the consummate veteran.

In the summer of 1973, Gunther's dream came true. He was given a title shot. While he was flying to Boise, Idaho for this match in which he could become the next

WCIIFCW Studio Champion, his career was cut tragically short when a freak accident sent his plane plummeting

down into the Sahara desert and Gunther's fiery death. Fortunately his 30 year losing streak did finally come to an end. Lost was the legend. But Gunther did leave something. Four sons: Chet, Bill, Chic, and me, Biff.



Gunther VonWaple
1921 - 1973

AN EXTRA NIFTY INTERVIEW WITH: HARVEY WIMPLEMAN

(This is purely fictional. We made it up. We didn't talk to him and this may not be what he would really say.)

WW: So Harv, your a wrestler, huh?

HW: No, buttbrain. I'm a manager!

WW: I see, so you're a manager then. Yes... that's nice. So, uh, who do you manage?

HW: Kwang.

WW: I'm sorry, I've never heard of her.

HW: Kwang is a him, poopbutt!

WW: Sorry. I've never heard of

him.

HW: Well, yyou should have. He's the meanest peice of humanity this side of Three Mile Island.

WW: That's just swell. So, do you like my shirt?

HW: What does your shirt have to do with wraslin'?

WW: Oh, I don't know. It's just my favorite shirt. How long have you been managing Quim?

HW: It's Kwang! Get that straight or I'll punch you in the nose.

WW: I'm sorry, could you repeat that, I was looking at my shirt.

HW: I'm outta' here!

WW: Thank you Herb Wrinkle, for that very, very nice interview. This has been another extra nifty interview brought to you courtesy of the Wonderful Waple Brothers. Ta Ta.

LARZLAND NEWS FROM AROUND

BY LARZ WAPLETON

WWF - Lex Luger and "**The Model**" **Rick Martel** faced off on RAW recently. Lex easily handled "The Model", but what we really want to know is if he will return to being **The Narcissist** and meet **Mr. Perfect**...

Owen Hart has looked excellent in singles matches as of late, including a victory over his brother **Bret** at WrestlemaniaX. Owen should get a title shot, but is his big brother afraid of receiving a sharpshooter... Again!...

Captain Lou Albano has returned to the WWF as manager of the **Headshrinkers**. He wants, and will get a title shot with the **Quebecers**. Johnny's a quakin' in his boots... "**The Million Dollar Man**" **Ted DiBiase** has been popping us a lot, and he promises something big is coming up. His only hints are "Money talks" and "Everybody has a price for The Million Dollar Man." Is he going to try and buy the belt? (I hope he remembers what happened last time, ed.) If I were the **Hitman**, I'd sell it now before I lost it to the **Rocket**...

Has the **Heartbreak Kid** stepped out of the ring for a while to manage his bodyguard? (Biff, Chic and Bill take note.) In the first installment of the Heartbreak Hotel, **Shawn Michaels** called **Diesel** "Big Daddy Cool" and threatened **Razor Ramon** by saying, "We have not even begun to start with you." Hopefully this summer, Razor will put his IC belt on the line against a *real* bad guy... **Ten Man Tag**, bad guys win, yawn... **Earthquake / Adam Bomb** rematch, Earthquake wins, yawn. You know, if we didn't care about it at Wrestle ManiaX, we don't care about it now... One last note, "The Bodyguard" soundtrack is the best selling album of the nineties. Maybe **Diesel** and I can release an album named

"Bodyguards" and sell it to people who think it's a sequel. Then again, maybe he'll just kick my butt.

WCW - Sting and **Rick Rude** are set to square-off at the Spring Stampede. I'd like to see Sting take the belt from Rude and fight a unification bout with **Ric Flair**...

Speaking of the "Nature Boy", he's been talking some serious trash lately. Most recently, he invited none other than **Hulk Hogan** to sit ringside at Stampede to watch Flair dominate **Ricky "the Dragon" Steamboat**. Is Hulkamania going to sweep the country again? I say "HELL YEAH!"... **The Nasty Boys** are taking on **Cactus Jack** and **Maxx Payne** in a Chicago Streetfight at Stampede. This could easily be the bloodiest WCW match of the year, so make sure you watch, kids!...

Vader has again been threatening to end someone's career, this time it's **The Boss**. Vader has the ability to destroy anybody, but The Boss isn't just anybody. I know, I've seen him up close. I even shook his hand once. It hurt... **Dustin Rhodes** certainly is coming into his own, his own dad that is. Am I the only one that thinks that "roll the dough" thing he does before an elbow to the mellon is something that should have stopped with big 'ol dad...

WHAT'S GOING ON WITH THE WAPLES

March 18: Biff's 25th birthday. He got a pony and a Hulk Hogan doll.

March 22: Chic and Bill arm wrestled for 4 seconds... then they got tired and took naps.

March 30: Chic, Biff and Bill went golfing. Biff shot a 129, Chic shot a 112, and Bill got mad after 157 and shot a bird.

April 1: Harvey Wapleman told everyone he had a girlfriend. Later, after passing around the smelling salts, he said it was just an April Fool's joke.

April 4: Lou Waplemeyer bought a new chainsaw. Unfortunately, he lost another finger while trying to cut the hand cuffs off.

April 7: Chic, Biff and Bill lost a close one to Dusty Wolf in a mere 12 seconds.

April 9: Chic showed everyone how he could bench press 50 pounds. After getting the bar removed from his chest, he vowed never to try again.

April 11: Wally and Larz picked up a woman at a bar, were beaten up, and got their wallets stolen.

WALLY'S TRIVIAL MATTERS

1. Who was the winner of the first WWF Royal Rumble?
2. At WrestleMania I, who was the guest referee for the main event?
- 3a. Who holds the record for being the recipient of the highest ever backtoss?
- 3b. How high did he go?

WRESTLEMANIA X RECAP BY BIFF WAPLE

Well, the granddaddy of wrestling Pay Per Views has come and gone, and overall, it was pretty darn good. Of course, the presence of Doink added that touch of cheese that Vince McMahon is oh so fond of. Boy a hate Doink.

Possibly the best match, ever, was for the Intercontinental belt... Well, belts. Shawn Michaels' *true* IC belt, and Razor Ramon's bogus belt. After a miscarriage of justice in Diesel being tossed to the locker room for a little thing like a clothesline on the floor, both grapplers were at each other like wild beavers. Anyway, after Razor cheated (he didn't really, I just like saying he did), he grabbed the belts and the goody goody won. Shawn's still cool, though.

Bret and Owen Hart faced off and had a really good match. Both brothers put

Sharpshooters on each other (not at the same time, however, that would have been pretty neat). The match could have gone either way at any given moment, but as Bret went for a Victory Roll, Owen just let his knees buckle and got the 1-2-3.

In the first of the world title matches, Lex had everything going his way and knocked out Yokozuna but had to be Mr. Hot Shot and bring Mr. Fuji and Jim Cornette into the ring. When he went for the pin, the guest ref, Mr. Perfect, tried to get the managers out of the ring before he went for the count. When Lex got mad and pushed the perfect one, Mr. P called for the bell and walked out. Lex blew it... again.

When the big sumo took on Bret in the second title match, he had Bret reeling like a fishing rod. He went to the corner to

splatter Bret, but when he lost his balance, he fell and Bret got the pinfall. Bad ending.

The Quebecers beat M.O.M. in an okay match. The "Not the Mounties" are really the best team in the WWF (us excluded).

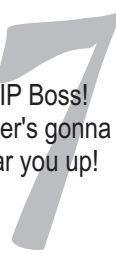
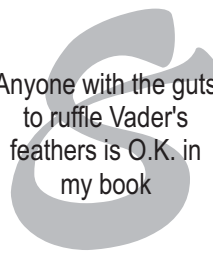

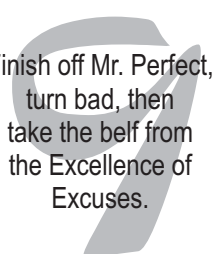
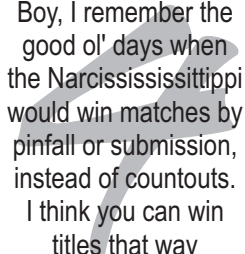

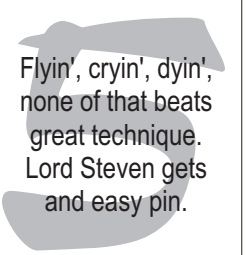
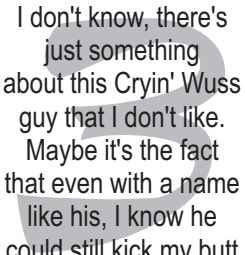




Big Boom Backalow and Luna squished Dork and Dung. The best thing there was Luna's butt.

The ol' Macho Man and Crush had a nice little match. Crush dropped Savage's throat on the steel barricade and got the first pin. But since Savage had one minute to get back to the ring, that didn't work. Randy won after he hung Crush by his foot in the hallway and strolled back to the ring.

That's all I can remember. Oh yeah, Earthquake beat Adam Bomb in about 9 seconds. That match sucked.

Bye.

WRESTLER'S RATINGS

	Larz	biff	Harvey
THE BOSS (WCW)	 <p>RIP Boss! Vader's gonna tear you up!</p>	 <p>Anyone with the guts to ruffle Vader's feathers is O.K. in my book</p>	 <p>He can stand to lose a few tons</p>
LEX LUGER (WWF)	 <p>Finish off Mr. Perfect, turn bad, then take the belf from the Excellence of Excuses.</p>	 <p>Boy, I remember the good ol' days when the Narcissississittippi would win matches by pinfall or submission, instead of countouts. I think you can win titles that way</p>	 <p>Very nice pecs. Almost in as good shape as me.</p>
FLYIN' BRIAN PILLMAN (WCW)	 <p>Flyin', cryin', dyin', none of that beats great technique. Lord Steven gets and easy pin.</p>	 <p>I don't know, there's just something about this Cryin' Wuss guy that I don't like. Maybe it's the fact that even with a name like his, I know he could still kick my butt</p>	 <p>He should go back to the Partridge Family where he belongs</p>
JEFF JARRETT (WWF/USWA)	 <p>Double J will be routinely destroyed by all the wimp good guys like Biff, Chic and Bill</p>	 <p>I've never heard of him. Wait, isn't J.J. that "Kid Dy-No-Mite!" guy from TV's "Good Times"?</p>	 <p>This red-neck has less talent in his little finger than I do in my whole boney frame.</p>

JUST WHO ARE THOSE WACKY WAPLES ANYWAY?

Biff Waple: Wrestler

Likes: Pizza and long walks in the park.

Dislikes: Men who wear bikini briefs.

Chic Waple: Wrestler

Likes: Being in Sleeper Holds.

Dislikes: Pain and cows.

Bill Waple: Wrestler

Likes: Blinking his eyes really fast and watching dogs in heat.

Dislikes: Anything with red in it.

Chet Waple: Dead Wrestler

Liked: Velvet and shiny things with lots of buttons, boxing.

Disliked: Biff, Chic, Bill and wrestling.

Wally "Walla" Waplestaph:

Manager of Waple Brothers

Likes: Chocolate Mousse Pie

Dislikes: Clothes that aren't Hawiian Print.

Harvey Wapleman: Financial Advisor

Likes: Caviar, club soda, Versacci clothes and silk scarves.

Dislikes: Polyester, Kmart and loose clothing.

Lou Waplemeyer: Trainer

Likes: Blood and chainsaws.

Dislikes: Good losers.

Larz Wapleton: Bodyguard

Likes: Bevis and Butthead

Dislikes: Things he can't understand.

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