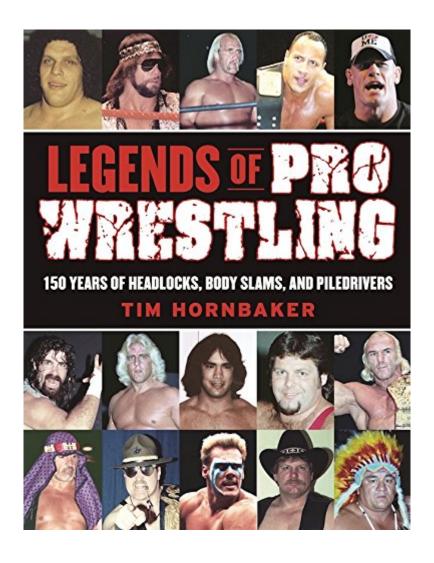


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# Legends Of Pro Wrestling: 150 Years Of Headlocks, Body Slams, And Piledrivers





## **Synopsis**

Legends of Pro Wrestling offers the first comprehensive look at the entire world of wrestling. With detailed biographies and never-before-seen statistics of some of the greatest athletes in the sport, you will be able to read about hundreds of wrestlers, dating back to the mid-1800s. As the first of its kind, this centralized reference book offers wrestling enthusiasts a range of information at their fingertips and stands alone as the ultimate wrestling resource. This book offers readers a link between what happened a century ago to what is currently happening today. An older fan of Bruno Sammartino or "The Nature Boyâ⠬• Buddy Rogers can enjoy this book as much as someone who follows John Cena or The Undertaker today. This collection is a never-ending source of facts, figures, and other entertaining data. Professional wrestling is a world of accomplishment, legacy, and, most importantly, fate. Through injuries, sickness, and family tribulations, many wrestlers have given everything they have to give in the ring, and true fans of the sport love every single second of it. No matter your age, if you $\tilde{A}\phi\hat{a} - \hat{a}_{\parallel}\phi$ re a fan of professional wrestling, Legends of Pro Wrestling is the book for you to own and cherish. Skyhorse Publishing, as well as our Sports Publishing imprint, is proud to publish a broad range of books for readers interested in sports—books about baseball, pro football, college football, pro and college basketball, hockey, or soccer, we have a book about your sport or your team. In addition to books on popular team sports, we also publish books for a wide variety of athletes and sports enthusiasts, including books on running, cycling, horseback riding, swimming, tennis, martial arts, golf, camping, hiking, aviation, boating, and so much more. While not every title we publish becomes a New York Times bestseller or a national bestseller, we are committed to publishing books on subjects that are sometimes overlooked by other publishers and to authors whose work might not otherwise find a home.

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This book is good for the old fan who just want to read some fun facts about some of yesterday's stars, and a few of today's stars. As for new fans, it is good if you have a lot of other wrestling sources that you can cross-reference. Most of the other reviewers sum up my thoughts on the job done by Mr T Hornbaker. ..p.s. i love the inclusion of the Japan wrestling stars.

This book is well worth the price, but it is missing many grapplers such as Buzz Sawyer, the Oates Brothers, Cowboy Bob Kelly, Mike 'The Hippie' Boyette, and many more. What's interesting is that many of the missing wrestlers are mentioned within the biographies of the wrestlers that are here. Also, a cross reference index of names would be nice since most wrestlers have used multiple names. Mick Foley was best known as Cactus Jack, but yet that isn't listed as one of his identities. This book is definitely worth the money, but I hope they issue another edition with more info and more wrestlers.

An unbiased lists of wrestling entertainers stretching from all over the world small and large wrestling promotions. This book is an exceptional reference point to settle any dispute between fans. My only problem is that they never listed promotions that the entertainer has worked for.

Love this book very informative.IM a longtime fan and wrestler and found that it was a interesting read.great job Hornabaker

Some of the greatest wrestlers to ever step into the ring! You will love this book! So much info! Only wish the pictures were in color..

Yep, they're all here. Good reference book.

Great book covers all the greats and not so greats good reading and lots of facts. I would have liked to see more of the old timers but over all a great book and weel worth the money.

This is a must for the Wrestling Fan who wants to go a long long wayback in the who was who in Wrestling lore.

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