

May 26th, 2008

To: The Powerlifting Community, Friends, and Families:

Please read this regarding the upcoming AAU Peach Days Powerlifting event.

As many of you have already know, Wayne Martinez, the owner of Physiques Fitness Gym in Brigham City where we have hosted several powerlifting meets in the past, was involved in a serious motorcycle accident on July 14th, 2007.

As of this writing, I have decided to give out Medals for the awards to the competitors of this meet again this year. All proceeds from this competition, just like last year, will be donated to the Martinez family.

- 1st... The proceeds of this meet are going to be donated to the Martinez family.
- 2nd... With Regards to Awards and Trophies...
Medals will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place.
Sculpture trophies for the best lifter awards.
- 3rd. The Martinez family has been very generous to the Utah lifter's for many years allowing us to use their facility.

This meet is a qualifying meet for both the full power and push/pull world meets.

Whether you are competing in this event or not, I'm asking for all lifters to step up and make a contribution to this event. The Martinez family has supported us for many years... I believe we need to return the favor and give something back to show our support to this family in these tough times as Wayne has a long road to recovery ahead.

If you cannot make it to the Peach Days event and want to make a donation, you can go to any Zion's Bank and ask to make a donation and deposit into an account for Wayne Martinez.

We will also be taking donations at the meet to help support Wayne and his family.

Look forward to seeing you there,

Respectfully,

David Edmondson
AAU Utah State Chair