

# WFNA Grand Teton Invitational



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FALLS, ID -**  
The first  
annual Grand  
T e t o n

Invitational drew  
athletes from Montana,  
Washington and Idaho .

Judging this event was Karin Kimura, Boise, Idaho WFNA Pro Women's with many years judging and competing experience, Heidi Wilkins, Bozeman, Montana with 9 years judging and 11 years competing experience, Rich Olson, Seattle, Washington webmaster for the WFNA, Steve Williams, Pocatello, Idaho 2 years judging and 13 years competing experience, Lei-Anna Bertelsen, Bozeman, Montana, WFNA Fitness winner, Troy Bertelsen, WFNA President with many years judging and competing experience. Test judges were Roger Schei, Pocatello, Idaho, Lisa Schlachter, Boise, Idaho and David Jacoby, bozeman, Montana.

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The evening show began with a moment of silence in honor of those lost 3 years ago. Then Idaho Falls' own professional singer, Liatt Potter mesmerized the audience with God Bless America. The mood of the evening was turned up a notch with the new hip hop dance group Xplosion. Next on stage came the Women's Fitness with 34 year old, personal trainer and mother with 15 years experience and veteran Fitness Competition winner Kathy Fehringer from Pocatello, Idaho, Kathy was up against first timer and extremely energetic Shauntel Marotz of Blackfoot, Idaho. The morning pre-judging had these two on stage in their one-piece swimsuits and after two very professionally performed

Beck from Idaho Falls in his first competition won first place over 38 year old Dee Gallup of Shelly, Idaho. Appearing on stage as a drug-free athlete from the powerlifting sport was 6 time USA super heavy-weight National Champion, Liz Willett. Liz who recently bench pressed 412 at a European meet gave the crowd an easy 365 bench press.

The Women's Figure division with 7 competitors paraded across the stage to the cheers of the audience. After judging all 7 earlier in their one-piece suit, the judges now were faced with seeing them in their two-piece suit and hearing their answer to a fitness related question. When the scores were tallied, it was Pocatello, Idaho's 34 year old Kathy Fehringer edging out second place winner, Nancy Taylor, this 36 year old massage therapist from Missoula, Montana with only 2 years training and a previous 2nd and 3rd placing is one to watch in the next year as she possesses what it takes to be a first place and pro card winner. 39 year old Brenda Terry from Nampa, Idaho fresh off a second place win in a competition just a month prior took home the 3rd place trophy.

Now it was the audiences turn to step on stage with the "hotbodies" competition. 3 women and 2 women from the audience jumped on stage to hit their best poses and the crowd declared Shauna



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The Men's Open Lightweight Division winner 30 year old Kevin Nelson from Kennewick, Washington was on stage with leanness and good symmetry.

Next up was the Men's Middleweight Division, Bret Dolph, Pocatello, Idaho, first time competitor with just 6 months training brought super cut legs to the stage winning 3rd place. Scott

Meacham, 47 year old insurance adjuster from Missoula, Montana won 2nd place with his super shredded body and entertaining posing routine. The first place winner with a thick chest, wide back and well defined arms and legs was 39 year old Bruce Blake from Idaho Falls, Idaho.

The Men's Open Light Heavyweight Division saw 23 year old Matt Slate from Cataldo, ID on stage fresh off a 1st place in a WFNA Novice Heavyweight division. The one and only Men's Heavyweight was 38 year old Dee Gallup, construction manager from Shelly, Idaho with 8 years training. The men's overall would put lightweight winner Kevin Nelson, middleweight Bruce Blake, light heavyweight Matt Slate and heavyweight Dee Gallup on stage.

The judges unanimous pick for overall winner was Bruce Blake with his width, thickness, and cuts.

The second annual Grand Teton Invitational will be held on June 25, 2005 in Idaho Falls, Idaho. Contact promoter, Sherry Randolph at shebuilds@earthlink.net for entry forms and info.

[Text by Sherry Randolph]