



Greetings from **MIMMA!**



MIMMA3 Quarterfinals: War is Inevitable!

Petaling Jaya, 13 JUNE 2015 – A fighter fights not because he hates what is in front of him, but because of the shared passion between him and his opponent. We are at the Quarterfinals and our fighters are ready to go for war. At the Ladder Match last month, we have managed to create history by organizing the largest number of amateur MMA fights ever by any fighting promotion; 72 fights in total.

This weekend, expect nothing less from the Top 8 fighters from each category as they will be ready for war in order to determine who is worthy of a spot in the next round. Our local fighters have displayed a greater number of skills and aggression as not to be overshadowed by their foreign counterparts. Even our female fighters are performing at a level that is admirable.

It cannot be denied that these young fighters put their heart and soul into their fights once they stepped into the cage. They showed up to fight and fight they did. Experiencing multiple blows, cuts and bruises will not deter them from keeping their dreams of becoming the next MIMMA Champion alive. The Quarterfinal will polish the talents that has been unearth and these impressive fighters will make the current champions run for their money.





Among the ones to look out for are Naimul Amal who hails from a Silat background and Salim from Tajikistan who is actually a former weightlifting champion. Upcoming female fighters, Samantha Tan, a BJJ specialist, and Amalia Syakirah, a Muay Thai “Knee-nja” are predicted to dominate the female category. Not forgetting the Kalai brothers, Effendy and Eddie who are already well known in the martial arts arena. The quality of the fighters during the Ladder Match shocked even the most experienced fighters who came to watch, imagine the intensity of the fights at the Quarter Finals. As the number of fighters gets smaller, the action gets bigger. Other than their hopes, fighters will also be carrying their state pride on their shoulders and this will not be easy. Fighters will not only depend on their fighting skills, but now, they need to be mentally strong. Those who have the ability of self-control in the cage will prevail. It is no longer just about who throws the strongest punch or does the biggest takedown.

Jason Lo stated, “Expect fighters to be more vigilant in their fights. They are going to be calculative in making their moves. The risk is bigger this time around and they would want to go into the fight unequipped with any strategies. These 72 fighters will push the boundaries of amateur mixed martial arts.” He added, “I am pretty sure that the fighters will be under a lot of stress. This is actually when his team plays a vital part in making sure he is on the right track. One silly mistake could crush his dreams. If you think the fight during the Ladder Match was epic, wait till you experience the MIMMA3 Quarterfinals. Those with good self-control should have the upper hand.”

Will the stress level break them or drive them to glory? The war is actually not with his opponent, but with his or her worst enemy, the one living in between his own two ears. The visitors of Paradigm Mall shall once again be entranced by the massive fights happening in the MIMMA2 Cage and they shall stand by the railings of the balconies and gawked for hours cheering for fighters that they might be seeing for the first time.

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