**MAKE SURE EVERYTHING WORKS!!!!!!!!!!!**

* **SYNC AUDIO**

**NXT STARTS WITH A FINN BALOR IN-RING PROMO**

* **He says, “St. Patrick’s Day 2021…Finn Balor…still NXT Champion. Kyle O’Reilly? Beat him. Pete Dunne? Beat him. Adam Cole? Beat him. And now, only one man remains…Karrion Kross, I’ve been waiting for you, and at TakeOver Stand & Deliver, your time is up.”**
* **So out comes Kross & Scarlett…Kross points to the fans and says, “They need to know who the real champion is around here. You need to know it, I need to know it, the entire world needs to know it.”**
* **Balor says, “Everyone wants to be the champion, until the real champion enters the room. I’m gonna say something that no one else has the balls to say to your face. You walk like a champion, you talk like a champion, but you don’t have what it takes to be in the main event and beat me.”**
* **Kross tells Balor, “I promise you at TakeOver, you are gonna know exactly what it feels like when I squeeze all of the oxygen out of your skull and I choke you out.”**
* **Balor says, “And you’re gonna know what it’s like to be in the main event of TakeOver, and choke!”**
* **Scarlett says, “I’ve already seen this in the cards. This right here, two champions, both draped in gold, the world in awe, it all happens for a reason.”**
* **So then out walks Danny Burch & Oney Lorcan saying that Balor should face Pete Dunne.**
* **Scarlett says, “There are moments in time that lead us to an inevitable future. Moments like you two putting your tag titles on the line against them.”**
* **Scarlett then rubs her hands all over Lorcan and Burch and tricks them into agreeing to defend the tag titles against Kross & Balor tonight.**
* **Scarlett then tells Balor, “Every moment happens for a reason…you can’t change fate.”**

**DEXTER LUMIS VS AUSTIN THEORY**

* **Lumis is billed from Recluse, Wyoming which is a real place and that’s pretty funny.**
* **Backstage before the match, Theory talks to Johnny & Candice via facetime because they aren’t at the arena, and Johnny tells him, “This is the last step of your therapy, and you need to do it alone.”**
* **Theory also has matching tights as Gargano now.**
* **Mid-match, Lumis Clotheslines Theory, but then reaches his hand out to help him up. Theory says, “You said all those things about me,” but then he grabs Lumis’ hand, and he helps him up, Theory hugs him, but then Lumis goes for Silence.**
* **Theory counters and goes for his finisher, but Lumis counters back and puts Theory to sleep with Silence.**

**BACKSTAGE**

* **Tommaso Ciampa tells McKenzie Mitchell, “Toothless Timmy isn’t here tonight. I assume that Imperium didn’t like his answer and they took matters into their own hands. But two can play this game, so do me a favor and ask Marcel & Fabian, have they seen Alexander Wolfe lately, and I bet their answer will be no, and then tell Imperium that when that bell rings, there’s only gonna be one of them standing, and they’ll know that this time, they messed up.”**

**ADAM COLE IN-RING PROMO**

* **Cole is pissed at O’Reilly for costing him the NXT Championship last week and he demands that Kyle come out now so he can finish this once and for all.**
* **Mr. Regal walks out and says, “Kyle isn’t medically cleared to be in this building, and because of last week’s altercation, Kyle has further damaged his neck, which means he’s gonna be further along until he can come back again!”**
* **Kyle appears on the Thunderdome and tells Cole, “I will not rest until I end you, just like you tried to end my career! We’ve been friends for 11 years! I don’t know what it is that I have to do, but just know that whatever it is…I’m gonna do it.”**
* **Cole then walks right up to Regal and says, “Kyle says he’s gonna find me, well not if I find him first!”**
* **Backstage, Cole tells McKenzie, “I’m gonna find Kyle and end this, and that’s not undisputed, that’s a promise.”**
* **Later in the show, some random guy tells Mr. Regal, “Something happened to Adam Cole! Follow me!” and we go to commercial.**
* **Even later, we see Kyle O’Reilly being arrested, and Adam Cole is in handcuffs.**
* **Cole tells Regal, “He tried to run me off the road!”**
* **And then even later, Regal arrives back at the CWC and says, “Hopefully the police drop their charges, and if they do, I’m gonna demand that next week Adam Cole & Kyle O’Reilly come to the CWC and I’m gonna have a solution to their situation.”**

**MCKENZIE INTERVIEWS EMBER & SHOTZI BACKSTAGE**

* **They’re stoked about winning the NXT Women’s Tag Titles but then up walks Robert Stone and his bitches because they want a title shot next week.**
* **Shotzi & Ember accept, and then Ember tells Robert Stone that his suit sucks.**

**EL LEGADO DEL FANTASMA VS BREEZANGO**

* **With Santos Escobar ringside**
* **Mendoza & Wilde hit their finisher on Breeze for the win.**
* **After the match, Jordan Devlin walks out and tells Escobar, “This is what a real champion looks like!”**
* **Devlin is basically a poor man’s Finn Balor and he even talks like him.**
* **Escobar gets in the ring and says, “Let’s settle this at TakeOver Stand and Deliver.”**
* **Devlin headbutts Escobar and gives him a cool Suplex, and then bails when Mendoza & Wilde hit the ring.**

**ZOEY STARK VS DAKOTA KAI**

* **With Raquel Gonzalez ringside**
* **Dakota wins with a Pele Kick.**
* **After the match, Io Shirai walks to the ring, tells Raquel, “I want you next,” and slams the contract on her tits.**
* **Io leaves the ring and helps Starks to the back.**
* **Later backstage, Gonzalez tells McKenzie, “Io’s title reign has an expiration date.”**
* **Dakota tells Raquel, “Next week it’s you and me vs. Io and her new best friend Zoey Stark.**
* **Raquel isn’t really interested, but Dakota talks her into it.**

**GRIZZLED YOUNG VETERANS IPHONE PROMO**

* **They’re pissed off at MSK and vow to get revenge on them for last week.**

**MARCEL BARTHEL VS TOMMASO CIAMPA**

* **Ciampa jumps Fabian Aichner outside the ring and tosses him over the barricade before the match.**
* **Ciampa hits Willow’s Bell for the win.**
* **After the match, Imperium’s music hits, and he’s finally arrived…it’s Walter.**
* **Imperium beats up Ciampa, and Walter gives him a big chop and then a Powerbomb.**

**LA KNIGHT VS AUGUST GREY**

* **Bronson Reed comes out and he’s holding LA Knight’s jacket.**
* **Reed puts it on and does FAT GUY IN A LITTLE COAT and destroys it.**
* **LA Knight freaks out, which allows Grey to get some offense in.**
* **LA Knight still wins with his finisher. He grabs Grey like he’s going to RKO him, but then he just smashes his head into the canvas.**

**KARRION KROSS & FINN BALOR VS LORCAN & BURCH FOR THE TAG TITLES**

* **Kross’ entrance is so cool…Balor’s entrance is cool too…but the tag champs didn’t even get an entrance.**
* **Mid-match, Balor dropkicks Lorcan outside the ring, but Lorcan falls onto Scarlett.**
* **Balor checks on her, but Kross grabs Balor by the throat and bashes his head into the plexiglass multiple times and throws him in the ring.**
* **Lorcan hits Balor with an Uppercut and pins him to retain.**
* **Kross takes Lorcan to Saito Suplex City, and then he attacks Balor some more.**
* **Kross starts to choke out Balor, but Scarlett tells him to stop.**
* **Scarlett helps Balor up, but then smiles, and Kross hits Balor from behind with his Forearm.**
* **Scarlett lays the NXT Championship on Balor’s body and tells him, “Everything happens for a reason. You can’t escape fate.”**
* **I’m glad they didn’t win the tag titles, and that Kross is a heel again.**

**DYNAMITE OPENS WITH MJF’S NEW FACTION GETTING OUT OF A PLANE**

* **And they go right into a limo…pretty cool**

**PENTA VS CODY RHODES**

* **Cody gives Penta a Hurricanrana off the top rope.**
* **Cody hits a Canadian Destroy and the Cody Cutter back-to-back, but Penta kicks out.**
* **Then Cody hits Cross Rhodes, but Penta kicks out again.**
* **Penta snaps Cody’s injured shoulder, but Cody no sells and rolls up Penta for the win.**
* **Penta attacks Cody after the match, but then Arn Anderson gets in the ring, but does nothing.**
* **Finally, Dustin Rhodes runs out, followed by the Gunn Club, and Penta retreats to the crowd and puts on a St. Patrick’s Day hat.**
* **Then Penta taunts them on the stage, and QT Marshall comes out, and the Nightmare Family yells at him for being late.**

**ALEX SHIT THE PANTS MARVEZ INTERVIEWS THE YOUNG BUCKS**

* **Matt starts cutting a promo on Pac & Fenix, but then Don Callis walks up saying, “I got a t-shirt for your dad,” and it reads DO NOT SLAP LEG WHEN KICKING.**
* **Callis admits that he was faking weeks ago, and that the Bucks never actually kicked him.**
* **Callis tells the Bucks, “There’s nothing elite about you guys anymore, and Kenny Omega doesn’t even recognize you. When you look at yourself in the mirror, do you see the same Nick & Matt that I saw in New Japan? Think about that.”**

**JADE CARGILL VS DANI JORDYN**

* **Jade dominates and gets the win with The Jaded.**
* **After the match, Jade taunts Red Velvet who was watching behind the barricade. Velvet takes a swing but Jade moves in time, and a ref breaks up the confrontation.**
* **By the way, Jade has given birth and has that body. The father of her kid is former MLB star Brandon Phillips.**

**MJF, WARDLOW, SHAWN SPEARS, FTR, & TULLY BLANCHARD HEAD TO THE RING**

* **Tully brags about his boys beating the shit out of The Inner Circle last week and says, “34 years ago, I was with the greatest group of guys in the history of professional wrestling, and I’m gonna finish my career with the greatest group of guys in professional wrestling. You can mark THE words.”**
* **MJF grabs the mic and cuts a great promo. (AUDIO)**
* **MJF says, “My goal from day one was to end the strongest faction in all of AEW, and I wanted to build one even stronger, and boy have I ever.”**
* **MJF calls Tully Blanchard, “The greatest mind in the history of professional wrestling when he called us THE PINNACLE, because that’s exactly what we are.”**
* **MJF calls Wardlow the best big man and best insurance policy in professional wrestling.**
* **He calls Shawn Spears a wrestler’s wrestler and a man who has been held down for far too long, but not anymore. He’s always been a top guy, and he’s gonna prove it, and if you got a problem with that, you’re gonna eat your words and then you’re gonna eat a chair shot.**
* **MJF calls FTR the only grand slam tag team in the history of pro wrestling and the greatest tag team on God’s green earth.**
* **Then MJF reminds us that, “I’m only 24 and I’m like a fine wine because I’m only gonna get better with age…and deep down you know that when my career is all said and done…Chris Jericho’s not gonna be the GOAT, that spot is reserved for yours truly.”**
* **MJF gets really close to the camera to tell Jericho, “I’m better than you, and you know it!”**
* **So, what do you think of The Pinnacle?**
* **MJF says, “Chris, what’s yours is mine, and what’s the Inner Circle’s is now the Pennicale’s,” and they take over The Inner Circle’s locker room.**

**JURASSIC EXPRESS & BEAR COUNTRY VS MATT HARDY, PRIVATE PARTY, BUTCHER, & BLADE**

* **The two baby face teams can’t can on the same page.**
* **Hardy wins with a Twist of Fate on Marko Stunt.**

**DASHA GONZALEZ INTERVIEWS CHRISTIAN CAGE BACKSTAGE**

* **Christian said he wants the AEW World Championship and that Kenny Omega is on borrowed time.**
* **He also says, “I’m in AEW to cement my legacy and to put to action three simple words…OUT WORK EVERYONE.”**

**JON MOXLEY & EDDIE KINGSTON VS THE GOOD BROTHERS**

* **Moxley & Kingston cut a backstage promo before the match and Moxley says he wasted his money on Talk N Shop Mania.**
* **Good Brothers attack Eddie from behind as he makes his entrance, and then Moxley runs out.**
* **Good Brothers hit Moxley with the Magic Killer outside the ring before the match starts.**
* **Moxley gets the win with a roll up on Karl Anderson.**
* **The Good Brothers beat up Moxley & Kingston after the match, and then out walks Don Callis & Kenny Omega holding a chair.**
* **They put Eddie’s leg through a chair, and then Anderson jumps on it from off the 2nd rope.**
* **Then they put Moxley’s head through a chair, and Gallows was about to do it, but then the Young Bucks run out to stop them, but they don’t fight them.**
* **Omega & the Good Brothers Too Sweet and they want Nick & Matt to do it back, but they don’t.**
* **Omega pushes the Too Sweet in Matt’s face, but the Bucks leave the ring.**
* **Moxley finally gets up and swings the chair, but Omega & the Good Brothers escape.**

**TONY SCHIAVONE INTERVIEWS STING & DARBY ALLIN ON THE STAGE**

* **Darby says he’s only defended the TNT Championship 3 times since he won it in November, and he plans to be a fighting champion week in and week out.**
* **Darby also says, “I want to pay tribute to the greatest TNT Champion of all-time,” and the crowd chants for Brodie, so Darby says, “Dark Order, if you want this back, step right up, it’s an open challenge.”**
* **Then Lance Archer & Jake Roberts interrupt again and Archer tells Darby, “You’re the biggest indy-riffic joke this business has ever seen…and you like coffins so much, well I’m about to put your ass in one!”**
* **Jake calls Darby a weenie and then tells Sting, “You’re gonna get what’s coming to ya,” and they leave.**
* **Then out comes Team Taz…Taz starts to talk but Brian Cage grabs the mic from him and says, “You’re not talking for me tonight Taz, because I got something I gotta say!”**
* **Cage tells Sting, “After the damnedest street fight in this business, I gotta say, I respect you…and Ricky Starks is wrong…with or without your bat, you are still the Icon.”**
* **Team Taz yells at Cage, so Cage walks away and Team Taz follows him.**

**SCORPIO SKY VIDEO PACKAGE**

* **He says, “I will not be a stepping stone again, I will prove that I’m the best, and if I have to hurt people to do it, then so be it.”**

**REY FENIX VS ANGELICO**

* **Fenix wins with his Piledriver variant.**

**ALEX SHIT THE PANTS INTERVIEWED MIRO EARLIER TODAY**

* **Marvez asks Miro about the rematch that Orange Cassidy & Chuck Taylor proposed, but Miro says, “I’m not interested.”**
* **But then Kip Sabian walks up and disagrees because he still wants more revenge for them ruining his wedding…and he points out that Miro pushed one of them into Penelope Ford.**
* **Miro tells Kip Sabian, “The worst thing for your career is having your wife ringside. My destiny is to be the world champion.”**
* **Miro walks away, and Kip accepts the match.**

**BACKSTAGE**

* **Alex Marvez asks Dark Order, “Who will challenge Darby Allin next week?”**
* **Brodie Lee Jr. says, “It’s gonna be me!” but Evil Uno says, “Yeah maybe in a few years,” and then they all choose Jon Silver.**

**THUNDER ROSA VS BRITT BAKER**

* **In a Lights Out Anything Goes Falls Count Anywhere match**
* **Reba hits Thunder Rosa in the back with her crutch right before the bell rings.**
* **Baker gives Thunder Rosa an Air Raid crash on the ramp and went for the pin, but Thunder Rosa kicked out at 1.**
* **Thunder Rosa beats Baker with a chair for a while and even gives Reba a chair shot.**
* **Baker gives Thunder Rosa a Curbstomp on the steel steps...I can’t believe her eyeball didn’t fall out! Thunder Rosa was busted open at that point. Baker should’ve just went for the pin there, but she didn’t.**
* **Baker tosses a bunch of chairs in the ring, and gives Thunder Rosa a Superplex onto them, but Thunder Rosa kicks out.**
* **Reba puts a ladder in the ring, but Thunder Rosa bashes Baker’s head on it. Then Baker was sitting by the turnbuckle, and Thunder Rosa placed the ladder by her, and then dropkicked it into her, and now Baker is busted open.**
* **Thunder Rosa gives Baker a Death Valley Driver off the 2nd rope and onto the ladder, but it didn’t look good, and Baker kicked out.**
* **Baker DDTs Baker on a chair followed by a Curbstomp onto a chair, and Thunder Rosa kicks out…I’m sorry is she the Fiend?**
* **Baker then puts on her black medical glove, and pours thumbtacks in the middle of the ring.**
* **Reba gets in the ring with the crutch again, but Thunder Rosa grabs it and hits Reba, and then kicks her off the apron and Reba goes through a table.**
* **Thunder Rosa Powerbombs Baker onto the thumbtacks and goes for the pin, but Baker kicks out.**
* **Baker applies the Lockjaw, but Thunder Rosa rolls Baker back onto the thumbtacks to get out of it.**
* **In the end, they’re fighting on the apron, and Thunder Rosa picks up Baker, and gives her the Fire Thunder Driver through a table for the win.**

**AWARDS**

**Worst Dressed: Old Man Ciampa**

**Best Dressed: Io Shirai**

**Worst Acting: Shotzi & Ember**

**Best Acting: MJF**

**Worst Comment: Ember – Your suit sucks**

**Best Comment: MJF – I pretended to like your ha-ha comedy bullshit!**

**Worst Match: AEW 10-Man Tag**

**Super Slow Mo Match: AEW 10-Man Tag**

**Best Match: Thunder Rosa vs. Britt Baker**

**Worst Move: Cody no sell rollup**

**Best Move: Thunder Rosa putting Baker through a table**

**Worst Moment/Segment:**

**Best Moment/Segment: The Pinnacle promo**

**RATINGS**

* **AEW 768,000**
* **NXT 597,000**

**SCORE**

* **NXT 31**
* **AEW 45**

**NEWS:**

* **Wrestling Observer reports that Danny Burch suffered a separated shoulder during the tag match against Balor & Kross.**
* **Fightful reports that NXT had another COVID outbreak and a lot of talent was told to quarantine.**

**RUMORS:**

**FAN QUESTIONS:**

**PPV PREDICTIONS:**