

Friday, December 15, 2023

Professional MMA Cage Fury Fighting Championships CFFC 128

Hard Rock Hotel Casino, Etes Arena Atlantic City

Three rounds of five minutes

1. 125 Velasquez 125. Lleshi 126

Mardin Velasquez (169-660) vs Xhelal Lleshi (163-558)

Ref Oliver Judges Castro, Carolei, Querido

Lleshi wins unanimous decision in three rounds 30-27, 30-27 and 29-28 Castro.

Lleshi suspended indefinite pending hospital evaluation, CT head scan, CT abdomen scan.

2. 155 Wusstig 158 6 Wells. 155.4

Wusstig fined \$400 weight penalty from show purse, and \$400 from win purse if applicable; both payable to opponent.

Robert Wusstig (172-797) vs Frank Wells (132-863)

Ref Oliver. Judges Bilyk, Carolei, Castro

Wells wins unanimous decision in three rounds, all three judges 30-27.

3. 185 Cromartie. 186 Galanti 185

Jahrael Cromartie (140-701) vs Nicholas Galanti (164-320)

Ref Scano. Judges Bilyk, Castro, Querido

Galanti wins via tap due to triangle at 4:44 of round one.

4. 145 Speed. 148 Dilemme 145.2

Speed fined \$400 weight penalty from show purse, and \$400 from win purse if applicable; both payable to opponent.

Keith Speed (132-071) vs Anthony Dilemme (150-808)

Ref Oliver. Judges Castro, Carolei, Querido

Dilemme wins split decision in three rounds 29-28, 29-28 and 28-29 Castro.

5. 135 Starner. 135.2 Nkuta. 135.4

Hunter Starner (167-540) vs Phumelele Nkuta (149-435)

Ref Scano. Judges Castro, Querido, Tirelli

Nkuta wins unanimous decision in three rounds, all three judges 30-27.

6. 135 Billups. 135.6 Picciano 134.4

Michael Billups (146-659) vs Thomas Picciano (151-141)

Ref Scano. Judges Bilyk, Querido, Tirelli

Billups wins split decision in three rounds 29-28, 29-28 and 28-29 Tirelli.

Picciano suspended indefinite pending ENT nasal clearance.

7. Fight Canceled. 140 Araujo. 144.4 Ndrejoni 138.2

Wendel Araujo (145-359) vs Vilson Ndrejoni (155-466)

Araujo misses weight and Ndrejoni fails to return and decide whether to take show purse and decline fight, or, choose show & win purse penalty from opponent.

8. 170 both weigh 169.6

Alonzo Turner (160-256) vs Eric Nolan (161-959)

Ref Peterson Judges Bilyk, Carolei, Tirelli

Turner wins split decision in three rounds 29-28, 29-28 and 28-29 Carolei.

9. 155 Felton. 156 Varricchio 155.6

Sean Felton (143-910) vs Robert Varricchio (141-025)

Ref Peterson Judges Bilyk, Carolei, Castro

Varricchio wins via TKO referee stoppage due to unanswered strikes at 4:29 of round one.

Felton suspended 30 days for right eyelid laceration

Felton suspended 30 days for TKO (15 days no contact).

Four rounds of five minutes (plus a fifth five minute round in the event of a draw after four)

10. 205 TITLE. New. 203.6 Fernandez 204 8

Peter New (122-234) vs Luke Fernandez (163-920)

Ref Oliver. Judges Bilyk, Querido, Tirelli

Fernandez wins via TKO referee stoppage due to unanswered punches at 2:42 of round two.

New suspended 30 days no contact for TKO.

11. 155 TITLE Gjetja 155 2. Watley 154

Armando Gjetja (161-147) vs Rob Watley (139-491)

Ref Peterson. Judges Bilyk, Castro, Tirelli

Watley wins via tap due to rear naked choke at 2:57 of round three.

Gjetja suspended 15 days no contact.

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