Thomas "Cornflake" LaManna to battle 54-fight veteran Carlos Winston Velasquez in main event on Saturday, June 10 at The Claridge Hotel in Atlantic City

Atlantic City, NJ (May 31, 2017)—Welterweight contender Thomas "Cornflake" LaManna will take on 54-fight veteran Carlos Winston Velasquez in the main event of of a stacked card on Saturday, June 10th at The Claridge Hotel in Atlantic City.

The show is promoted by Rising Promotions.

LaManna of Millville, New Jersey will compete in a bout scheduled for eight-rounds.

The 25 year-old LaManna has a record of 22-2 with nine knockouts.

This will be LaManna's 5th appearance at The Claridge, and 15th start in Atlantic City.

"I have something big planned for the rest of 2017, but I have to handle Velasquez first. I'm talking meaningful titles against meaningful names. I want to keep fighting guys with the experience this way going in to another big fight, I know I'll be 100%.," said LaManna

"Camp has been awesome with coach Charles Johnson, coach Vince Jackson and Strength and Conditioning with former IBF Cruiserweight Champion Imamu Mayfield."

"We are looking for another great night at The Claridge," said

Debbie LaManna of Rising Promotions. "We continue to put on great shows, and June 10th will be no different. We feel that the momentum of our shows is starting to help the restoration of boxing in Atlantic City."

"After Thomas gets through this fight, We will are going to be looking for a regional title belt in one of the the four recognized organizations. If we win that and defend that a couple of times and move through the ratings of the sanctioning bodies, Thomas can earn himself a world title shot," said Vinny LaManna.

Velasquez of Managua, Nicaragua has a record of 24-28-2 with 15 knockouts.

The 37 year-old Velasquez has been a professional since 2005, and has some quality wins on his resume over Danilo Moises Solis (18-1), Maisael Castillo (20-0).

Velasquez has also been in the ring with former world champion Jose Alfaro (21-4), former world title challengers Daniel Estrada (17-1), Michele Di Rocco (25-1-1), Petr Petrov (24-2-2), Matt Zegan (38-5), Rene Gonzalez (28-4-1), Luis Cruz (20-2) & Hank Lundy (25-5-1) as well as contenders Luciano Cuello (25-1), Aaron Herrera (20-0), Mahonry Montes (22-0-1), Adrian Granados (12-2-1) & Dusty Hernandez Harrison (26-0).

In his last bout, Velasquez went the distance before dropping a decision to Josue Vargas on March 24th in Orlando, Florida.

In the eight-round co-feature, it will be a battle of welterweight's as local favorite Anthony "Juice" Young will take on George Sosa.

Young of Atlantic City has a record of 16-2 with six knockouts.

Sosa of New Jersey has a record of 15-8 with all 15 wins coming via knockout.

The 30 year-old Sosa is a six-year professional, who began his career in the Dominican Republic with six consecutive knockouts.

Sosa's losses have come to fighters who had a combined record of 87-7-1 and they included Three undefeated fighters plus contenders Ray Robinson and Ed Peredes.

Sosa has won two consecutive bouts by knockout as in his most recent effort he stopped Jesus Pascual in three rounds on October 29, 2016 in the Domincan Republic.

In six-round bouts:

Gabriel Pham (8-1, 4 KO's) of Pleasantville, NJ will take on Edgar Perez (7-20, 3 KO's) of Chicago, IL super middleweight bout.

Frederick Julian (4-0, 2 KO's) of Cambaul, France will take on an opponent to be named in a light heavyweight bout.

Dan Pasciolla (9-2-2) of Brick, NJ will battle Lemarcus Tucker (4-2, 2 KO's) of Batesville, AR in a rematch of heavyweights. Pasciolla took the first bout this past March via six-round split decision.

In four-round bouts:

Donald Smith (4-0, 3 KO's) of Philadelphia will take on Sidell Blocker (1-7-1) of Pleasantville, NJ in a super featherweight bout.

Chris Thomas (6-0, 3 K0's) of Toms River, NJ will take on Oscar Valdez (1-2, 1 K0) of Batesville, AR in a middleweight bout

Elijah Vines (3-0, 3 KO'ts) of Philadelphia will take on an opponent to be named in a junior middleweight tilt.

Tomas Romain (2-1) of Brooklyn, NY will fight Lamont White

(1-7, 1 KO) of Washington, DC in a lightweight bout.

Marcus Lugo of Vineland, NJ will make his pro debut against an opponent to be named in a lightweight bout.

Tickets for this great evening of boxing are priced at \$150, \$125, \$100, \$80 and \$55 and can be purchased at www.rspboxing.com

Anthony "Juice" Young decisions Samuel Amoako in main event at The Claridge in Atlantic City

Atlantic City, NJ (March 13, 2017)—This past Saturday night, welterweight Anthony "Juice" Young registered his 5th consecutive victory as he won an 8-round unanimous decision that highlighted a 7- bout card at The Claridge Hotel in Atlantic City.

The card was promoted by Rising promotions, which staged it's 7th consecutive card in front of a capacity crowd at The Claridge.

"It's bitter sweet knowing this was my last event. This show was a great way to end the #ACFightNight series. Awesome crowd, great fights and dramatic endings. It's now time for me to focus on my fighting career and continue my path to become a world champion," said Thomas LaManna of Rising Promotions.

Young controlled action against the tough veteran, and Young was able to win in shutout fashion by scores of 80-72 on all

cards.

Young of Atlantic City raised his mark to 16-2. Amoako of Silver Spring, Maryland via Accra, Ghana is now 21-14.

In the co-feature, Gabriel Pham scored his 2nd consecutive stoppage, as he took out Chauncey Fields at 1:29 of round four of their scheduled 6-round super middleweight bout.

With the win, Pham of Atlantic City improves to 8-1 with 4 knockouts. Fields of Lynchburg, Virginia falls to 4-2.

Heavyweight Brendan Barrett remained undefeated as he stopped Philly tough guy Brian Donahue at 2:33 of round two of their scheduled 4-round bout.

Barrett hurt Donahue on the ropes and stopped him after a hard flurry. Barrett is now 5-0-2 with all his wins coming via the stoppage variety.

Donahue is now 3-14-3.

In another heavyweight tussle, Dan Pasciolla won a 6-round split decision over LeMarcus Tucker.

It was a close fight with the each man having moments throughout the contest.

Pasciolla of Brick, NJ won two cards via 58-56 scores, while Tucker took a card 58-56.

Pasciolla is now 9-2-1. Tucker of Forest City, Arkansas is 4-2.

Adrian Wilson of Atlantic City got his first professional win by winning a 4-round unanimous decision over Henry Tyrone Paige,

Wilson won on all cards 40-36 is now 1-3. Paige of Batesville, Arkansas is 0-4.

Thomas Romain of Brooklyn, New York won a 4-round unanimous decision over Sidell Blocker.

Romain won all cards by 40-36 scores and is now 2-1. Blocker of Pleasantville, NJ is 1-7-1.

In a battle of pro debuters, Cesar Francis defeated Steve Moore by scores of 40-36 twice and 39-37.

Weights from Atlantic City

Atlantic City, NJ (March 10, 2017)—Weights for Rising Promotions show on Saturday night at The Claridge Hotel in Atlantic City

Anthony Young 147.4 — Samuel Amoako 147.3 Chauncey Fields 166.7 — Gabriel Pham 167,3 Brendan Barrett 254.3 — Brian Donahue 199.9 Adrian Wilson 144.7 — Harry Tyrone Paige 148.5 Thomas Romain 134 — Sidell Blocker 126 Lemarcus Tucker 237 — Dan Pasciolla 249.2 Cesar Francis — Steve Moore

Promoter: Rising Promotions Venue: The Claridge Hotel

1st Bell: 7:30 PM for Professional and 6 PM for amateurs

There will be several amateur bouts that will precede the professional bouts beginning at 6 PM ET.

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Anthony "Juice" Young takes on Samuel Amoako this Tomorrow night at The Claridge in Atlantic City

Atlantic City, NJ (March 10, 2017)—Welterweight Anthony "Juice" Young will take on Samuel Amoako this Saturday night at The Claridge Hotel in Atlantic City.

The show is promoted by Rising Promotions.

Young, 15-2 with six knockouts of Atlantic City will be looking for his 5th consecutive victory when he takes on Amoko (21-13, 14 KO's) of Accra, Ghana.

Amoako turned professional in 2005 with a victory over contender Albert Mensah (9-2-1). Amoako, 32 years-old is the former WBO African Lightweight champion Lightweight champion.

Amoako is coming off a 4-round unanimous decision loss to Sam Teah on August 6th in Bristol, PA.

"My training is good. It's fight week, so I am just maintaining weight. I had a good camp working on my footwork. I sparred with Danny Garcia," said Young.

The transition to Amoako was easy, as he was already sparring orthodox fighters, even thought original opponent Rogelio Casarez was a southpaw.

"I was sparring right handers anyway, and when Amoako came in, it was no big deal with the switch of the opponent."

In his last bout, Young was dominating James Robinson until the final round when he got caught and eventually knocked down. Young was able to get out of the round and hang on for the victory on January 20th.

"I leaned it's boxing, and one punch can change the fight. I need to stay sharp for the whole fight and not get lackadaisical."

In now his 18th bout, Young is taking a minor step up against a veteran who has fought 201 professional rounds.

"This is my first official 8-round bout. I plan to put on a great performance for the fans. I am grateful for Rising promotions. They gave me a opportunity to fight in front of my fans, and I am looking for them to keep it going."

In a 6-round bouts:

Dan Pasciolla (8-2) of Brick, NJ will fight LeMarcus Tucker (4-1,2 KO's) of Forrest City, Arkansas in a heavyweight bout.

Gabriel Pham (7-1, 3 K0's) of Atlantic City, NJ takes on Chauncey Fields (4-1, 2 K0's) of Lynchburg, VA un a super middleweight bout.

In 4-round bouts:

Brendan Barrett (4-0-2, 4 KO's) of Little Egg Harbor, NJ takes on Brian Donahue (3-13) of Philadelphia in a heavyweight bout.

Adrian Wilson (0-3) of Atlantic City battles Henry Tyrone Paige (0-3) of Little Rock, Arkansas in a welterweight bout.

Kevin Asmat (1-1) of North Bergen, NJ will take on Edgar Cortes (3-4) of Vineland, NJ on a super featherweight bout.

Thomas Romain (1-1) of New York will square off with Sidell Blocker (1-6-1) of Pleasantville, NJ in a lightweight fight.

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Undefeated Heavyweight "Brutal" Brendan Barrett back in the boxing ring this Saturday night at The Claridge in Atlantic City

Atlantic City, NJ (March 8, 2017)—Undefeated heavyweight Brendan Barrett returns to the boxing this Saturday night at the Claridge Hotel in Atlantic City.

Barrett will take on Philly tough guy Brian Donahue in a bout scheduled for 4-rounds.

The Show is promoted by Rising Promotions.

Barrett of Little Egg Harbor, New Jersey has a pro boxing record of 4-0-2 with 4 knockouts, and will be making his return to the ring after being out of the squared circle for 11 months. In his last boxing match, he stopped Alando Pugh in 2 rounds in Atlantic City.

Barrett, who is an MMA veteran of 19 fights last fought in the cage on September 23rd.

"Everything is going well," said Barrett. "My focus has been on boxing, and since my last boxing match, I have been focusing more on strength and conditioning plus my diet. Fans will see a bigger version of me. You can really see the transformation as I been concentrating a lot on what I eat and meal prepping on my Facebook and Instagram accounts."

In Donahue, he is facing a guy whose record reads just 3-13-3, but Donahue is known for his hard nosed style and is always a tough-out.

"Donahue is a tough guy. A brawler, and is a hard guy to stop"

The 11 month layoff was not something that Barrett wanted. He was scheduled to fight during the summer, but opponents have been hard to come by.

"I am always looking at opportunities to fight. I had 7 or 8 opponents fall through on me, so I took the MMA fight in September."

Going back and forth between boxing isn't a problem for Barrett as he has a gameplan on how he bides his time between the 2 sports.

"It all depends on the opportunity. I make more money in MMA, but I am very interested in boxing. After this fight there could be some boxing opportunities in China, so I am still gathering all the information on that."

This will be Barrett's 3rd consecutive fight on the boardwalk, and that is conducive for his fans in Little Egg Harbor, which is just up the coast on the Jersey Shore.

"My job is to fight, but it is always great to have the fans and support. When the bell rings, It's only me and him in there, but to have my fans there gives me more motivation. I am looking for an exciting and explosive fight on Saturday."

"I want to thank my sponsors which are Sweet Jenny's in

Barnegat, The Law Offices of Paulie Haberman, Adventure Vapors in Manahawkin and Eric Sauer of Natural Pharmacy.

In the main event, Anthony "Juice" Young (15-2, 6 K0's) of Atlantic City takes on Samuel Amoako (21-13, 15 K0's) of Silver Spring, MD in a 8-round welterweight bout.

In a 6-round bouts:

Yurik Mamedov (4-0, 2 KO's) of New York will fight Rafael Montalvo (3-5, 3 KO's) of St. Clair, PA in a welterweight affair.

Dan Pasciolla (8-2) of Brick, NJ will fight LeMarcus Tucker (4-1,2 KO's) of Forrest City, Arkansas in a heavyweight bout.

Gabriel Pham (7-1, 3 K0's) of Atlantic City, NJ takes on Chaucey Fields (4-1, 2 K0's) of Lynchburg, VA un a super middleweight bout.

In 4-round bouts:

Brendan Barrett (4-0-2, 4 KO's) of Little Egg Harbor, NJ takes on Brian Donahue (3-13) of Philadelphia in a heavyweight bout.

Adrian Wilson (0-3) of Atlantic City battles Henry Tyrone Paige (0-3) of Little Rock, Arkansas in a welterweight bout.

Kevin Asmat (1-1) of North Bergen, NJ will take on Edgar Cortes (3-4) of Vineland, NJ on a super featherweight bout.

Thomas Romain (1-1) of New York will square off with Sidell Blocker (1-6-1) of Plesantville, NJ in a lightweight fight.

In a battle of pro debuting welterweights, Cesar Francis of New York boxes Chris Moore of Orange, New Jersey

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Gabriel Pham looks for 2 in a row when he takes on Chauncey Fields this Saturday at The Claridge in Atlantic City

Atlantic City, NJ (March 7, 2017)—Super Middleweight Gabriel Pham will look for his 2nd consecutive impressive performance when he takes on Chauncey Fields in the co-feature bout of a 9 bout card this Saturday night at the Claridge Hotel in Atlantic City.

The Show is promoted by Rising Promotions.

Pham of Pleasantville, New Jersey has a record of 7-1 with 3 knockouts, and is coming off an explosive 2nd round stoppage over Jose Valderrama on January 28th at The Claridge.

"Everything has been great," said Pham." I am getting sharp, and working on my quickness and reflexes. "I have been training the whole time. I went right back in the gym on the Monday after my last fight."

Fields is a late-replacement, so that took some last minute studying for Pham.

"I know he is 4-1, so he knows how to win, but I am ready to fight anyone. After the loss that I suffered, I can't be picky on who I am fighting."

After dropping a unanimous decision to Christopher Brooker on

July 9, 2016, Pham has been working very hard to continue on the winning track.

"I have been doing a lot more roadwork and sparring. Since 2010, I have had only 4 fights, so the sparring has been helping getting the rust off. Things are coming along and I am on my way."

"This fight should not be the toughest fight, but am expecting it to be. I am just looking to sticking to the gameplan, which is hit and not be hit, and everything should be good on Saturday. I just want to thank my manager Rich Masini, Rising Promotions and The Claridge."

In the main event, Anthony "Juice" Young (15-2, 6 K0's) of Atlantic City takes on Samuel Amoako (21-13, 15 K0's) of Silver Spring, MD in a 8-round welterweight bout.

In a 6-round bouts:

Yurik Mamedov (4-0, 2 K0's) of New York will fight Rafael Montalvo (3-5, 3 K0's) of St. Clair, PA in a welterweight affair.

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In 4-round bouts:

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Adrian Wilson (0-3) of Atlantic City battles Henry Tyrone Paige (0-3) of Little Rock, Arkansas in a welterweight bout.

Kevin Asmat (1-1) of North Bergen, NJ will take on Edgar Cortes (3-4) of Vineland, NJ on a super featherweight bout.

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Anthony "Juice" Young takes on Rogelio Casarez in headline bout on Saturday, March 11th at the Claridge Hotel in Atlantic City

Atlantic City, NJ (February 14, 2017)—Anthony "Juice" Young will take on Rogelio Casarez in a welterweight bout scheduled for 8-rounds that will headline a big night of boxing on Saturday, March 11th at The Claridge Hotel in Atlantic City.

This will be the 7th card promoted at the Claridge by Rising Promotions.

Young of Atlantic City has a record of 15-2 with six knockouts.

The 29 year-old Young turned professional in 2011, and won his first ten bouts, which was highlighted by a win over Jose Javier Calderon (4-1-1).

After suffering his 1st loss, Young has won five of his last

six, including four straight. In his last bout, Young won a six-round unanimous decision over James Robinson on January 20th in Atlantic City.

This will be Young's 9th appearance in Atlantic City.

"I don't know too much about my opponent, but I will be ready for him. I do know that he has a good record and is moving up in weight,"said Young. "It's always good to fight at home in Atlantic City. I get to sleep in my bed, and get to fight in front of my hometown fans."

Casarez of Batesville, Arkansas has a record of 13-5 with 5 knockouts.

The 26 year-old is a five year-professional. On July 9, 2016, Casarez traveled all the way to Chengdu, China, and won a 12-round unanimous decision and upset the previously undefeated Ronnakit Boontree (8-0) to capture the NABF Junior Lightweight title.

On October 29, he defended that title with 12-round unanimous decision over Blake Franklin in Batesville, Arkansas.

"I watched some tape of Young, and he is fast and moves well," said Casarez. "I know that I am stronger, and will bring pressure to him. I feel confident after the win in China. That fight gave me good experience and it taught me that I just need to be in 100% condition to win fights, and it really does not matter where I fight."

In the 6-round co-feature, Gabriel Pham $(7-1,\ 3\ K0's)$ of Atlantic City will take on Edgar Perez $(7-19,\ 3\ K0's)$ of Chicago in a super middleweight bout.

Also in 6-round bouts:

Yurik Mamedov (4-0, 2 KO's) of Brooklyn, NY will fight Rafael Montalvo (3-5, 3 KO's) of St. Clair, PA in a welterweight bout.

John Magda (11-1, 7 KO's) of Rutherford, NJ will take on Wesley Maldonado (8-2, 7 KO's) of Arecibo, Puerto Rico in a light heavyweight bout.

Dan Pasciolla (8-2) of Brick, NJ will take on LeMarcus Tucker (4-1, 2 KO's) of Forrest City, Arkansas in a heavyweight bout.

In 4-round bouts:

Brendon Barrett (4-0-2, 4 KO's) of Little Egg Harbor, NJ will take on Brian Donahue (3-13-3) in a heavyweight bout.

LeRoy Davila (5-0, 3 KO's) of New Brunswick, NJ will take on an opponent to be named in a bantamweight bout.

Adrian Wilson (0-3) of Atlantic City will take on Harry Tyrone Paige (0-3) of Little Rock Arkansas in a welterweight affair.

Tomas Romain (1-1) of New York, New York will fight Sidell Blocker (1-6-1) of Pleasantville, NJ in a lightweight fight.

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Promoter: Rising Promotions Venue: The Claridge Hotel

Doors 6 PM 1st Bell 7 PM

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Local's Mussachio and Pham highlight undercard Saturday night at The Claridge in Atlantic City

Atlantic City, NJ (January 26, 2017) -Local favorites Chuck "The Professor" Mussachio and Gabriel Pham will see action in separate bouts that will highlight an outstanding undercard this Saturday night at The Claridge Hotel in Atlantic City.

The card, which is promoted by Rising Promotions will feature, Thomas "Cornflake" LaManna taking on Eduardo Flores un a junior middleweight bout scheduled for eight rounds.

Mussachio (19-3-2, 5 KO's) of Wildwood, NJ takes on Michael Mitchell (3-7-2, 1 KO) of Paterson, NJ in a light heavyweight bout, while Pham (6-1, 2 KO's) of Pleasantville, NJ battles Jose Valderrama (5-17, 3 KO's) of Manati, Puerto Rico in a super middleweight bout.

Mussachio, who won a unanimous decision over Willis Lockett

last May 27th. That nout was his first bout after a three-plus year off.

"I tried to get away from boxing, but something brought me back," said Mussachio. "I am happy to be on a card back in Atlantic City."

This will be Mussachio's 17th fight in Atlantic City.

Pham is on the rebound following his loss to Christopher Brooker on Last July 9th in Trenton, New Jersey.

Like most fighters, Pham chalked up the loss to Brooker as a learning experience.

"I have been training real hard. What I learned in the Brooker fight is that I always need to be in shape. The skills don't leave you, but I need to stay in shape. I am just 27, so I need to take a nice slow progress. It is always nice to fight home. I don;t know much about Valderrama other then he is a journeyman and he won't give up."

In 4-round bouts:

Dan Murray (1-0) of Lanoka Harbor, NJ will square off with Nahir Albright (0-1) of Philadelphia in a junior welterweight bout.

Yurik Mamedov (3-0, 1 KO) of New York takes on pro debuting Jose Jimenez of Ocala, FL in a welterweight tussle.

Dallas Holden (1-0) of Atlantic City will fight Weusi Johnson (1-2) of Wilmington, DE in a bantamweight card.

Jamil Simmons of Pleasantville, NJ will make his pro debut against Thomas Roman of Brooklyn, NY in a lightweight affair.

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Thomas LaManna "I want my rematch with Dusty Harrison"

Atlantic City, NJ (January 25, 2017) — This Saturday night at The Claridge Hotel, Thomas "Cornflake" LaManna will take on battle tested Eduardo Flores in a junior middleweight bout that will headline an eight-bout card.

The card is promoted by Rising Promotions

LaManna of Millville, New Jersey has a record of 21-2 with 9 knockouts, and wants to avenge his September 15th defeat to Dusty Hernandez Harrison. But first he must get past the 52 fight veteran Flores.

"Flores has been in with numerous world champions," said LaManna of Flores, who has competed with the likes of Kermit Cintron Carlos Baldomir and Diego Chaves. "He is a rugged veteran, and has only been stopped a handful of times, and the last time that happened, he was fighting a middleweight. He will come to fight. I am looking to one-up all the champions that he has fought."

To do that, LaManna is looking to take a relaxed approach, and he is not going into the fight looking for a knockout.

"I believe in my boxing skills, ring generalship and I will get the job done. I plan a smart 8 rounds of boxing. It will be exciting because it will be packed inside The Claridge. I am looking to get this win and get back to a rematch with Dusty. Even though this fight is at junior middleweight, I am a welterweight, and I want that rematch."

"I had an amazing training camp. The loss to Harrison made me

hungrier, and that has motivated me even more than before."

This will be LaManna's fourth appearance at the Claridge. This will be the 6th sold-out show and LaManna's relationship with the hotel is helping a rebirth of boxing in Atlantic City.

"I have a great team behind me. The Claridge has been great to work with and we are planning four more big shows here this year."

In the 6-round co-feature, Chuck Mussachio (19-3-2, 5 K0's) of Wildwood, NJ takes on Michael Mitchell (3-7-2, 1 K0) of Paterson, NJ in a light heavyweight bout.

Also in 6-round fight, Gabriel Pham (6-1, 2 K0's) of Pleasantville, NJ battles Jose Valderrama (5-17, 3 K0's) of Manati, Puerto Rico in a super middleweight bout.

In 4-round bouts:

Quian Davis (4-0-2, 2 KO's) of Mays Landing, NJ fights Demonte Cherry (1-2, 1 KO) of North Carolina in a heavyweight bout.

Dan Murray (1-0) of Lanoka Harbor, NJ will square off with Nahir Albright (0-1) of Philadelphia in a junior welterweight bout.

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