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# HIGHLY UNOFFICIAL OFFICIAL AWARDS



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*Buddy's boys did well in '02*

**Manager Of The Year**  
Klaus-Peter Kohl

**Trainer Of The Year**  
Buddy McGirt

**Female Fighter Of The Year**  
Sumya Anani

**Female Fight Of The Year**  
Vonda Ward W 10 Monica McGowan

**Most Exciting Division**  
Junior Welterweight

**Most Boring Division**  
Middleweight

**Division With Most Potential**  
Junior Welterweight

**Division With Least Potential**  
Strawweight

**Count Dracula Bloodbath Crimson Band-Aid**  
Leonard Dorin W 12 Raul Balbi (first fight)  
Irene Pacheco W 12 Alejandro Montiel  
Mike Stewart W 10 Mike Davis

**Future Champion Trophy**  
Miguel Cotto

**Billy Graham-Joey Giardello Highway Robbery Award**

Johnny Tapia W 12 Manuel Medina  
Michele Piccirillo W 12 Cory Spinks  
Johnny Nelson D 12 Guillermo Jones  
Felix Machado Tech. Win 6 Martin Castillo



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*What were the judges looking at?*

**Tony Zale Bodypuncher Memorial**  
Micky Ward (first-time recipient, believe it or not)

**Eder Jofre Best-Fighter-You-Never-Saw Award**  
Alexander Munoz

**Duane Bobick Disappointment Award**  
Jameel McCline, Francisco Bojado, Angel Vazquez, Bones Adams

**Henry Armstrong Windmill Imitation**  
Leonard Dorin

**Rocky Balboa Gutsiest Effort Award**  
Micky Ward (vs. Arturo Gatti, second fight)  
Arturo Gatti (vs. Micky Ward, first fight)  
Paulie Ayala (vs. Erik Morales)  
Shane Mosley (vs. Vernon Forrest, first fight)  
DaVarryl Williamson (vs. Corey Sanders)  
Elvir Muriqi (vs. Sammy Ahmad)  
Adan Vargas (vs. Tim Austin)  
Leonard Dorin (vs. Raul Balbi, first fight)  
Robbie Peden (vs. Juan Manuel Marquez)

**Red Light-Green Light Crossroads Fight Of The Year**  
Rafael Marquez KO 8 Mark Johnson

**The Comedy-On-TV Golden Giggles Award**  
Max Kellerman spits on the alphabet groups on *Friday Night Fights*

**Slapsie Maxie Rosenbloom Featherfists Award**  
Ivan Calderon

**Should've-Stayed-In-The-Pasture Wall Calendar**  
Wilfredo Vazquez, Donny Lalonde, Michael Moorer

**Muhammad Ali Time-To-Retire Pension Check**  
Junior Jones, Oba Carr, Jorge Eliecer Julio, Justin Juuko, Luisito Espinosa, Vinny Paz, Manny Melchor



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*That's enough, Paz*

**Tony Ayala Jr. Wasted Talent Trophy**  
Harry Simon

**Buster Mathis Miniature Empty Refrigerator**  
George Castro

**Thomas Dewey "Fading Down The Stretch" Award**  
Raul Balbi (vs. Leonard Dorin, first fight)