

Steve Namat Wins 2006 NPC Border States

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Making a return to NPC competition for the first time since 1999 is phenomenal lightweight Danny Hester. He looked like his old self, in great shape and easily taking his class. Danny is a possible competitor at this years NPC Nationals.

Local competitor Keisuke Yoshida took the middleweight class. I cant say enough about this guy. He has done just about every local NPC show for the past two years. His lowest placing to date is third. But not this time, Keisuke took first in a tough middleweight class. Keisuke is consistant and always prepared to battle with the best in his class. He deserved the win!

Lional Brown was the featured guest poser, looking huge and ready for a win at nationals this year. The border states lived up to its reputation as being one of the most prestigious national qualifiers of the year. There were many loyal competitors with friends and family making a great show! To all competitors, Great job!

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