DESPERATE MEASURES 2



Roster Changes

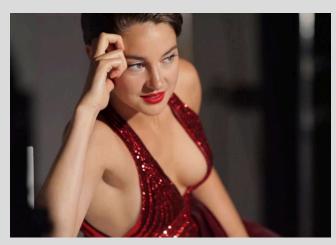
Kylie had been contemplating some changes to her stable, but she knew it was a delicate situation. She wanted to improve the team's performance, but she also didn't want to disrupt the existing dynamic. Kylie was faced with a tough decision: either take a cautious approach and make small, incremental changes or take a more drastic approach and make bold moves that could shake things up. Ultimately, she knew that the latter option was necessary if she wanted to take her stable to the next level, even if it meant making some tough choices that could upset some of her fighters.

As one of the busier UCC managers, Kylie had traded or cut over 20 fighters during her time in the UCC. Her track record in acquiring new talent had paid huge dividends in the past. Although the Zara Larsson fiasco initially caused a setback, her big sister Kendall stepped up to beat Zara and won the Middleweight title.

For Kylie, a shock to the system was needed. She identified five fighters who she believed needed a fresh start on another team. She knew that this decision would send shockwaves throughout the sporting world. With few allies in the league, Kylie had to reach out to some not-so-friendly stables to find possible trade partners. Despite being in a dire situation, Kylie was willing to do whatever it took to right the ship.

On the Chopping Block





On Kylie's list of fighters who needed a fresh start on another team was the former Welterweight Title holder and four-time top-ranked fighter, Shailene Woodley. At one point, she was the top fighter in all of the UCC, boasting an impressive 30-7 record. However, Shailene had been struggling lately, and after losing her title to Amped's *Ellie Goulding*, she seemed to have lost her former form and her will to fight.

Her last four fights had all ended in losses, and it was clear that something needed to change for her career to get back on track. Despite her past achievements, Kylie knew that making the tough call to let Shailene go was necessary for both the fighter and the stable.

Sofia Richie



Kylie's longtime friend since grade school, Sofia Richie, was next on the list, and the decision to include her was not an easy one. Although she had impressed Kylie since joining the Badass Barbies from the free agent pool, Sofia had been struggling mightily as of late. With only a single win in her last five fights, her confidence appeared to be at an all-time low. The final straw was her last fight against *Alexandra Burke*, where Sofia barely made it to the two-minute mark before being brutally knocked out. Despite their friendship, Kylie knew that Sofia's performance was not up to the Barbies' standards, and she had to make a tough call.

Kylie hopes that Sofia will understand that her decision is based solely on business and that their friendship can still remain intact. She believes that Sofia is a talented fighter and has the potential to make a comeback in the league. However, Kylie also knows that sometimes a change of scenery can be beneficial for an athlete's career.

Blake Lively



Kylie had high hopes for Blake Lively when she joined the Badass Barbies, but unfortunately, she failed to live up to expectations. Despite coming with high praises from Pye, the former owner of the renowned Pye's Gorgeous Grapplers, Blake struggled to make an impact in the UCC. She had her moments, but when it came to the big fights, Blake always seemed to fall short.

Her three losses to *Shaila Gatta* from Italians do it Better were particularly disappointing, and Kylie was furious. It was clear that Blake wasn't living up to her potential, and Kylie knew that changes had to be made. Despite other stables showing interest in Blake, Kylie went out on a limb to sign the Middleweight.

It was a tough decision to let go of Blake, but Kylie knew that it was necessary for the greater good of the stable. Blake's departure would shake things up and send a clear message to the rest of the team: perform or be cut. Kylie was determined to bring the Badass Barbies back to their former glory, and she wasn't going to let anyone stand in her way.

Elle Fanning



It's a difficult task to talk about Elle Fanning's departure from the Badass Barbies. The young fighter had a complicated relationship with Kylie, starting from her time on the practice squad. After Elle signed with another stable, Kylie felt betrayed, and their relationship soured. However, when Elle's new team folded, Kylie couldn't help but feel a sense of responsibility to bring her back into the fold.

Things didn't go smoothly, though. Elle struggled with alcohol addiction and showed up late to practice on multiple occasions. Kylie put her on probation, hoping that it would be the wake-up call that Elle needed. And to everyone's relief, Elle made it through rehab and got her life back on track.

However, despite her progress, there were still whispers that Elle's love for wine was greater than her love for fighting, leaving Kylie with no other options.

And when the Wannabee's showed interest in her as a heavyweight, Kylie knew that it was time to make a tough call. Elle's departure was a somber moment for the Badass Barbies, but Kylie knew that it was the right decision for Elle and the team.

Pia Mia Perez



Kylie was deeply saddened by the turn of events with Pia Mia Perez. When Pia Mia was picked up from the free agent pool, Kylie was excited to have her vacation buddy join her in the cage. However, the whispers in the locker room about nepotism and favoritism began to make Kylie feel guilty. They couldn't help but wonder if Kylie's sisters Chloe and Courtney would be next in line.

Despite her initial excitement, Pia Mia struggled to find her footing in the cage. She rarely put together any winning streaks. The final straw came when Pia Mia was pitted against teammate *Vanessa Hudgens*. The one-sided fight saw Vanessa completely dominate Pia Mia, and the end result was not pretty.

Kylie knew that she had no other choice but to release Pia Mia. It was a difficult decision for her to make, but she knew that it was the right one. She regretted any part she played in bringing Pia Mia into the fold and felt terrible about the situation. Despite her remorse, she knew that she had to move forward and focus on the future. A future that would not include Pia Mia.

Kylie Reaches Out

With the fate of her troubled fighters now resting on her shoulders, Kylie was determined to find them a new home and possibly replace them with some fresh talent. She knew that Strikeforce and World of Fight were no longer viable options, but this did not discourage her from seeking out other possibilities.

Despite the fact that she may not receive equal talent in return, Kylie was willing to make a bold move and part ways with some of her top fighters. She believed that by doing so, she could bring in new fighters who showed the heart and determination that she felt had been lacking in her current stable.

With this goal in mind, Kylie carefully weighed her options, considering each offer that came her way. She was not simply looking for the most talented fighters, but rather for those with the potential to grow and excel under her guidance.

In the end, Kylie knew that her decision would not be an easy one. But she remained resolute in her belief that this was the best course of action for her fighters and for the future of her stable.