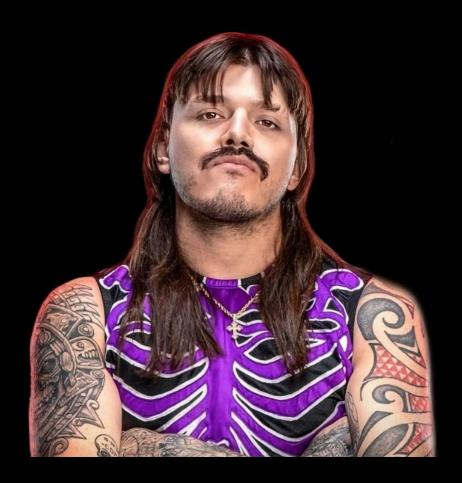
# Julian Moreno

"I don't hide behind masks or shadows—I let my skill do the talking, and my victories speak louder than anyone's words."



Julian's Personal Info

REAL NAME Julian Alejandro Moreno RING NAME

Julian Moreno
NICKNAMES
The Shadow
Phoenix. El Fénix
Oscuro. The Rising
Star.
SEX & PRONOUNS
male (he/him)
SEXUALITY
Straight

D.O.B 10/28/2002 AGE 23 PLACE OF BIRTH San Diego, CA RESIDENCE Los Angeles, CA ETHNICITY Hispanic

HEIGHT
6'1"
WEIGHT
200 lbs
HAIR COLOR
Black
EYE COLOR
Brown
FACE CLAIM
Dominik Mysterio
LANGUAGES
SPOKEN

English. Spanish.

TWITTER HANDLE

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PROFESSIONAL
DEBUT
2019
TRAINED BY
Diego "El Maestro"
Rivera.
ALIGNMENT
Heel
BILLED FROM
San Diego, CA



Wrestling Information



#### **Current Promotions**

Black Label Pro Wrestling

#### Relevant Information

- Theme -
- Wrestling Style High Flying. Lucha Libre. Technical. Striker. Strengths (3) Incredible Agility. Technical Awareness. Charismatic.
- Weaknesses (3) Overconfidence. Struggles Against Power-Based Wrestlers. Disdain for Rules/Structure.

Gimmick
Julian Moreno is a young, hungry
competitor who mixes high-flying lucha
libre moves with technical wrestling. He's
a confident, ambitious athlete who
doesn't hide from challenges — he faces
opponents head-on and earns respect in
the ring.

#### Past Promotions

Iron District Wrestling Academy

#### Championship History

- West Coast Rising Champion
   Prestige Flyweight Champion
   Iron District Showcase Champion

#### Tag Partners/Managers

Tag Team Partner: N/A Manager: N/A

#### Accomplishments

- 2022 "Breakout Performer of the Year" Voted by fans and insiders in West Coast Wrestling Insider magazine.
- Top 50 Under 25 List Ranked #12 by Coastal Combat Monthly
- Most Watched Match on IndieNetTV in 2023 Jet vs. Aiden Quest (Ladder Match, 2.1M views)
- Longest Unpinned Streak in PXW history: 11 months
- Wrestled internationally in Canada, Mexico, and the UK by age 27
- Refused multiple tag team invites, including from a high-profile faction—because, in his words:

"I don't do shared victories. Jet rides solo."



# Moveset Common Moves

- Spinning Backfist
- Superman Punch
- Elbow Smash
- Running Knee Strike
- Double Leg Takedown
- German Suplex Fireman's Carry
- **Body Slam**
- Snap Suplex
- Springboard Crossbody
- Hurricanrana
- Tilt-a-Whirl **Backbreaker**

- 3 Amigos
- Knee to the Face
- Tiger Feint Kick
- Enzuigiri
- Samoan Drop
- Shining Wizard
- Running Bulldog
- Snapmare
- Double Knee Backbreaker
- **Shooting Star Press**
- Yung Havok (Cody Cutter)

# Signature Moves

- Shadow Strike: Springboard forearm smash from the top rope
- Phoenix Lock: Modified crossface submission

• Moreno Flip: 450° splash

## **Finishers**

#### <u>PRIMARY</u>

• El Eclipse (Finisher): Springboard corkscrew stunner

### Other Relevant Wrestling Information

#### PREFERRED WEAPONS

 None usually – Julian prefers to rely on skill, speed, and technical ability rather than weapons.

Occasional Use: In extreme rules or hardcore matches, he prefers lightweight or precise weapons that complement his agility:

- Steel chairs for targeted strikes
- Kendo sticks for quick, precise hits
- Ladders in high-risk aerial maneuvers

#### **FAVORITE MATCH TYPES**

- Singles Matches
- Ladder Matches / High-Flying Matches
- Technical or Submission Matches

#### LEAST FAVORITE MATCH TYPES

- Hardcore Matches with Heavy Weapon Focus
- Battle Royals / Over-the-Top-Rope Matches

### WHY HE COMPETES

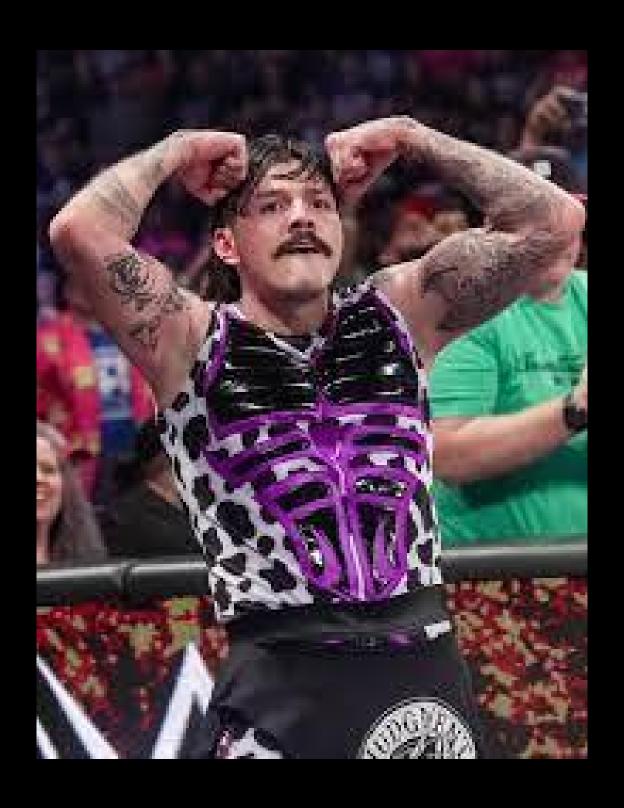
- To earn respect and prove himself without gimmicks or shortcuts.
- To challenge himself against the best talent, learning and evolving from every opponent.
- To entertain fans with a combination of storytelling, athleticism, and charisma.
- To leave a legacy—not just in wins, but in inspiring others and raising the standard of wrestling.

#### **ATTITUDE TOWARD TEAMWORK**

- Collaborative but Selective: Can work well in tag teams or factions if he respects his partner.
- Values synergy and shared goals, but doesn't rely on others to carry him—he brings his own skill and presence.
- Works best with partners who share his dedication and ring intelligence; clashes with cocky or lazy teammates.

#### **ATTITUDE TOWARD CHEATING**

- Generally Opposed: Believes victories should be earned fairly; cheating goes against his principles.
  Occasional Pragmatism: In extreme circumstances (no DQ matches, heavily stacked odds), he may bend rules, but only strategically—never recklessly.



JULIAN'S BACKGROUND

### **EARLY LIFE + TRAINING**

### **Background Story**

Julian Alejandro Moreno was born into a modest family in San Diego, California. Growing up, Julian was always drawn to sports, excelling in soccer and gymnastics during his youth. His father, a former amateur wrestler, introduced him to the sport at age 12. Julian fell in love with wrestling instantly—not just the athletic aspect, but the storytelling, the drama, and the crowd connection.

By age 16, Julian was training in local gyms and wrestling schools, balancing school, sports, and his growing wrestling ambitions. Known for his determination, he quickly gained recognition in California's independent wrestling circuit. Fans admired his high-flying moves and his ability to adapt to any opponent, while promoters recognized his charisma and natural ring presence.

Julian's goal has always been clear: he wants to earn respect, not rely on gimmicks or theatrics. He's a wrestler who proves himself through skill, resilience, and heart.

### **WRESTLING BACKGROUND**

- Early Career (Ages 16–19): Julian started in local indie promotions across Southern California, performing under his real name. He honed his high-flying and technical style, gaining early wins against older, more experienced wrestlers.
- Rise on the Independent Scene (Ages 19–21):
   Moved to Los Angeles and began wrestling for mid-level promotions. Known for exciting matches and dramatic near-falls, he earned the nickname "The Shadow Phoenix" for his ability to "rise from the ashes" after losing tough matches.
- Notable Feuds & Rivalries:
  - Feuded with a cocky, bigger wrestler named Victor Ramos, winning a series of close matches that cemented his reputation.
  - Long-standing rivalry with veteran high-flyer Marco "El Veloz" Santos, pushing Julian to adapt and expand his technical wrestling skills.
- Recent Career (Ages 22–23):
   Competing in larger indie promotions and making appearances on televised shows, Julian is gaining national attention. He's seen as a rising star, capable of headlining events in the near future.

### Trainer / Mentors

- Primary Trainer: Diego "El Maestro" Rivera Veteran lucha libre wrestler and technical coach in Los Angeles.
- Secondary Training: Strength and conditioning under Carlos Vega, former MMA athlete, to improve Julian's power and endurance.
- Mentorship: Briefly trained with international high-flyers during summer tours in Mexico, enhancing his aerial maneuvers and lucha influence.

# **KNOWN** ALLIANCES

- Diego "El Maestro" River Trainer
- Carlos Vega Trainer