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Former Citadel Wrestler to be Featured on TV

Charleston, S.C. – The inspirational story of The Citadel wrestler Travis Piccard will air on The Real Winning Edge TV series on Fox in various markets across the country on March 14-15. Piccard's story is introduced by UFC Champion Matt Hughes.

Piccard, a native of Allendale, Mich., was a nationally ranked Bulldog wrestler, who in 2007 was invited to the All-Star Classic. He ended his senior season having with a 19-6 record, including 10-1 in dual action and 4-1 in the SoCon, while finishing second in the conference championship at 157 pounds. He was ranked 18th in preseason USA Today/InterMat/National Wrestling Coaches Association (NWCA) poll and was a four-time SoCon Tournament placer, finishing first and advancing to the NCAA Championships in 2005. Piccard concluded his career at The Citadel with a 114-33 record and set the Bulldog record for the most wins by a freshman during the 2002-03 season with 31.

Each episode of The Real Winning Edge features three real life teenagers who have excelled in the face of adversity – who have turned from substance abuse, overcome disabilities and made the decision to excel in spite of setbacks. Kids see teens just like themselves who have dealt with tough circumstances, yet have not given into negative attitudes or made destructive choices. Piccard's episode was taped a couple of years ago and will be airing for the first time this weekend. Besides, Hughes, other celebrities in The Real Winning Edge include Jeff Gordon, Albert Pujols, Apolo Ohno, Martina McBride, Dwight Howard, Matt Hasselbeck and Misty May-Treanor.

The Real Winning Edge airs on Fox stations in major cities, and also on other broadcasters, airing in over 90 cities. Fox broadcast times are listed below, or check www.realwinningedge.com to see the broadcast time in your city.

New York, Fox 12:00 PM Saturdays
Chicago, Fox, 9:00 AM Saturdays
Los Angeles, Fox, 8:00 AM Saturdays
Austin, Fox, 10:00 AM Saturdays
Dallas, Fox, 10:00 AM Saturdays
Houston, Fox, 7:00 AM Sundays
San Francisco, Fox, 12:30 PM Saturdays
Minneapolis, Fox, 10:00 AM Saturdays
Denver, Fox, 11:00 AM Saturdays
Orlando, Fox, 10:30 AM Sundays
Myrtle Beach, Digital 13.2, 9:30 AM Saturdays
Savannah, Digital 6.2, 9:30 AM Saturdays