



William Hobbs

Texas State Chairman

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William found powerlifting while attending high school at North Dallas High School in Dallas, TX in 1997. William parlayed his powerlifting experience in high school to playing college football at Tabor College in Kansas (NAIA). After battling injuries he left Tabor College and joined the U.S. Army from 2001-2003.

In the Army he excelled as a combat engineer and served a tour in Kosovo. Post serving in the Army he took advantage of an opportunity to play football again at the University of Saint Mary, also in Kansas. A year and a half later, William moved to Corpus Christi where he graduated from Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi with a BA in History.

In 2005, he was called out of the reserves (IRR) and served a tour in Iraq in 2005. Upon returning from Iraq, William became a police officer for the Corpus Christi Police Department 9 ½ years ago and is currently working as a Detective in the Property Crimes Section.

Throughout high school, college, and the Army, William competed in multiple powerlifting meets, returning to competition in 2007. He competes in the 275 lb. class, Raw and Raw w/wraps categories. He lifted in multiple federations including: THSPA, APA, USAPL, SPF, WABDL, USPA, and IPA. William also enjoys competing in strongman competitions.

High School best numbers in 1998-1999

165-S455, B315, D455 (Raw, 16yrs) HS, TX Regional Qualifier THSPA

181- S530, 330, D500 (SP, 17yrs)HS, TX State Qualifier THSPA

Army and College Numbers

181-S500, B350 (19, Raw) Army 02'

198-S570, B370, DL500, (22, Raw) College 03'

Best SP Numbers Competition

242-S644, B440, DL551*, (SP)1636lbs 2012'

259-B501 (SP)

* Raw Deadlift

Raw w/wraps Competition Best Numbers

242-S644, B429, DL573-1646lbs 14'

***275-S670, B440, DL610-1720 total-2015 At the IPA Grand Prix in Ohio

Best Gym Numbers

242lb class. S685, B501 (SP) 14'

275lb class, S610, B440, DL600 (Raw-Knee Sleeves) 15'

275lb class, S655 (Raw w/wraps) 15'