KIN 161 Midterm Exam Review
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Reread (or read 😊)

Shvartz - Nietzsche: A philosopher of fitness
Thomas – Chapter 6: Sport and Meaning
Brown – Paternalism, Drugs, and the nature of sport
Ravizza – Potential of the sport experience
Thomas – Chapter 5: Competition
Hyland – Sport and self-knowledge
Bredemeier & Shields – Values and violence in sports today
Thomas – Ethical Considerations

Videos

Nietzsche: Beyond Good and Evil
The Smashing Machine (MMA fighter Mark Kerr – violence in sport)

Major concepts

• What is Philosophy?
• What is the philosophy of sport?
• How do philosophical questions differ from questions other academic disciplines explore?
• What are two types of competition?
• What are the major branches of philosophy?
• How do Nietzsche’s ideas relate to sport? (What is the philosophy of the strong?)
• What are Thomas’ two different types of competition?
• Kubler-Ross 5 stages of death (as they relate to the end of a sport career)
• Sport & Peak-experience
• Maslow’s hierarchy of needs (as they relate to peak experience & potential of sport)
• Differentiate between hard and soft paternalism
• Brown’s arguments for and against PED use (for both youth and adults)
• Hyland – Types of self knowledge – How do these relate to sport/
• What is the field of ethics?
• How are values transmitted?
• Kohlberg’s six stages of moral reasoning
• Thomas - Three general approaches to ethical theory (how might these apply to sport?)