



ENGLAND BOXING NATIONAL JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023 – KEY INFORMATION CIRCULAR

1) General Information

Welcome to the key information circular for the England Boxing National Junior Championships 2023, to be held in Wigan on Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th March.

This circular will address operational and logistical matters relating to the event and hopefully answer any queries you have at this stage.

This event is for male and female Junior and Junior Cadet boxers, and will be held at the Robin Park Tennis Centre, Loire Dr, Wigan, WN5 0UL.

The semi-finals will be on Saturday 25th March and the finals will be on Sunday 26th March. These final stages of the event are staged by England Boxing, but we would like to recognise the extensive work put in by all those involved in the regional rounds in the run-up to this weekend, and thank them for their efforts.

2) Timings

Saturday 25th March

Boxing commences: 12noon. A 30-minute break will then take place in each ring at these times: Ring A – after bout 10. Rings B and C – after bout 15.

Sunday 26th September

Boxing commences: 12noon. A 30-minute break will then take place in each ring at these times: Rings A and B – after bout 10. Ring C – after bout 15.

3) Accreditation

Accreditation wrist bands will issued to boxers and coaches at their weigh-in. Thereafter, a daily wristband will be issued for boxers and coaches competing that day at their weigh-in.

You will need to be in possession of your wrist band to access the field of play. Coaches must present and wear their current England Boxing lanyard at all times. No more than three coaches per boxer will be permitted into the venue (any club with more than five boxers competing will be allowed up to a maximum of six coaches).

5) Weigh-in

The weigh-ins will take place at the Robin Park Tennis Centre for all weight categories. Timings are as below:

Saturday 25th March 2023

9am to 11am.

Sunday 26th March 2023

9am to 11am.

Boxers and coaches should be at the venue in good time to be weighed in and to carry out their medicals. The scales will close at 11am on 25th March and 11am on 26th March.

Please ensure you bring your medical cards and gumshields with you (no red or partially red). Please note that due to the number of boxers entered in the event, **only one coach** from any one club will be allowed to enter the weigh-in room with their boxer(s).

Coaches are to make sure that their England Boxing lanyards are in-date and they bring them to the event. Only coaches of the same gender can enter the weigh-in room with their boxer. **No coach will be allowed in the Field of Play or any coaching areas without displaying a current and fully in-date lanyard with valid First Aid and DBS dates.**

Please also note that boxers only need to weigh-in on the day they are boxing.

Please be advised that any boxer who does not weigh-in and medical on the day they are required to do so will be withdrawn from the Championships.

6) Programme

The official draw will be released on Wednesday 22nd March 2023 on the England Boxing website and advertised as such on social media.

There will be three boxing rings in place on both days.

Please note that the programme will be dependent on all boxers making the weight and passing the doctor's examination.

The confirmed bout order for each day will be promulgated on completion of the draw for the semi-finals and, following those results, for the finals.

7) Box Office

Tickets can be purchased at the Ticket Desk at the Guildford spectrum. Prices are £20 per adult, £10 per concession (over 65) and £5 per child aged six to 15, with Under-5s are free. Please note it is card payment only.

Once in the arena, spectators are reminded that they must remain seated at all times and not stand up against the ring barriers.

Should spectators stand, boxing will be stopped and will not continue until everyone is sat down. Please adhere to this instruction, not just out of respect for others, but also for everyone's health and safety.

Please note that England Boxing photographers and videographer will be capturing footage on both days of the event that may include capturing images of spectators. By attending as a spectator, you agree this imagery can be used by England Boxing and other media outlets.

8) Parking

There is parking available at the venue and it is pay and display.

9) England Performance

All 2023 National Junior Champions (open class only) will secure a place on the England Boxing Performance Pathway. England coaches will be in attendance from semi-finals onwards and will RAGG rating boxers. Successfully-scouted boxers will be contacted via email (sole entries will be individually assessed).

Those boxers who do not make it onto the pathway via this route will have the chance to apply to attend a Junior Open Talent Day, with details to be released in due course, where they can be further assessed by the England coaching team.

In terms of qualification for the GB Junior and Youth Three Nations 2023, all (international weight category) champions of the England Boxing National Junior Championships 2023 will qualify to represent England in Scotland from 2nd to 4th June.

Please note:

1. It is vital that boxers complete the boxer details form via the QR code at the National championships (which will be displayed around the venue) in order for boxers to receive England invitations.

2. Boxers wishing to progress onto the EB Performance Pathway will need to be in possession of an in-date, valid British passport.

10) Live streaming

If you can't attend on the day to take in the action, then you can watch things unfold via online streaming on the England Boxing YouTube Channel, with further details to be announced in the lead-up to the event.

11) Website and social media coverage

You can find out more about the England Boxing National Junior Championships 2023 by **clicking here** and follow the action across our social media all weekend via the hashtag #EBNJC23.

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If you have any questions regarding the information contained in this document, please do not hesitate to contact the England Boxing Office on 0114 223 5654 or via EBChampionships@englandboxing.org.

Wishing all competitors the very best of luck