



2023

**WOMEN'S**  
**WINTER BOX**  
**CUP**

**KEY**  
**INFORMATION**  
**CIRCULAR**



# GENERAL INFORMATION

Welcome to the key information circular for the Women's Winter Box Cup 2023, hosted by England Boxing, and held in Leigh on Saturday 9th and Sunday 10th December.

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 female boxers of Junior, Youth and Senior age groups, and will be held at Leigh Leisure Centre, Sale Way, Leigh Sports Village, Leigh, WN7 4JY. The semi-finals will be on Saturday 9th and the finals on Sunday 10th.

The guidance document for the Women's Winter Box Cup 2023 can be found [here](#).

## TIMINGS

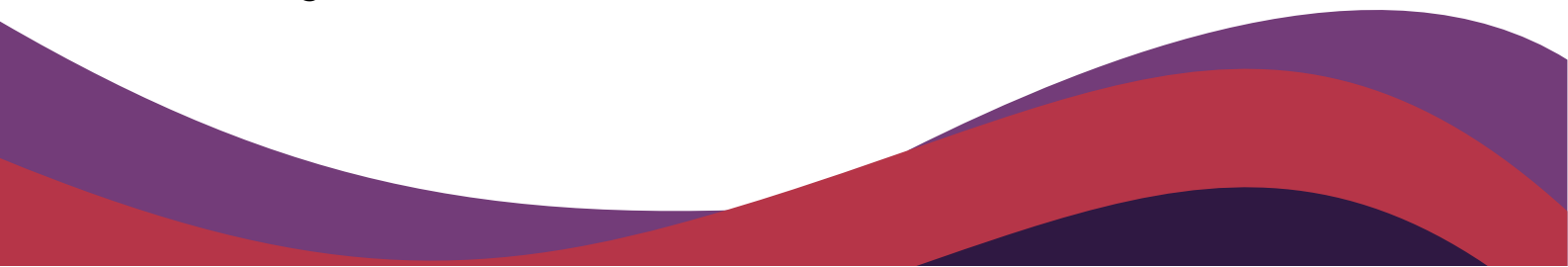
### **Saturday 9th December 2023**

Boxing commences: 12:00 noon. A 30-minute break will then take place in each ring at these times: Ring A – after bout 14 and Ring B and Ring C – after bout 18.

Bouts will commence in the following order; Junior, Youth, Senior (starting with the lightest weight categories).

### **Sunday 10th December 2023**

Boxing commences: 12:00 noon. A 30-minute break will then take place in each ring at these times: Ring A – after bout 12, and Ring B and Ring C – after bout 16.



Bouts will commence in the following order; Junior, Youth, Senior (starting with the lightest weight categories).

## REGISTRATION/ACCREDITATION

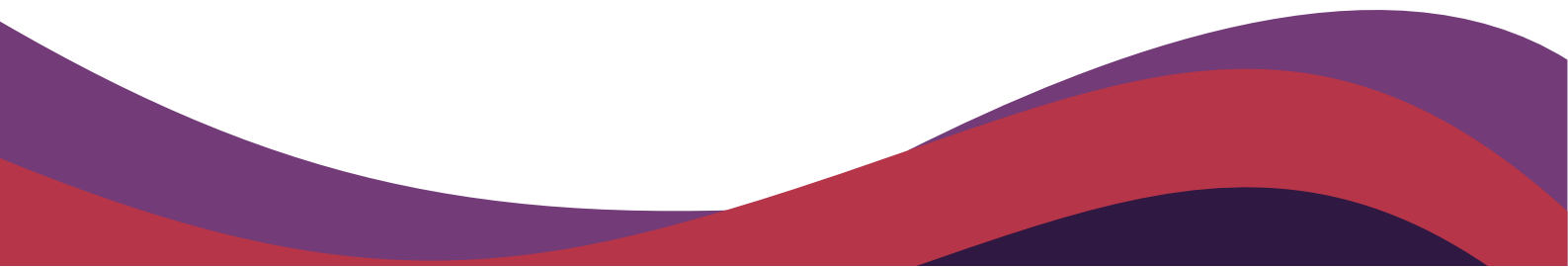
Each morning during the weigh-in, boxers and coaches will receive their daily accreditation wristbands.

Boxers and coaches will need to show their wristband to access the field of play and other areas within the venue. In addition to their wristband, coaches must always wear their current England Boxing coaching lanyard (or international equivalent).

### Boxer Requirements:

- All boxers must be registered with an England Boxing affiliated club or in the case of international entrants they must be registered with their National Federation (and have authorisation to participate).
- All boxer's BCR1 medical books or equivalent must be produced at the initial weigh-in and at all subsequent rounds.
- Each boxer's medical must be in date for the duration of the WWBC 2023. Any boxer who's medical expires before the end of the tournament will be withdrawn.
- Boxers from outside England must have a medical recorded in their record books in accordance with their National Federation. If this is not evident, boxers will be required to undertake a full medical to participate.

### Coach Requirements:

- All coaches must be a member of England Boxing or their National Federation.
  - All coaches must have a valid England Boxing coaching lanyard (or international equivalent) that they bring to the event.
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**No coach will be granted accreditation, and therefore given access to the Field of Play or any other coaching areas without displaying a current and fully in-date lanyard with valid First Aid, DBS and Safeguarding dates.**

The number of accredited coaches eligible for this competition is based on the number of entered boxers as follows;

- 1 boxer = 3 coaches
- 2 boxers = 4 coaches
- 3 or more boxers = 6 coaches
- Only 3 coaches are permitted to second a boxer.

Please note the numbers above will be strictly enforced during accreditation. All coaches must have registered on the WWBC 2023 Jablinked entry system by the outlined close date to gain accreditation.

## **WEIGH-IN**

The weigh-ins will take place at Leigh Leisure Centre, Sale Way, Leigh Sports Village, Leigh, WN7 4JY for all age groups and weight categories. Timings are as below:

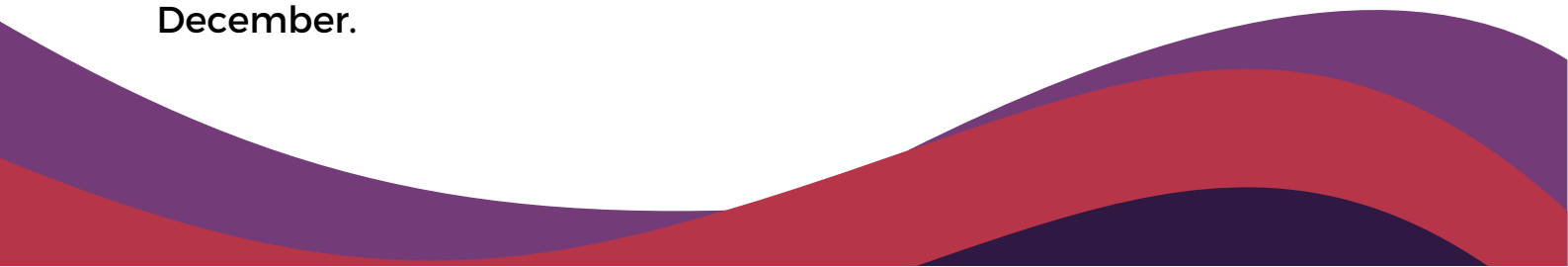
### **Saturday 9th December 2023**

**7:45am to 10:15am.**

### **Sunday 10th December 2023**

**8am to 10am.**

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 10:15am on Saturday 9th December and 10am on Sunday 10th December.



Please note that **all boxers must weigh in on Saturday 9th**, and only **those that progress to the finals on Sunday 10th**.

Due to the number of boxers entered in the event, **only one coach of the same gender** from any one club will be allowed to enter the weigh-in room with their boxer(s).

Please ensure you bring your medical cards and gumshields with you (no red or partially red).

All boxers will be required to declare themselves non-pregnant on each day of the competition, failure to do so will result in the boxer being withdrawn from the competition. Non-pregnancy is to be declared at the weigh-in each day by the submission of the following female declaration forms;

- **Female Declaration (Over 18)**
- **Female Declaration (Under 18)**

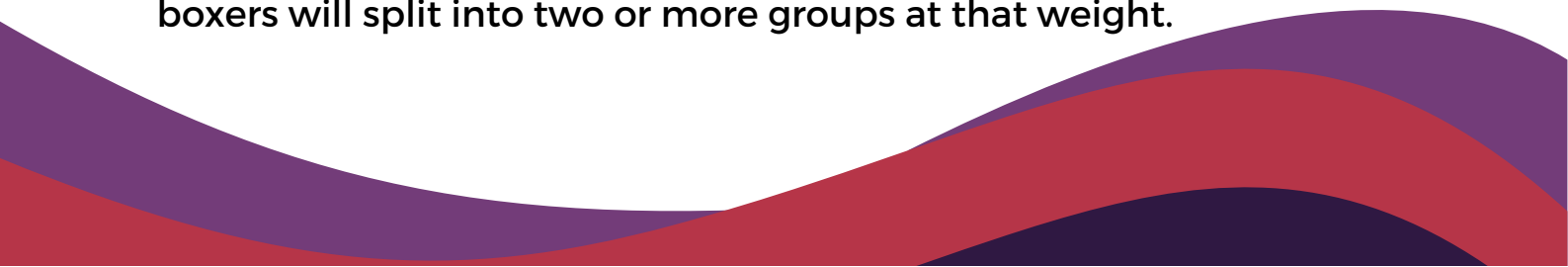
Please ensure forms are completed and printed in advance.

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

## PROGRAMME

The official draw will take place on completion of the weigh-in on Saturday 9th (at approximately 11am) and will be announced on the England Boxing **website**, and on England Boxing's social media channels, on completion.

Where the number of entries per weight category exceeds four, the boxers will split into two or more groups at that weight.



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.

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

**Please note that due to the number of participants this year, we kindly ask that boxers and coaches leave the venue after initial accreditation and weigh in and return with sufficient time to warm up and compete (approx. 5 bouts in advance). Live updates can be followed through online streaming on the England Boxing YouTube Channel.**

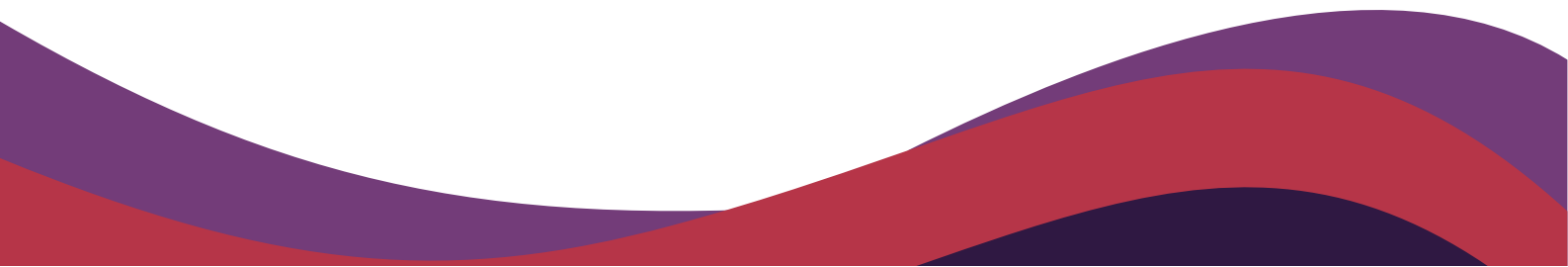
**Boxers and coaches will only be permitted in the spectator viewing area once boxing starts, and when capacity allows.**

## CSO SURGERY

Our England Boxing Regional Club Support Officers will be conducting a CSO Surgery during the entirety of the Women's Winter Box Cup 2023.

The Club Support Officers are available to offer assistance to England Boxing's clubs and members in various areas, including facility security, enhancing financial stability by exploring funding options, facilitating the recruitment of new members and volunteers, and delivering overall advice and support.

If you wish to schedule a club visit or need extra support from your local CSO, please take the opportunity to register your information at the CSO Surgery during the weekend.





# BOX OFFICE

Spectator tickets are to be purchased through the England Boxing Online Box Office in advance of the event (click [here](#) or scan the QR code below to access).

The ticket prices for the Women's Winter Box Cup 2023 are listed below:



	1 Day	2 Day
ADULT aged 17-59	<b>£30</b>	<b>£54</b> (Save £6)
SENIOR aged 60+	<b>£10</b>	<b>£18</b> (Save £2)
JUNIOR aged 16 & under	<b>£10</b>	<b>£18</b> (Save £2)
CHILD aged 5 & under	<b>FREE</b>	
FAMILY x2 adults & x2 juniors	<b>£70</b> (Save £10)	<b>£130</b> (Save £30)

We strongly recommend purchasing your tickets through the England Boxing Online Box Office in advance of travelling to guarantee your entry on the day. Additional tickets will be made available on the door however this is dependent on venue capacities so please purchase in advance to avoid disappointment.

Age requirements and valid ID checks will be in place for ticket holders. Please note that tickets are non-transferable, non-exchangeable and non-refundable.

Accreditation wristbands will be issued to spectators each day of the competition after showing a valid ticket at the entrance, either directly from your smartphone, or a printed version of the original ticket.

Once in the arena, spectators are reminded to always remain seated, and not stand up against the ring barriers.

# PHOTOGRAPHY

Please note that England Boxing photographers and videographers 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 and videography can be used by England Boxing and other media outlets.

Any spectator wishing to take photos or videos with professional equipment who is not accredited with England Boxing will be required to sign a photography permission form on arrival. These will be available at the England Boxing ticket desk.

# CAR PARKING

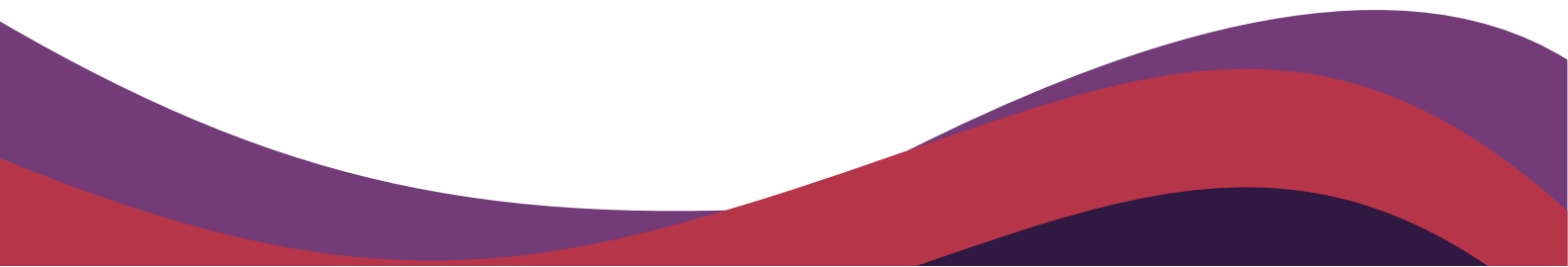
There is car parking available at the venue, free of charge. Please note that Leigh Leisure Centre is a multi-use leisure complex and therefore car parking spaces are allocated on a first come, first served basis.

# ENGLAND TALENT

The Women's Winter Box Cup 2023 is not a route onto the England Boxing Performance Pathway.

# 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.





# WEBSITE & SOCIAL MEDIA COVERAGE

You can find out more about the Women's Winter Box Cup 2023 by [clicking here](#) and follow the action across our social media all weekend via the hashtag **#EBWWBC23**.

## ENQUIRIES

If you have any questions regarding the information contained in this document, please do not hesitate to contact the England Boxing Office on 0114 2235654, or via [enquiries@englandboxing.org](mailto:enquiries@englandboxing.org).

## OTHER

Please note the following requirements for boxers prior to competing at the WWBC 2023;

- England Boxing will provide appropriate **headguards** and **gloves** for all contests throughout the WWBC 2023.
- Only IBA approved **hand wraps** must be worn.
- In accordance with IBA rules a bandana or hair net must be worn to ensure hair is secure throughout the bout.
- Any false eyelashes or nails must be removed prior to boxing.

# WISHING ALL COMPETITORS, THE VERY BEST OF LUCK!

