

2024 NATIONAL AMATEUR

CHAMPIONSHIPS

Key Information Circular

Finals

GENERAL INFORMATION

Welcome to the key information circular for the England Boxing National Amateur Championships 2024 Finals, to be held in Derby on Saturday 20th April 2024.

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 Senior elite boxers, aged between 18 - 40, and will be held at Derby Arena, Royal Way, Derby, DE24 8JB.

These 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.

TIMINGS

Saturday 20th April 2024

Boxing commences: 11:30 am. A 30-minute break will then take place after bout 12.

Bouts will commence in the following order; lightest weight categories ascending.

ACCREDITATION

The entrance point for boxers & coaches is via Door C.

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 such as the allocated warm up areas. In addition to their wristband, coaches must always wear their current England Boxing coaching lanyard.

All boxers must be a member of England Boxing and must be registered with an affiliated club.

All Coaches must be members of England Boxing and are to make sure that their England Boxing coaching lanyards are in-date, and that they bring them to the event. 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, in accordance with the regulations outlined **2023** - **2024** England Boxing Rule Book.

WEIGH-IN

The weigh-ins will take place at Derby Arena, Royal Way, Derby, DE24 8JB for all boxers. Timings are as below:

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8:15am to 10:15am.

Boxers and coaches must be at the venue in good time to be weighed in and to carry out their medicals. The scales will close at 10:15am prompt on both days.

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).

All boxers must bring their BCR1 medical cards and gumshields with them (no red or partially red) to the initial weigh-in and to all subsequent rounds.

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to declare themselves nonpregnant on each day of the competition, failure to do so will result in the boxer being withdrawn from the competition.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

• Female Declaration (Over 18)

Please ensure forms are printed and completed in advance.

Please be advised that any boxer who does not weigh-in and attend the medical on the days they are boxing will be withdrawn from the Championships.

PROGRAMME

The official draw will be released on Wednesday 17th April 2024 on the England Boxing website, and on England Boxing's social media channels.

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

The confirmed bout order will be promulgated on completion of the draw.

There will be one boxing ring in place on Finals Day.

Live results can be followed on the England Boxing website here.

Boxers and coaches will only be permitted in the spectator viewing area if capacity allows.

CSO SURGERY

Our England Boxing Regional Club Support Officers will be conducting a CSO Surgery during the entirety of the National Amateur Championships 2024 Finals.

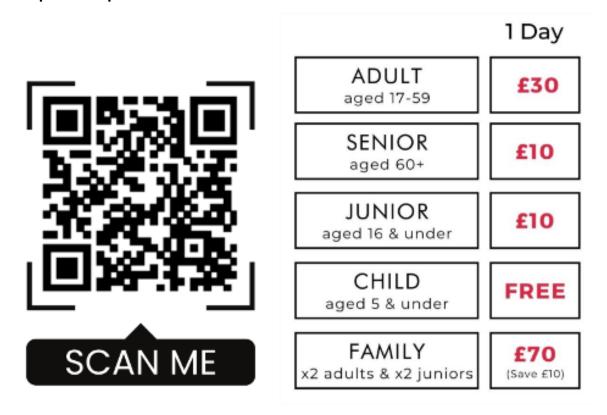
The Club Support Officers are available to offer assistance to England Boxing's clubs and members in various areas, including facility security, enhancing financial stability by exploring funding options, facilitating the recruitment of new members and volunteers, and delivering overall advice and support.

If you wish to schedule a club visit or need extra support from your local CSO, please take the opportunity to register your information with the CSO Surgery team during the Championship 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 England Boxing National Amateur Championships 2024 Finals are listed below:



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.

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

The entrance point for spectators is via the Main Entrance - ticket holders to the right, and non-ticket holders to the left.

PHOTOGRAPHY AND VIDEOGRAPHY

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.

A documentary crew will also be onsight filming footage on 20th April. All of the clips obtained remain the property of the filmmaking cohort and they retain the right to use it as they see fit for: promotional, educational or other purposes deemed appropriate. Any concerns regarding the use of footage should be directed to England Boxing.

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

Car parking is available on site via DE24 8JB, for £3 per vehicle.

Cash and card payments accepted.

If you intend to leave the premises in your vehicle and then return later, please remember to request a parking pass from the car park stewards upon exit. Failure to do so may lead to an extra parking fee being incurred.

ENGLAND PERFORMANCE PATHWAY

If you are a finalist at the NACs, or scouted on the basis of high-level performance, you will earn an assessment for the England Boxing Senior Squads. This assessment will also be observed by GB Boxing. The possible outcomes from this assessment are: Selection to the England Boxing Senior Squad AND/OR further additional assessment for the GB Boxing World Class Programme OR non-selection and return to club.

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

To read more about recruitment for the England Boxing Pathway, click on the following link

https://www.englandboxing.org/team-england/england-talent-pathway/

In terms of qualification for the GB Elite Three Nations, all (international weight category) champions of the England Boxing National Amateur Championships 2024 will qualify to represent England at the event in Scotland in June (exact date & location TBC).

Please note:

- 1. It is vital that boxers complete the boxer details form via the QR code at the National championships in order for boxers to receive England/GB invitations.
- 2. Boxers wishing to progress onto the England Boxing Performance Pathway will need to be in possession of an in-date, valid British passport

LIVE STREAM

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 website, with further details to be announced in the lead-up to the event.

Kindly note that **refunds are not available** for purchases made for the paid live stream.

If any issues occur while viewing the event, please reach out to our support team at livesupport@247.tv

WEBSITE & SOCIAL MEDIA COVERAGE

You can find out more about the England Boxing National Amateur Championships 2024 Finals by clicking here and follow the action across our social media all weekend via the hashtag #EBNAC24.

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 englandboxing.org.

OTHER

Please note the following requirements for boxers prior to competing at the England Boxing National Amateur Championships 2024;

- England Boxing will provide appropriate <u>headguards</u> and <u>gloves</u> for all contests.
- Only IBA approved <u>hand wraps</u> must be worn (with limited quantities available for purchase at the venue).
- 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!

