



ENGLAND BOXING NATIONAL YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023 – KEY INFORMATION CIRCULAR

1) General Information

Welcome to the key information circular for the England Boxing 2023 Youth Championships, to be held in North Solihull on 10th, 11th and 12th February 2023.

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 Youth and Youth Cadet boxers, and will be held at the North Solihull Sports Centre, Conway Road, Fordbridge, Birmingham, B37 5LA.

The quarter-finals will be on Friday 10th, semi-finals on Saturday 11th and finals on Sunday 12th February.

These final stages of the event are staged by England Boxing, but we would like to recognise the extensive work put in by the regional associations until this point.

2) Timings

Friday 10th February 2023

Boxing commences 11am. A 30-minute break will take place after bout 12 on Ring A and after bout 16 on Ring B.

Saturday 11th February 2023

Boxing commences 11am. A 30-minute break will take place after bout 12 on Ring A and after bout 16 on Ring B.

Sunday 12th February 2023

Boxing commences 11am. A 30-minute break will take place after bout 12 on Ring A and after bout 16 on Ring B.

3) Accreditation

Accreditation wristbands will be 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.

Only three coaches per club are permitted. Any club with six or more boxers competing on that day will be permitted up to six coaches.

You will need to be in possession of your wristband to access the field of play. Coaches must present and wear their current and fully in date lanyard at all times.

5) Weigh-in

The weigh-ins will take place at the North Solihull Sports Centre for all weight categories. Timings are as below:

Friday 10th February 2023

8am until 10am

Saturday 11th February 2023

8am until 10am

Sunday 12th February 2023

8am until 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 11am on all three days.

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** will be allowed to enter the weigh-in room with their boxer(s).

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, once available will be released on the England Boxing website and advertised as such on social media.

There will be two boxing rings in place on all 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 quarter-finals and, following the results, for the semi-finals and finals.

7) Box Office

Tickets can be purchased at the Ticket Desk at the North Solihull Sports Centre. 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 payment is by card only and there is no facility to pay by cash.**

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 limited free parking available at the venue.

9) England Talent

Due to the Youth European Boxing Championships 2023 being held in April, and the need for England boxers to have a robust training and preparation plan, selection must take place by the end of February.

Therefore, this year boxers will qualify for assessment via the England Boxing Youth National Championships (open class only). Open class winners will also automatically qualify for a place on the England Performance Pathway.

All finalists, including any sole entries, will be invited to a selection camp two weeks after the England Boxing National Youth Championships 2023 on the weekend of 25th and 26th February in Sheffield. Letters with full details will be handed to qualifying boxers at the Youth Championships.

Boxers must be available to attend the selection camp on the dates detailed to be considered for selection.

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 Youth Championships 2023 on the website via www.englandboxing.org/competitions/england-boxing-national-youth-championships and follow the action across our social media all weekend via the hashtag #EBNYC23

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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 2235654 or via EBChampionships@englandboxing.org.

Wishing all competitors the very best of luck