TOURNAMENT HANDBOOK



November 27 - 29th, 2026

Hosted by the Calgary Boxing Club

THIS IS A 3-DAY TOURNAMENT

Every boxer and coach must be available for the full weekend

Clubs cannot request or be guaranteed a specific day or session. Once schedules are posted, boxers and their coaches are only required to attend the weigh-in and the session(s) on each day they are scheduled to box.

Non-compliance will be documented, with the possibility of sanctions affecting participation at future events, at the discretion of the Director of Competitions — something we genuinely do not want to have to do. Please adhere to this rule, or do not register for the tournament if it is not something your club can accommodate.

Important Dates

Registration Closes: Friday, November 13th at midnight

Weight changes can be made until: Sunday, November 22nd at midnight

Draw: Tuesday, November 24th, 6:30 PM via Zoom

Important Links

Registration

Click here to register for the tournament

$20 NON REFUNDABLE registration fee for all boxers. Reimbursements will only be given for athletes who do not get a bout at the tournament.

Live Results, Schedule & Roster

Check the tournament roster, schedule, and results anytime here

The Roster tab has a search box at the top — type a boxer's name or club to find them instantly.

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ELIGIBLE ATHLETES

This tournament is open to the following divisions:

AGE CATEGORY	0-2 Bouts (Sub-Novice)	3-10 Bouts (Novice)	Open Boxers	Eligible Athletes	Provincial Qualifier
Masters	Yes	No	No	All provinces	no
Elite	Yes	No	No	All provinces	no
U23	No	No	Yes	Alberta boxers only	**Yes**
Youth (U19)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Sub-Novice 0-2 all provinces 3+ Alberta boxers only	Sub-Novice: No Novice (3-10) and Open Divisions: **Yes**
Junior C					
Junior B					
Junior A					
Funbox	Yes	Yes	Yes	All provinces	no

Provincial Qualifiers must be Canadian Citizens, Permanent Residents, or Refugees

Female boxers are welcome to register regardless of bout count — we are actively working to match female athletes with bouts and encourage participation at every experience level.

PRE-REGISTRATION

- Pre-registration is mandatory for all boxers. Late registrations will not be accepted.
- Weight changes can be made by emailing badirectorofcompetitions@gmail.com (do not email the office). Please see the Important Dates for all deadlines for changes
- A non-refundable $20 registration fee will be charged per athlete for the event. If a boxer is uncontested and does not get a fight on the weekend a refund will be issued. **No other refunds will be given for any reason.**

VENUE

- All **boxing** is at the Calgary Boxing Club
  - 1543 17th Ave SE Calgary AB
- All **weigh ins** are at the host hotel, Holiday Inn Calgary Airport
  - 1250 McKinnon Drive NE, Calgary AB
- The venue will be open 1 hour before 1st bout of each session

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Date / Event	Time	Location
November 27 (Friday) — Weigh-Ins/Medicals	1:30 – 2:30 PM	Holiday Inn Calgary Airport
November 27 (Friday) — Session 1	6:00 PM	Calgary Boxing Club
November 28 (Saturday) — Weigh-Ins/Medicals	8:00 – 10:00 AM	Holiday Inn Calgary Airport
November 28 (Saturday) — Session 2	1:00 PM	Calgary Boxing Club
November 28 (Saturday) — Session 3	6:00 PM	Calgary Boxing Club
November 29 (Sunday) — Weigh-Ins/Medicals	8:00 pm – 9:00 AM	Holiday Inn Calgary Airport
November 29 (Sunday) — Session 4	12:00 PM (noon)	Calgary Boxing Club

SESSION SCHEDULES

Session schedules will be available the day following the draw, on the same link as the Registered Athletes list. The schedules are updated at all times, so please check for updates or changes.

KEY CONTACTS

Role	Name	Email
Tournament Coordinator: Registration Changes/Withdrawals	Jordan Eurchuk	badirectorofcompetitions@gmail.com
Boxing Alberta Office	Scott	albertaboxing@gmail.com

WEIGHT CATEGORIES CANNOT BE CHANGED AT THE DRAW

- The most current registered athlete list will be available online.
  Coaches, please check this list to ensure your boxers are in the correct categories.

REMOVING A BOXER FROM THE TOURNAMENT

If an athlete needs to be removed, it needs to be completed before the draw by emailing badirectorofcompetitions@gmail.com.

Boxers who withdraw after the draw will be tracked, and if a pattern develops it will be reported to Boxing Alberta. **Boxers who do not provide notice of withdrawal prior to the start of weigh-ins day 1 will be reported to Boxing Alberta with potential sanctions against the club.**

BOXERS WITHOUT PASSPORTS

If a boxer does not have a blue book, please contact the Tournament Coordinator prior to the tournament so arrangements can be made for a temporary passport (see Key Contacts below).

TOURNAMENT DRAW

Draw will be online via Zoom

The link for the Zoom will be available via email to all Boxing Alberta clubs, posted on the **Boxing Alberta website**, as well as our Facebook Page.

WEIGHT CATEGORIES CANNOT BE CHANGES DURING THE DRAW

RESULTS

Results are posted in real time at the event, and can be seen on the session schedules.

WEIGH-IN PROCEDURE

Weigh-in attendance is mandatory, at each boxer's scheduled session.

The window between the end of weigh-ins and the start of the corresponding session is a fixed 3 hours and cannot be extended or broken for individual boxers.

This is a Provincial Tournament — if a boxer does not make weight, the opponent will win via walkover, with the bout being scratched.

Please make sure boxers have the following before arriving:

- Blue Passport Book
- Picture in book and book signed by athlete
- 2026 Boxing Canada registration number in the book
- Medical stapled into the back of the blue book, not more than 12 months old
- Pre-bout medical — signed by coach and boxer
- Boxers to attend the Verification Desk and must know SESSION, BOUT NUMBER, and CORNER (bout lists available to check)
- Boxers ONLY weigh in and medical the day they are scheduled to box
- Coaches and parents are not allowed in the weigh-in area

IMPORTANT NOTES

Warm-Up Room

Only registered members of Boxing Canada can be in the weigh-in rooms, warm-up areas, and change rooms. Change rooms should be limited to boxers and coaches competing in the current session. All other athletes, friends, parents, entourages, etc. are not allowed in the warm-up area.

Field of Play

A completely certified (and registered) coach must be in the corner for every bout — the only coach permitted on the apron and in the ring between rounds. The Coaches Eligible to Corner list is updated Fridays and available on the **Boxing Alberta website**.

Seconds must be a registered member with Boxing Canada. Unregistered members in corners will be removed and clubs reported for violation.

No electronic devices, and no recording, in the field of play. Coaches must have a white towel with them in the corner.

Coaching Essentials

Please model good sportsmanship — no boisterous behaviour by coach or boxer, and always respect officials whether or not you agree with the decision.

Coaches must be in athletic attire (track suit, shorts or long pants, t-shirt, athletic shoes). No jeans, sandals, offensive logos, sunglasses, or hats permitted.

Two coaches wristbands will be given for each club that has 1-2 boxers registered for the tournament. Clubs with 3+ fighters will be given 3 wristbands for the tournament. No additional wristbands will be provided, additional coaches will need to pay entrance fees for each session.

Boxer Essentials

Boxers are to provide their own competition-approved headgear (IBA, AIBA, or USA Approved), worn before entering the ring.

Boxers must wear a red or blue singlet with matching or neutral athletic shorts, with a visible belt line (preferably white). Long hair should be contained with a bandana, skull cap, or hairnet — no loose braids or ponytails. Mouthguards in before entering the ring. No excessive Vaseline, brow and nose only. Boxing or running shoes are allowed.

Competition Equipment

Boxing Alberta will provide competition gloves. These are NOT to be used for warm-up, including pad work.

Abuse of Officials

Abuse of officials by coaches, athletes, parents, or fans will not be tolerated. Coaches are responsible for managing their team, including parents. Abusive behaviour will result in removal from the facility.

Sparring and Exhibitions

No public sparring or exhibitions will be allowed.

Make-Up Bouts

No make-up bouts will be considered until the final numbers of the tournament have been decided. Should the tournament be in a position to offer make-up bouts, coaches are responsible for finding a legal bout and submitting it through the Boxing Alberta Makeup Bout Request page. The requesting coach is responsible for confirming, before submitting, that the opposing coach has agreed to the bout and that both coaches understand and accept any variances in the match (weight, age and experience). Submitting a request does not guarantee a bout. Every request is reviewed by the Director of Competitions or Chief Official, and approved bouts are scheduled by the Tournament Coordinator.

Need help? A step-by-step guide with screenshots shows how to sign in, find a legal opponent and send a request: [Coach Guide: Finding a Makeup Bout]. It also explains what to do if you can't open the email on your Trackie file.