

**COMMONWEALTH BOXING COUNCIL
CHAMPIONS AND OFFICIAL CONTENDERS. 27th & 28th SEPTEMBER 2018**

PLEASE NOTE: Contenders are listed in alphabetical order and not in any order of preference.

GENERAL NOTE : A Champion is required to defend within the time period set against any of the listed contenders in his weight division except in the case where a particular mandatory challenger has been specified, either of such defences to be considered a mandatory defence. Should a Champion wish to defend against a challenger not listed then application must be made to the Hon Secretary of the CBC by him, his manager or a promoter on their behalves. Permission will be granted subject to approval by the CBC of the challenger and such defence will be considered a voluntary defence. The winner will be obliged to make a mandatory defence within the time period specified if this has not already taken place.

Promoters must send copies of contracts to the Hon Secretary together with the appropriate Sanction Fee otherwise the contest may not receive formal sanction.

Commissions, federations and other boxing regulatory/sanctioning authorities receiving this notice are requested to advise all interested parties within their jurisdictions and the local press

Simon Block
Hon Secretary

HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION	JOE JOYCE Won title 5 th May 2018	England
CONTENDERS	Dave Allen	England
	Derek Chisora	England
	Daniel Dubois	England
	Onoriode Ehwarieme	Nigeria
	Junior Fa	New Zealand
	Hughie Fury	England
	Tyson Fury	England
	Nathan Gorman	England
	Simon Kean	Canada
	Alex Leapai	Australia
	Demsey McKean	Australia
	Mladen Miljas	Canada
	Joseph Parker	New Zealand
	Lenroy Thomas	Jamaica
	Dillian Whyte	England

JOE JOYCE to defend against any of the above by 31st March 2019

CRUISERWEIGHT CHAMPION

VACANT

CONTENDERS

Matty Askin	England
Hosea Burton	England
Wadi Camacho	England
Tony Conquest	England
Olanrewaju Durodola	Nigeria
Mark Flanagan	Australia
Arfan Iqbal	England
Craig Kennedy	Wales
Jack Massey	England
Thabiso Mchunu	South Africa
Lawrence Okolie	England
Thomas Oosthuizen	South Africa
Jai Opetai	Australia
Jean Pascal	Canada
Simon Vallily	England
Luke Watkins	England

WADI CAMACHO v ARFAN IQBAL to take place by 30th June 2019

LIGHT HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION

CALLUM JOHNSON	England
Won title 24th September 2016	
Last defence 24 th March 2018	

CONTENDERS

Jake Ball	England
Erik Bazinyan	Canada
Joshua Buatsi	England
Frank Buglioni	England
Blake Caparello	Australia
Isaac Chilemba	Zambia
Liam Conroy	England
Reagan Dessaix	Australia
Damien Hooper	Australia
Aaron Lai	Australia
Sheldon Lawrence	Trinidad & Tobago
Steve Lovett	Australia
Renold Quinlan	Australia
Ricky Summers	England
Anthony Yarde	England

CALLUM JOHNSON to defend title against any of the above by 31st March 2019

SUPERMIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPION

VACANT

CONTENDERS

Habib Ahmed	Ghana
Bilal Akkawy	Australia
David Brophy	Scotland
Lennox Clarke	England
James DeGale	England
Zac Dunn	Australia
Isaac Ekpo	Nigeria
Chris Eubank Jnr	England
George Groves	England
Ryno Liebenberg	South Africa
Emmanuel Martey	Ghana
Jayde Mitchell	Australia
Rohan Murdock	Australia
Zach Parker	England
Tommy Philbin	Scotland
John Ryder	England
Vijender Singh	India
Darryl Williams	England

A match for the VACANT TITLE to be approved

MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPION

VACANT

CONTENDERS

Jack Arnfield	England
Wes Capper	Australia
Conrad Cummings	N. Ireland
King Davidson	Nigeria
Mark Heffron	England
Rocky Jerkic	Australia
Walter Kautondokwa	Namibia
Tommy Langford	England
David Lemieux	Canada
Elliott Matthews	England
Anthony Mundine Jnr	Australia
Martin Murray	England
Lukas Ndafoluma	Namibia
Kemahl Russell	Jamaica
Obodai Sai	Ghana
Sam Soliman	Australia
Jason Welborn	England

ELLIOTT MATTHEWS v ABOLAJI RASHEED to take place on 30th November 2018 at York Hall London

SUPERWELTERWEIGHT CHAMPION

MICHAEL ZERAFA
Australia
Won title 16th March 2017

CONTENDERS

Patrick Allotey Ghana
Kell Brook England
Steven Butler Canada
Ted Cheeseman England
Cody Crowley Canada
Brandon Cook Canada
Nathaniel Gallimore Jamaica
Adam Harper England
Jimmy Kilrain Kelly England
James Metcalf England
Hassan Mwakinyo Tanzania
Wale Omotoso Nigeria
Dwight Ritchie Australia
Liam Smith England
Ashley Theophane England
Tim Tszyu Australia
Jamie Weetch Australia
Liam Williams Wales

MICHAEL ZERAFA to defend against TIM TSZYU by the 31st March 2019

WELTERWEIGHT CHAMPION

JOSH KELLY
England
Won title 16th June 2018

CONTENDERS

Jack Brubaker Australia
Rivan Cesaire Cameroon
Custio Clayton Canada
Gary Corcoran England
Johnny Coyle England
Richmond Djarbeng Ghana
Larry Ekundayo Nigeria/England
Johnny Garton England
Jeff Horn Australia
Amir Khan England
Frederick Lawson Ghana
Michael McKinson England
Bowyn Morgan New Zealand
Sakima Mullings Jamaica
Tyrone Nurse England
James Onyango Kenya
Ben Savva Australia

Bradley Skeete	England
Chris Van Heerden	South Africa
Steven Wilcox	Canada
Mikael Zewski	Canada

JOSH KELLY to defend against JACK BRUBAKER to take place by 30th April 2019

SUPERLIGHTWEIGHT CHAMPION

GLENN FOOT	England
Won title 3 rd March 2017	

CONTENDERS

Kpakpo Alotey	Ghana
Philip Bowes	England
Ricky Burns	Scotland
Jack Catterall	England
Steve Claggett	Canada
O'Hara Davies	England
Robbie Davies Jnr	England
Akeem Ennis Brown	England
Tom Farrell	England
Olaide Fijabi	Nigeria
Tery Flanagan	England
Mathieu Germain	Canada
Joe Hughes	England
Julius Indongo	Namibia
Tyrone McKenna	Northern Ireland
Xolani Mcotheli	South Africa
Liam Paro	Australia
Josh Taylor	Scotland
Yves Ulysse Jnr	Canada
Lenny Zappavigna	Australia

GLENN FOOT boxes ROBBIE DAVIES JNR on 13th October 2018 at Metro Arena Newcastle UK

WINNER to box PHILIP BOWES by 31st January 2019

LIGHTWEIGHT CHAMPION

JOE CORDINA	Wales
Won title 4 th August 2018	

CONTENDERS

George Ashie	Ghana
Maxwell Awuku	Ghana
Robbie Barrett	England
Sharif Bogere	Uganda

Luke Campbell	England
Scott Cardle	England
Tommy Coyle	England
Anthony Crolla	England
Richard Commey	Ghana
Sean Dodd	England
Craig Evans	Wales
Paul Hyland Jnr	N. Ireland
Oto Joseph	Nigeria
George Kamposos Jnr	Australia
Kye McKenzie	Australia
Rafael Mensah	Ghana
Michael Mokonea	South Africa
Thompson Mokwana	South Africa
Paulus Moses	Namibia
Ayanda Nkosi	South Africa
Sherrif Quaye	Ghana
Cam O'Connell	Canada
Brandon Ogilvie	Australia
Lewis Ritson	England
Emmanuel Tagoe	Ghana
Andy Townend	England
Simpiwe Vetyeka	South Africa

JOE CORDINA to defend against GEORGE KAMBOSOS JNR by the end of June 2019

SUPERFEATHERWEIGHT CHAMPION	JAMES TENNYSON	Northern Ireland
	Won title 5 th May 2018	
CONTENDERS	Zelfa Barrett	England
	Nort Beauchamp	New Zealand
	Sam Bowen	England
	Joel Bruner	Australia
	Anthony Cacace	N Ireland
	Tyson Cave	Canada
	Edner Cherry	Bahamas
	Ronnie Clark	Scotland
	Paul Fleming	Australia
	Azinga Fuzile	South Africa
	Jordan McCrory	Scotland
	Marco McCullough	Northern Ireland
	Phila Mpontshana	South Africa
	Jeremiah Nakathka	Namibia

Stephen Smith	England
Bruno Vifauviwili	Tanzania
Oluwaseun Joseph Wahab	Nigeria
Martin J Ward	England

JAMES TENNYSON to defend against any of the above by 31st March 2019

FEATHERWEIGHT CHAMPION

RYAN DOYLE	England
Won Title 6 th June 2018	

CONTENDERS

Reece Bellotti	England
Loreto Dlamini	South Africa
Kid Galahad	England
Jordan Gill	England
Luke Jackson	Australia
Isaac Lowe	England
Sakaria Lukas	Namibia
Rofhiwa Maemu	South Africa
Nathaniel May	Australia
Scott Quigg	England
Lee Selby	England
Ryan Walsh	England
Felix Williams	Ghana

RYAN DOYLE v JORDAN GILL to take place on 27th October 2018 at Copperbox Arena London UK

WINNER to defend against FELIX WILLIAMS by 28th February 2019

SUPERBANTAMWEIGHT CHAMPION

ASHLEY LANE	England
Won title 23rd September 2017	

CONTENDERS

Khanyile Bulana	South Africa
Jason Cunningham	England
James Dickens	England
Josh Kennedy	England
Lodumo Lamati	South Africa
Innocent Mantengu	South Africa
Jonas Matheus	Namibia
Tyrone McCullagh	Northern Ireland
Gavin McDonnell	England
Jaime McDonnell	England
Wasari Mohammed	Ghana

Manyo Plange	Ghana
Isaac Sackey	Ghana
Martin Ward	England
Thomas Patrick Ward	England
Gamal Yafai	England

ASHLEY LANE v ROBBIE TURLEY taking place at Newport Centre, Wales on 20th October 2018

WINNER to defend against WASARI MOHAMMED by 31st March 2019

BANTAMWEIGHT CHAMPION

VACANT

CONTENDERS

Joseph Agbeko	Ghana
Iain Butcher	Scotland
Paul Butler	England
Elton Dharry	Guyana
Thomas Essomba	Cameroon
Ukashir Farooq	England
Stuart Hall	England
Lee Haskins	England
Toto Hlebe	South Africa
Brook Jarvis	Australia
Mzuvukile Magwala	South Africa
Duke Micah	Ghana
Jason Moloney	Australia
Prince Patel	England
Makazole Tete	South Africa
Josh Wale	England
Jaime Wilson	Scotland

THOMAS ESSOMBA v LEE MCGREGOR to take place on 13th October at York Hall London UK

SUPERFLYWEIGHT CHAMPION

ANDREW MOLONEY
Won title 21st October 2017

CONTENDERS

Jason Chauke	South Africa
Jamie Conlan	Northern Ireland
Athenkosi Dumezweni	South Africa
Charles Edwards	England
Sonny Edwards	England

Ryan Farrag	England
Sikho Nqothole	South Africa
Yanga Sigqibo	South Africa
Brad Watson	England
Kyle Williams	England
Kyle Yousaf	England

ANDREW MOLONEY to defend against any of the above by 31st March 2019

ELIMINATOR - TOMMY FRANK v ADAM YAHAYA to take place at Ponds Forge, Sheffield UK on 12th October 2018

FLYWEIGHT CHAMPION

JAY HARRIS
Wales
Won Title 24th February 2017

CONTENDERS

Paddy Barnes	Northern Ireland
Charlie Hoy	England
Dexter Marques	Guyana
Ross Murray	Scotland
Alfred Muwowo	Zambia
Thembelani Nxoshe	South Africa
Andrew Selby	Wales
Muhammed Waseem	Pakistan

JAY HARRIS v ROSS MURRAY to take place on 3rd November at York Hall, London UK

WINNER to make mandatory defence by 31st March 2019 – Mandatory Challenger to be confirmed

WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS

FOR OFFICIAL CBC WOMEN'S RATINGS GO TO www.commbc.com

TO BE NOTED CAREFULLY

1. When a Commonwealth Champion wins a 'World' Championship whether or not recognized by the Council or by any individual Member Federation of the Council the relevant Commonwealth Championship shall automatically be declared vacant. It follows that a Commonwealth Champion cannot lose his Championship as a result of losing a 'World' Championship contest when the opponent would otherwise qualify as an eligible contender.
2. In view of varying medical standards and requirements for boxers throughout the Commonwealth, promoters are urged to ensure that boxers from abroad competing for Commonwealth Titles are capable of meeting the standards of the host governing authority.
3. It is the obligation of the Champion and his manager and/or any promoter with whom they are currently working to meet the defence requirements set by the Council. In the event of difficulty in attracting listed contenders the Council will exercise its reasonable discretion but it will be the obligation of the Champion to ensure that there is Championship activity in the relevant weight division.
4. There is currently only one Women's Champion, the Commonwealth Boxing Council will hope to compile a list of approved challengers in each weight division, when this proves practically possible.