

**COMMONWEALTH BOXING COUNCIL - 25th MARCH 2019
CHAMPIONS AND OFFICIAL CONTENDERS.**

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
England
Won title 5th May 2018
Last defence 23rd February 2019

CONTENDERS

Dave Allen	England
Derek Chisora	England
Daniel Dubois	England
Junior Fa	New Zealand
Hughie Fury	England
Tyson Fury	England
Nathan Gorman	England
Demsey McKean	Australia
Mladen Miljas	Canada
Joseph Parker	New Zealand
Ebenezer Tetteh	Ghana
Dillian Whyte	England

JOE JOYCE to defend against any of the above by 30th September 2019

CRUISERWEIGHT CHAMPION

LAWRENCE OKOLIE England
 Won Title 23rd March 2019

CONTENDERS

Matty Askin England
 Hosea Burton England
 Wadi Camacho England
 Isaac Chamberlain England
 Tony Conquest England
 Mark Flanagan Australia
 Craig Glover England
 Arfan Iqbal England
 Jack Massey England
 Thabiso Mchunu South Africa
 Jai Opetaiia Australia
 Jean Pascal Canada
 Richard Riakporhe England
 Abraham Tabul Ghana

LAWRENCE OKOLIE to defend against any of the above by 30th September 2019

LIGHT HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION

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

CONTENDERS

Joshua Buatsi England
 Blake Caparello Australia
 Isaac Chilemba Zambia
 Reagan Dessaix Australia
 Aaron Lai Australia
 Patrick Mendy Gambia
 Craig Richards England
 Andre Sterling England
 Ricky Summers England
 Anthony Yarde England

CALLUM JOHNSON to defend title against any of the above by 30th June 2019 or title may be declared vacant

SUPERMIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPION

VACANT

CONTENDERS

Habib Ahmed	Ghana
Bilal Akkawy	Australia
Lennox Allen	Guyana
Erik Bazinyan	Canada
David Brophy	Scotland
Lennox Clarke	England
Zac Dunn	Australia
Rocky Fielding	England
Tommy Langford	England
Ryno Liebenberg	South Africa
Emmanuel Martey	Ghana
Delali Miledzi	Ghana
Jayde Mitchell	Australia
Rohan Murdock	Australia
Zach Parker	England
Tommy Philbin	Scotland
Shakeel Phinn	Canada
John Ryder	England
Billy Joe Saunders	England
Darryl Williams	England

TOMMY LANGFORD v LERRONE RICHARDS due to take place at SSE Wembley Arena, London UK on 27th April 2019 to be for vacant title

WINNER to defend against EMMANUAL MARTEY after 90 days

MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPION

FELIX CASH
 Won title 2nd February 2019

England

CONTENDERS

Steven Butler	Canada
Reece Cartwright	England
Conrad Cummings	N. Ireland
King Davidson	Nigeria
Mark Heffron	England
Rocky Jerkic	Australia
Tureano Johnson	Bahamas
Walter Kautondokwa	Namibia
David Lemieux	Canada
Elliott Matthews	England
Lukas Ndafoluma	Namibia
Steve Rolls	Canada
Obodai Sai	Ghana
Issah Samir	Ghana

Sam Soliman	Australia
Patrice Volny	Canada
Jason Welborn	England
Liam Williams	Wales

FELIX CASH to defend against any of the above by 30th September 2019

SUPERWELTERWEIGHT CHAMPION

VACANT

CONTENDERS

Patrick Allotey	Ghana
Kell Brook	England
Ted Cheeseman	England
Cody Crowley	Canada
Brandon Cook	Canada
Anthony Fowler	England
Adam Harper	England
Jeff Horn	Australia
James Metcalf	England
Bowyn Morgan	New Zealand
Hassan Mwakinyo	Tanzania
Dwight Ritchie	Australia
Keiran Smith	Scotland
Liam Smith	England
Ashley Theophane	England
Tim Tszyu	Australia
Jamie Weetch	Australia
Michael Zerafa	Australia

First match that can be approved by the Commonwealth Boxing Council for the vacant title

WELTERWEIGHT CHAMPION

JOSH KELLY
 Won title 16th June 2018
 England

CONTENDERS

Sebastian Bouchard	Namibia
Jack Brubaker	Australia
Rivan Cesaire	Cameroon
Custio Clayton	Canada
Gary Corcoran	England
Johnny Coyle	England
Richmond Djarbeng	Ghana
Larry Ekundayo	Nigeria/England
Ekow Essuman	England/Botswana

Johnny Garton	England
Chris Jenkins	Wales
Amir Khan	England
Frederick Lawson	Ghana
Michael McKinson	England
Sakima Mullings	Jamaica
Ben Savva	Australia
Mikka Shonena	Naimbia
Liam Taylor	England
Chris Van Heerden	South Africa
Steven Wilcox	Canada
Mikael Zewski	Canada

JOSH KELLY to defend against JACK BRUBAKER purse bids to be called for

SUPERLIGHTWEIGHT CHAMPION

PHILIP BOWES
England
Won title 2nd February 2019

CONTENDERS

Kpakpo Alottey	Ghana
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
Glen Foot	England
Mathieu Germain	Canada
Joe Hughes	England
Jabulani Makhense	South Africa
Tyrone McKenna	Northern Ireland
Brandon Ogilvie	Australia
Liam Paro	Australia
Robert Quaye	Ghana
Josh Taylor	Scotland
Yves Ulysse Jnr	Canada

PHILIP BOWES v TOM FARRELL on 30th March 2019 at M&S Bank Arena, Liverpool UK

LIGHTWEIGHT CHAMPION

JOE CORDINA
 Won title 4th August 2018
 Wales

CONTENDERS

Michael Ansah	Ghana
George Ashie	Ghana
Maxwell Awuku	Ghana
Robbie Barrett	England
Sharif Bogere	Uganda
Luke Campbell	England
Tommy Coyle	England
Anthony Crolla	England
Craig Evans	Wales
Paul Hyland Jnr	N. Ireland
Dierry Jean	Canada
Oto Joseph	Nigeria
George Kambosos Jnr	Australia
Tony Luis	Canada
Michael Mokonea	South Africa
Xolisani Ndongeni	South Africa
Ayanda Nkosi	South Africa
Josh O'Reilly	Canada
Lewis Ritson	England
Lee Selby	England
Emmanuel Tagoe	Ghana
James Tennyson	Northern Ireland
Andy Townend	England

JOE CORDINA v ANDY TOWNEND due to take place on 20th April 2019 at O2 Arena London UK

SUPERFEATHERWEIGHT CHAMPION

VACANT

CONTENDERS

Patrick Ayi	Ghana
Zelfa Barrett	England
Nort Beauchamp	New Zealand
Sam Bowen	England
Anthony Cacace	N Ireland
Bilel Dib	Australia
Paul Fleming	Australia
Azinga Fuzile	South Africa
Marco McCullough	Northern Ireland
Rafael Mensah	Ghana
Phila Mpontshana	South Africa
Jeremiah Nakathka	Namibia

Scott Quigg	England
Bruno Vifauviwili	Tanzania
Oluwaseun Joseph Wahab	Nigeria
Martin J Ward	England

First match that can be approved by the Commonwealth Boxing Council for the vacant title

FEATHERWEIGHT CHAMPION

LEIGH WOOD	England
Won Title 2 nd March 2019	

CONTENDERS

Reece Bellotti	England
Khanyile Bulana	South Africa
James Dickens	England
Loreto Dlamini	South Africa
Ryan Doyle	England
Carl Frampton	Northern Ireland
Kid Galahad	England
Jordan Gill	England
Luke Jackson	Australia
Isaac Lowe	England
Nathaniel May	Australia
Ryan Walsh	England
Martin Ward	England
Felix Williams	Ghana
Gamal Yafai	England

LEIGH WOOD to defend against any of the above by 30th SEPTEMBER 2019

SUPERBANTAMWEIGHT CHAMPION

ASHLEY LANE	England
Won title 23 rd September 2017	

CONTENDERS

Michael Conlon	Northern Ireland
Jason Cunningham	England
Isaac Dogboe	Ghana
Brad Foster	England
Brock Jarvis	Australia
Lodumo Lamati	South Africa
Tyrone McCullagh	Northern Ireland
Gavin McDonnell	England
Wasiru Mohammed	Ghana
Manyo Plange	Ghana

Mike Rambelesta	South Africa
Josh Wale	England
Thomas Patrick Ward	England

ASHLEY LANE v WASIRU MOHAMMED scheduled to take place on 26th April 2019 in Accra, Ghana

BANTAMWEIGHT CHAMPION	LEE MCGREGOR Won title 13 th October 2018	Scotland
CONTENDERS	Joseph Agbeko Ryan Burnett Iain Butcher Paul Butler Thomas Essomba Ukashir Farooq Stuart Hall Toto Hlebe Marc Leach Ronald Malindi Jonas Matheus Duke Micah Jason Moloney Makazole Tete Kyle Williams	Ghana Northern Ireland Scotland England Cameroon England England South Africa England South Africa Namibia Ghana Australia South Africa England

LEE MCGREGOR to defend against any of the above by 30th September 2019

SUPERFLYWEIGHT CHAMPION	TOMMY FRANK Won title 15 th March 2019	England
CONTENDERS	Jackson Chauke Athenkosi Dumezweni Sunny Edwards Ryan Farrag Andrew Moloney Sabelo Ngebinyana Sikho Nqothole Yanga Sigqibo	South Africa South Africa England England Australia South Africa South Africa South Africa

TOMMY FRANK to defend against any of the above by 30th September 2019

FLYWEIGHT CHAMPION

JAY HARRIS
Wales
Won Title 24th February 2017

CONTENDERS

Charlie Hoy	England
Fikile Mlonyeni	South Africa
Ross Murray	Scotland
Alfred Muwowo	Zambia
Nhlanhla Ngamntwini	South Africa
Thembelani Nxoshe	South Africa
Andrew Selby	Wales
Muhammed Waseem	Pakistan
Kyle Yousaf	England

JAY HARRIS to defend against any of the above by 30th September 2019

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.