

COMMONWEALTH BOXING COUNCIL

CHAMPIONS AND OFFICIAL CONTENDERS. 15TH APRIL 2015

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 LUCAS BROWNE Australia
Won Title 26th April 2014

CONTENDERS

Derek Chisora	England
Gary Cornish	Scotland
Hughie Fury	England
Tyson Fury	England
Anthony Joshua	England
Lateef Kayode	Nigeria
Kali Meehan	Australia
Joseph Parker	New Zealand
David Price	England
Carlos Takam	Cameroon
Bowie Tupou	Tonga
Dillian Whyte	England

BROWNE to defend against any of the above by 30th June 2015, or the title will be declared vacant.

CRUISERWEIGHT CHAMPION OVILL MCKENZIE Jamaica
Won Title 12th April 2014
Last defence 27th March 2015

CONTENDERS Ola Afolabi England

Cruiserweights cont'd	Matty Askin	England
	Tony Bellew	England
	Nathan Cleverly	Wales
	Tony Conquest	England
	Denton Daley	Canada
	Jon-Lewis Dickinson	England
	Olanrewaju Durodola	Nigeria
	Mark Flanagan	Australia
	Anthony McCracken	Australia
	Thabiso Mchunu	S Africa
Vikapita Meroro	Namibia	

MCKENZIE to defend against any of the above by 31st December 2015

LIGHT HEAVYWEIGHT

VACANT

CONTENDERS

Bob Ajisafe	England
Robert Berridge	New Zealand
Blake Caparello	Australia
Isaac Chilemba	Malawi
Enzo Maccarinelli	Wales
Johnny Muller	S Africa
Jean Pascal	Canada
Miles Shinkwin	England
Daniel Wanyoni	Kenya

AJISAFE V WANYONI to box for the vacant title date TBC

SUPERMIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPION

LUKE BLACKLEDGE
England
Won title 4th April 2015

CONTENDERS

Sakio Bika	Cameroon
Frank Buglioni	England
Liam Cameron	England
Jake Carr	Australia
James DeGale	England
Zac Dunn	Australia
Isaac Ekpo	Nigeria
Rocky Fielding	England
George Groves	England
Schiller Hyppolite	Canada
Rohan Murdock	Australia
Wilforce Shihepo	Namibia

Supermiddle cont'd.	Callum Smith	England
	Paul Smith	England

BLACKLEDGE to defend by against any of the above by 31st December 2015

MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPION	BILLY JOE SAUNDERS	England
	Won Title 28 th April 2012	
	Last defence 29 th November 2014 (Mandatory)	

CONTENDERS	Osumanu Adama	Ghana
	Nick Blackwell	England
	Chris Buthelezi	S. Africa
	Danny Butler	England
	Jarrold Fletcher	Australia
	Daniel Geale	Australia
	Gunnar Jackson	New Zealand
	Tureano Johnson	Bahamas
	David Lemieux	Canada
	Martin Murray	England
	Eamonn O'Kane	N Ireland
	Dwight Ritchie	Australia
	John Ryder	England
	Les Sherrington	Australia
	Joe Selkirk	England
	Sam Soliman	Australia
	Renan St Juste	Canada

SAUNDERS to defend against any of the above by 30th September 2015

LIGHTMIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPION	LIAM WILLIAMS	Wales
	Won title 24 th November 2014	
CONTENDERS	Brandon Cook	Canada
	Shannon King	Australia
	Phil Lo Greco	Canada
	Nkululeko Mhlongu	S Africa
	Anthony Mundine	Australia
	Brian Rose	England
	Liam Smith	England
	Sammy Vargas	Canada
	Mikael Zewski	Canada

WILLIAMS to defend against any of the above by 30th September 2015

WELTERWEIGHT CHAMPION	VACANT	
CONTENDERS	Kevin Bizier	Canada
	Rivan Cesaire	Australia/Cameroon
	Steve Clagget	Canada
	Antoine Decarie	Canada
	Richmond Djarbeng	Ghana
	Sam Eggington	England
	Larry Ekundayo	Nigeria/England
	Glen Foot	England
	Frankie Gavin	England
	Cameron Hammond	Australia
	Jeff Horn	Australia
	Amir Khan	England
	Joseph Lamptey	Ghana
	Frederick Lawson	Ghana
	Sakima Mullings	Jamaica
	Oyewale Omotoso	Nigeria
	Ahmet Patterson	England
	Sackey Shikikutu	Namibia
	Bradley Skeete	England
	Bethel Ushona	Namibia
	Chris van Heerden	S.Africa

EGGINGTON to box LAMPTEY for vacant title on 9th May 2015

LIGHTWELTERWEIGHT CHAMPION	DAVE RYAN Won Title 4/10/14	England
CONTENDERS	Clive Atwell	Guyana
	Chad Bennett	Australia
	Jack Catterall	England
	Lenny Daws	England
	Darren Hamilton	England
	John Wayne Hibbert	England
	Julius Indongo	Namibia
	Chris Jenkins	Wales
	Willie Limond	Scotland
	Tony Luis	Canada
	Albert Mensah	Ghana
	Tyrone Nurse	England
	Ajose Olusegun	Nigeria
	Bradley Saunders	England
	Ashley Theopane	England

Light welterweights cont'd	Mzolisi Yoyo	S Africa
	Lennie Zappavigna	Australia

DAVE RYAN to defend against any of the above by 30th September 2015

LIGHTWEIGHT CHAMPION	RICHARD COMMEY	Ghana
	Won title 20 th July 2014	
	Last defence 14 th March 2015	
CONTENDERS	Sharif Bogere	Uganda
	Ricky Burns	Scotland
	Luke Campbell	England
	Scott Cardle	England
	Tommy Coyle	England
	Anthony Crolla	England
	Terry Flanagan	England
	Martin Haikali	Namibia
	Dierry Jean	Canada
	Malcolm Klassen	South Africa
	Rafael Mensah	Ghana
	Kevin Mitchell	England
	Paulus Moses	Namibia
	Xolisani Ndongeni	S.Africa
	Will Tomlinson	Australia

COMMEY to defend against any of the above by 31st December 2015

SUPERFEATHERWEIGHT CHAMPION	LIAM WALSH	England
	Won Title 23 rd October 2010	
	Last defence (voluntary) 28 th February 2015	
	Defence (mandatory) 29 th November 2014	
CONTENDERS	Maxwell Awuku	Ghana
	Edner Cherry	Bahamas
	Billel Dib	Australia
	Billy Dib	Australia
	Mzonke Fana	S Africa
	Paul Fleming	Australia
	John Kays	England
	Kye MacKenzie	Australia
	Logan McGuinness	Canada
	Jasper Seroka	S.Africa
	Mitchell Smith	England

Super featherweights cont'd	Stephen Smith	England
	Gary Sykes	England
	Martin J Ward	England

WALSH to defend against any of the above by 31st December 2015

FEATHERWEIGHT CHAMPION	JOSH WARRINGTON	England
	Won Title 2 nd November 2013	
	Last defence 21 st May 2014 (Mandatory)	
CONTENDERS	Joel Brunker	Australia
	Kris Hughes	Scotland
	Luke Jackson	Australia
	Marco McCullough	N.Ireland
	Wonga Mhiana	S. Africa
	Samir Mouneimne	England
	Takalani Ndlovu	S. Africa
	Gottlieb Ndokosho	Namibia
	Lee Selby	Wales
	John Slowey	Scotland
	James Tennyson	N.Ireland
	Simpiwe Vetyeka	S. Africa

WARRINGTON to defend against BRUNKER by 30th September 2015

SUPERBANTAMWEIGHT CHAMPION	KID GALAHAD	England
	Won title 10 th May 2014	
CONTENDERS	Paulus Ambunda	Namibia
	Tyson Cave	Canada
	Oscar Chauke	S.Africa
	Jason Cooper	Australia
	James Dickens	England
	Bongani Mahlangu	S Africa
	Gavin McDonnell	England
	Tshifhiwa Munyai	S Africa
	Lewis Pettitt	England
	Macbute Sinyabi	S Africa
	Josh Wale	England
	Ryan Walsh	England
	Martin Ward	England

GALAHAD to defend against any of the above by 30th September 2015

BANTAMWEIGHT CHAMPION Vacant

CONTENDERS	Jason Booth	England
	Gideon Buthelezi	S Africa
	Ross Burkinshaw	England
	Jason Cunningham	England
	Ryan Farrag	England
	Stuart Hall	England
	Lee Haskins	England
	Vusi Malinga	S Africa
	Mfusi Maxhayi	S Africa
	Immanuel Naidjala	Namibia
	Isaa Nampepeche	Tanzania
	Nick Otieno	Kenya
	Emmanuel Quartey	Ghana
	Nasibu Ramadhani	Tanzania
	Thabo Sishwane	S Africa

Vacant title match to be confirmed

SUPERFLYWEIGHT CHAMPION	ANTHONY NELSON Won title 4 th April 2015	England
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CONTENDERS	Paul Butler	England
	Jamie Conlan	N Ireland
	Elton Dharry	Guyana
	Sithembiso Faye	S Africa
	Mohammed Matumla	Tanzania
	Siphosethu Mvula	S Africa
	Khalid Yafai	England

NELSON to defend against any of the above by 31st December 2015.

FLYWEIGHT CHAMPION	KEVIN SATCHELL	England
	Won Title 19 th May 2012	
	Last defence 8 th March 2014 (Mandatory)	
CONTENDERS	Iain Butcher	Scotland
	Juma Fundi	Tanzania
	Julius Kisarawe	Tanzania
	Mzuvukile Magwaca	S Africa
	Louis Norman	England
	Thembelani Nxoshe	S Africa
	Abmerk Shindjuu	Namibia
	Makazola Tete	S Africa
	Japhet Uutoni	Namibia
	Luke Wilton	Scotland

SATCHELL to defend against any of the above by 30th June 2015 or will be declared vacant

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 are currently no Women Champions nor listed contenders due to lack of sufficient interest in any weight division. The Council has already decided to introduce these as and when enough boxers or their managers and/or any promoters with whom they are currently working have applied to the Council for Championship or Eliminating contests.

