



Boxer Fact Sheet



Who Can Participate?

Fire, Police and Emergency Service Personnel working in the Missouri counties of Cass, Clay, Jackson, and Platte; and the Kansas counties of Douglas, Johnson, Miami, Shawnee and Wyandotte. Men and women, at any age and any weight are welcome.

Do Participants Receive Awards?

Absolutely. Professional style championship belts and jackets will be awarded to all winners. Runners up will receive other memorabilia.

What Equipment Will I Need?

The local boxing gyms that have volunteered to assist in this effort, have the majority of necessary equipment with the exception of hand wraps and mouthpieces. Those items can be obtained by calling Ringside Customer Service (913-888-1719) or coming by the retail store at 14865 W. 105th Street in Lenexa, KS.

Match Making Requirements

Bouts will be matched based on age, weight and experience. All participants in matches must be within 10 years of age, 10 pounds in weight and of equal ability.

Training Requirements

Official training for this event will commence on August 31st. Each participant must be involved in a minimum of 15 training sessions. Local boxing gyms and their coaching staff have been secured to accommodate most areas of the Kansas City Metropolitan area.

Please visit www.kcgunsnhoses.com for a list of gyms.

What About Safety?

Guns 'N Hoses follows strict safety guidelines. This is not a "Tough Man" contest. Injury prevention is paramount and accomplished by proper training methods, use of proper equipment, and supervision by expert referees and boxing physicians.

If I Train, Will I Be Guaranteed a Match?

Unfortunately, no. As previously stated, safety is a primary concern. Since all matches are based on age, weight and experience, we are unable to guarantee there will be an opponent found for everyone.

For More Information

Contact Barbara Yoksh at 913-888-7766 ext. 844 or John Brown at 913-888-7766.

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