2024 NATIONAL GOLDEN GLOVES: TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS
TOURNAMENT FACT SHEET

HOST FRANCHISE:

Detroit Golden Gloves – Ansel Stewart, Delegate

TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS:

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COMPETITION VENUE:

Huntington Place Convention Center, 1 Washington Blvd, Detroit, MI 48226

HEADQUARTERS OFFICE:

Huntington Place, 1 Washington Blvd., Detroit, MI 48226

DATES:

Staff arrival: Thursday, May 9, 2024
Franchise Representative Arrival: Saturday, May 11, 2024 *(only day for registration)*
Team Arrivals: Boxers and Coaches must arrive prior to 3:00pm on Sunday May 12th for the scheduled Boxers & Coaches Technical Meeting.
Competition: Monday May 13th thru Saturday May 18th

TEAM REGISTRATION/CHECK-IN:

BOXER PASSBOOKS AND FINAL TEAM ROSTERS will be turned in to the Headquarters office located at Huntington Place Saturday May 11th between 9:00am-9:00pm. **The Headquarters Office will close at 9:00pm on Saturday May 11th and remain closed on Sunday. Late arrivals will not be entered into the tournament.**

AIRPORT TRANSPORTATION:

Transportation will be provided to and from Detroit Metropolitan Airport for all franchise teams traveling by air with submission of air and lodging itinerary.

Team Airport Pickup Dates: Saturday, May 11th and Sunday, May 12th, 2024
Team Departure Date: Sunday, May 19, 2024.

Franchise Transportation Form must be submitted to tournament Host by ***Tuesday, April 9, 2024***.
***Teams that depart prior to Sunday, May 19, 2024 must make their own transportation arrangements.*

HOST HOTELS:

Hotel Indigo Detroit Downtown an IHG Hotel *$149.00 + tax* 1020 Washington Blvd., Detroit
(3 blocks from Huntington Place)
Reservation Contact: Laura Zolnowski 313-720-0411 LZolnowski@griffinhm.com
Reservation Deadline: *Friday April 26th*
**Please inquire at booking information for parking.*
***Hotel requires proof of 501c3 exemption as well as Michigan Use & Sales Tax Exemption Form*

DoubleTree Suites Detroit Downtown Fort Shelby *$149.00 + tax* 525 W. Lafayette Blvd., Detroit
(2 blocks from Huntington Place)
Reservation Contact: Cindy Simoncic 313-424-1367 cindy.simoncic@hilton.com
Reservation Deadline: *Friday April 26th*
**Please inquire at booking for information about early departure fees and parking.*
***Hotel requires proof of 501c3 exemption as well as Michigan Use & Sales Tax Exemption Form*

Motor City Casino Hotel *$149.00 + tax* 2901 Grand River Ave., Detroit
(3 minute drive to Huntington Place)
Reservation Contact: Michelle Duffy MDuffy@mccemail.com
Reservation Deadline: *Friday April 11th*
Casino property requires one occupant per room to be 21 years of age or older
**Please inquire at booking for parking and/or shuttle services.*
***Hotel requires proof of 501c3 exemption as well as Michigan Use & Sales Tax Exemption Form*

ENTRIES:

Each current Franchise in good standing is eligible to enter up to 10 male and 10 female boxers. Non-citizens of the US *are eligible to compete* in the 2024 National Tournament. Boxers must have a minimum of 10 bouts and meet the age determination requirement to compete at the National Tournament. Exceptions may be made with authorization from the Boxer's coach, Franchise Delegate and Golden Gloves of America President. **Franchise Preliminary Team Rosters must be emailed to the Executive Director immediately following your franchise region tournament and no later than *WEDNESDAY MAY 1, 2024*. Final Team Rosters and any accompanying paperwork must be turned in to The Headquarters Office on *Saturday May 11th from 9:00am-9:00pm.* The Headquarters Office will not be open on Sunday May 12th as this date is reserved for draw/bracketing, bout sheet distribution and boxers/coaches technical meeting.**

WEIGHTS:

Twenty (20) weight classes will be contested at the National Tournament.
MALE: 112, 125, 132, 139, 147, 156, 165, 176, 203, 203+
FEMALE: 110, 119, 125, 132, 139, 146, 154, 165, 178, 178+

BOXER AGE REQUIREMENTS:

Boxers ages 18 thru 40 are eligible to participate. All boxers must be at least ***18 years of age on January 1, 2024*** but not yet 41 before May 18, 2024.

FRANCHISE DELEGATION:

A full Franchise Team Delegation is comprised of 26 members: 1 Delegate, 1 Alternate Delegate, 20 boxers, 2 team coaches, 2 officials (Officials may be Doctors). No franchise may participate in the tournament with less than eight (8) qualified contestants. The Board of Directors may waive this requirement based on extenuating circumstances which judgment shall be at its sole discretion.

CREDENTIALS:

Credentials will be issued to Delegates when the team is registered. Credentials will be issued for the Delegate, Alternate Delegate, 2 guests, and boxer entrants who are registered by the Franchise Delegate.
Credentials for all Coaches will be issued at the Coaches check-in on Saturday May 11th 9:00am-9:00pm, Sunday May 12th 10:00am-2:00pm, and daily 7:00am-9:00am **during weigh-ins ONLY. No Coaches credentials will be issued outside of these times.**
Officials credentials will be issued at the Officials check-in on Saturday May 11th 9:00am-9:00pm and Sunday May 12th 10:00am-2:00pm. **Any Officials arriving outside of the registration time MUST CONTACT the Tournament Chief of Officials Jeanne DePriest at jhd4boxing@msn.com or (970) 978-5188.**
All participants must present their credentials for admission to the venue.

DRAW AND BRACKETING:

Live Draw and bracketing will take place on ***Sunday May 12th at 12:00 noon.***

COACH/BOXER/DELEGATES TECHNICAL MEETING:

Sunday May 12th 3:00pm at Huntington Place (NOTE: Monday's Bout sheets should be available at this time.)

WEIGH-INS AND PHYSICALS:

Monday May 13th through Saturday May 18th weigh-ins will be held at Huntington Place at 7:00am sharp each day. Physicals will take place immediately following the Boxer's weigh-in.

COMPETITION SESSIONS:

One session daily Monday May 13th thru Friday May 17th 5:00pm and Saturday May 18th 4:00pm

RINGS-ROUNDS:

Monday-Friday 4 rings, 3-minute rounds
Saturday 1 ring, 3-minute rounds

SCORING SYSTEM:

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FINALISTS BOXERS & COACHES MEETING:

Saturday May 18th immediately following weigh-ins for briefing, interviews, photos, etc.

UNIFORMS AND EQUIPMENT:

All participants must wear team uniforms with team colors as provided by their Franchise. All mandatory equipment such as hand wraps and open-faced competition approved headgear as specified in the USA Boxing National Rulebook. Open-faced headgear required for all Open Elite boxers in all sub-franchise and regional tournaments. Coaches must have their own corner equipment. Competition gloves will be provided at the National Tournament and must be used by all boxers in the competition. Headgear *will not* be provided.

RULES:

USA Boxing National Rulebook with Golden Gloves Rules Modifications will be used in the conducting of the Tournament. Additional policies and procedures as contained in the Golden Gloves of America By-Laws and Policies and Procedures shall prevail over this tournament.
*****All rules and policies as outlined in this fact sheet are applicable at all Golden Gloves competitions (i.e. sub-franchise and regional events.)***

*****It is highly recommended that you utilize the online Webpoint registration for your sub-franchise and regional tournaments. This is a very effective tool to aid in streamlining athlete information at both the local and national level. For more information regarding this process please contact Bob Russo (207) 415-2872 or Abbey Smith (423) 779-4719.***