# ESTONIAN BOXING CUP / TALLINN OPEN 2024

September 26th - September 30th, 2024

Tallinn, Estonia



# Version 1.0

The Local Organizing Committee reserves the right to update this handbook as needed.







#### INVITATION

#### Dear Presidents and Secretaries General, Dear Teams,

It is our great pleasure to invite your National Federation teams to participate in the International **Estonian Boxing Cup / Tallinn OPEN 2024 Boxing Tournament** in Tallinn, Estonia. This year's tournament is scheduled to take place from **Thursday**, **September 26th to Monday**, **September 30th**, **2024**, with the competition period running from **Friday**, **September 27th to Sunday**, **September 29th**, **2024**.

The event will be held at the **Kalev Sports Hall** (address: Juhkentali 12, 10132 Tallinn). Team accommodation will be provided at the **Park Inn by Radisson Central Tallinn**, conveniently located in the city center, just 1.5 km from the competition venue. Referees and Judges will be accommodated at the **IBIS Tallinn Center Hotel**, which is situated 300 meters from the event area. This document includes all necessary information related to the Tallinn OPEN 2024, including entry requirements, hotel accommodation, and additional conditions for participation.

The deadline for registration, including final entries, room lists, and travel details, is **September 10th, 2024**. All entries and inquiries concerning the tournament should be sent directly to the following email: **estboxing@gmail.com**. Please ensure that the accommodation fee payment is completed by **September 13th, 2024**.

As the Local Organizing Committee (LOC), we are dedicated to ensuring that all organizational standards are met, guaranteeing a well-run and memorable event. We hope that this competition will inspire boxers, coaches, and officials alike to pursue excellence in their performance, sportsmanship, and integrity.

You are most welcome to join us in Tallinn for the 2024 International Tallinn OPEN. We sincerely hope to see your team participating in this year's edition, and will do everything possible to ensure your stay with us is both enjoyable and memorable.

Tallinn eagerly awaits your arrival in September.

Sincerely yours,



Kalle Klandorf President of Estonian Boxing Association





Jelena Filimonova *(ex- Kalbina)* Secretary General



#### **HOST ASSOCIATION**

The Estonian Boxing Association, a member of the IBA, will serve as the Host Association for the Estonian Boxing Cup, Tallinn OPEN Tournament 2024, and is responsible for organizing the event.

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## REGULATIONS

- The tournament shall be organized in accordance with the IBA Technical and Competition rules.
- TopTen gloves and headguards will be provided by the Local Organizing Committee (LOC).
- The Swiss Timing System will be used for scoring and timing.
- There will be a maximum of 8 boxers per weight category, as limited by the number of competition days.

#### AGE CATEGORIES

| Elite men   | born from 1 January 1984 to 31 December 2005 |
|---|--|
| Youth menborn from 1 January 2006 to 31 December 200        |  |
| <b>Junior men</b> born from 1 January 2008 to 31 December 2 |  |

## WEIGHT CATEGORIES

Participation is limited to one (1) boxer per club per weight category.

#### Elite <u>men</u>: 10 weight categories

57 kg, 60 kg, 63,5 kg, 67 kg, 71 kg, 75 kg, 80 kg, 86 kg, 92kg, 92+ kg;

#### Youth men: 13 weight categories

46 – 48 kg, 51 kg, 54 kg, 57 kg, 60 kg, 63,5 kg, 67 kg, 71 kg, 75 kg, 80 kg, 86 kg, 92kg, 92+

kg;

#### Junior men: 13 weight categories

44 kg - 46 kg, 48 kg, 50 kg, 52 kg, 54 kg, 57 kg, 60 kg, 63 kg, 66 kg, 70 kg, 75 kg, 80 kg ja 80+ kg







#### **TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE**

The event dates are from **September 26th to September 30th, 2024**, with the competition period running from **September 27th to September 29th, 2024**.

The schedule will include the following:

- Arrivals
- Medical examination, General Weigh-in and Official Draw
- Preliminaries DAY 1
- Semifinals DAY 2
- Finals DAY 3
- Departures

26th September 27th September

27th September28th September29th September29th - 30th September

| Date                           | Time         | Activity                                 | Location                 |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--|--------------------------|
| Thursday,<br>26th<br>September | All day      | Team arrivals                            |                          |
| Friday,<br>27th<br>September   | 09.00- 11.00 | Medical Examination and General Weigh-in | Kalev Sports Hall        |
|                                | 11.15-12.15  | Official Draw                            | <b>Kalev Sports Hall</b> |
|                                | 15.00        | Preliminaries U17, U19, U40              | Kalev Sports Hall        |
| Saturday,<br>28th              | 09.00- 10.00 | Medical Examination and<br>Weigh-in      | Kalev Sports Hall        |
| September                      | 13.00        | Semifinals <b>U17, U19, U40</b>          | Kalev Sports Hall        |
| Sunday,<br>29th                | 09.00- 10.00 | Medical Examination and Weigh-in         | Kalev Sports Hall        |
| September                      | 13.00        | Finals <b>U17, U19, U40</b>              | <b>Kalev Sports Hall</b> |
| Monday,<br>30th<br>September   | All day      | Team departures                          | Check out by 12:00       |

## **ENTRY PROCESS**

| Process   | Deadline             |
|---|----------------------|
| The deadline for registration<br>(including final entries, room lists,<br>and travel details) | September 10th, 2024 |
| The accommodation and participation fee payments are to be completed via bank transfer.       | September 13th, 2024 |







## **PARTICIPATION FEE**

Every team will be obligated to pay participation fee **20.- eur** per each boxer.

## **REFEREE & JUDGES**

The referees and judges (R&Js) must have an IBA license. We hope that all participating teams will bring along their R&Js to ensure the highest level of judging. Referees and Judges are subject to confirmation by the Local Organizing Committee (LOC). The LOC may request that another R&J be delegated for this event by the participating National Federation.

# REQUIREMENTS

All boxers must have:

- Record Books of each boxer (with annual medical examination completed within the previous 12 months)
- Valid passport or ID card of each boxer
- Two sets of Boxing Uniforms (red/blue) according to IBA Technical and Competition rules
- Gumshield, footwear, bandages/handwraps, protectors

## TRANSPORTATION

- Travel costs to and from Tallinn are the responsibility of the participating teams.
- The airport of arrival and departure will be **Tallinn Lennart Meri Airport** (IATA: TLL, ICAO: EETN).
- The organizers will provide transfers between Tallinn Airport and the team hotel upon arrival and departure. The journey from the airport to the hotel takes approximately 15 minutes.







#### **COMPETITION VENUE**

- Name: Kalev Sports Hall
- Address: Juhkentali 12, Tallinn, 10132



## ACCOMMODATION

Reservations should be made by the **10th of September 2024** via email: <u>estboxing@gmail.com</u>.

All costs must be settled by **September 13, 2024.** Accommodation costs must be paid by bank transfer in advance.

Accreditations and keys will not be issued until accommodation has been paid in full to the LOC.

Please request a corresponding invoice from the LOC before initiating payment to ensure the total amount is correctly settled.

Any damage to event hotel property resulting from a team's stay will be charged to the respective National Federation and must be paid in full. Delegations are kindly requested not to dry clothing or conduct training sessions in the corridors of the event hotels.

For additional information or if any issues arise, please email <u>estboxing@gmail.com</u> or call +372 5309 3722.





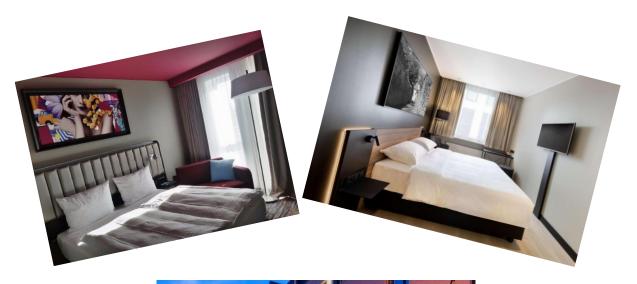


#### **TEAM DELEGATION HOTEL**

Accommodation will be provided at the **Park Inn by Radisson Central Tallinn** (address: Narva mnt 7c, Tallinn), located in the city center. The distance to the competition venue is 1.5 km.

Room rates below are per person, per night. Prices include breakfast, lunch, dinner, taxes, and WiFi. The first meal provided is the evening dinner on the day of your arrival. The last meal provided is breakfast on the day of checkout (Sunday or Monday, depending on team registration).

| Name                           | Park Inn by Radisson Central Tallinn    |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Address                        | Narva mnt 7c, Tallinn                   |
| Services & facilities included | Wi-Fi, 24h GYM, 3 meals                 |
| Type of Room                   | Price per person                        |
| Single Occupancy               | EUR 95 per person per night, full board |
| Twin Occupancy                 | EUR 75 per person per night, full board |
| Triple Occupancy               | EUR 65 per person per night, full board |











#### **R&J HOTEL**

Accommodation will be provided at the **IBIS Tallinn Center Hotel** (address: Juhkentali 28, Tallinn), located in the city center. The distance to the competition venue is 300 m.

Room rates below are per person, per night. Prices include breakfast and dinner at the hotel, lunch at the sports venue during the event, taxes, and WiFi. The first meal provided is the evening dinner on the day of your arrival.

| Name             | IBIS Tallinn Center Hotel               |
|------------------|---|
| Address          | Juhkentali 28, Tallinn                  |
| Type of Room     | Price per person                        |
| Single Occupancy | EUR 95 per person per night, full board |
| Twin Occupancy   | EUR 75 per person per night, full board |











#### **PAYMENT CONDITIONS**

Payment for accommodation and participation shall be done via bank transfer to the bank account prior competition, but not later than **13th of September.** 

Recipient: EESTI POKSILIIT, Reg nr: 80089586 Address of federation: Juhkentali tn 12, 10132, Tallinn, Harjumaa, Eesti IBAN: EE90 2200 2210 0210 1003 Bank: SWEDBANK AS, Reg nr: 10060701 SWIFT/BIC: HABAEE2X

Please be attentive when making payments. Before executing the transfer, carefully check that the account details match those provided on the invoice and in the event invitation handbook.

#### **INSURANCE**

All participants are responsible for their own medical and travel insurance. The organizer does not provide medical Insurance.

## MEDICAL SERVICES

The LOC will provide first aid throughout the entire event period for any participant who suffers from a sports injury incurred during the event.

## COMMUNICATION

For the Tallinn OPEN 2024 Boxing Tournament, the following official communication channels will be used between the Local Organizing Committee (LOC) and the teams:

- **Operational Communication via WhatsApp Group**: A dedicated WhatsApp group will be created for real-time operational communication. Team representatives will be added to this group to ensure quick and efficient exchange of information. To ensure that team representatives are added to this group, teams must provide the relevant contact details to the LOC during the registration process.
- **Sportity App Channel (Sports Events App)**: All tournament-related information, including results, photos, and updates, will be available on the Sportity app. Each participant can access this app by downloading it and logging in with the password provided by the LOC.

These channels are established to facilitate smooth and effective communication throughout the event.







# **IMAGE RIGHTS & VIDEO RECORDING**

The LOC will film the event for broadcast and promotional purposes, and official event photographers will take still images of the boxers before and during the event. All sessions will be open to accredited media.

By participating in the event, each team member agrees to release their image rights to the LOC.

## **OTHER PRACTICAL INFO**

1. **Average temperatures:** The weather is usually cool with daytime temperatures ranging between 10-15°C (50-59°F). Night temperatures can drop to 5-10°C (41-50°F). Moderate to strong winds are possible. Rain is fairly common during this period, so expect a chance of showers. It is recommended to take an umbrella with you so as not to fall into the rain.

## 2. Language Preferences in Tallinn:

**Estonian**: The primary language used in formal and everyday communication.

English: Widely used in international and official contexts.

Russian: Used occasionally, especially in specific contexts or among certain communities.

Please be aware that communication in these languages may vary depending on the situation and audience.

3. **Currency**: euro (EUR)

4. Time zone: Tallinn, Estonia time is 1 hours ahead of CET. So, when it is 11:00 am CET

it will be 12:00 pm in Tallinn.

5. **Transport services for your local trips in Tallinn**: use the **Bolt** app for this purpose. With this software, you can order a taxi, rent a Bolt car (car sharing service), rent a scooter, or even order food delivery (**BoldFood** app). In order to use the service, you need to install the application on your smartphone and connect a payment card. We strongly recommend that you ride a scooter along the Pirita promenade and the Reidi road.

## 6. National Emergency Number: 112

## **MORE INFORMATION**

In case you need more information regarding the tournament, please contact the organizing office via email at <a href="mailto:estboxing@gmail.com">estboxing@gmail.com</a> or by phone at +372 5309 3722 (available on Viber and WhatsApp).







# **RECOMMENDATIONS FOR PLACES TO VISIT IN TALLINN**

# 1. Tallinna Vanalinn (Tallinn Old Town)

Explore the charming medieval old town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, known for its cobblestone streets, historic buildings, and picturesque squares. Highlights include the Raekoja plats (Town Hall Square), Alexander Nevsky Cathedral, and the remnants of the city wall.

# 2. Kadriorg Palace and Park

Visit the beautiful Kadriorg Palace, built by Peter the Great for his wife Catherine I. The palace is surrounded by a lovely park with walking paths, gardens, and the KUMU Art Museum.

# 3. Toompea Hill

Climb Toompea Hill for stunning panoramic views of the city. The area is home to the Estonian Parliament, the medieval Toompea Castle, and St. Mary's Cathedral.

# 4. Seaplane Harbour (Lennusadam)

Discover the Seaplane Harbour Museum, which features an impressive collection of maritime artifacts, including historic ships and submarines. The unique seaplane hangars offer an engaging experience for visitors.

## 5. Telliskivi Creative City

Explore the vibrant Telliskivi district, a creative hub with trendy boutiques, art galleries, and street art. It's a great place to experience Tallinn's contemporary culture and enjoy local cafes and restaurants.

## 6. Pikk Hermann Tower

Visit the Pikk Hermann Tower, which is part of the Toompea Castle complex. The tower offers a great view of the city and is significant in Estonian history as the site where the national flag is raised.

## 7. Tallinn TV Tower

Head to the Tallinn TV Tower for breathtaking views of the city and its surroundings from the observation deck. The tower also offers interactive exhibits and a restaurant.

## 8. Rotermann Quarter

Explore the Rotermann Quarter, an area known for its modern architecture and restored industrial buildings. It's a great place for shopping, dining, and admiring innovative urban design.







## 9. Estonian Open Air Museum

Visit the Estonian Open Air Museum to experience traditional Estonian rural life. The museum features historic farmhouses, windmills, and other structures from different periods of Estonian history.

## 10. Kalamaja District

Wander through the Kalamaja district, known for its wooden houses, bohemian atmosphere, and vibrant community. It's a great area to explore local markets and enjoy authentic Estonian cuisine.

## 11. Noblessner

Explore the Noblessner district, a revitalized industrial area now known for its modern architecture, waterfront views, and trendy restaurants. The area also features a marina and cultural events.

## 12. Kakumäe

Visit Kakumäe, a scenic area known for its beautiful coastal views and tranquil environment. It's a great spot for a relaxing walk along the sea and to enjoy the natural beauty of Tallinn's outskirts.

We hope you find these recommendations helpful and that you enjoy your time in Tallinn!























