



Monte-Carlo Boxing Bonanza

Saturday, November 12th 2016 Salle des Etoiles, Sporting Monte-Carlo



For the 8th edition of the Monte-Carlo Boxing Bonanza, the Monte-Carlo Casino welcomes *MatchRoom Boxing*, a boxing promoter of unparalleled international renown. Together, they have organised a *blockbuster* of a world championship, for which the Stars of the ring will compete for victory on November 12th at the Salle des Etoiles, Sporting Monte-Carlo.

The tournament will comprise four exceptional fights: two for the WBA super featherweight and bantamweight world titles, one for the international WBO super middleweight title and the last for the intercontinental WBA heavyweight title.

The headline fight will certainly be the meeting between the favourite, Luis Ortiz, the formidable heavyweight known as "King Kong", with 22 KOs in 25 fights, and the American Malik Scott. For the bantamweight category, Jamie McDonnell will defend his title for the fifth time against Liborio Solis. Stephen Smith, super featherweight from the famous boxing brotherhood of Liverpool, is looking to regain his title from his rival Jason Sosa, who was crowned World Champion in June 2016. Finally, Martin Murray is taking the opportunity of this Monte-Carlo Boxing Bonanza to take revenge for his last fight against Arthur Abraham, which he lost. A rematch is expected with these two boxers, both aiming to win the international WBO super middleweight title.

"We are delighted to host once again this prominent boxing event of an exceptional international scale, which confirms the tradition of boxing in Monaco. Monte-Carlo Boxing Bonanza is an undeniable highlight for the Monte-Carlo Casino", said Pascal Camia, Director of Casinos de Monaco.

There is no need to mention the connection between the Société des Bains de Mer and the Monte-Carlo Casinos in the sporting world. An unwavering partner of renowned sports competitions, the Monte-Carlo Société des Bains de Mer is associated with the many prestigious events that draw the calendar of the Principality of Monaco.

About the Monte-Carlo Société des Bains de Mer Group

Monte-Carlo Société des Bains de Mer offers a unique experience, combining luxury, well-being and gastronomy, and offers its clients a resort like no other in the world: 4 casinos, including the legendary Monte-Carlo Casino, 4 hotels (Hôtel de Paris, Hôtel Hermitage, Monte-Carlo Beach, Monte-Carlo Bay Hotel & Resort), and 33 restaurants including 4 which have 6 prestigious Michelin stars between them. Known for its nightlife, the Monte-Carlo Société des Bains de Mer Group offers an astounding choice of bars and concert halls. The Group, which is a talent scout and committed supporter of artistic creation, holds musical events with bold artistic choices at the Sporting Summer Festival, the Monte-Carlo Jazz Festival, La Rascasse and the Buddha Bar. Its nightclub, Jimmy'z, is one of the most famous in Europe and has been for the past 40 years.















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PROGRAMME

<u>Weigh-in</u>
Friday November 11th 2016, 12.00pm
Monte-Carlo Casino, Atrium
Free access

Fight programme

Saturday November 12th, 8.00pm Salle des Etoiles, Sporting Monte-Carlo

Fight 1

WBA Super Featherweight World Title Jason Sosa (USA) vs. Stephen Smith (UK)

Fight 2

WBA Bantamweight World Title

Jamie McDonnell (UK) vs. Liborio Solis (Venezuela)

Fight 3

WBO International Super Middleweight Title
Arthur Abraham (Germany/Armenia) vs. Martin Murray (UK)

Fight 4

WBA Intercontinental Heavyweight Title Luis Ortiz (Cuba) vs. Malik Scott (USA)

Information and booking:

Fights: seats start at €100 Boradcasted live on Sky Sports

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