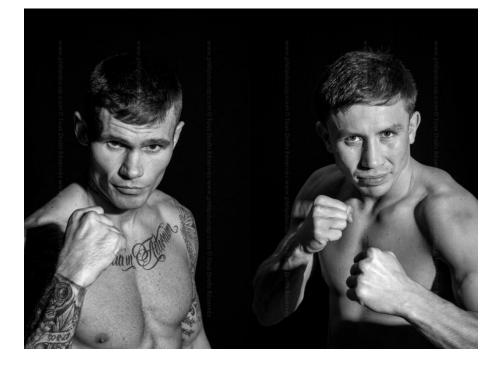
#### MONTE · CARLO SOCIÉTÉ DES BAINS DE MER





The sensational boxing event Monte-Carlo Boxing Bonanza "Thunderbolt"

# Gennady Golovkin vs Martin Murray Saturday 21 February 2015

Two middleweight boxing champions will battle for the World title at the Sporting Monte-Carlo on Saturday 21 February 2015.

<u>Monte-Carlo Société des Bains de Mer</u> is pleased to offer boxing fans an exceptional fight for the 2015 Boxing Bonanza. The historic fight will become a part of Monte-Carlo legend for this remarkable sport.

The fight will take place on Saturday 21 February 2015, in the Salle des Etoiles at the Sporting Monte-Carlo, the ideal place for a fight between two renowned boxers.

WBA/IBO World Champion Gennady "GGG" Golovkin and WBC Interim Champion Martin Murray first met at the last Monte-Carlo Boxing Bonanza in October 2014. The adrenaline was flowing when Martin Murray beat Domenico Spada last year in a fight that was intensified by the cries of the many supporters present. **Gennady Golovkin**, who had a ringside seat at the match, was impressed by his future opponent's performance.

Hailing from Kazakhstan, Golovkin has fought in Monte-Carlo on two occasions. In March 2013, the Kazakh boxer stopped Nobuhiro Ishida in the 3rd round, earning him the "Knockout of the Year" Award. He then went on to knock out Osumanu Adama in the 6<sup>th</sup> round in February 2014.

At 32 years of age, Briton **Martin Murray** has a great record. In 2008, he won the "Prize Fighter" competition in the UK and two years later, went on to win the "Commonwealth" title, his first professional title. He then made a name for himself at the "WBA Intercontinental Championships", going on to win the "British" title.

The press conference will be held on Tuesday 17 February at Le Casino de Monte-Carlo. The weigh-in will take place on Friday 20 February at 11am in the atrium of Le Casino de Monte-Carlo.



## PROGRAMME

From 7:30pm - Amateur fight From 8pm - Start of the tournament

European Bantamweight Title Lee Haskins vs Omar Lamiri (United Kingdom) (France)

WBA/IBO Minimumweight World Title Hekkie Budler vs Jesus Sylvestre (South Africa) (Mexico)

WBA/IBO Middleweight World Title / WBC Interim World Title Gennady Golovkin vs Martin Murray (Kazakhstan) (United Kingdom)

# INFORMATION AND RESERVATIONS

Seats start at 200 euros

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Ideally located on a 4-hectare peninsula surrounded by the sea and decorated with lush gardens, the <u>Monte-Carlo Bay Hotel & Resort</u> symbolises the new Monte-Carlo, reviving the chic and relaxed spirit of the Riviera.

334 rooms and suites - 75 % of which overlook the sea – offer an exceptional view of Monte-Carlo and Cap Martin. Included in the resort are a unique in Europe sand-bottomed lagoon, an indoor pool, and the <u>Spa Cing Mondes</u> for relaxation and well-being needs, a <u>casino</u> as well as bars and 3 restaurants.

The 3 restaurants offer varied sensory experiences: <u>II Baretto and l'Orange Verte</u> for a "Food & Fun" break, or <u>"Las Brisas"</u> and its terrace overlooking the sea in summer and winter alike, and the <u>Blue Bay</u>, <u>Marcel Ravin</u>'s signature restaurant, with its warm and elegant décor. Discover a new and innovative cuisine based upon flavours and travel, with the "Escapade" menu, varying from season to season. The bars, including the <u>Blue Gin</u> offer innovative drink menus, ideal to kick off the evening as early as 6:30 pm or to enjoy a DJ atmosphere every Friday and Saturday night. <u>Jimmy'z</u>, the famous nightclub is only a few steps away, completing this outstanding hotel group.

<u>Monte-Carlo Bay Hotel & Resort</u> is also a major player in corporate events, with its high-tech equipment, 2 banquet rooms, 11 conference rooms, including the legendary <u>Salle des Étoiles</u> <u>du Sporting Monte-Carlo</u>, creating an ideal convergent point for business tourism, a stone throw away from the Grimaldi Forum Monaco.

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