

Cleveland Golden Gloves NFP Inc.

2025 Tournament Entry Form

Important Dates

Registration: Saturday March 1st and Sunday March 2nd, 2025 at 1444 Joey Maxim PAL Gym 1444 E. 49th Street 12pm-5pm

Preliminaries: Saturday, March 22nd, 2025 and Saturday, March 29, 2025 Ohio Technical College Building 1448 E. 51st St., Cleveland 44113; weigh-ins 4:00 pm, boxing at 6:00 pm

Finals: Saturday, April 5th, 2025 Ohio Technical College Building 1448 E. 51st St., Cleveland 44113; weigh-ins 4:00 pm, boxing at 6:00 pm

Eligibility and Divisions

All boxers MUST PRESENT a valid USA Boxing Passbook with current registration

To get a passbook, contact USA Boxing -

Lake Erie Association, Leslie Washington, Memberships.

All boxers in OPEN DIVISION must be US Citizens.

All Boxers must make weight the day of their bouts by 5:30 pm.

Eligibility for Classes: In order to compete in the Cleveland Golden Gloves, all fighters must be of "Elite" class according to USA Boxing eligibility rules: must be at least 18 years old by the start of competition and no older than 35, or up to 40 (so long as has never declared to be in the "Master" class of USA Boxing for older boxers). Any fighter who has competed in MMA-sanctioned amateur events, kickboxing events, or collegiate wrestling events cannot enter the Sub-Novice Division and must compete at a higher level. If the fighter has less than 4 amateur bouts, he or she may compete in the Novice division. If 4 or more combined bouts, that competitor must compete in the OPEN division

OPEN: Winners advance to the National Golden Gloves Tournament of Champions in Tulsa, Oklahoma the week of May 10 - 17, 2024

Novice - For boxers with fewer than 10 fights, or for competitors with no boxing matches and a small amount of MMA, kickboxing, or collegiate wrestling experience.

Sub- Novice - For beginning boxers only – no prior boxing bouts, no prior MMA, kickboxing, or collegiate wrestling experience.

Female Classes - Novice (4 previous bouts or less, No MMA, kickboxing, or collegiate wrestling experience); or **Open** (5 bouts or more). **Sub-Novice** boxers may compete on a "match" basis or enter into a Novice weight category. IF THERE ARE 2 SUB-NOVICE ENTRIES IN ANY ONE FEMALE WEIGHT CATEGORY THEY WILL COMPETE FOR A SUB-NOVICE TITLE.

2025 Updated Rules:

- If you have previously won a Novice division Golden Gloves Championship you must enter the Open division.
- Any Open division boxer that wins his or her weight division but cannot compete at the National tournament will relinquish their seat to the runner-up in that division. This is to keep a full competitive team for the Nationals. Cleveland Golden Gloves reserves the right to fill that seat if empty.
- Once entered into the Golden Gloves tournament your USA Boxing passbook will only be relinquished after the tournament or to compete in an alternative National route tournament. This is to keep a full competition and minimize injury prior to competing.
- Boxers must be within 10lb of fighting weight class on the day of registration. Those heavier will be asked to lose weight before bracket draws or move up in weight class.

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Contact Details

Name: _____ Date of Birth: (M/D/Y)____ / ____ / ____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____

Telephone #: (____)____ - _____ Telephone #: (____)____ - _____

Email: _____ @ _____

Boxing Background

Gym: _____ USA Boxing Registration #: _____

Coaches (up to 2) _____

Experience: W _____ L _____

Male:

of previous boxing bouts: _____, # of MMA / Kickboxing / Collegiate Wrestling bouts: _____

Division: OPEN NOVICE SUB-NOVICE

Weight Class:

110 121 132 143 154
 165 176 187 198 198+

Female:

of previous boxing bouts: _____, # of MMA / Kickboxing / Collegiate Wrestling bouts: _____

Division: OPEN NOVICE SUB-NOVICE

Weight Class:

106 112 119 125 132
 143 154 165 176 176+

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A refundable \$25 deposit is required for your registration. This is a refundable fee that will be returned as long as you make weight and show up to all scheduled bouts. The only exception will be a doctor-excused absence with at least a 24-hour notice.

The signed below acknowledge and agree to the updated rules and fact sheet for the 2025 Cleveland Golden Glove Tournament.

Boxer's Signature _____ Date: _____

Coach's Signature _____ Date: _____