

Sorenson Multicultural Center/Louie's Boxing Gym

Team Boxing Information Sheet

Welcome to Sorenson Multicultural Center/Louie's Boxing Gym Team Boxing. As a member of the boxing team, we are committed to working with all individuals who have a desire to work hard and improve their physical and mental capacity. Our dedicated coaches are passionate about boxing and look forward to sharing their knowledge and skills with you. Louie's boxing team accepts youth beginning at 8 years of age. Both youth and adults develop healthy relationships with the coaches and each other that encourage collaboration and respect.

Cost

In order to participate in boxing tournaments your child must obtain a **USA Boxing membership**. This membership is a yearly membership, **cost is \$62**. Registration must be done on-line through USA Boxing.

Along with the USA Boxing membership, your child must possess a **monthly gym membership** through Sorenson Multicultural Center. Team boxing membership is **\$30/per month**. This fee includes: t-shirt, registration fees to local tournaments, transportation to and from local tournaments, food, and coaching from certified USA boxing coaches

When your child pays for his gym membership he will receive a membership card. Every time they come to the gym they will need to swipe this card at the front desk.

Fighter Development

Boxers joining the team will have 3 levels of training they will be able to progress through (Bronze, Silver, and Platinum). Once the boxer has reached the Silver level they must purchase their USA Boxing membership in order to be allowed to spar. This level also allows the opportunity to participate in sanctioned fights.

All boxers will be required to attend team training. Team training sessions are 3-days per week (Monday, Wednesday, and Friday) 5-7 pm. Attendance and amount of time training is to the discretion of the individual boxer. Coaches will be able to train boxers, work on fighting development and determine level progression during this time. ** If boxer is requesting funds through the SMCC advisory board, make note of training time requirements.

Community Service

As a boxing staff we value the importance of giving back to the community, therefore members of the competitive boxing team and their parents, will be encouraged to participate in community service opportunities. These opportunities may include neighborhood clean-ups, assisting with special events that are held by SMCC, working the concessions stand during boxing tournaments held at SMCC or other community events. Parents wanting to volunteer are highly encouraged but not required.

Tournaments

As a member of team boxing, you have the opportunity to participate in boxing tournaments within 90 miles of SMCC. This will include travel/transportation, meals, and tournament registration fees.

Coaching staff will select the qualified boxers that will participate in upcoming tournament. In order to qualify to attend a tournament, boxer must show that they have been training for 4 weeks before tournament at SMCC and/or ready to compete.

All tournament opportunities outside of 90 miles of SMCC are paid for by the boxer. Boxers on the team may request financial assistance of the SMCC Advisory Board. All request are not Guaranteed.