The New Jersey Boxing Hall of Fame Newsletter

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Thursday, September 25th

- * The next meeting for the New Jersey Boxing Hall of Fame will be on **Thursday**, **September 25th**, at the Faith Reformed Church located at **95 Washington St.** in Lodi, N.J. which is right at the corner of Washington and Prospect St., **starting at 8:00 P.M.**
- * As the President of the New Jersey Boxing Hall of Fame I am proud to name our 2014 Inductees:

On Thursday evening, November 13, 2014, the New Jersey Boxing Hall of Fame will hold it's 45th Annual Dinner and Induction Ceremonies at the beautiful Venetian, located at 546 River Drive, Garfield, New Jersey starting at 7:00p.m. Tickets are priced at ONLY \$85.00 per person. Fifteen (15) of Boxing's finest will be inducted in the New Jersey Boxing Hall of Fame, and they are as follows: Former WBO Inter-Continental & NABF Welterweight Champion, Larry Barnes (44-3), Referee Earl Brown, Former Heavyweight Contender Smoking Bert Cooper, Manager gym owner Mario Costa, Promoter, Gym owner Hilliard Edmonds Sr., Referee David Fields, Former Amateur Champion, Pro Boxer Adam Garland, Boxer/Trainer Herman Ingram, Amateur Champion, Referee & Historian Ron Lipton, Former Heavyweight contender Jack O'Halloran, Boxing writers Alex & John Rinaldi. Former Amateur & Pro Boxer & Publicist Ricardo Salazar & Former Heavyweight Champion Bruce Seldon.

Posthumously - Isidro "Gino" Perez

Also, the NEW JERSEY BOXING HALL OF FAME will be honoring our Senior Amateurs, Junior Olympic Amateur & Professional Boxer of the Year as well as the Amateur Official & Coach of the Year (**Jackie Atkins**) Plus our "2014 Man of the Year," (**Charlie Norkus Jr.**).

WE NEED YOUR HELP IN GETTING SOME AD's.

Ring Notes:

- *Ring #25 has their monthly meetings every month at the Senior Citizen Hall in Kearney. Contact President, Cosmo Liaci at 201-240-0889
- *Ring #8, of New York will have their next meeting on Tuesday, September 16th at the Waterfront Crab House 2-03 Borden Ave. Long Island City (718) 729-4862, starting at 7:00pm. Contact **President Bob Duffy 1-516-313-2304** for more information or go to their web site at http://www.ring8ny.com/ for more information.
- * Ring #10, of New York have their monthly meetings on the 2nd Tuesday, of every month at the Rino's Italian Restaurant, located at 3938 East Tremont Avenue, Bronx, NY 10465-2902 (718) 863-5324.

On a sad note, 2006 New Jersey Boxing Hall of Famer **Bob Fernandez** passed away on Friday, August 29th at 4 PM.



Bob wrote several books during his lifetime and just had his last one published a few weeks ago called "Boxing in New Jersey, 1900-1999," which was OUTSTANDING!

Here's a note from Bob's daughter Sandy on Bob's regrettable passing yesterday. He fought the good fight as any great champion possibly could, despite the great odds of survival with so many physical and medical ailments, over the past 20 years. Knowing Bob for 70 years, there is no doubt that no one could possibly have greater passion for the sport of boxing than Bob Fernandez. He lived it to the fullest.

Thankfully, God kept him with us to see his book published, **BOXING IN NEW JERSEY, 1900-1999**, a compilation of boxing stories he had written over the years, encouraged by Tommy K. & I because of his vast knowledge of the sport. As you know, his first book, FOUR CRUMBLING HOUSES, depicted so graphically his early and lifelong friendship with Phil Saxton. Now they are reunited forever.

Thank you, Henry, for your support of Bob in his induction into the NJBHOF, which he considered a highlight in his life. God bless his loving family and many friends. Pete and Tommy K.

FINALLY: MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE DUE! If you are just joining our organization you pay a total of \$20.00 for the 1st yr (\$10 to join & \$10 for the year). If you are already a member you pay only \$10.00.

WE STILL NEED BIO's & PICTURES from most of the honorees. PLEASE get them into me ASAP.

Keep Punching, President, Henry Hascup