Thursday, January 23rd

* The next meeting for the New Jersey Boxing Hall of Fame will be on Thursday, January 23rd, 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 7:30 P.M.

* My wife Joyce & I would like to wish all of you & your loved ones a VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR.

* I want to thank everyone that had anything to do with the success of our Induction & Award Ceremonies this past November. Special thanks goes out to the committee that worked so hard on that night.

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* Our next Induction ceremonies will be on Thursday, November 12th at the Venetian in Garfield.

* At this meeting and February’s meeting we will be taking names for possible induction into the New Jersey Boxing Hall of Fame. If you know of someone, please make sure he or she is up to the standards of our Organization, which is included with this Newsletter. You can even nominate yourself. Also, if you have any information on the person, please send it to me by the February meeting. The 2020 Hall of Famers will be announced at the March meeting.

Ring Notes:
*Ring # 25 Contact President, Kathy Gatti, at 201-320-0874.
*Ring # 8, of New York will have their next meeting on Tuesday, January 21st at O’Neill’s Restaurant, located at 6421 53rd Drive, Maspeth, NY 11378, starting at 7:00pm. Contact President, Charlie Norkus, Jr. Post Office Box 7413 Wantagh, NY 11793 CNorkusR8@aol.com 516-781-3065

* The New York State Boxing Hall of Fame
The 9th annual NYSBHOF induction dinner will be held Sunday afternoon (12:30-5:30 p.m. ET), April 19, at Russo’s On The Bay in Howard Beach, NY. – Tickets ONLY $150.

PARTICIPANTS
Jorge Ahumada, Alfred Escalera, Freddie Liberatore, Dennis Milton, Lou Savarese & Merqui Sosa

PARTICIPANTS (POSTHUMOUS)
Soldier Bartfield, Steve Belloise, Jimmy Goodrich, Tami Mauriello, Davy Moore & Freddie Welsh.

NON-PARTICIPANT
Don Ackerman, Bobby Cassidy Jr., Rick Glaser, Jack Hirsch, Max Kellerman, Dr. William Lathan, Julie Lederman, Ron Lipton & Kevin Rooney.

NON-PARTICIPANT (POSTHUMOUS)
Lester Bromberg, Dan Daniel, Bobby Gleason, Flash Gordon, A.J. Liebling, Tony Mazzarella & Dan Morgan.

* The Atlantic City Boxing Hall of Fame will take place Friday, June 26, through Sunday, June 28, 2020 at the famed Claridge Hotel at Park Place Boardwalk in Atlantic City.

The legendary boxers, trainers, promoters, matchmakers, media, and special contributors being enshrined into the 2020 Hall of Fame includes:


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FINALLY: MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE DUE! If you are just joining our organization you pay a total of $20 for the 1st yr ($10 to join & $10 for the year). If you are already a member you pay only $10.
INDUCTION REQUIREMENTS

SECTION 19.01

Whereas the Hall of Fame has been organized for the recognition, honor, and induction of persons for their contributions to boxing, the inductee must meet the following criteria:

(1) A boxer must satisfy two of the four following prerequisites:
   (a) Won three (3) or more senior amateur titles in the state of New Jersey;
   (b) Engaged in a sufficient number of professional bouts, winning most of them;
   (c) Competed in at least five (5) main event contests in the professional ranks; and
   (d) Won two (2) or more senior national amateur titles.

(2) A boxing referee (professional), manager, trainer, timekeeper (professional), promoter, matchmaker, publicist or judge (professional) must have worked for fifteen (15) years;

(3) An amateur referee or amateur judge must have worked for twenty (20) years;

(4) A boxing commissioner;

(5) A boxing reporter must have worked for twenty (20) years;

(6) A boxing announcer must have worked for twenty (20) years; or

(7) A medical authority or historian must have worked for fifteen (15) years.

SECTION 19.02

Additional criteria for eligible candidates for induction applicable to those who live in a surrounding state:

1. Boxers who live in a surrounding state must have fought professionally at least ten (10) times in New Jersey.
2. Officials who live in a surrounding state must have worked at least twenty-five (25) times in New Jersey.
3. Doctors who live in a surrounding state must have worked at least twenty-five (25) times in New Jersey.
4. Trainers who live in a surrounding state must have trained several boxers from New Jersey.
5. Managers who live in a surrounding state must have managed several boxers from New Jersey.
6. Boxing writers who live in a surrounding state must have covered New Jersey boxing for many years.

The criteria in this Section 19.02 do not apply if the person was born in New Jersey, lived in New Jersey during the time that the individual was boxing, or lives in New Jersey at the time of the vote for induction.

SECTION 19.03

Active boxers shall not be eligible for induction.

SECTION 19.04

Former boxers shall be at least 45 years old, with the exception of those gravely ill (any age), ex-champions (any age), and ex-title contenders (must be at least 40). Exceptions must be approved by the President and the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE XX

HONOREE

SECTION COMMITTEE

SECTION 20.01

The President shall appoint the honorees' Selection Committee.

SECTION 20.02

Alternates may be available at selectors' meeting.

ARTICLE XXI

HONOREES

SECTION 21.01

Only those qualifying under Article XIX may be considered to be honorees.

SECTION 21.02

All nominees shall poll in their respective categories at least fifty (50%) percent of the votes of the Members.

SECTION 21.03

There shall be no more than fourteen (14) candidates (plus one or two at large (at the discretion of the President)) for induction at any single meeting for voting.

SECTION 21.04

Candidates must be of an impeccable character and reputation.

SECTION 21.05

The Hall of Fame may honor those from neighboring states, as well as those from New Jersey, for their contributions to boxing. This Section is subject to the specific requirements in Article XIX.

Keep Punching,
President, Henry Hascup