Sanger Muay Thai Rules _2

RULES:

no knockout high level sparring system

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CVMT TOURNAMENT GENERAL RULES: UNIFIED KICKBOXING STYLE:

EQUIPMENT: - GLOVES - All Gloves Shall Be Provided by The Promoter. -

All Amateurs will wear 10 oz. Fight Gloves. - 12 oz Fight Gloves Can be worn by Heavyweight Fighters (Over 215 Lbs) if Both Fighters Agree To Do So. - FIGHT SHORTS - Kickboxing or Muay Thai shorts are mandatory. -Shorts cannot extend lower than 3" from the top of the knee. - Pants are not allowed. - NO Padded Spandex Shorts Allowed. - MOUTHPIECE - MUST be a full fitted mouthpiece. - Two mouthpieces are SUGGESTED: - If at any time a mouthpiece is lost and cannot be found, the fighter that lost the mouthpiece will lose by disqualification. - MALE / MEN - Cups are Mandatory / NO Boxing Cups! - FEMALE / WOMEN - Pelvic Protectors are Optional. - Padded Bra is Optional. - HEAD GEAR - Must be CVMT Approved. - Competition Headgear ONLY! NOT Training Headgear! - NO Chin Bar Allowed. - NO Over Padded Ear Pads. - NO Oversized Cheek Protectors. - SHIN GUARDS - Must be CVMT Approved. LEGAL STRIKING AREAS: - HEAD - Front of face (From the ears forward). - NO Strikes Behind the Ear. - NO Rabbit Punches - Strikes to the Back of the Head or to the Base of the Skull. - BODY - Front of Body. - Ribs. - NO Strikes to the Spine. -THIGHS - Inside and outside ONLY. - NO Direct Kicks to the Front of the Thigh. - LEGAL STRIKES - PUNCHES - Legal Strikes with the Front Padded Portion of the Glove. - Spinning Backfist - Striking with the Back Padded Portion of the Glove - ABOVE THE WRIST LINE. - NO Hammer Strikes! - KICKS - Majority of all Kicks are Legal to legal Striking Areas. - NO Cartwheel Kicks. - KNEES - CVMT gives an option in the Unified Rules to allow a full clinch and knees as long as you are working. Clinch and knees can last up to 3-5 seconds. The Referee must separate the fighters after the aforementioned time elapses. The aforementioned rule adjustment should be made clear in the match -making process. - Jumping knees - Below the neck and above the waist. - No Knees to The Head. KNOCKDOWNS: - A legal strike causing a fighter to touch the mat with anything other than the bottom of their feet. - 8 Count Is In Effect. - 3 Knock Down Rule Is In Effect. - The Bell CANNOT Save You in Any Round. - FLASH KNOCKDOWNS, where the knocked down fighter rises up immediately after being knocked down are usually not counted as knockdowns with a standing 8 count. HOWEVER, if the fighter is "ROCKED" by the shot taken, the referee can make the decision to give an 8 count if he/she feels necessary, no matter how fast the fighter rises after the fall. FOULS: - NO Elbows. - NO Rabbit Punches. - NO Strikes to the Spine. - NO Holding the Leg. (Catching the leg is allowed as long as you counter quickly.) - NO Calf / Cut Kicks - Striking below the Knee. - NO Sweeps - Striking Boot to Boot. - NO Neck Throws. -

NO Hip Throws. - NO Lifting your Opponent. - ACCIDENTAL FOULS - 3 ROUND FIGHTS - If an ACCIDENTAL foul occurs in the first round and the fighter CANNOT continue, the fight will be called a TECHNICAL DRAW. - If an ACCIDENTAL foul occurs after the bell of the second round and the fighter CANNOT continue, the second round will be scored, and we go to the score cards for a TECHNICAL DECISION. - 5 ROUND FIGHT - If an ACCIDENTAL foul occurs in the second round and the fighter CANNOT continue, the fight will be called a TECHNICAL DRAW. - If an ACCIDENTAL foul occurs after the bell of the third round and the fighter CANNOT continue, the second round will be scored, and we go to the score cards for a TECHNICAL DECISION.

EQUIPMENT INFORMATION



FIGHT GLOVES:

SUPPLIED BY VFS

- **1.** Mandatory For All Fighters In All Rule Styles.
- **2.** ALL Fighters will wear 10 Ounce Velcro Closure Competition Gloves Provided By The CVMT.
- **3.** Gloves will have Velcro Straps to secure their fit.
- 4. Gloves will have an attached thumb.
- **5.** Once on, Wrist area must be covered by either white athletic tape or vinyl CVMA approved "Glove" tape.

HEADGEAR:

MUST BE SUPPLIED BY FIGHTER Mandatory For All Fighters In All Rule Styles Headgear that are sold with the word "Training" in there title are not legal "Competition" headgear for CVMT Amateur Kickboxing. (Just like they are not allowed in USA Amateur Boxing) The issue with "TRAINING" Headgears is that they usually have the large ear padding or the jaw bars. When you look at the LEGAL Competition Headgear you will notice there is no Jaw Bar and the Ears are far less padded. Training Headgear range between 16 - 18 ounces depending on the size while Competition headgear is 10 ounces. Don't Get Disqualified!

GROIN/PELVIC PROTECTORS:

MUST BE SUPPLIED BY FIGHTER

- 1. MANDATORY For All MALE Fighters.
- 2. OPTIONAL For All FEMALE Fighters In All Rule Styles.
- 3. Must be supplied by each fighter.
- **4.** We recommend a full tuck under groin cup.
- **5.** TRAINING Style (Boxing Mainly), No Foul Protectors are "NOT" allowed.

SHIN PADS:

MUST BE SUPPLIED BY FIGHTER

- 1. Mandatory For All Fighters In All Rule Styles
- 2. Must Cover Shin & INSTEP.
- 3. Cloth Slip On ONLY! NO Velcro Closure & NO METAL!
- 4. NO Soccer Guards.
- **5.** ANY Brand is acceptable meeting the above requirements

ELBOW PADS:

MUST BE SUPPLIED BY FIGHTER

- 1. Mandatory For All ADULT Fighter's In FULL RULES Muay Thai.
- 2. Must Be CVMT Approved Elbow Pads.
- **3.** Must extend a minimum of 3 inches Above & Below the Elbow.
- 4. Cloth Slip On ONLY! NO Velcro Closure & NO METAL!

HANDWRAPS:

MUST BE SUPPLIED BY FIGHTER

- 1. Mandatory For All Fighters In All Rule Styles.
- **2.** Must be supplied by each fighter.
- 3. "Cloth handwraps" or "Pro Style Wraps" are allowed for Amateur fighters.
- **4.** One winding of surgeon's adhesive tape, not over one and one-half inches wide, placed directly on the hand to protect that part of the hand near the wrist.
- **5.** Said tape may cross the back of the hand twice but shall not extend within one inch of the knuckles when

hand is clenched to make a fist.

6. Contestants shall use soft surgical bandage not over two inches wide, held in place by not more than two yards of surgeons adhesive tape for each hand.

- **7.** One 10 yard roll of bandage shall complete the wrappings for each hand.
- **8.** Contestant, if requested, may witnessing the wrapping of his/her opponent's hand.
- **9.** Under NO CIRCUMSTANCES shall there be ANY tape on the Front side of the knuckles!
- **10.** DO NOT WET your handwraps after being wrapped.
- **11.** The CVMT event Referee, CVMT event Representative or the State Athletic/Boxing Commission representative shall inspect all wraps and will sign across the back of the hand if approved before the gloves are allowed to be placed and secured on the fighters hands. CLOTH HANDWRAPS Cloth Handwraps are also allowed, but still need to be secured with Medical Tape and signed off by an CVMT Ring Official prior to the bout.

MOUTHPIECE/MOUTH GUARD:

MUST BE SUPPLIED BY FIGHTER Any good mouth guard is accepted. It is not mandatory for you to have a "double" mouth guard or a certain brand of mouth guard. As long as it fits comfortable and protects your teeth and is "Fitted" meaning if you open your mouth it does not just fall out, you can use it.

CHEST PROTECTOR:

ADULT WOMEN ONLY - MUST BE SUPPLIED BY FIGHTER - WOMEN ALL Women must wear a minimum of a Sports Bra with Padding. - Molded Chest Protectors are "NOT" allowed. - "TRAINING" Chest Protectors are "NOT" allowed.

FIGHTER'S ADDITIONS:

BELOW FOR CVMT CLASSIC TOURNAMENTS ONLY BODY RUBS: -Vasoline is the only substance that can be used on a fighters face. -Vasoline, Abilene and Liniment Rubs such as Muay Thai Oil etc. can be used on the body. - HOWEVER - NONE may be used in excess and the CVMT Referee may require you to wipe it ALL off if you stand to begin the bout with excessive amounts on. - Liniment Rubs - May be used to warm-up a fighter prior to their bout. - NO Liniment may be applied "DURING" the bout. - NO Liniment can be applied above the shoulders to the neck and/or head. - The following are NOT ALLOWED: Baby Oil, Ben Gay, Icy Hot, and any other comparison sports cremes. - MUAY THAI ACCESSORIES - Arm Bands (Prajioud) Arm bands may be worn by fighters. - However, they cannot "Hang Reach" down past the elbow. - If the bands slip down, you will be asked to take them off. - Ankle Wraps/Supports: Fighters may wear athletic style ankle supports. MANDATORY DRESS CODE: - ALL Muay Thai & International Rule Fighters Must wear SHORTS. - ALL Muay Thai Bouts MUST WEAR ONLY "MUAY THAI" SHORTS!!! - The bottom of the Shorts must be 3 inches ABOVE THE KNEE. - Cannot be MMA or Board Shorts!

JUNIOR FIGHTERS:

JUNIOR DIVISIONS - AGES 8 to 17

All fighters in each bracket must be no more than 24 months apart in age. Junior Fighters under the weight of 147 lbs can only have a 5 lb maximum weight spread. - See Weight Classes - Click HERE. https://www.cvmtkickboxing.com/WCweights.htm Junior Fighters over the weight of 147.1 lbs will follow standard weight spreads as noted in the CVMT Weight Classes: Click

HERE. https://www.cvmtkickboxing.com/WCweights.htm Juniors Ages 15 and under: 90 Second Rounds - 1 Minute Rests. Juniors Ages 16 & 17 shall fight in 2:00 Minute Rounds - 1 Minute Rests.

SEEDING:

FIGHTERS ARE SEEDED ACCORDING TO THE DATE THEIR REGISTRATION IS RECEIVED AT THE CVMT OFFICE If a Tie on Day RECEIVED, the tie will be broken by the earliest time the registration was received online. BOUT TIMES - BOUT LENGTH

ALL ADULT BOUTS Are 3, 2 Minutes Rounds - 1 Minute Rests.

Juniors Ages 8 to 15: 1:30 Minute Rounds - 1 Minute Rests.

Juniors Ages 16 & 17: 2:00 Minute Rounds - 1 Minute Rests.

BOUTS ENDING IN A DRAW:

If a bout ends in a draw or majority draw after the scheduled 3 rounds, the fighters will fight 1 more round to break the draw and continue this if necessary until 2 of the 3 judges determine a majority winner or all 3 judges pick the same winner. 5 ROUNDS MAXIMUM

Records:

record up to date and more so, for Medical Safety Reasons, TKO, KO, Injury, Stoppage, Etc. Add the layout and the People Chart

PROTESTS:

There will be NO PROTESTS OF ANY BOUTS ACCEPTED.

DIVISION REQUEST CHANGES ONCE YOU ARE ALREADY REGISTERED:

You cannot move from your originally registered division / weightclass or rule style once registered UNLESS there are: NO OTHER FIGHTERS in your division / weightclass. The division / weightclass you are "REQUESTING" to move to has equal or more fighters who all have equal or greater skill level as the division you originally registered in.

BOOKING FIGHTS PRIOR TO THE CVMT SUPER FIGHTS:

Once registered, We respectfully ask all fighters "NOT" to book a bout 45 days prior to the Tournament. The reason for this is because if you get injured or stopped by a TKO or KO inside 45 days prior to the Tournament, you would be given an automatic medical suspension that would at the very least be 30 days or more. If this happens, you would also drastically hurt the other fighters in your bracket. This would be worse if there are only you and one other fighter in your bracket. ESPECIALLY if the other fighter has paid travel expenses to come a long way for the Tournament.