

ST. MARTIN BOXING

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57th year of continued service to Rochester youth

A slow and frustrating month with only three shows and limited participation.

10/25: FLARE CENTER: BUFFALO: Three traveled, but only one got a bout on the eleven bout card. 180Caesar Echevarria battled Webster's Kayden Merkel in the final and took the decision. Frequent jabs kept off the onrushing Merkel along with some good movement and some combinations got him the decision. Disappointed were 74Brenden Davis and combacking 150 John Rondon. Good traveling conditions though showers going. Terry Williams promoted the show.

10/30: Bouts at DELAGO CASSINO: This was a ProAm show. St. Martin applied for a match or two, but none were given.

11/1: BUFFALO BOXING SHOWCASE: Buffalo Salvation Army Gym: St. Martin produced a list of candidates, but no boxers were selected for the show.

11/8: OPTION ZERO CLUB: LEMOYNE COLLEGE: SYRACUSE: Only one boxer, Brenden Davis, traveled. He opposed fellow Rochestarian Mill'yon Latson from the Nasty Knuckles Club. Brenden lost a close bout. It appeared he depended on counterpunching too much. 160Paris Davis stayed home to work. Nice show of twelve bouts and a nice crowd. LeMoyne students got in free. Other results:

Meki Cummings(Baden) & Jeronque Posey(Philadelphia) (developmental); Amar Hobey(Rochester) dec Brayden Stacks(Phil.); Brayshawn Starkes(Phil) RSC Elijah Davis(Roch.); Abuzar Haidavi(Roch) dec Justin Perez(Watertown); Mahdi Hosaini(Roch) dec Nate LaBarbara(Roch); Colon Malinqi(Oswego) dec Jesus Sowell(Roch); Jayden Hawes(Phil) King Moore(Roch); Jayden Kacey(Oswego) Jadel Rivera(Roch); Sylus Justice(Phgil) dec Yoshwan Perez Rodriques(Oswego); Alejandro Cuevas(Oswego) dec Antonio Jannitti(Syracuse). Roads dry and normal traffic going and coming. Still quite a bit of tree color - red and yellow.

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Thus, St. Martin again faces a venue crisis. We were happy with our location at Montgomery Center as it is located in a high financially stressed youth area. However, we were notified on short notice that Rochester City was taking over the venue and we became homeless. We have been able to keep some St. Martin youth busy by visiting other area training places. St. Martin is the only area community financed and volunteer staffed Rochester USA Boxing member club offering youth free training and some transportation to practices and competitions. It also continues - 43rd year- to sponsor the New York State and Region 1 Silver Gloves Tournaments qualifying winners for the National Silver Gloves in Missouri for youth aged 8-17 years. We are hoping to defray costs by soliciting contributions. Any help or advice is most welcome. It is difficult to understand why the city with problem youth and financial problems doesn't welcome us.

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11/22: FUTURE BOXING CLUB: At the cross town venue off Buffalo Road. Five local teams plus Kingdom Boxing Club from Pittsburgh. St. Martin was offered three bouts, but only one competed. 75Brenden Davis took on Oswego's King Cook for the seventh time. This time the result was debateable, but Brendon's nemesis and friend still got the win. Caesar Echeverria and John Rondon were offered, but didn't come. Twelve bouts and a good crowd for promoter Phil Greene. A retired RPD Officer, Annie Craven, served some good macaroni, broccoli salad, and hot dogs. As a retired Probation Officer, we shared some past remembrances. She had served on the Board of the old St. Martin Center on North Clinton Avenue.

Other results: 85King Moore(Nasty Knuckles) and Mason Johnson(Pittsburgh Kingdom) did a development which has no decision. (Used to call them exhibitions.) 70 Kalieb Jacobs(Murray Club) dec Jaxied Hernandez(Top Level). 125Onilo Jorman(Kingdom) dec Alex Huynh(Future). 112Isaac Kearns(Oswego) dec Jaxon Stephens(Kingdom). 117Antoine Yancy(Syracuse Ray's Kids) dec Kshleef Leonard(Kingdom). 67Amar Holsey(Murray Club) dec Anthony Mykins(Future). 149Chase Murray(Murray Club) dec Yoshuan Rodriguez(Oswego). 74Jaycion Greene(Future) dec Millyon Latson(Nasty Knuckles). 116Remingto Huynh(Future). 143Mahdi Hosayn dec Marlon Morrison(Oswego). 158Benjamin Rudd(Option One) decDeShawn Heath(Future).



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