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MR. SERIK KONAKBAYEV

APPOINTED AS ASBC PRESIDENT ONE YEAR AGO

Kazakhstan's former star boxer and national icon Mr. Serik Konakbayev was appointed as ASBC President and AIBA Vice-President in Korea one year ago and he celebrates his first anniversary in his new position where he can set into service his financial, economical, political, cooperation and communication skills.

The Vice-President of the Kazakhstan Boxing Federation Mr. Serik Konakbayev became the next President of the Asian Boxing Confederation (ASBC) after Mr. Gofur Rakhimov of Uzbekistan following the official election which was held on 14 November 2014 in the island of Jeju, Korea during the Congress of the International Boxing Association and the AIBA Women's World Boxing Championships.

As President of the Asian Boxing Confederation he launched new projects and the Asian boxers reached strong performances in the AIBA and ASBC events. The Asian Boxing Confederation's new slogan «Together we are Power» shows his huge commitment to our beloved combat sport. Mr. Serik Konakbayev is focusing to the boxing tournament of the Rio 2016 Olympic Games to show the strength of the Asian continent.

Mr. Serik Kerimbekovich Konakbayev was born in the city of Pavlodar in the Kazakh USSR on 25 October in 1959 where he began his boxing career in the local club of Spartak. As an active boxer he won the European Boxing Championships twice firstly in Cologne, Germany in 1979 and later in Tampere, Finland in 1981.

Following his triumph over former star boxer and AIBA World Champion Israel Akopkokhyan of Armenia in the final of the 1980 Soviet National Boxing Championships he received the right to compete in the Moscow 1980 Olympic Games in spite of the fact he was only 21-year-old. Konakbayev advanced to the final of the Light

Welterweight class (63.5 kg) at the Moscow 1980 Olympic Games where only Italy's Patrizio Oliva was able to stop him after several victories in the front of the home soil. Konakbayev claimed a further silver medal at the 1982 AIBA World Boxing Championships while he has achieved his last national title in 1984.

He worked as coach of the national team of Republic of Kazakhstan between 1986 and 1990 just before the independence of the Central Asian country. The former boxer was the founder of the Kazakhstan Professional Boxing Federation in 1992 quickly after the independence of the country and appointed as President of this organization in that year which he hold until 2007. Mr. Serik Konakbayev was appointed as Vice-President of the Kazakhstan Boxing Federation in 2007 and he hold this position until 2014.

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Mr. Serik Konakbayev graduated as an Engineer in the city of Dzhambul in 1981 and received a degree in the Yassavi Kazakh-Turkish University in 1999. He has finished his PhD studies in Economy in 2006. As a politician he was member of the Mazhilis, which is the official name of the Kazakh Parliament, between 1999 and 2011. As an actor he was the sailor Bulat and played one of the main role in the famous Soviet action & adventure film «Mystery of Madame Wong» in 1986.



LU BIN AND DONG TINGJIANG AWARDED AS BEST APB BOXER AND APB COACH OF THE YEAR

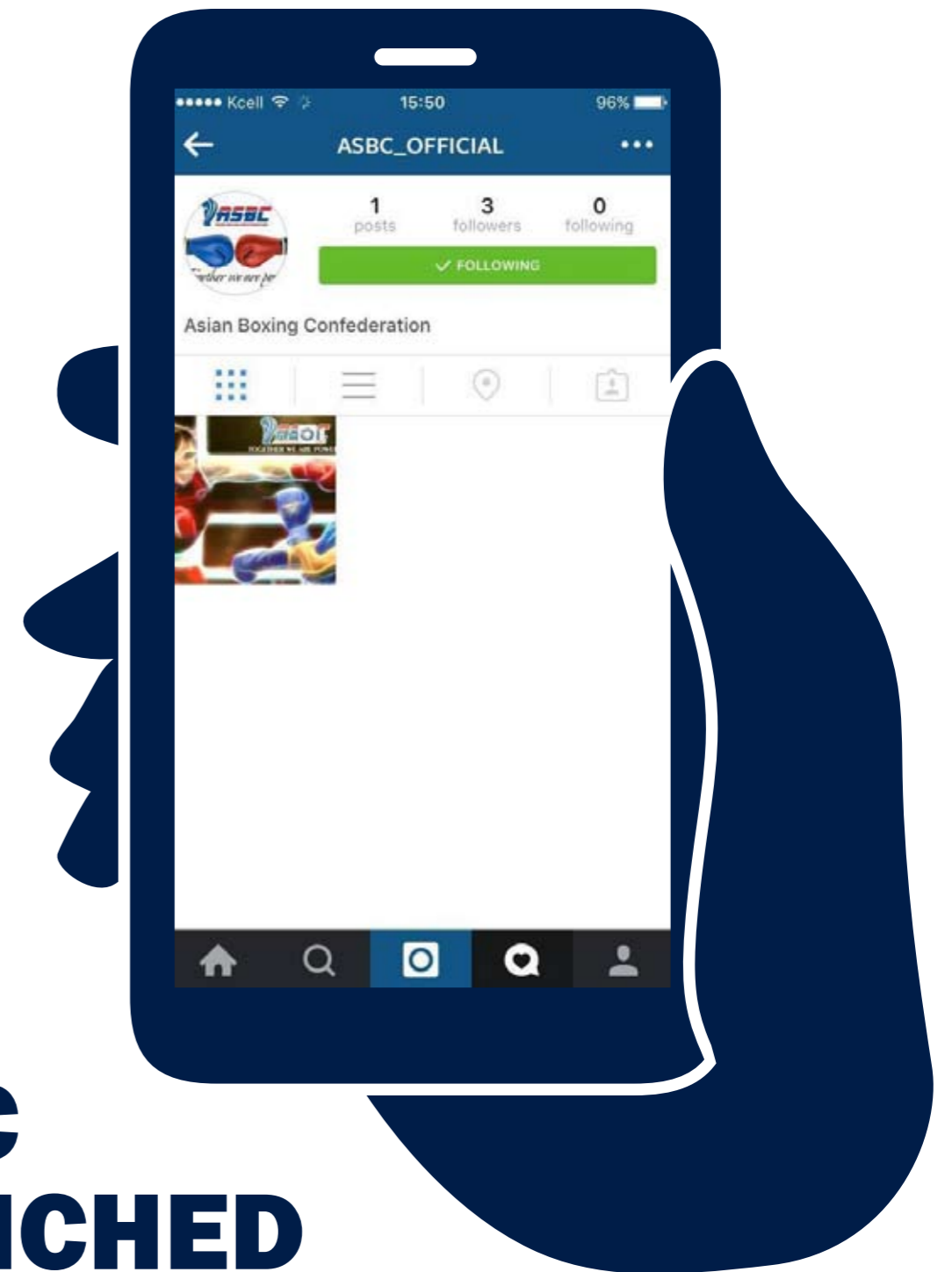
The 2015 AIBA Award Ceremony was held in the day of the finals in the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships in Qatar where among the winners there is a Chinese boxer and his coach from the Asian continent.

The Best APB Boxer trophy went to China's former AIBA Youth World Champion Lu Bin who won the first title match of the Light Flyweight class (49 kg) still in January when he defeated his teammate in the key bout which was guaranteed for him a place in the Rio 2016 Olympic Games.

The 21-year-old Chinese boxer trained hard to defend his throne against Kazakhstan's AIBA World Champion Birzhan Zhakipov in the APB Championships Title Match. The young

Chinese hope found the best fighting distance against the taller opponent in their top bout last month and defended his APB title which was enough to win the Best APB Boxer Trophy.

Asia's second big achievement was acquired by China's 3-star AIBA Coach Dong Tingjiang who became the Best APB Coach of Year in 2015. He trains with star Lu Bin and several other top boxers in China and he has got big part to raise them to the world class level.



ASBC LAUNCHED ITS NEW INSTAGRAM PAGE

The Asian Boxing Confederation launched its first ever page in the developing social media site in the Instagram.

You can find the new Instagram page in [asbc_official](#) link.

You can follow the Asian boxing actions more platforms than ever in the upcoming months.

ATHLETE OF THE MONTH – **DAISUKE NARIMATSU**

Daisuke Narimatsu delivered great performance in the whole year and he dominated all of his contests in the 85th edition of the All Japan National Boxing Championships therefore the management of the Asian Boxing Confederation chosed him as Athlete of November.

Japan's Daisuke Narimatsu was born in Kumamoto Prefecture on December 24 in 1989 while he began boxing relatively late only in 2005 at the age of 16. His coach is Yoshiyuki Hirano, who was also a successful boxer, and has been training in the Japan Self-Defense Forces Physical Training School.

His first main success in boxing was a silver medal at the 2009 Japanese National Boxing Championships when he defeated three experienced boxers and only Satoshi Shimizu could stop him in the gold medal bout. Narimatsu won his first national elite title one year later in 2010 when he could beat Chikashi Kawada in the final of the Bantamweight class (56 kg) after four years of boxing.

He was involved to the national squad in 2011 and Daisuke Narimatsu tried to qualify to the London 2012 Olympic Games in the AIBA Asian Olympic Qualifiers which was held in Astana, Kazakhstan. The Japanese boxer defeated

Turkmenistan's 19-year-old Myrat Pazyzyev but lost to Philippines' Charly Suarez in the semi-final which meant he could not get the quota to London.

After the unsuccessful qualification events he won the Japanese National Athletic Meeting and also the Japanese National Championships still in 2012. Narimatsu raised his training sessions and defeated Kyrgyzstan's strong Meder Mamakeyev in the 2013 ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships in Amman but lost to Thailand's two-time Olympian Saylom Ardee in the quarter-finals of the Lightweight class (60 kg).

Narimatsu won two contests in the Almaty 2013 AIBA World Boxing Championships and eliminated Tajikistan's favourite Anvar Yunusov as well but he was defeated by Venezuela's Luis Arcon in the third preliminary round before the medal bouts. Narimatsu was named as the most technician Japanese boxer in 2013.

He tried to prepare well to the Incheon 2014 Asian Games but Narimatsu lost to Kenji Fujita in the selection event when he moved down to the Bantamweight class (56 kg). Following that loss Narimatsu spent the whole year with trainings and moved back to the Lightweight class (60 kg) where his footwork and strength is the best to get good results.

He boxer travelled to the 2015 President's Cup to Palembang, Indonesia as a favourite but he had very hard way to the final glory. The 26-year-old boxer defeated Thailand's talented 18-year-old Somchay Wongsuwan and he was also too strong for Mongolia's Incheon 2014 Asian Games winner Dorjnyambuu Otgondalai in the gold medal bout which was one of his most difficult contest.

Narimatsu arrived to the venue of the last edition of the ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships to Bangkok as a secret favourite but he had a very strong opponent in the opening round 19-year-old Hursand Imankulyev of

Turkmenistan. The Japanese boxer could solve that issue and also eliminated Kyrgyzstan's Akzhol Sulaymanbek Uulu and Vietnam's Nguyen Van Hai in the capital city of Thailand. He was stopped by only Kazakhstan's technician WSB star Zakir Safullin in the semi-final which meant he claimed an amazing bronze medal in Bangkok.

Narimatsu defeated 23-year-old Kenji Fujita's elder brother Yamato in the semi-final of the 85th edition of the All Japan National Boxing Championships in Iwate Prefecture and continued the winning path against his younger hope Yuta Akiyama in the final of the Lightweight class (60 kg).

Narimatsu had 118 bouts during his career since 2005 and has been training 20 hours in a week to prepare well to the main goals of next year. He is aiming for a quota to the Rio 2016 Olympic Games which is a realistic target while he is also focusing a bit to the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games.



SEVEN GOLDS REMAINED

IN KAZAKHSTAN IN THE STRONG WOMEN COMPETITION IN ATYRAU

The Khiuz Dospanova, Aliya Moldagulova and Manshuk Mame-tova International Women Tournament was the main competition for the female athletes in November. Aliya Moldagulova was one of the best sniper of the World War II and she is the hero of the Soviet Union and also Kazakhstan. The international event was held off the coast of the Caspian Sea in Atyrau which city is very active hosting boxing competitions.

The host nation of the event claimed seven gold medals on home soil in spite of the fact Russia, Azerbaijan, Poland and Morocco also sent strong boxers to the tournament. Boxers who were born in 1997 also could take part in the event and among them one athlete, Nazym Ishchanova not only attended but won the gold.

Kazakhstan's former national team member Aigerim Askarova had to meet for the gold medal with her teammate Aigerim Kasenayeva who defeated Kazakhstan's current National Champion and Astana Women's Cup winner Alina Turlubayeva in the semi-final which was a big surprise. Askarova triumphed over her younger rival and claimed the first gold medal of the Light Flyweight class (48 kg).

Incheon 2014 Asian Games silver medallist Zhaina Shekerbekova defeated Poland's Baku 2015 European Games silver medallist Sandra Drabik in the semi-final of the Olympic Flyweight class (51 kg) and following that she had to meet with Russia's Sayana Sagatayeva who eliminated AIBA Women's World Champion Nazym Kyzaybay. Shekerbekova had enough experiences

to beat her EUBC European Women's Championships silver medallist rival in the gold medal bout.

AIBA Women's World Boxing Championships quarter-finalist 23-year-old Dina Zholaman defeated Morocco's strong Laila Marzaq in the semi-final and continued her winning path against Azerbaijan's Anna Alimardanova in the final of the Bantamweight class (54 kg). She is on the best way to regain her place in Kazakhstan's top woman squad.

Russia's current AIBA Women's World Champion Zinaida Dobrynina moved back to her original Featherweight class (57 kg) to show her skills in Atyrau. She had to meet in the final with Kazakhstan's National Champion Saniya Sultankyzy and solve that tactical issue which was Russia's first gold medal in the event.

Russia's defending AIBA Women's World Champion Anastasia Beliakova eliminated Morocco's Hasnaa Lachgar in the semi-final but she could not fight against Kazakhstan's Nazym Ishchanova in the gold medal bout. The 18-year-old Kazakh boxer defeated Azerbaijan's AIBA Women's World Boxing Championships silver medallist Yana Alekseevna in the



semi-final and walked over to the gold as well.

Kazakhstan's 22-year-old Zarina Tsoloyeva is trying to regain her place in the national team where Madina Nurshayeva is her main rival. She eliminated Azerbaijan's Mariam Jabrayilova in the semi-final but she was not enough tough to beat Russia's Daria Abramova who defeated Madina Nurshayeva in the previous round.

Kazakhstan's another young hope Valentina Khalzova defeated Tajikistan's ASBC Asian Confederation Women's Boxing Championships bronze medallist Shaira Zulkaynarova in the quarter-finals and continued her winning series against her teammates 17-year-old Bayan Akbayeva and Zura Khusainova in the final of the Welterweight class (69 kg). Defending ASBC Asian Women's Champion Dariga

Shakimova eliminated Tajikistan's Nodira Karimova and Poland's Nanjing 2014 Youth Olympic Games winner Elzbieta Wojcik in the road to the final of the Middleweight class (75 kg). The experienced boxer had a big battle against Russia's AIBA Women's World Boxing Championships silver

medallist Saadat Abdullayeva but finally her hand was raised.

AIBA Women's World Boxing Championships silver medallist Yulduz Mamatkulova defeated Moldir Bazarbayeva in the Astana Women's Cup last month while on their re-match the

result of their contest was the opposite which was a small surprise. The last gold medal of the tournament was achieved by Russia's AIBA Women's World Champion Zenfira Magomedaliyeva who stopped Kazakhstan's Astana Women's Cup winner Umida Sadykova before the final bell.



WINNERS IN THE ATYRAU WOMEN'S TOURNAMENT

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| 48 kg: Aigerim Askarova, Kazakhstan | 64 kg: Daria Abramova, Russia |
| 51 kg: Zhaina Shekerbekova, Kazakhstan | 69 kg: Valentina Khalzova, Kazakhstan |
| 54 kg: Dina Zholaman, Kazakhstan | 75 kg: Dariga Shakimova, Kazakhstan |
| 57 kg: Zinaida Dobrynina, Russia | 81 kg: Moldir Bazarbayeva, Kazakhstan |
| 60 kg: Nazym Ishchanova, Kazakhstan | +81 kg: Zenfira Magomedaliyeva, Russia |



SENSATIONS

IN THE ABDALIYEV MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT

The Karakozy Abdaliyev Memorial Tournament was held in Shymkent which city is located in South Kazakhstan. Kazakhstan claimed nine while Tajikistan one gold medal in the current edition which was stronger than in the previous years.

Kazakh U21 National Tournament winner Dulat Dauitov of Kyzyl-Orda defeated AIBA Youth World Champion 19-year-old Shalkar Aikynbay in the semi-final and Youth National Champion Saken Bibosynov in the gold medal bout of the Light Flyweight class (49 kg). Former Youth National Champion Yermek Madiyev bagged only bronze medal in the Abdaliyev Memorial Tournament.

Maksutkan Zarykkanov of Almaty region had sensational triumphs over Olzhas Bayniyazov and Kanat Turganbayev of Karagandy in spite of the fact he was totally unknown before the Abdaliyev Memorial Tournament. The young Flyweight class (52 kg) boxer shocked all of his rivals and won his first international tournament during his career.

Bagdaulet Sovet competed in some national and international events but he was not the favourite against Astana Arlans Kazakhstan's WSB team member Miras Zhakupov in the final of the Bantamweight class (56 kg). The 20-year-old younger hope defeated his tough rival while AIBA Junior World Boxing Championships bronze medallist Olzhas Kalaubek lost his semi-final contest in Shymkent.

Two youngsters advanced to the final of the Lightweight class (60 kg) where 19-year-old Rauan Zatulla defeated Kazakh

U21 National Tournament bronze medallist Bekdaulet Ibragimov who is only some months older than his opponent. Zatulla, who competed in the junior and youth level successfully, proved his best against his talented rival and claimed his first elite tournament title in Shymkent.

Zhanaidar Kozhamzharov of Astana is a real example of the great background of Kazakhstan's boxing life. The newcomer boxer defeated Nanjing 2014 Youth Olympic Games winner and AIBA Youth World Champion 18-year-old Abylaykhan Zhussupov in the semi-final and he was also too smart for Zhanibek Kushenbayev of Dzhambul in the final of the Light Welterweight class (64 kg). Another favourite in this weight class Asian Games competitor Aidar Amirzakov took only a bronze medal in Shymkent.

Nurmakhanov Memorial Tournament gold medallist Akhmet Mombekov moved up one weight class in the recent months. The 23-year-old boxer defeated in the final of the Welterweight class (69 kg) Russia's Aleksandr Morokhin who was member of their youth national team in a few years ago.

Tajikistan's gold medal was achieved by AIBA Junior World Boxing Championships bronze medallist Shabbos Negmatulloev who turned to 18 only this year. The

ASBC Asian Confederation Youth Boxing Championships silver medallist talent defeated Uzbekistan's Shakhboz Kudratov in the semi-final and he was also too strong for Kazakhstan's experienced top athlete Yerik Alzhanov.

Kazakh Federation Team Cup bronze medallist Bayanbek Sametov of Almaty region delivered a big surprise when he defeated Kazakh National Championships silver medallist Nurzat Sabirov in the final of the Light Heavyweight class (81 kg). Kazakh National Championships bronze medallist Nurbol Altayev claimed only bronze medal in this Abdaliyev Memorial Tournament.

Shokhr Boltekuly Memorial Tournament bronze medallist Erzhan Seitimbetov of Aktobe was too smart for Russia's Aleksandr Sidorin in the final of the Heavyweight class (91 kg) while the host nation's two youngsters such as ASBC Asian Youth Champion Adilet Orynbasarov and 19-year-old Nurbolat Sermakhanov bagged the bronzes in Shymkent. Both bronze medallists have been training in the capital city of the country in Astana.

Nurzhan Bekzatov won the Gee Bee Tournament in Finland and the Belgrade Winner Tournament in Serbia therefore he was the top favourite for the gold at the Super Heavyweight class (+91 kg) in the Abdaliyev Memorial Tournament. The 23-year-old boxer defeated Uzbekistan's Ikrom Saidov in the semi-final and his teammate Nurlan Nurseitov in the final contest of the whole tournament.



WINNERS IN THE ABDALIYEV MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT

49 kg: Dulat Dauitov, Kazakhstan	69 kg: Akhmet Mombekov, Kazakhstan
52 kg: Maksutkan Zarykkanov, Kazakhstan	75 kg: Shabbos Negmatulloev, Tajikistan
56 kg: Bagdaulet Sovet, Kazakhstan	81 kg: Bayanbek Sametov, Kazakhstan
60 kg: Rauan Zatulla, Kazakhstan	91 kg: Erzhan Seitimbetov, Kazakhstan
64 kg: Zhanaidar Kozhamzharov, Kazakhstan	+91 kg: Nurzhan Bekzatov, Kazakhstan

The Balkan Women's Tournament is a new competition in the boxing calendar which was held in Sofia, Bulgaria where the young Asian ladies claimed seven gold medals. The competition was scheduled in junior, youth and elite age groups as well. Asia secured three golds in the junior and four titles in the youth part of the Balkan Women's Tournament.



SEVEN YOUNG ASIAN LADIES WON THE GOLD IN BULGARIA

Thailand claimed three gold medals in the junior and one top position in the youth age group while their elite athletes also could raise their international experiences in Sofia. Thailand's new President Mr. Pichai Chunhavajira decided to build up their background from the junior age group and the result was their top performance in the Balkan Women's Tournament.

AIBA Women's Junior World Boxing Championships bronze medallist Chiranchaya Phunsang claimed Thailand's first gold medal who defeated Bulgaria's Elina Georgieva at the Junior Flyweight class (50 kg). Their second gold medal in the junior level was achieved by Bunyanut Machai who was quicker than Bulgaria's Lilia Blagoeva.

AIBA Women's Junior World Boxing Championships bronze medallist Preedakamon Tintabthai also defeated a host nation athlete Plamena Ivanova which bout was a top one in the event. Chutharat Pralathai won their lone youth gold in Sofia where she was able to defeat Bulgaria's experienced national team member Nadezhda Orlinova and Japan's High School Invitational Tournament winner Runa Kikuchi in the gold medal bout.

Japan has got great youth talents in the women boxing who could be their great weapons in the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games. Japan's National Champion and High School Invitational Tournament

winner Tsukimi Namiki defeated Thailand's Pattanaporn Lattipromma in the final of the Youth Flyweight class (51 kg) and bagged a valuable title while the above mentioned Runa Kikuchi secured silver. AIBA Women's World Boxing Championships bronze medallist Madoka Wada also took part in the Balkan Women's Tournament but she lost to eventual winner Valeria Calabrese of Italy in a narrow bout.

Vietnam also won a weight class in the youth part of the competition where 17-year-old Nguyen Thi Huyen Phuong defeated Thailand's Siriwan Phuengpanya in the final of the Youth Light Flyweight class

(48 kg). Vietnam's second finalist in Sofia ASBC Asian Confederation Women's Boxing Championships bronze medallist Ha Thi Linh secured silver medal in the elite level.

Chinese Taipei's two top youth boxers took part in the Balkan Women's Tournament in Sofia. Nanjing 2014 Youth Olympic Games silver medallist Chen Nien Chin lost her quarter-final contest in the Elite Middleweight class (75 kg) while AIBA Women's Youth World Boxing Championships silver medallist Huang Hsiao Wen defeated all of her European and Asian rivals and won the Youth Bantamweight class (54 kg) in Sofia.



THE ASIAN WINNERS IN THE BALKAN WOMEN'S TOURNAMENT

- Junior 50 kg: Chiranchaya Phunsang, Thailand
- Junior 52 kg: Bunyanut Machai, Thailand
- Junior 54 kg: Preedakamon Tintabthai, Thailand
- Youth 48 kg: Nguyen Thi Huyen Phuong, Vietnam
- Youth 51 kg: Tsukimi Namiki, Japan
- Youth 54 kg: Huang Hsiao Wen, Chinese Taipei
- Youth 57 kg: Chutharat Pralathai, Thailand



THE ANNUAL GALYM ZHARYLGAPOV TOURNAMENT WILL BE HELD IN DECEMBER

One of the possible highlight of December could be the Galym Zharylgapov Memorial Tournament which will be held in the Serik Sapiyev Box Centre in the city of Karagandy. Galym Zharylgapov was honoured boxing coach of Kazakhstan and the local organizers decided to name the tournament after him.

The competition is scheduled in ten men weight classes: 49 kg, 52 kg, 56 kg, 60 kg, 64 kg, 69 kg, 75 kg, 81 kg, 91 kg and +91 kg. Boxers who were born in 1997 or earlier can take part in the Galym Zharylgapov Memorial Tournament in Karagandy. The venue is the Serik Sapiyev Box Centre which was named after Kazakhstan's 2012 Olympic Champion in boxing who is one of the

most famous person in the Central Asian country.

The local organizers invited strong nations to the tournament to give the chance for the athletes to raise their international experiences before the main qualification events in 2016. The competition will be starting in Karagandy on December 16 while the finals of the Galym Zharylgapov Memorial Tournament

are scheduled on December 21. The boxers who ranked 1-3 in the tournament will receive medals and also money prizes from the regional federation.

In the recent editions of the Galym Zharylgapov Memorial Tournament host Kazakhstan dominated the competition but Uzbekistan, Kyrgyzstan, China, Russia, Cuba, Azerbaijan, Mongolia and Tajikistan also achieved great results in Karagandy.



Jordan Amateur Boxing Association will launch a new international event to raise their boxers' experiences just before the Olympic Qualifiers. Amman will be the host of the Jordan International Boxing Tournament which to be scheduled between 16-20 December.

JORDAN INTERNATIONAL BOXING TOURNAMENT

COULD BE ANOTHER HIGHLIGHT IN DECEMBER

The competition is scheduled also for women boxers which will be the very first international event for the ladies in the Western Asian region. Four weight classes have been scheduled for women boxers: 51 kg, 60 kg, 69 kg and 75 kg.

Jordan launched its new women team this year and their new squad will be competing in the AIBA Asian & Oceanian Olympic Qualifiers and also in the AIBA Women's World Boxing Championships in 2016.

The Jordan International Boxing Tournament will be scheduled also in ten weight categories for men: 49 kg, 52

kg, 56 kg, 60 kg, 64 kg, 69 kg, 75 kg, 81 kg, 91 kg and +91 kg. Before the Jordan International Boxing Tournament the Jordan Amateur Boxing Association are planning to host an international training camp between 5-15 December.

Mr. Walid Jarrar the Chairman of the ASBC Competition Commission is a key person in Jordan's boxing life who is working hard to raise his country's possibilities in our sport together with Mr. Azzedine Aggoune who is their new head coach in the Jordan national boxing team and arrived from Algeria to improve their level.

Hussein Iashaish was in the Top8 at the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships in October and planning to get a gold in the upcoming event. Jordan's next boxer who could qualify to the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships was their veteran star Ihab Darweish Al-Matbouli who had injuries in Bangkok and also in Qatar but he has got also great plans in the upcoming event.

Before the Jordan International Boxing Tournament there will be a selection event for the host nation's elite women and men athletes.

After the Malaysian National Golden Gloves Championships the local boxing federation hosted the Malaysia Cup which was held in a small town in Bukit which is located south to Kuala Lumpur. The town is famous of its new boxing academy which could be a new progress in Malaysia's boxing life.



MOHAMED FUAD BIN REDZUAN AND KHIR AKYAZLAN BIN AZMI WERE THE STARS OF THE MALAYSIA CUP

AIBA One Star Referee & Judge Certification Course was held by Mr. Wyne Rose of Australia during the Malaysia Cup where besides to the 12 local R&Js, two Sri Lankans and two Indonesians also attended. In the boxing competition finally 71 athletes took part in nine weight classes in Bukit.

The first gold medal of the Malaysia Cup was achieved by their top boxer ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships quarter-finalist Mohamed Fuad Bin Mohamed Redzuan who was too strong for Muhammad Fikri Bin Mohamed Rahim in the final of the Light Flyweight class (49 kg). The 24-year-old boxer is member of the Malaysian national team since 2009 and aiming for the quota to the Rio 2016 Olympic Games.

Malaysia's second iconic boxer in their current national team is Southeast Asian

Games bronze medallist Khir Akyazlan Bin Azmi who joined to the national squad also in 2009 at the age of 17. He proved top performance once again at the Light Welterweight class (64 kg) where he was too strong for a newcomer athlete Mohamed Raziz Daud.

Mohamed Azuwan Mohamed Nor was silver medallist in the Malaysian National Golden Gloves Tournament two months ago but this time he could defeat Wong Lee Onn in the final of the Flyweight class (52 kg). Rajan Nadarajah is a not so experienced boxer at the Bantamweight class (56 kg) but he delivered the gold of the category following his sensational wins over Malaysian National Golden Gloves winner Mohamed Adli Tajuddin.

Mohammed Alnazirul Othman is member of the Malaysian national team since 2013 and took part in the

Commonwealth Games in Glasgow, Scotland last year. He defeated Mohamed Fouzen of Johor in the final of the Lightweight class (60 kg). Zainudin Abdul Rahman was silver medallist in the Malaysian National Golden Gloves Tournament in Kuching, Sarawak in September but the young Welterweight class (69 kg) boxer changed this medal into a brighter one after beating Malaysian National Games winner favourite Mohamed Khairul Bin Kalai in the gold medal bout.

Rudy Petrus has got experienced in the last two editions of the Southeast Asian Games therefore his final triumph over Wan Rizuan Wan Aziz was an expected result in the final of the Middleweight class (75 kg). Johor's prides such as Malaysian National Golden Gloves silver medallist Muhamad Alieshah and Adli Hafiz Pauzi won the last two finals of the Malaysia Cup in Bukit.



WINNERS IN THE MALAYSIA CUP

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| 49 kg: Mohamed Fuad Bin Mohamed Redzuan | 69 kg: Zainudin Abdul Rahman |
| 52 kg: Mohamed Azuwan Mohamed Nor | 75 kg: Rudy Petrus |
| 56 kg: Rajan Nadarajah | 81 kg: Muhamad Alieshah |
| 60 kg: Mohammed Alnazirul Othman | 91 kg: Adli Hafiz Pauzi |
| 64 kg: Khir Akyazlan Bin Azmi | |



Uzbekistan regained his place in the top nations of the world following their performance in the main events of 2015. Their boxers claimed nine medals at the ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships in Bangkok and record number of six podium places in the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships. Following these major competitions their National Boxing Championships was held in the ancient city of Samarkand.

YOUNG WINNERS IN THE UZBEK NATIONALS

Uzbekistan has been preparing to the Season VI of the World Series of Boxing where their franchise will be a new one and the event was a selection for that important league. Altogether 194 men boxers from 17 teams took part in the Uzbekistan National Boxing

Championships. City of Tashkent, Bukhara and Tashkent region were the bests in the event.

Uzbekistan's WSB star and defending ASBC Asian Champion Hasanboy Dusmatov was not enough satisfied with his performance

in the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships but that loss was in good time. The 22-year-old Light Flyweight class (49 kg) miniman delivered Andizhan's lone gold medal in Samarkand where he was too strong for Nodirjon Mirzaakhmedov while

Zhukov Memorial Tournament silver medallist Mironshokh Ibragimov and Samarkand's Akobir Rakhimkulov claimed the bronze medals.

Shakhobiddin Zoirov claimed three silvers in the recent three major Asian continental events in 2013, 2014 and this year. The 22-year-old Flyweight class (52 kg) boxer bagged gold in Samarkand where he had to beat a top rival Jasurbek Latipov who was silver medallist in the 2013 AIBA World Boxing Championships in Almaty. ASBC Asian Confederation Youth Boxing Championships silver medallist Mirazizbek Mirzakhilov and Chemistry Cup winner Abrorjon Kodirov took only bronze medals in Samarkand.

ASBC Asian Confederation Youth Boxing Championships bronze medallist Abdulkhay Shorakhmatov is only 19 but proved his top skills in the national event. The Bantamweight class (56 kg) boxer defeated Samarkand's lone finalist Sherbek Rakhmatullayev while former National Champion Sardorbek Muzaffarov achieved one of the bronze of the category.

Burgut Khodjibayev was involved to the national team as a junior still back in 2008 but he needed some years to reach the top level of the elite boxers. The 22-year-old boxer was silver medallist at the Chemistry Cup in Germany this July but in Samarkand he defeated all of his rivals including Ulugbek Dusmurodov in the final.

ASBC Asian Confederation Youth Boxing Championships bronze medallist Fazliddin Meliboyev had to meet in the final of the Light Welterweight class (64 kg) with Uzbekistan's best athlete who was born in 1997. AIBA Youth World Boxing Championships bronze medallist Ikboljon Kholdarov was the favourite of their bout but the 19-year-old Meliboyev was able to get his first elite title. Another teenager Youth National Games winner Jasurbek Akhmadjonov bagged bronze in Samarkand.

World University Champion Shakhram Giyasov moved up to the Welterweight class (69 kg) where he defeated Shopokov

Memorial Tournament winner super talented 19-year-old Makhmud Gaipov in the semi-final which meant his teenager rival could not defend his throne. The 22-year-old Giyasov also defeated for the gold Incheon 2014 Asian Games quarter-finalist Dostonbek Turdiyev who also moved up one category.

Ulugbek Hakberdiyev robbed into the world of boxing in 2013 when he won the Sidney Jackson Memorial Tournament and proved he is a powerful athlete. The 23-year-old boxer used his strength to beat WSB hope Khurshidbek Normatov in the final of the Middleweight class (75 kg) in Samarkand where Summer Universiade silver medallist national team member Azizbek Abdugofurov and Jaloledin Uktamov achieved bronze medals.

Sportaccord World Combat Games silver medallist Zukhriddin Makhkamov delivered the biggest sensation of the Uzbek National Boxing Championships in Samarkand. The 23-year-old Light Heavyweight class (81 kg) boxer defeated AIBA World Boxing Championships bronze medallist Oybek Mamazulunov in the semi-final and former ASBC Asian Champion Shukhrat Abdullayev for the gold.

Rustam Tulaganov is only 24 but he became the oldest winner of the Uzbek National Boxing Championships in Samarkand. He was too strong for former AIBA Junior World Champion Mirzobek Hasanov in the final while other two top boxers such as Singapore 2010 Youth Olympic Games silver medallist Sardorbek Begaliyev and WSB athlete Ramzjon Akhmedov claimed the bronze medals.

Bakhodir Jalolov claimed gold the in 2013 and in 2014 editions while he was able to get his third national title in Samarkand. The 21-year-old Super Heavyweight class (+91 kg) boxer was bronze medallist in the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships and used his physical advantage and height as weapon against talented Ulugbek Mubinov and two-time Asian Games competitor Mirzohidjon Abdullayev as well.



WINNERS IN THE UZBEKISTAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

49 kg: Hasanboy Dusmatov

52 kg: Shakhobiddin Zoirov

56 kg: Abdulkhay Shorakhmatov

60 kg: Burgut Khodjibayev

64 kg: Fazliddin Meliboyev

69 kg: Shakhram Giyasov

75 kg: Ulugbek Hakberdiyev

81 kg: Zukhriddin Makhkamov

91 kg: Rustam Tulaganov

+91 kg: Bakhodir Jalolov



STAR WUTTICHAH MASUK

DOMINATED THE THAILAND NATIONAL TOURNAMENT

The Thailand National Tournament was a seven days long competition short after the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships and several of their stars attended in the event in the end of the long season. Among the medallists in the AIBA events Supaporn Srisondee and Wuttichai Masuk claimed gold medals in the national event. The competition was also a first selection event for the upcoming qualification events which will be in the program before the Rio 2016 Olympic Games.

Thailand hosted the ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships two and half months ago in Bangkok and their athletes proved top performance in the entire year. The President of the Thailand Boxing Federation Mr. Pichai Chunhavajira not only focusing to the elite but the youth and junior age groups as well which directive is a new key point of their development.

The number of the participating elite women boxers was 70 in the competition in spite of the fact their current ASBC Asian Women's Champions Peamwilai Laopeam (54 kg) and Tassamalee Thongjan (57 kg) missed the event due their preparation for 2016. A newcomer Tapatsu Puttanasuknukul claimed the first gold medal of the tournament who won the Pinweight class (45 kg) of the women competition.

In the absence of AIBA Women's World Boxing Championships bronze medallist Chuthamat Raksat a new hope Aparporn Inthingsri won the Women's Light Flyweight class (48 kg) after beating Ploypilin Pladchusri. Tantip Wannaprom competed in the 2014 AIBA Women's Youth World Boxing Championships in Sofia, Bulgaria which was the qualification event for the Nanjing 2014 Youth Olympic Games. The 19-year-old talented boxer defeated Chuthamat Chitrapong in the final of the Flyweight class (51 kg) and secured her first national title in the elite level.

Three-time Southeast Asian Games winner Sopida Satumrum is member of the

national team since 2007 when she was only 17 therefore her gold medal at the Women's Bantamweight class (54 kg) was not a surprise. Ratchadaporn Saoto (57 kg) and Suthamat Khokchu (60 kg) are new winners in the women national events in Thailand.

Former ASBC Asian Confederation Women's Boxing Championships competitor Anusara Dusanthia is 24 and won the last two editions of the Thai National Games while she was able to continue that winning series in the new event as well. AIBA Women's World Boxing Championships bronze medallist Supaporn Srisondee attended in four different weight classes in the recent five years. The 24-year-old boxer fought at the Welterweight class (69 kg) in the Thailand National Tournament this time and defeated two national team members Rewadee Phonok and Kanokwan Taleungjit.

ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships competitors Samak Saehan and Yuranan Donkrathok were the favourites of the Light Flyweight class (49 kg) but the gold medal was achieved by Tawee Lapai. Kittipong Chareonroi advanced to the final of the Flyweight class (52 kg) where he was able to beat Pichitchai Kunsen while strong favourite Amarit Yaodam bagged only bronze in the event.

ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships bronze medallist Tanes Ongjunta had to meet in the final with rising hope Thanawut Petchkum who eliminated Agong Cup winner Artid Raruengmaemae in the semi-finals.

The 23-year-old boxer returned to the Bantamweight class (56 kg) and proved he is a top athlete in Thailand.

Tiwa Chanthakhampa eliminated Thailand National Games winner Weerachol Yotwichai in the semi-final and after that success he was too strong also for Sarayut Kongsopa in the gold medal bout of the Lightweight class (60 kg). The next gold medal was achieved by Yuttapong Sittichot (64 kg) who is near to the Thai top team after his continuous strong performance.

Defending ASBC Asian Champion and Asian Games winner Wuttichai Masuk moved up to the Welterweight class (69 kg) after his bronze medal at the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships. The 25-year-old boxer was in different level than Songpol Jinawan and claimed the gold medal in the strong tournament. Masuk has already qualified as lone Thai athlete to the Rio 2016 Olympic Games.

Aphisit Kanankhokhruea was quarter-finalist in the last edition of the ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships in Bangkok and qualified also to the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships. The 25-year-old Middleweight class (75 kg) boxer defeated Teerapong Dee in the final of the national tournament. Uthai Nachaitong eliminated one of the main favourite of the Light Heavyweight class (81 kg) Poolwirat Patithangkho in the quarter-finals and following that strong performance he defeated Kirati Tanan and Jakkrapong Yomkot as well.



WINNERS IN THE THAILAND NATIONAL TOURNAMENT

Women's 45 kg:	Tapatsu Puttanasuknukul	Men's 46 kg:	Suepbong Promdeur
Women's 48 kg:	Aparporn Inthingsri	Men's 49 kg:	Tawee Lapai
Women's 51 kg:	Tantip Wannaprom	Men's 52 kg:	Kittipong Chareonroi
Women's 54 kg:	Sopida Satumrum	Men's 56 kg:	Tanes Ongjunta
Women's 57 kg:	Ratchadaporn Saoto	Men's 60 kg:	Tiwa Chanthakhampa
Women's 60 kg:	Suthamat Khokchu	Men's 64 kg:	Yuttapong Sittichot
Women's 64 kg:	Anusara Dusanthia	Men's 69 kg:	Wuttichai Masuk
Women's 69 kg:	Supaporn Srison	Men's 75 kg:	Aphisit Kanankhokhruea
		Men's 81 kg:	Uthai Nachaitong

FAVOURITES WON IN THE KYRGYZ NATIONALS

The new edition of the Kyrgyzstan National Boxing Championships was held in the capital city in Bishkek where all of the favourites have been crowned in the high level competition. Four of the men titleholders were able to defend their thrones in the national event where almost all of their top boxers took part.



Turat Osmonov won his last national title in 2012 in spite of the fact he is one of the best boxer in Kyrgyzstan. The Incheon 2014 Asian Games bronze medallist defeated a top athlete Mirlan Turkbay Uulu and had to meet for the gold with Syrgak Dzhanseitov who eliminated defending National Champion Rakhmankul Avatov in the semi-final. The 22-year-old Osmonov regained his throne after beating his final opponent by unanimous decision.

In the absence of ASBC Asian Champion Azat Usenaliev the defending champion Zhanybek Musayev tried to do his best. The 21-year-old Flyweight class (52 kg) boxer claimed his third national title after 2013 and 2014. His final opponent was Noruzbek Nasirdinov who could not stop Musayev's attacks and suffered a loss to his talented rival.

ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships bronze medallist Omurbek Malabekov defeated in the

semi-final Kanatbek Abduvakhb Uulu who moved up to the Bantamweight class (56 kg). The 24-year-old WSB boxer had a height advantage against four years younger Sirodjiddin Abdullayev who was silver medallist in 2014. Malabekov not only won their battle but he received the Best Boxer Trophy of the National Boxing Championships of the Republic of Kyrgyzstan.

At the Lightweight class (60 kg) the two top Kyrgyz elite boxers had to meet each other once again. Meder Mamakeyev was member of the national top squad in 2013 while his main rival Akzhol Sulaymanbek Uulu boxed in the major tournaments for Kyrgyzstan in 2014 and this year. The aggressive Mamakeyev controlled their repeat match this time and defended his throne in Bishkek.

ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships bronze medallist Ermek Sakenov was not enough lucky in the recent major events, suffered tight losses

due bad circumstances. Kyrgyzstan's national pride did not compete in the last edition but this time the 28-year-old boxer was there in the event and defeated Daniyar Damirdin Uulu in the final of the Light Welterweight class (64 kg).

Bakyt Zhigitaliyev was near to do surprise in the last edition but his current skills were enough to do a sensational triumph in the semi-final. He eliminated defending champion and national team member 25-year-old Erkinbek Bolotbek Uulu in the last four and controlled his final against National Championships bronze medallist Ilyaz Mukanbetov at the Welterweight class (69 kg).

National team member Azamat Kanybek Uulu defeated ASBC Asian Confederation Youth Boxing Championships bronze medallist Abdusaid Masiumov in the semi-final and had to meet for the gold with Marat Abdykalykov. The experienced boxer defeated his younger rival in the final

which was a narrow one while talented Meder Stanbekov claimed bronze medal at the Middleweight class (75 kg).

Erkin Adylbek Uulu is a tall boxer who could qualify to the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships which was his career highlight. The 24-year-old boxer had to meet with a strong veteran in the final of the Light Heavyweight

class (81 kg) Ilyar Akhmetov but using his longer distance he could defend his throne in Bishkek.

Chyngyz Borbashev won several international events during his career and he is member of the national squad since 2004 therefore his experiences were enough to get another title in Bishkek. The Heavyweight class (91 kg) boxer

defeated ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships bronze medallist Sergei Parenko in a narrow fight which was their fifth battle in the recent two years. The last gold medal of the event was achieved by Shermukhammad Khakimov who moved up to the Super Heavyweight class (+91 kg) in 2014 and defeated Omurgazy Kalchayev of Talas.



WINNERS IN THE KYRGYZSTAN NATIONAL BOXING CHAMPIONSHIPS

49 kg: Turat Osmonov

52 kg: Zhanybek Musayev

56 kg: Omurbek Malabekov

60 kg: Meder Mamakeyev

64 kg: Ermek Sakenov

69 kg: Bakyt Zhigitaliyev

75 kg: Azamat Kanybek Uulu

81 kg: Erkin Adylbek Uulu

91 kg: Chyngyz Borbashev

+91 kg: Shermukhammad Khakimov



SIX BOXERS DEFENDED THEIR THRONES

IN THE 85TH ALL JAPAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 85th edition of the All Japan National Boxing Championships was held in the Mizusawa Gymnasium in Iwate Prefecture which is located in the northern area of the Honshu island. The competition was also a selection event for the major qualification events and actions which will be held in 2016. Six of the defending champions have been crowned once again while Ryomei Tanaka and Arashi Morisaka are their new heroes.

The Japanese men boxers are among the bests in the Asian continent and all of the experts are expecting to see improvement in the upcoming years when the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games will be on the focus. Three of their boxers qualified

to the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships but their head coach Mr. Hirokuni Moto is expecting more quota places to the Rio 2016 Olympic Games.

Tomoya Tsuboi is a new face in Japan's boxing life, his best result was a silver

medal at their Youth National Athletic Meeting one year ago. Since then he won their National Championships last December and qualified also to the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships where he won his opening bout. The

19-year-old Light Flyweight class (49 kg) boxer defeated Masataka Taniguchi in the semi-final and met with his main rival ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships bronze medallist Toshio Kashiwazaki in the gold medal bout. The final verdict was split decision to Tsuboi who proved he is among the best Asian talents in the lowest weight class.

Ryomei Tanaka joined to the elite national team this year and took part in the ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships in Bangkok as well. The 22-year-old Flyweight class (52 kg) boxer lost to Incheon 2014 Asian Games bronze medallist Shota Hayashida in the final of the last edition but this time he proved it much better. Tanaka eliminated Nanjing 2014 Youth Olympian 19-year-old Subaru Murata in the semi-final and defeated Nobuaki Kanazawa for the gold.

Arashi Morisaka is one of the youngest in the national team who proved his skills in the 85th All Japan National Boxing Championships. He took part in the 2011 AIBA Junior World Boxing Championships in Astana, Kazakhstan while since then he developed well enough. The 19-year-old Morisaka had to meet in the final of the Bantamweight class (56 kg) with ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships bronze medallist Kenji Fujita and delivered the biggest sensation of the event. Morisaka defeated his strong rival who won all of his contests in the Kanto University Boxing League.

ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships bronze medallist Daisuke Narimatsu is Japan's best boxer who could prepare well to the national event after the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships. Narimatsu eliminated Kenji Fujita's elder brother Yamato in the semi-final and continued the winning path against young Yuta Akiyama in the final of the Lightweight class (60 kg).

Japan's most experienced boxer Masatsugu Kawachi was bronze medallist at the 2007 AIBA World Boxing Championships in Chicago and competed in the Beijing 2008 Olympic Games as well. The 30-year-old Light Welterweight class (64 kg) boxer secured a bronze medal at the Incheon 2014 Asian Games and defeated Kazuki Saito in the final of the Light Welterweight class (64 kg) which was their repeat match. Kawachi defended his throne and kept his dreams alive to compete in the Rio 2016 Olympic Games.

London 2012 Olympian Yasuhiro Suzuki claimed bronze medal at the ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships in Bangkok and took part also in the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships. The 28-year-old Welterweight class (69 kg) boxer met with Ryuji Sato in the final of the event and used his height advantage to keep the distance. Suzuki's previous experiences were enough to defeat his younger rival and he could also defend his throne.

Makoto Takahashi is not enough tall at the Middleweight class (75 kg) but his fighting spirit and style are amazing to get big results in boxing. His aggressive style delivered for him a gold medal in the 85th edition of the All Japan National Boxing Championships. He stopped 18-year-old Ren Umemura in the semi-final and proved his best against national team member Ryota Hamasaki in the gold medal bout.

The Light Heavyweight class (81 kg) is a new category in Japan's boxing life and 21-year-old Mitsuro Brendon Tajima, who was born in Brazil but his father is Japanese, claimed the gold medal of the category after 2014 as well. He stopped Hisaki Takakura in the semi-final and also was too strong for Katsuya Tamayama in the gold medal bout. The talented Tajima defended his throne and looking for his first international competition in 2016.



WINNERS IN THE 85th ALL JAPAN NATIONAL BOXING CHAMPIONSHIPS

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| Men's 49 kg: | Tomoya Tsuboi | Men's 64 kg: | Masatsugu Kawachi |
| Men's 52 kg: | Ryomei Tanaka | Men's 69 kg: | Yasuhiro Suzuki |
| Men's 56 kg: | Arashi Morisaka | Men's 75 kg: | Makoto Takahashi |
| Men's 60 kg: | Daisuke Narimatsu | Men's 81 kg: | Mitsuro Brendon Tajima |

WOMEN BOXING WAS A BIG SUCCESS IN THE CHINESE TAIPEI NATIONAL GAMES

Chinese Taipei hosted the 2015 AIBA Women's Youth & Junior World Boxing Championships on May where their young hopes proved to the globe's top athletes they are enough strong to join to the medal contenders.

Chinese Taipei's woman boxing life turned to a new era in the recent years and their new national competition delivered highest possible level. Altogether 16 elite ladies and 79 men boxers took part in the Chinese Taipei National Games in the city of Taipei where the competition was held in 13 weight classes. The competition was also the first selection event for the major goals of 2016 when several Olympic qualifiers to be scheduled.

Former AIBA Women's Youth World Champion Lin Yu Ting will be turning to 20 later this year but she is member of the national team since three and half years. Their top talent defeated Chuang Kai Ting in the final of the Women's Flyweight class (51 kg) and continued her dominance in the national events.

AIBA Women's World Boxing Championships quarter-finalist Chen Weng Ling began boxing at the age of 14 and she had enough strength to win the Women's Lightweight class (60 kg) in the Chinese Taipei National Games. The

23-year-old southpaw defeated national team member young Gao Yu Min in the semi-final and continued her winning path against strong Chiu Ching Ya in the gold medal bout.

AIBA Women's Youth World Boxing Championships quarter-finalist Wu Pei Yi moved up two weight classes in the recent months to box in an Olympic category. The 19-year-old Middleweight class (75 kg) boxer, who trains in the National Chiayi University, used aggressive style against Lin Li Wei and secured the third women's gold medal in Taipei.

Former ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships bronze medallist 27-year-old Yang Yu Ting returned to the world of boxing after a break and dominated all of his fights in the Men's Middleweight class (75 kg). Chinese Taipei's best male boxer defeated national team member Yeh Chin An in the semi-final and Yang Meng Yen in the gold medal bout which meant he returned to the top of his weight category.



Lin Yu Che is member of their national team since 2011 and triumphed over Po Fu Kuei in the final of the Men's Bantamweight class (56 kg) which bout was a top one. Another national team member boxer Lai Chu En defeated Chiang Lien Yao in the final of the Lightweight class (60 kg) and secured his place for later actions.

Asian Games competitor 26-year-old Chang Wei Jen had to meet in the final with his main local rival Pan Hung Ming but the gold medal of the Light Welterweight class (64 kg) delivered to him. Chinese Taipei's another top male boxer Su Chin Cheng was in different level than Chien Cheng Yang in the final of the Welterweight class (69 kg) and claimed his next national title in Taipei.

The further gold medal winners in the men competition of the National Games were Chen Tsung Chun (49 kg), Chen Yao Chun (52 kg), Chiu Yi Chun (81 kg), Liu Tai Chun (91 kg) and Chiu Yu Chuan (+91 kg).



WINNERS IN THE CHINESE TAIPEI NATIONAL GAMES

Women's 51 kg:	Lin Yu Ting	Men's 49 kg:	Chen Tsung Chun
Women's 60 kg:	Chen Weng Ling	Men's 52 kg:	Chen Yao Chun
Women's 75 kg:	Wu Pei Yi	Men's 56 kg:	Lin Yu Che
		Men's 60 kg:	Lai Chu En
		Men's 64 kg:	Chang Wei Jen
		Men's 69 kg:	Su Chin Cheng
		Men's 75 kg:	Yang Yu Ting
		Men's 81 kg:	Chiu Yi Chun
		Men's 91 kg:	Liu Tai Chun
		Men's +91 kg:	Chiu Yu Chuan



Indonesia is even more active in the boxing map in comparison to their commitment in the previous years. The local federation hosted a big selection tournament in Ambon which is located in the Maluku region of the big country. Two of their previous women stars such as Selly Wanimbo and Welmi Pariama returned to the world of boxing and claimed gold medals in Ambon.

WANIMBO AND PARIAMA RETURNED IN THE INDONESIAN NATIONAL EVENT IN AMBON

Indonesia delivered great results in the President's Cup in April and also good performance in the Singapore 2015 Southeast Asian Games in June. Kornelis Kwangu Langu could attend in the AIBA Pro Boxing and after the Doha 2015 AIBA World Boxing Championships he needed some rest and did not participate in the event in Ambon.

Women boxing developed well in Indonesia in the recent years and some of their athletes could be join to the bests in Asia. Selly Wanimbo took part in the 2008 AIBA Women's World Boxing Championships in Ningbo City, China and returned to the trainings. In their national event in Ambon she defeated Ona Paays in the final of the Women's Light Flyweight class (48 kg) and claimed the first gold medal of the tournament.

Her teammate Welmi Pariama also attended in that global event seven years ago and still on the top in Indonesia. The

24-year-old boxer moved up to the Light Welterweight class (64 kg) and dominated all of her fights in Ambon. Maluku claimed two gold medals in the women event: Femmy Benamen and Julianna Patty who eliminated Southeast Asian Games bronze medallist Magdalena Kambayong in the semi-final and she was also too strong for Nurhikma in the final. Julianna Patty stopped her opponent in the final still in the opening round after her lethal punches.

Maluku's Rocep Souhoka claimed the first gold medal of the men's competition in Ambon where he defeated Asrul Sudin in the final of the Pinweight class (46 kg). Former National Champion 22-year-old Irfan Tentonda and Novli Engkeng are younger hopes but proved their skills in the recent years and won their weight classes also in Ambon.

Julius and Ralin Lumoly are two top athletes in Indonesia and the brothers delivered two gold medals to their family

in Ambon. Southeast Asian Games bronze medallist Erico Amanupunyo eliminated National Champion Lodewijk Batlayeri in the semi-finals and also proved top performance against Jusmin Hasan in the gold medal bout.

Maluku's Bram Betaubun eliminated national team member and former Southeast Asian Games winner Alex Tatontos in the semi-finals and he was also too strong for Daniel Seum in the gold medal bout of the Middleweight class. Betaubun knocked down his final opponent in the third round and the referee stopped their contest before the final bell.

Taufan Paransa moved up to the Light Heavyweight class (81 kg) and won the category after beating a veteran athlete, David Iskiwar for the gold. The last gold medal of the event was achieved by an experienced boxer Timotius Rumpaidus who won the Heavyweight class (91 kg) in Ambon.



WINNERS IN AMBON

Women's 48 kg:	Selly Wanimbo	Men's 46 kg:	Rocep Souhoka
Women's 51 kg:	Femmy Benamen	Men's 49 kg:	Irfan Tentonda
Women's 54 kg:	Ratna Sari Devi	Men's 52 kg:	Novli Engkeng
Women's 57 kg:	Ildawaty	Men's 56 kg:	Julius Lumoly
Women's 60 kg:	Julianna Patty	Men's 60 kg:	Orlando Limahelu
Women's 64 kg:	Welmi Pariama	Men's 64 kg:	Ralin Lumoly
		Men's 69 kg:	Erico Amanupunyo
		Men's 75 kg:	Bram Betaubun
		Men's 81 kg:	Taufan Paransa
		Men's 91 kg:	Timotius Rumpaidus



DHARMASENA AND KUMARASINGHE ARE THE BESTS IN THE LAYTON CUP

The Layton Cup has finished in the capital city of Sri Lanka in Colombo which competition was a selection event for the host nation's boxers to the later major actions. Director General Department of Sports Development Ministry of Sports K.D.S. Ruwanchandra was the special guest of the Layton Cup.

Two Sri Lankan boxers are taking part in the Tammer Tournament in Tampere, Finland now who could not attend in the Layton Cup. Seven among the twenty winners defended their titles in the Layton Cup where MAS Southern BC was the best among the women and the Sri Lankan Army reached the top among the men competition.

Women boxing is in developing stage in Sri Lanka where their current national team contains experienced boxers. Their top boxer AIBA Women's World Boxing Championships quarter-finalist Anusha Dilrukshi Kodituwakku boxed at the Flyweight class (51 kg) this time and won the gold medal at the Olympic category.

Two national team members Mohoti Mudiyanseelage Viushika Prabadi and Kasthuri Keshani Hansika Arachchige of MAS Southern BC fought for the gold medal at the Lightweight class (60 kg). The 23-year-old Prabadi defeated her teammate in the final which means she has got chance to fight in the international level in 2016.

Galbokka Hewage Thanuja Nilakshi Dharmasena moved up to the Middleweight class (75 kg) where she could win her next title while she was awarded also the Best Woman Boxer trophy. Incheon 2014 Asian Games quarter-finalist and two-time Layton Cup winner Kaluhath Erandi Gimhani De Silva also won her weight class and proved she is among the best Sri Lankan women boxers.

The Best Men Boxer of the Layton Cup was Ruwangala Gedara Sisira Kumarasinghe who had to meet for the gold with his old rival Samith Arachchilage Heelbathdeniya. The 30-year-old Welterweight class (69 kg) boxer won a contest also in the ASBC Asian Confederation Boxing Championships in Bangkok therefore his experiences were enough to beat all of his rivals in the Layton Cup.

Layton Cup winner 23-year-old Pallahan Muthurawellage Thuwanka Sandaruwan Ranasinghe defended his throne at the Light Flyweight class (49 kg) where he defeated

Adikari Mudiyanseelage Amila Nuwan. Bandara Widanelage Ishan Ranjeewa Senavirathne was silver medallist in the Sri Lankan National Championships but this time he was able to get a brighter one and crowned in Colombo.

W. Ruwan Thilina Weerakoddi is 27 now and had enough bouts during his career to win the gold medal at the Bantamweight class (56 kg). President's Cup bronze medallist Gayan Sanjeewa Jayaweera Naiduralage turned to 24 this year but he is one of the top boxer of the country. He won all of the Layton Cup since 2011 and following his triumph over 23-year-old Dinidu Saparamadu Jayaweera could get his fifth title in the history of the event.

P.M.B. Rodrigo is a newcomer in the elite age group and surprisingly he could defeat national team member Mohamed Younus Dilshan at the Light Welterweight class (64 kg). Mailawa A. Diwarathna and Gallage Ajith Nevil Fernando are veterans who could win their weight classes in the Layton Cup. A.R.B.E. Thilakarathne lost to Doha International Tournament silver medallist Lahiru Tharanga B. Rathnadiwakara in the final of the Sri Lankan National Championships who was not enough shape this time and suffered a loss to his older rival.



WINNERS IN THE LAYTON CUP

Women's 48 kg: Kaluhath Erandi Gimhani De Silva

Women's 51 kg: Anusha Dilrukshi Kodituwakku

Women's 54 kg: K.K.I.T. Perera

Women's 57 kg: Krismi Ayoma Dulanjani Dharmathilaka

Women's 60 kg: Mohoti Mudiyanseelage Viushika Prabadi

Women's 64 kg: J.V.P. Jayasekara

Women's 69 kg: G.D.L. Sadakelum

Women's 75 kg: Galbokka Hewage Thanuja Nilakshi Dharmasena

Women's 81 kg: P.D.N.N. Jayarathna

Women's +81 kg: T.M. Weerasinghe

Men's 49 kg: Pallahan Muthurawellage Thuwanka Sandaruwan Ranasinghe

Men's 52 kg: Bandara Widanelage Ishan Ranjeewa Senavirathne

Men's 56 kg: W. Ruwan Thilina Weerakoddi

Men's 60 kg: Gayan Sanjeewa Jayaweera Naiduralage

Men's 64 kg: P.M.B. Rodrigo

Men's 69 kg: Ruwangala Gedara Sisira Kumarasinghe

Men's 75 kg: Mailawa A. Diwarathna

Men's 81 kg: Gallage Ajith Nevil Fernando

Men's 91 kg: J.P.N.N. Jayaweera

Men's +91 kg: A.R.B.E. Thilakarathne

YOUNG STARS SHINED

IN THE CHINESE TAIPEI NATIONAL PRESIDENT'S CUP

After the Chinese Taipei National Games their National President's Cup was held in Taipei where the event was scheduled for elite, youth and junior age groups. Women and men boxers also were able to take part in the biggest national event of Chinese Taipei where boxing is a developing sport.

Taipei hosted the AIBA Women's Youth/Junior World Boxing Championships on May and their hopes claimed medals in that global event. Chinese Taipei's elite women boxers also did well in the recent one year, achieving podium places in the important international competitions in Asia and also in Europe.

In the women elite age group Taipei City Cup bronze medallist Hsieh Meng Chun won the first gold medal of the President's Cup and defended her title. AIBA Women's Youth World Championships silver medallist Huang Hsiao Wen returned from the Balkan Women's Tournament with a gold to Taipei and continued her winning path at home where she won the Bantamweight class (54 kg) using her height advantage against her rivals.

AIBA Women's Youth World Champion Lin Yu Ting moved up two weight classes but her efforts were enough to win the Featherweight class (57 kg) in the President's Cup. Chen Mei Ling was silver medallist in the last edition of the Chinese

Taipei National President's Cup one year ago but this time she was crowned at the Lightweight class (60 kg). Their Welterweight class (69 kg) No.1 Chen Chia Chun defended her throne.

Nanjing 2014 Youth Olympic Games silver medallist 18-year-old Chen Nien Chien is the main future star of the developing country who could beat all of her rivals at home and achieved the gold medal at the Olympic Middleweight class (75 kg) in spite of the fact she took part also in the Balkan Women's Tournament in Bulgaria just before the event. Talented Wu Shih Yi lost to star Huang Hsiao Wen in the final one year ago but now she delivered the best performance in the women youth age group.

The best men boxer of the country Yang Yu Ting returned to the world of boxing during their National Games which was held only a few weeks ago. The 27-year-old Middleweight class (75 kg) boxer returned with gold medal on that important event but due his preparations

to the main goals in 2016 he could not fight in the President's Cup.

Youth President's Cup winner 19-year-old Lin Hung Ta defeated the main gold medal favourite of the Light Flyweight class (49 kg) Tu Po Wei in the semi-final and continued the winning path against Lin Jui Hsien in the gold medal bout. Strong Lai Yen Chen moved up to the Light Welterweight class (64 kg) but he was able to win his next title in the President's Cup over the weekend.

Tseng Sheng Hao is an experienced man boxer who defeated Lin Cheng Kai in the final of the Welterweight class (69 kg). Yeh Chin An moved back to his original category to the Light Heavyweight class (81 kg) and repeated his triumph at the President's Cup after the 2014 edition. Chiu Yu Chuan went down to the Heavyweight class (91 kg) but he also won that category after his success in 2014.

Chinese Taipei's biggest future hope could be AIBA Junior World Boxing Championships bronze medallist 18-year-old Jan Chun Hsien who was too strong for all of his rivals at the Youth Flyweight class (52 kg) including defending champion Hsu Yu Fa. Kan Chia Wei also proved strong performance in the Youth Middleweight class (75 kg) and defended his throne in the President's Cup.



WINNERS IN THE CHINESE TAIPEI NATIONAL PRESIDENT'S CUP

Women's 48 kg:	Hsieh Meng Chun	Men's 49 kg:	Lin Hung Ta
Women's 51 kg:	Li Chia Fen	Men's 52 kg:	Lin Yu Ting
Women's 54 kg:	Huang Hsiao Wen	Men's 56 kg:	Lin Yu Chun
Women's 57 kg:	Lin Yu Ting	Men's 60 kg:	Hung Chia Ching
Women's 60 kg:	Chen Mei Ling	Men's 64 kg:	Lai Yen Chen
Women's 64 kg:	Lin Li Wei	Men's 69 kg:	Tseng Sheng Hao
Women's 69 kg:	Chen Chia Chun	Men's 75 kg:	Chung Yung Cheng
Women's 75 kg:	Chen Nien Chin	Men's 81 kg:	Yeh Chin An
Women's 81 kg:	Mai Chih Hsiang	Men's 91 kg:	Chiu Yu Chuan
Women's +81 kg:	Chen Yu Fang	Men's +91 kg:	Ting Yu Che

NEW YOUTH STARS SHINE IN THE ZHETYSU YOUTH CUP

Kazakhstan's main international youth tournament the Zhetysu Youth Cup was held in the city of Taldykorgan which is located in the Almaty region of the huge country. Kazakhstan claimed nine gold medals in the event while their strong neighbouring country Uzbekistan took one top position in the Zhetysu Youth Cup.

Boxers who were born in 1998 and in 1999 were eligible to compete in the Zhetysu Youth Cup which means the tournament was scheduled for the boxers who will be in the youth age group in 2016. ASBC Asian Confederation Youth Boxing Championships and AIBA Youth World Boxing Championships will be held in 2016 and these athletes can take part there.

The competition was held in eleven weight classes as the local organizers still added the 46 kg weight class where Almaty region's Daulet Aytkozhanov claimed the first gold medal of the tournament. Kazakhstan's Serikov Youth Tournament winner Vasiliy Samchuk, who trains in the city of Shakhtinsk, lost

to Orazbek Asylkulov in the final of the Bekzat Sattarkhanov Youth Memorial Tournament but this time the result of their contest was the opposite.

Rayimbek Tursynbay moved up two weight classes since January but he was able to defend his throne in the Zhetysu Youth Cup. The 17-year-old boxer defeated Ernest Kokombayev in the final of the Flyweight class (52 kg) while Uzbekistan's Youth National Champion tough Javlonbek Eshmatov and Kyrgyzstan's ASBC Asian Confederation Junior Boxing Championships bronze medallist Fatkhidin Khamroyev secured bronze medals in the strong competition.



WINNERS IN THE ZHETYSU YOUTH CUP

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| 46 kg: Daulet Aytkozhanov, Kazakhstan | 69 kg: Oleg Matveychuk, Kazakhstan |
| 49 kg: Vasiliy Samchuk, Kazakhstan | 75 kg: Akimzhan Yerzhanuly, Kazakhstan |
| 52 kg: Rayimbek Tursynbay, Kazakhstan | 81 kg: Yerasyr Serikov, Kazakhstan |
| 56 kg: Nurlan Konirbay, Kazakhstan | 91 kg: Shokhruz Rakhimov, Uzbekistan |
| 60 kg: Azat Sekhimbayev, Kazakhstan | +91 kg: Rustem Bayeshev, Kazakhstan |
| 64 kg: Ayatulla Takizhanov, Kazakhstan | |

Kazakhstan's Nurlan Konirbay was too strong for Uzbekistan's 17-year-old Sanjar Soliyev in the final of the Bantamweight class (56 kg) which delivered the third gold medal of the host nation. Kazakhstan's Azat Sekhimbayev proved his skills once again when he defeated Kyrgyzstan's Junior National Champion 16-year-old Mayrambek Kaykiyev in the final of the Lightweight class (60 kg) which was a spectacular battle.

Ayatulla Takizhanov of Pavlodar secured the next gold medal in the Zhetysu Youth Cup where he defeated his younger opponent, ASBC Asian Confederation Junior Boxing Championships bronze medallist Aybol Zhambirbay of Almaty Region. Oleg Matveychuk, who trains also

in the Almaty Region, defeated Zhasulan Alpamish of Taraz while Uzbekistan's ASBC Asian Confederation Junior Boxing Championships silver medallist Dilshodbek Ruzmetov claimed only bronze medal in the Welterweight class (69 kg).

Rising hope Akimzhan Yerzhanuly defeated Kazakh Youth National Championships quarter-finalist Andrei Koshanchik in the final of the Middleweight class (75 kg) while Karagandy's Miroshnichenko Junior Tournament bronze medallist Amir Makhmetov claimed only a bronze medal this time.

Uzbekistan's first finalist was their Youth National Championships silver medallist Muronshokh Mavlonov who defeated by Kazakhstan's Yerasyr Serikov in the final

of the Light Heavyweight class (81 kg) while China's Xinjiang-based 16-year-old Maimaiti Maierdan secured a valuable bronze in the event.

Uzbekistan's current Youth National Champion 17-year-old Shokhruz Rakhimov won their lone gold medal in the event. The Heavyweight class (91 kg) boxer was too strong for Kazakhstan's Dulat Alkenov in the final while China's Rimola, who bagged bronze in Taldykorgan, shocked Uzbekistan's defending ASBC Asian Junior Champion Profsor Rorimsha in the preliminary stage of the event. Karagandy-based Rustem Bayeshev, who took part in the 2014 Heydar Aliyev Junior Cup in Baku, defeated his teammate Ontalap Rakhmanov in the last final of the Zhetysu Youth Cup.



FIVE NEW CHAMPIONS IN THE UZBEK YOUTH NATIONAL CUP

Uzbekistan had two youth national events in 2015 the first in February, the second in September while their National Boxing Federation decided to host a third competition for the boxers who were born 1998 and in 1999 to give them chance to show their skills before 2016 when AIBA and ASBC both will be hosting championships for this age group.

The Uzbekistan Youth National Cup was held in the city of Ferghana which is located near to the border of Kyrgyzstan and Tajikistan as well. Republican College of Olympic Reserve, host Ferghana and Tashkent region claimed two gold medals in the event, while Andizhan, city of Tashkent, Samarkand, Bukhara and Namangan all secured one gold medal in the important event.

Farhodjon Jabborzoda of Bukhara is a new face in the youth age group but he could win the opening gold medal of the Uzbek Youth National Cup after beating Yochinbek Shovurodov of Jizzakh at the Pinweight class (46 kg). The bronze medals were achieved by newcomers such as Abdumutol Abdurazakov and Abduvokhit Marupkhonov.

Jakhongir Baltabayev delivered the first sensation of the national event when he defeated the favourite of the Light Flyweight class (49 kg) Otabek Kholmatov in the final which was a repeat final after their last one in September. Kholmatov was the winner of their contest in September while now Republican College of Olympic Reserve's Jakhongir Baltabayev was able to do revenge.

Rakhmatulla Kuziyev of Namangan also delivered a great surprise at the Flyweight class (52 kg) where he demonstrated his

power against ASBC Asian Confederation Junior Boxing Championships silver medallist Oybek Jurayev. Zoirjon Jumanazarov of Tashkent region defeated favourite Shunkor Abdurasulov in the final of the Bantamweight class (56 kg) while ASBC Asian Junior Champion Murodjon Aliyev claimed only bronze medal in Ferghana.

AIBA Junior World Champion and ASBC Asian Junior Champion Bilolbek Mirzarakhimov moved up one weight class since his last appearance. He lost to Heydar Aliyev Junior Cup silver medallist Bekhruz Rakhmonov in the final of the Uzbek Junior National Championships in Bekabad one and half year ago but on their repeat match Mirzarakhimov was better than his older rival. Abu Nuronov won the Uzbek Junior National Championships in 2014 and bagged his second title after beating Farrukh Ilkhomov.

Ulugbek Sobirov competed in several international events this year following his gold at the Uzbek Youth National Championships in February. Andizhan's new pride defeated ASBC Asian Junior Champion Yakhyokhon Saidkhonov in the final of the Welterweight class (69 kg) while Junior National Champion Dilshodbek Ruzmetov secured bronze in Ferghana.

Shokhrukhbek Rustamov could fight on absolutely home soil as he has been training in Ferghana. The 17-year-old Middleweight class (75 kg) boxer was silver medallist in their National Championships in September which changed now into a brighter one. He defeated Junior National Championships bronze medallist Shakhzod Mauzerov in the semi-final and Ozod Davurov in the gold medal bout.

Jamshid Abdullayev was not enough experienced yet in the previous competitions but this time he was more than well-prepared. Abdullayev secured Ferghana's second gold medal in the event after beating two-time Uzbek Youth National Champion Sanjar Tursunov who was the main favourite of the Light Heavyweight class (81 kg).

Defending Uzbek Youth National Champion Shakhruz Rakhimov robbed into the country's boxing life in 2014 when he claimed silver at their Junior National Championships. The 17-year-old boxer defeated Governor Junior Cup silver medallist Abboskhon Mirzaabdullayev in the semi-final and he was also too strong for ASBC Asian Junior Champion Profsor Rorimsha in the final of the Heavyweight class (91 kg).

Abdulla Khudorganov and Alisher Dustov met in the recent two years several times in the Uzbek national events among the juniors. The Uzbek Junior National Champion Khudorganov eliminated Abdulaziz Mukhammadaminov in the semi-final and his main rival Dustov for the gold of the Super Heavyweight class (+91 kg).



WINNERS IN THE UZBEK YOUTH NATIONAL CUP

46 kg: Farhodjon Jabborzoda

49 kg: Jakhongir Baltabayev

52 kg: Rakhmatulla Kuziyev

56 kg: Zoirjon Jumanazarov

60 kg: Bilolbek Mirzarakhimov

64 kg: Abu Nuronov

69 kg: Ulugbek Sobirov

75 kg: Shokhrukhbek Rustamov

81 kg: Jamshid Abdullayev

91 kg: Shakhruz Rakhimov

+91 kg: Abdulla Khudorganov



FUTURE STARS SHINE

IN THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL GAMES U15 MINDANAO LEG

The upcoming Philippine National Games could be one of the most anticipated sport event of the country in 2016 and to qualify to that strong event is not an easy one. Philippines has got great traditions in boxing and their current stars are among the bests in the Asian continent therefore the best coaches of the country were there in Koronadal City at the Philippine National Games U15 Mindanao Leg Qualifiers to find new top talents.

The competition was held for the U15 age groups which was part of the Mindanao Leg of the Philippine National Games. The competition was taken place in the city of Koronadal which is located in Southern region of Mindanao. The island of Mindanao is one of the strongest region in boxing in the Philippines where the number of the athletes is huge.

The Mindanao Leg Qualifiers was scheduled for schoolboys/schoolgirls age group and for kids also in Koronadal City. Schoolboys and schoolgirls were from

the 2001-2002 age groups while the kids level meant the youngsters who were born in 2003 or in 2004. These talented boxers could be on the top in their career in the 2024 Olympic Games.

One of their top woman talent Shirrlyn Gil Napoles came from a boxing family where her elder brothers are boxers and among them Ranjo Gil is member of the junior national squad of the Philippines. The 14-year-old Bantamweight class (54 kg) boxer defeated all of her rivals in the event and secured a title. Deborah Grace Bustamenta (44 kg) and Jeane

Raciel Boley (50 kg) were the further gold medallist of the schoolgirls age group.

Jhon Charel Rosas claimed the first gold medal of the Mindanao Leg Qualifiers in Koronadal City in the kids age group. John Vincent Pangga and his elder brother 14-year-old James Ian Pangga delivered great successes for their parents following their titles in the event. Both talents shined in the front of the watchful eyes of the Philippine coaches.

Carl Jhon Austria and Christian Austria are also brothers who proved their very bests in the competition. Both talented young hopes won their weight classes in Koronadal City, Carl in the kids age group while 14-year-old Christian among the schoolboys. Eight boxers have been crowned in the schoolboys age group where Dexter Louie Racoma (42 kg) and Jefferson Calinawan (44 kg) both proved their talents in the event.



WINNERS IN KORONADAL CITY

Kids 30 kg: Jhon Charel Rosas	Schoolboys 40 kg: James Ian Pangga
Kids 32 kg: Jericho Acaylar	Schoolboys 42 kg: Dexter Louie Racoma
Kids 34 kg: Carl Jhon Austria	Schoolboys 44 kg: Jefferson Calinawan
Kids 36 kg: Myrwen Aballe	Schoolboys 46 kg: Ar-Jay Recopelacion
Kids 38 kg: John Vincent Pangga	Schoolboys 48 kg: John Ednoel Prevendido
Schoolgirls 44 kg: Deborah Grace Bustamenta	Schoolboys 50 kg: Kim Delmar Macaangga
Schoolgirls 50 kg: Jeane Raciel Boley	Schoolboys 52 kg: Christian Austria
Schoolgirls 54 kg: Shirrlyn Gil Napoles	Schoolboys 54 kg: Jet Bruce Fornes



UPCOMING EVENTS IN DECEMBER

2-7 DECEMBER

Vakhitov Memorial Tournament, Pavlodar, Kazakhstan

3-7 DECEMBER

Rio Test Event, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

8-12 DECEMBER

Clifford Cup, Colombo, Sri Lanka

16-21 DECEMBER

Jordan International Boxing Tournament, Amman, Jordan

16-22 DECEMBER

Galym Zharylgapov Memorial Tournament, Karagandy, Kazakhstan

20-23 DECEMBER

Japanese Women's National Boxing Championships, Osaka, Japan

24-30 DECEMBER

Penang Pesta International Tournament, Penang, Malaysia

