

PBC'S INAUGURAL EVENT ON PRIME VIDEO KICKS OFF WITH TWO ACTION-PACKED MATCHUPS ON SATURDAY, MARCH 30

Rising Middleweight Star Elijah Garcia Takes on Contender Kyrone Davis

Plus WBC Flyweight World Champion Julio Cesar Martinez Battles Unbeaten Contender Angelino Cordova

PBC on Prime Video Streams Live and for Free at 6 p.m. ET/3 p.m. PT from T-Mobile Arena in Las Vegas &

Leads Up to Pay-Per-View Event at 8 p.m. ET/5 p.m. PT
Headlined by Keith Thurman vs. Tim Tszyu &
Rolando Romero vs. Isaac Cruz Showdowns

LAS VEGAS – February 13, 2024 – Two showdowns featuring a rising star in his toughest test to date and a flyweight world champion against an undefeated contender will highlight the first PBC on Prime Video show taking place Saturday, March 30 from T-Mobile Arena in Las Vegas. The two matchups will be available via free access to all fans, regardless of Prime membership or purchase of the PPV card.

The live streaming presentation will be topped by rising middleweight **Elijah Garcia** taking on contender **Kyrone** "**Shut It Down**" **Davis** in a 10-round attraction, and will also feature WBC Flyweight World Champion **Julio Cesar Martinez** defending his world title against unbeaten contender **Angelino Cordova** to kick off the action at 6 p.m. ET/3 p.m. PT.

These bouts will lead into the inaugural four-fight PBC Pay-Per-View available on Prime Video beginning at 8 p.m. ET/5 p.m. PT and topped by two-time world champion Keith "One Time" Thurman dueling rising star and reigning world champion Tim Tszyu in the main event, plus WBA Super Lightweight World Champion Rolando "Rolly" Romero and Mexican star Isaac "Pitbull" Cruz meeting in the co-main event.

Rounding out the pay-per-view lineup is Cuban star and reigning WBA Middleweight World Champion **Erislandy "The American Dream" Lara** defending his belt against No. 1 rated mandatory challenger **Michael Zerafa**, plus all-action super welterweight sensation **Sebastian "The Towering Inferno" Fundora** meeting streaking contender **Serhii Bohachuk** for the vacant WBC Super Welterweight World Championship in the pay-per-view opener. In addition to the PPV being available for purchase on Prime Video, regardless of Prime membership, fans will also be able to continue to access the PPV telecast through traditional cable and satellite outlets.

Tickets for the live event, which is promoted by TGB Promotions, are available now through AXS.com. The main event is promoted in association with No Limit Boxing.

"PBC on Prime Video is coming out of the gate strong with two matchups that promise intrigue and fireworks on March 30 at T-Mobile Arena," said Tom Brown, President of TGB Promotions. "One of 2023's breakout stars, Elijah Garcia is continuing to take big steps in his career against the highly-skilled and tough as nails Kyrone Davis. Adding in Mexican flyweight world champion Julio Cesar Martinez against the highly-motivated and undefeated Angelino Cordova and fight fans will be in for non-stop drama in the sport's first big Las Vegas event of 2024."

ELIJAH GARCIA VS. KYRONE DAVIS

Looking to stamp his 160-pound contender status after a huge 2023 campaign, the 20-year-old **Elijah Garcia** will return for a 10-round showdown against tough middleweight contender **Kyrone "Shut It Down" Davis**, who can make his own name at middleweight with a signature victory on March 30.

Fighting out of Phoenix, Arizona, Garcia (16-0, 13 KOs) earned three impressive victories in 2023, kicking off his year last March with a knockout of the previously unbeaten Amilcar Vidal. He followed that up with a pair of performances on the undercards of two of the biggest events of the year, first defeating Kevin Salgado on the Gervonta Davis vs. Ryan Garcia pay-per-view in April before knocking out Armando Resendiz on the Canelo Alvarez vs. Jermell Charlo pay-per-view in September. The precocious Garcia has moved fast since turning pro in 2020 and has knocked out seven of his last nine opponents.

"I'm excited to be back in the ring, especially on this first event with PBC and Prime Video," said Garcia. "Fighting on these major events is an incredible blessing and I plan on delivering another great performance. Kyrone Davis has been in the ring with some very good fighters, and it will be a challenging fight, but my plan is to get the win by any means necessary. The fans are going to see an incredible night of boxing on March 30 and everyone should be tuning in."

The 29-year-old Davis (18-3-1, 6 KOs) picked up two victories in 2023, dominating Cristian Fabian Rios in January before scoring a unanimous decision over Cruse Stewart in December. Those victories came after a run that saw Davis battle two-time champion Anthony Dirrell to a draw in February 2021, before stepping in as a late replacement two fights later to drop a hard-fought contest against super middleweight superstar David Benavidez. An amateur standout representing Wilmington, Delaware, Davis trains in Philadelphia under the tutelage of top trainer Stephen "Breadman" Edwards.

"Elijah Garcia is a very good fighter who's young and hungry and he looks the part, but most importantly he's been moved right," said Davis. "Sometimes you can look better than you really are if you're being moved right. I got asked about this fight last year and of course I said yes. Then everything went silent. Now, I face Cruse Stewart and he goes the distance with me and Elijah stopped him, so now he fights me. I'm not going to say too much, but I'm glad they took the fight. We'll see if Garcia is really the future come March 30."

JULIO CESAR MARTINEZ VS. ANGELINO CORDOVA

Originally scheduled to duel last December before visa issues for Martinez scuttled the bout, WBC Flyweight World Champion **Julio Cesar Martinez** is set to attempt his sixth defense of his belt against skilled top flyweight contender **Angelino Cordova** in a 12-round battle.

Trained by the renowned Eddy Reynoso, Martinez (20-2, 15 KOs) first captured his flyweight world title with a ninth-round stoppage of Cristofer Rosales in his stateside debut in December 2019. The 29-year-old has gone on to defend the title five times, besting previously unbeaten opponents Jay Harris and Samuel Carmona, while most recently stopping Ronal Batista in May. A native of Mexico City, Martinez's only blemish since a split-decision loss in his pro debut was a decision loss to future Hall of Famer Roman Gonzalez in March 2022.

"I'm ready to give it my all in training camp for this fight," said Martinez. "I want all of the big fights and big prizes this year. My plan is to go earn this win on March 30 and end up with my hand raised. Then I'm going for all the belts, no matter who I have to face. I'm going to be the last man standing."

The 28-year-old Cordova (18-0-1, 12 KOs) earned a career-best victory in his last outing, as he bested former world champion Angel Acosta on his way to a 10-round unanimous decision victory last April. A native of Ciudad Bolivar, Venezuela, Cordova of Cotto Promotions has yet to taste defeat since debuting in 2017, with a draw in just his fourth fight as the only blemish. He made his U.S. debut in June 2022, defeating Axel Aragon Vega by decision before the triumph over Acosta.

"I'm very thankful that this fight is on and confirmed," said Cordova. "My team did a great job making sure that this fight was rescheduled, and I'm thrilled it's part of a huge card like this. I'm excited to finally face Martinez on March 30. The only thing on my mind is becoming the new WBC world champion."

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