



TV SALES CATALOGUE 2018

Snooker

Champion of Champions

54 HOURS LIVE

16 of the biggest stars of the green baize battle it out over seven thrilling days in the successor to the long-running Premier League Snooker. Play starts with four groups of four and every competitor is a champion from the previous 12 months.

TOTAL ORIGINAL SNOOKER HOURS: 54

9 Ball Pool

Mosconi Cup (USA v Europe)

18 HOURS LIVE 18 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Pool's high-octane version of golf's Ryder Cup pits two five-man teams in intense battle over four days of play. Now entering its 25th year, the Mosconi Cup is pool's biggest brand, and the most dramatic event in the billiards calendar. Following years of European domination, can the USA fight back?

World Pool Masters

20 HOURS LIVE

Pool's longest running invitational event, the Masters sees 16 stars from around the world compete over three days for one of the most celebrated titles in the pool world. 2018 marks its 25th anniversary and will welcome back previous winners from down the years.

World Cup of Pool

48 HOURS LIVE

32 countries' two-player national teams compete in a straight knock out format over six days for a \$250,000 prize-fund. With national pride at stake, the competition is intense and there are plenty of upsets in store. The defending champions are Austria.

Efren Reyes Cup (Asia v Europe)

18 HOURS LIVE 18 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

A brand-new event, the Efren Reyes Cup aims to continue in with the success of the Mosconi Cup as two teams, this time representing Europe and Asia, fight it out over four action-packed days. Named after the legendary Filipino superstar, the Reyes Cup has the potential to become the biggest event in pool. Don't miss it!

TOTAL ORIGINAL 9 BALL POOL HOURS: 104

Boxing

Fight Night 2017/18 (14 shows per year)

14 X 4 HOURS LIVE 14 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Fight Night Pay-Per-View (5/6 shows per year)

5/6 X 6 HOURS LIVE PPV 2 X 2 HOURS DELAYED

Major arena and stadium shows featuring the very best competitive title fights with some of the best fighters active today. The Matchroom stable includes huge names like World Heavyweight Champion Anthony Joshua, and Tony Bellew.

TOTAL ORIGINAL BOXING HOURS: 92

Ping Pong

The World Championship of Ping Pong

15 HOURS LIVE 8 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Following a thrilling WCPP in January 2018, the next World Championship of Ping Pong is set for January 2019. The 64-player event is played out over two days, and unlike regular table tennis, it is played with old school sandpaper bats where the emphasis is on skill and agility rather than equipment.

TOTAL ORIGINAL PING PONG HOURS: 15

Fishing

Fish 'O' Mania

5.5 HOURS LIVE 1 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Now entering its third decade, Fish'O'Mania has established itself as one of *the* events on the British summer sporting calendar. In 2018, 24 anglers, including European aces, who have won through from an original 4,000 entrants, will use all their guile and experience to triumph in what is the FA Cup Final of fishing.

Fish 'O' Mania – The Qualifiers

3 X 30 MINUTE HIGHLIGHT SHOWS

With 22 Fish'O'Mania qualifying events taking place across the UK, these 30-minute shows follow Britain's anglers as they attempt to win their way through to the final of the 'FA Cup of Fishing'. The perfect preview to Fish'O'Mania XXV.

FLW Outdoors Bass Fishing

10 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Big-money bass fishing has taken America by storm over the past decade and these one-hour shows highlight just what it takes to succeed on the highly competitive FLW Tour.

TOTAL ORIGINAL FISHING HOURS: 17

Darts

World Darts Championship

87 HOURS LIVE **23 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS** **2 X 1.5 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS**

Quite simply, the biggest darts tournament in the world. The 2019 William Hill World Darts Championship is set to be the biggest yet. 15 days of world-class darts and a record-breaking £2,500,000 prize fund, this is the daddy of all darts events, featuring an expanded field for 2018/19 event, as the best in the world compete for the Sid Waddell Trophy.

World Matchplay

38 HOURS LIVE

This summer spectacular features the world's best 32 players battling for £500,000 in prize money at Blackpool's famous Winter Gardens. Played over nine days, the World Matchplay has marked itself as a favorite for players, fans and television viewers around the world.

World Grand Prix

27 HOURS LIVE

The PDC's top stars hit the road to Dublin in the unique World Grand Prix. All legs begin and end with a double, ensuring excitement and drama throughout the tournament, where even the biggest names can slip up.

UK Open

27 HOURS LIVE

Arguably the most exciting and unpredictable tournament on the PDC calendar, the UK Open is affectionately known as the 'FA Cup of Darts', with top professionals pitted alongside amateur qualifiers in a free draw format which means that even the biggest names can clash at any stage.

Premier League Darts

54 HOURS LIVE **32 X 1.5 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS**

Ten superstars of darts do battle over four months in Britain's biggest indoor sporting event – and the 2018 tournament sees a third successive visit to Rotterdam as well as a debut in Germany with a league night in Berlin! A darts event like no other – with the added twist of elimination for two players following nine weeks of play before the top four after 15 league-nights contest the Play-Offs.

World Cup of Darts

24 HOURS LIVE

Introduced to the calendar in 2010, the World Cup of Darts features 32 national two-player teams doing battle over six sessions. Featuring a mixture of Singles and Doubles games throughout the tournament, see the sport's biggest names team up to try and become World Cup winners for their country.

Grand Slam of Darts

43 HOURS LIVE

This tournament takes the champions and runners-up from major PDC tournaments alongside eight BDO players as they compete for a massive £450,000 prize fund in the Grand Slam of Darts. The 32-player field compete in eight groups before the top two from each progress to the knockout stages.

Players Championship Finals

25 HOURS LIVE

The Players Championship Finals are the culmination of a year's work for 64 top stars, who compete in Players Championship events throughout 12 months to earn the right to play for £460,000 in prize money, with play in the early rounds held across two stages simultaneously.

European Darts Championship

25 HOURS LIVE

The cream of Europe's darting talent line up alongside the top players in the PDC for this exciting knockout event which is played across four days with a quick-fire format and £400,000 in prize money on offer. Players qualify by competing in the year's European Tour events, paving the way for emerging stars to get their chance on the big stage.

The Masters

17 HOURS LIVE

A tournament introduced in 2013, the world's top 16 players battle it out for a share of the £200,000 prize fund over three pulsating days of action.

Champions League Darts

14 HOURS LIVE

The newest addition to the PDC's calendar of TV events pitches the top eight in the world against each other split into two groups with the top two players progressing to the semi-finals and final. With £100,000 on the line for the winner over two intense days of darts, this event really does separate the men from the boys.

The Darts Show

12 X 1 HOURS

A monthly look at the latest from the world of darts, The Darts Show features exclusive interviews and analysis of all the latest events, as well as practice tips in Paul Nicholson's Darts School. Produced as a series of 30 minute or one-hour episodes, The Darts Show is a unique look behind-the-scenes of the sport.

World Series of Darts

Auckland Darts Masters

11 HOURS LIVE

New Zealand hosts the World Series of Darts for a fourth time in 2018, with the Auckland Darts Masters seeing eight top PDC stars line up against eight Oceanic representatives.

Shanghai Darts Masters

10 HOURS LIVE

Introduced to the calendar in 2016, the Shanghai Darts Masters sees eight top PDC stars visit China to take on eight leading Asian players in an exciting stopping-point for the World Series of Darts.

US Darts Masters

12 HOURS LIVE

Taking place in Las Vegas, the US Masters was introduced to great success in 2017, with the domestic North American Championship opening proceedings before the two-day World Series of Darts event sees eight qualifiers come up eight of the biggest names in darts.

Melbourne Darts Masters

11.5 HOURS LIVE

Following the success of the World Series of Darts' first visit to Melbourne in 2017, the tournament returns in 2018 as eight top PDC stars come up against eight Oceanic Qualifiers as they compete for the title.

Brisbane Darts Masters

11.5 HOURS LIVE

A new destination for the World Series of Darts in 2018, the Brisbane Darts Masters sees eight Oceanic Qualifiers take on eight leading stars as the sport's growth across Australia sees another great sporting city host the biggest names in darts.

German Darts Masters

9 HOURS LIVE

The Schalke 04 football stadium plays host to a new stop on the World Series. The PDC's leading eight players compete against local stars in the city of Gelsenkirchen. It's a one-day event and counts for ranking points for the World Series finals.

World Series of Darts Finals

16 HOURS LIVE

The culmination of a year's work for the leading eight players on the World Series of Darts rankings following the six international events, the end-of-season Finals also features global prospects and qualifiers as 24 players compete across two-days to be crowned as the World Series of Darts Champion.

TOTAL ORIGINAL DARTS HOURS: 474

Golf

PGA Euro Pro Tour Golf – 16 Events

16 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS plus **2 X 30 MINUTE MAGAZINE SHOW**

The breeding ground for tomorrow's stars of the fairways, the PGAEPT features some of golf's hottest young talents as they compete in major tournaments at some of the UK's top courses. The series includes the 15 regular events which run May to September, culminating in the big-money Tour Championship in October.

TOTAL ORIGINAL GOLF HOURS: 33

Tenpin Bowling

Weber Cup – USA v Europe Challenge

20 HOURS LIVE **16 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS**

Europe v USA is always a sporting battle like no other and the Weber Cup, now well into its second decade, delivers on every level as top pro bowlers from Europe and America fight it out over three thrilling days. The event comprises a series of singles and doubles matches.

TOTAL ORIGINAL TENPIN BOWLING HOURS: 20

Netball

British Fast5 Netball All-Stars Championship

5 HOURS LIVE

The British Fast5 Championship takes the fast-growing sport of netball to a whole new level as defending champions, the Loughborough Lightning and the top seven teams in the UK-based Superleague complete in a one-day tournament. With matches at just 12 minutes and re-arranged rules to encourage scoring, this is netball for the 21st century.

TOTAL ORIGINAL NETBALL HOURS: 5

Basketball

British Basketball All-Stars Championship

5 HOURS LIVE

Defending champions, London Lions plus the top seven teams from the British Basketball League contest this exciting event that sees 12-minute matches, roll-on, roll-off substitutes, and a Power Play period wherein all points scored are doubled. With 12 matches plus the final, the action never lets up.

TOTAL ORIGINAL BASKETBALL HOURS: 5



Champion of Champions

In its five-year history, the Champion of Champions has become one of the events to win on the snooker circuit.

This unique new tournament sees the champions of all the major events throughout the year competing over six days, with a total of 16 players in the field. Initially competing in four groups of four, each group completes on a single day with the winner advancing into the semi-finals which are played on the Friday and Saturday with the final taking place on the Sunday.

DATES

November 5 – 11 2018

TV HOURS

54 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

£370,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Europe and Asia

VENUE

Ricoh Arena, Coventry

INAUGURAL YEAR

2013





Mosconi Cup

From its humble origins in 1994 as an exhibition event for the fledging sport of 9-Ball pool, the Mosconi Cup has grown to be the biggest international team event in cue sports.

In December 2018, the 25th annual Mosconi Cup takes place as five of the best professional players from Europe take on their American counterparts over four exciting days in a Ryder Cup-style series of singles and doubles matches - the winning team being the first to reach eleven points. Pool's premier brand.

DATES

December 4 - 7 2018

TV HOURS

18 HOURS LIVE or **18 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS**

PRIZE FUND

\$150,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

USA and Europe

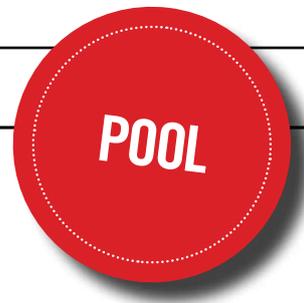
VENUE

Alexandra Palace, London, England

INAUGURAL YEAR

1994





World Pool Masters

The Masters returns for its 25th anniversary edition year with a field boasting some of the biggest pool names of the past 25 years.

As befitting such an auspicious occasion, much of the 16-man field will be legendary Masters champions of the past. Played over three days on a straight knockout basis inside in a superbly constructed TV arena, the Masters is still one of the most exciting pool events in the world. Over the years, the tournament has been won by just about every major name in the sport.

DATES

March 2 - 4 2018

TV HOURS

20 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

\$80,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

England, USA, Philippines, Taiwan, Germany, Holland, Poland, Austria, China

VENUE

Victoria Stadium, Gibraltar

INAUGURAL YEAR

1993



WORLD CUP OF POOL XII

World Cup of Pool

The World Cup of Pool is now firmly established as one of the pool world's premier events.

Taking place annually, the World Cup pits nation against nation as 32 two-man teams battle it out over a total of 31 matches. Played over six days, the teams do battle initially in race-to-7 matches with the games stretching out to race-to-10 as the event progresses. All games are played to a 'scotch doubles' format whereby each player takes alternate shots.

DATES

May 15 - 20 2018

TV HOURS

48 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

\$250,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

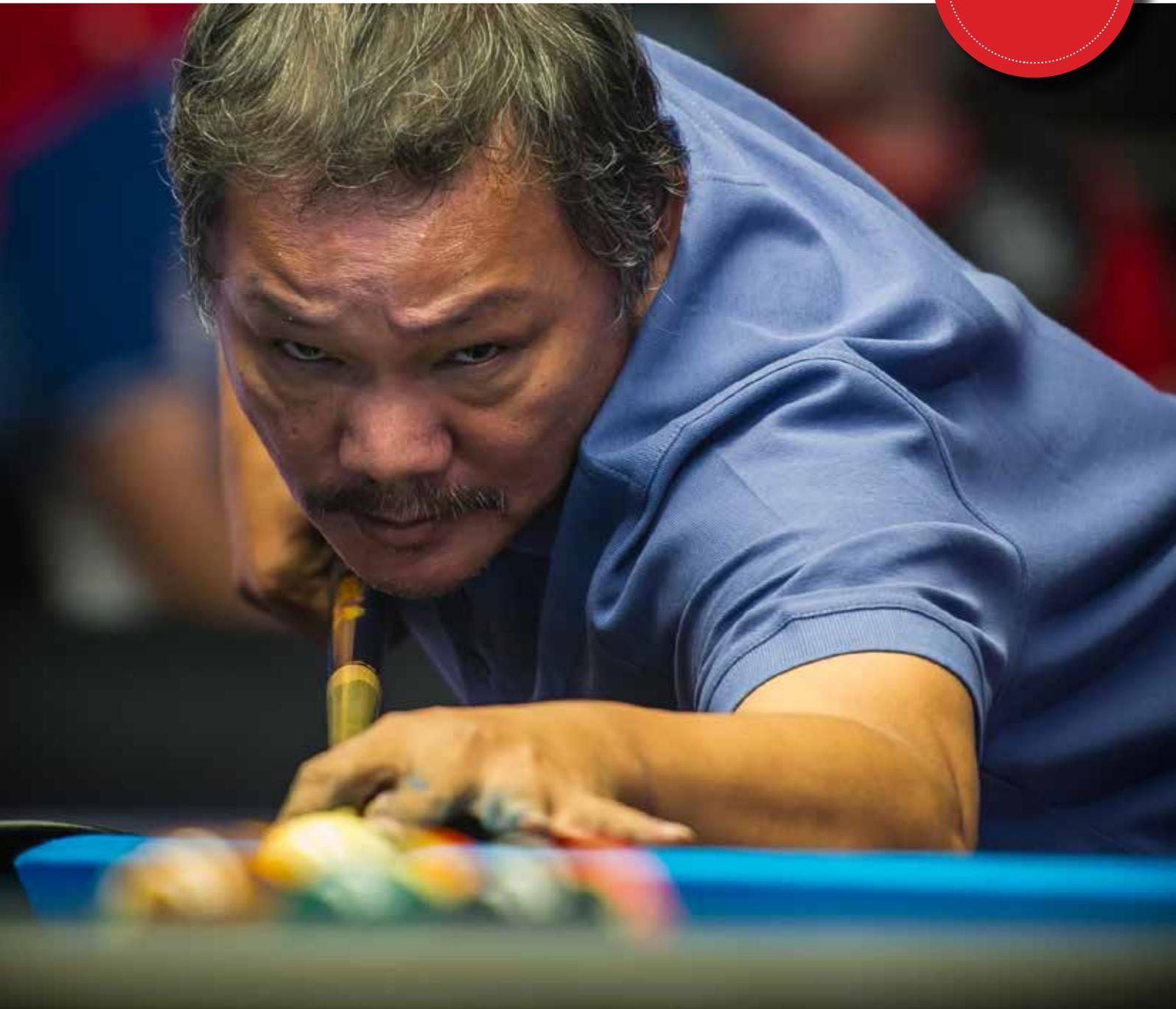
32 nations from Europe, Asia, Oceania, North and South America

VENUE

Shanghai, China

INAUGURAL YEAR

2006



The Efren Reyes Cup

Hot on the heels of the Mosconi Cup comes the Efren Reyes Cup – Europe v Asia.

Played to the same format as the Mosconi, the Reyes Cup aims to create a new international rivalry between two continents who both believe that they are the best. Named after the Filipino legend, the tournament will feature five players from each territory doing battle over four days in a series of singles and doubles matches.

DATES

October 18 - 21 2018

TV HOURS

18 HOURS LIVE or **18 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS**

PRIZE FUND

\$115,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Holland, Germany, Philippines, Taiwan, Japan and China

VENUE

Manila, Philippines

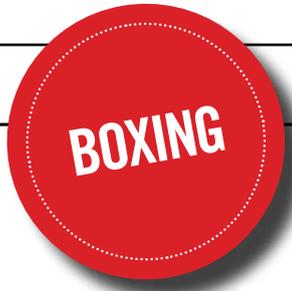
INAUGURAL YEAR

2018

Fight Night

Matchroom Sport has been among the world leaders in major boxing promotion and production for over three decades.

Since its debut in 1987, with the Pro Box banner, it has become renowned throughout the world for quality pugilistic entertainment. In the 2017/18 season, Matchroom Sport will produce 16 top class boxing shows under the Fight Night brand. With a stable headed by World Heavyweight Champion Anthony Joshua, other big names include Kell Brook, Amir Khan and Tony Bellew, Matchroom's unique expertise in promotion, staging and television production ensures quality programming available for worldwide broadcast either live or as a two-hour highlights package.



DATES

September 2017 – July 2018

TV HOURS

14 shows per year plus 5/6 PPV shows

14 X 4 HOURS LIVE or **14 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS**

5/6 X 6 PAY-PER-VIEW SHOWS **2 X 2 HOUR DELAYED**

NATIONS REPRESENTED

Fighters from UK, Europe and around the world

VENUE

Major arenas and stadia across the UK

INAUGURAL YEAR

1987





World Championship of Ping Pong

Ping pong is back! The game that fell out of favour with the advent of super-spin inducing rubber bats years ago is now making its way back into the mainstream thanks to a potent mixture of speed, power and old-fashioned skill, courtesy of the technology-free sandpaper bats.

Following its exciting first five runnings at the iconic Alexandra Palace, the next World Championship of Ping Pong takes place in January 2019.

DATES

January 26 - 27 2019

TV HOURS

15 HOURS LIVE or 8 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

PRIZE FUND

\$100,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

64 players from around the world

VENUE

Alexandra Palace, London, England

INAUGURAL YEAR

2011





FLW Outdoors Bass Fishing

A new sport to Europe, the FLW Tour showcases bass fishing – America’s big money outdoor sport that has evolved into a major attraction over the past decade.

Sporting a total purse of over \$10 million, the tour takes place on huge lakes across the USA as up to 200 anglers fish from boats, using lures to trap the elusive bass. Anglers are allowed to present a maximum of five fish for the weigh-in and they select these from a live well on their boat where caught fish are stored. Following qualification, there is a cut and the field is whittled down to the ten leading anglers and top prizes big as \$1,000,000 are on offer for the victorious fishermen.

DATES

Throughout the year

TV HOURS

10 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

PRIZE FUND

Up to \$2,000,000 per tournament

NATIONS REPRESENTED

USA

VENUE

Lakes across the USA

INAUGURAL YEAR

1996



Fish'O'Mania - The Qualifiers

As upwards of 3,000 anglers chase the coveted 24 spots in the summer’s Grand Final of Fish’O’Mania, these regular magazine shows cover all the action up and down the country.

The shows features a behind-the-scenes look at the qualifiers as anglers from across the country battle their way through to the final of the ‘FA Cup of Fishing’.

DATES

April, May and June 2018

TV HOURS

3 X 30 MINUTES



Fish'O'Mania

Fish 'O' Mania will be celebrating its 25th year this summer and once again will be broadcast for six hours across the UK.

Known as the 'FA Cup of Fishing', the competition will involve 24 anglers who have qualified through heats across England and Europe, fishing off for a whopping £50,000 first prize. The event gains much of its excitement by abandoning the traditional weigh-in at the conclusion of the match, and instead features weigh-ins every 30 minutes which gives the event a changing leader board that makes the action easy to follow.

DATES

July 14 2018

TV HOURS

5.5 HOURS LIVE or **1 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS**

PRIZE FUND

£76,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Germany, Belgium and Holland

VENUE

Hayfield Lakes, Doncaster, England

INAUGURAL YEAR

1994





World Darts Championship

The 2019 World Championship will see an expanded field of players from across the globe compete over the Christmas and New Year period at London's iconic Alexandra Palace.

The winner will receive a record £500,000 and claim the Sid Waddell Trophy. The matches start out as best of five sets, and culminate in best of 13 sets for the final in an event worth a record-breaking £2.5 million in prize money.

DATES

December 2018 - January 2019

TV HOURS

87 HOURS LIVE or 23 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS
plus 2 X 1.5 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

PRIZE FUND

£2,500,000
with £500,000 to the champion

NATIONS REPRESENTED

Minimum 20 countries from around the world including UK, Ireland, Holland, Germany, USA, Australia, New Zealand, Japan, China, Austria and Belgium.

VENUE

Alexandra Palace, London

INAUGURAL YEAR

1994





World Matchplay

The world's leading 32 players gather at the legendary Winter Gardens in Blackpool for the summer's most exciting tournament, the World Matchplay.

Played in a 'legs' format that starts with best of 19, culminating in the best of 35 for the final, the tournament is loved by players and fans alike. It has been won an incredible 16 times by Phil Taylor, including triumph in his final appearance last summer, while Michael van Gerwen claimed back-to-back Blackpool titles in 2015 & 2016.

DATES

July 21 – 29 2018

TV HOURS

38 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

£450,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Holland, Australia, Belgium, Austria

VENUE

Winter Gardens, Blackpool

INAUGURAL YEAR

1994



World Grand Prix

The World Grand Prix sees 32 top players face off at Dublin's Citywest Convention Centre in one of the most exciting and unpredictable events in darts.

Every leg has to begin and end with a double – meaning even the top names can struggle if they fail to start quickly. The event commences with best of three set matches with the final being played over nine sets.

DATES

September 30 – October 6 2018

TV HOURS

27 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

£400,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Holland, Australia, Belgium, Austria

VENUE

Citywest Convention Centre, Dublin

INAUGURAL YEAR

1998



UK Open

The UK Open has become known as the “FA Cup of Darts” since its introduction in 2003, with top professionals joined by leading amateur players to compete over three days.

The open draw nature throws up massive games in early rounds as well as the chance for a new star to be made, while the tournament is unique for having multiple stages in action at once. The event is now based at Butlins Minehead Resort, where the PDC enjoys huge crowds.

DATES

March 2 – 4 2018

TV HOURS

27 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

£350,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Ireland, Holland, Germany, Australia, Austria, Belgium

VENUE

Butlins Minehead

INAUGURAL YEAR

2003





Premier League Darts

Premier League Darts has become a phenomenon in British sport since its inception in 2005 and will break new ground in 2018 with a league night in Berlin for the first time to mark the sport's growth in Germany.

Alongside 14 other nights in the UK and Ireland, the tournament visits Rotterdam, which has hosted sell-out league nights in 2016 and 2017. Michael van Gerwen won the prestigious title for a third time at the 2017 event, with his rivals in the ten-player field set to include Scottish pair Gary Anderson and Peter Wright. The tournament now features the added twist of elimination for two of the ten players following nine weeks of play, before the top four qualify for the big money Play-Offs, held on one night to determine the Premier League champion.

DATES

February – May 2018

TV HOURS

54 HOURS LIVE or **32 X 1.5 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS**

PRIZE FUND

£825,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Holland, Belgium

VENUE

16 different arenas around UK, Ireland, Netherlands and Germany from February 1 to May 17

INAUGURAL YEAR

2005



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WORLD CUP OF DARTS

World Cup of Darts

Introduced to the calendar to great success in 2010, the PDC World Cup features 32 two-man national teams competing in a straight knock-out format.

The leading eight nations are seeded based on the ranking of its players and matches are a series of Singles and Doubles games. With the PDC gaining a steady foothold around the globe, the World Cup of Darts brings all darting nations together on a level playing field.

DATES

May 31 – June 3 2018

TV HOURS

24 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

£300,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland, Ireland, Holland, Australia, New Zealand, Spain, USA, Germany, Austria, Belgium, South Africa, Japan, and many more.

VENUE

Frankfurt, Germany

INAUGURAL YEAR

2010





Grand Slam of Darts

The sport of darts is united for the Grand Slam of Darts as 32 stars of the sport face off.

Featuring some of the PDC's top players, in addition to eight players from the BDO, bringing the two organisations' stars together on the big stage for the only time each year. Played in a group format for the round-robin first round, the top two from each of eight groups progress to the knockout phase from the last 16 onwards.

DATES

November 10 – 18 2018

TV HOURS

43 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

£450,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Netherlands, Australia, Holland

VENUE

TBC

INAUGURAL YEAR

2007

players
Championship
finals

Players' Championship Finals

The Players Championship Finals sees the best 64 players in the Players Championship Order of Merit following 22 one-day events during the year face off to become the champion of champions.

With the Players Championship events forming a key part of the PDC circuit, the tournament is guaranteed excitement as the in-form players meet in this knockout tournament, which sees action across two stages simultaneously in the early rounds. The Players Championship Finals has been won three times apiece by Phil Taylor and Michael van Gerwen as well as by Paul Nicholson, Kevin Painter and Gary Anderson.

DATES

November 23 – 25 2018

TV HOURS

25 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

£460,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Belgium, Holland, Australia, Austria, Spain

VENUE

Butlins Minehead Resort

INAUGURAL YEAR

2009





European Darts Championship

The cream of Europe's darting talent play off in the European Championship, which features the leading 32 players from the European Tour Order of Merit, based on prize money won in 12 tournaments held across Europe during the season.

This exciting knockout tournament was won by Phil Taylor in its first four years before Simon Whitlock and Adrian Lewis were succeeded by Michael van Gerwen, who has claimed the last three titles. The EDC has proven to be the springboard to launch the careers of some of the top talents from the Continent.



The Masters

Introduced in 2013 to great success, The Masters sees the world's top 16 players battle it out for a share of the £200,000 prize fund over three pulsating days of action.

Taking place in the atmospheric ArenaMK in Milton Keynes, The Masters will pit the sport's elite top 16 against each other to join the names of Phil Taylor, James Wade and reigning champion Michael van Gerwen on the trophy.

DATES

October 25 – 28 2018

TV HOURS

25 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

£400,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Holland, Germany, Belgium, Australia, Austria, Spain, Poland

VENUE

Hasselt, Belgium

INAUGURAL YEAR

2008

DATES

January 2019

TV HOURS

17 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

£200,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Holland, Belgium

VENUE

Arena:MK Milton Keynes

INAUGURAL YEAR

2013



Champions League

The world's top eight players do battle across two days in the Champions League of Darts, which was won in its inaugural staging in 2016 by Phil Taylor, before Mensur Suljovic claimed his maiden televised title a year later.

The eight stars are split into two groups of four for the round-robin phase, with the top two players from each group moving through to contest the semi-finals and final.

DATES

September 22 – 23 2018

TV HOURS

14 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

£250,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Holland, Austria

VENUE

TBC

INAUGURAL YEAR

2016



The Darts Show

A monthly look at the latest from the world of darts, The Darts Show features exclusive interviews and analysis of all the latest events, as well as practice tips in Paul Nicholson's Darts School.

Produced as a series of 30 minute or one-hour episodes, The Darts Show is a unique look behind-the-scenes of the sport.

TV HOURS

12 X 1 HOUR SHOWS





Auckland Darts Masters

New Zealand hosts the World Series of Darts for a fourth time in 2018, with the Auckland Darts Masters seeing eight top PDC stars line up against eight Oceanic representatives.

Adrian Lewis' win in the inaugural event in 2015 was followed by Gary Anderson's triumph in 2016, with Australia's Kyle Anderson claiming the title in 2017.



Shanghai Darts Masters

Introduced to the calendar in 2016, the Shanghai Darts Masters sees eight top PDC stars visit China to take on eight leading Asian players in an exciting stopping-point for the World Series of Darts.

Michael van Gerwen followed up his win in the inaugural tournament by retaining the title in 2017.



US Darts Masters

Taking place in Las Vegas, the US Masters was introduced to great success in 2017, with the domestic North American Championship opening proceedings before the two-day World Series of Darts event.

The event sees eight qualifiers come up eight of the biggest names in darts, with Michael van Gerwen having claimed the inaugural title.

DARTS

DATES

August 2018

TV HOURS

11 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

\$250,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Holland, Australia, New Zealand

VENUE

Auckland

DATES

Summer 2018

TV HOURS

10 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

\$250,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Holland, Australia, New Zealand

VENUE

Shanghai

DATES

Summer 2018

TV HOURS

12 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

\$250,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Holland, Australia, USA, Canada

VENUE

Las Vegas



Melbourne Darts Masters

Following the success of the World Series of Darts' first visit to Melbourne in 2017, the tournament returns in 2018.

Eight top PDC stars come up against eight Oceanic Qualifiers as they compete for the title.

DATES

August 2018

TV HOURS

11.5 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

\$250,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Holland, Australia, New Zealand

VENUE

Melbourne



Brisbane Darts Masters

A new destination for the World Series of Darts in 2018.

The Brisbane Darts Masters sees eight Oceanic Qualifiers take on eight leading stars as the sport's growth across Australia sees another great sporting city host the biggest names in darts.

DATES

August 2018

TV HOURS

11.5 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

\$250,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Holland, Australia, New Zealand

VENUE

Brisbane



German Darts Masters

The 2018 PDC World Series of Darts will commence on Friday May 25 with the second staging of the German Darts Masters.

With the VELTINS Arena in Gelsenkirchen to be transformed into a "Darts Music Arena" for the one-day event, which will see 16 players - including the sport's top stars and Germany's leading aces - competing.

DATES

May 25 2018

TV HOURS

9 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

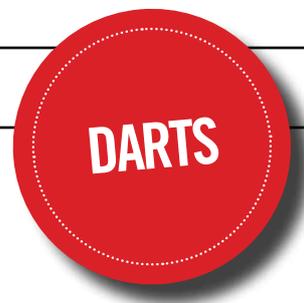
£60,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Holland, Germany, Austria

VENUE

VELTINS Arena, Gelsenkirchen, Germany



World Series of Darts Finals

The World Series of Darts Finals will include the leading eight players from a ranking list based on finishing positions in the seven World Series of Darts events alongside 16 other players from an exciting qualification structure.

With the first round taking place on Friday night, the eight seeded stars enter the event in Saturday evening's second round. Sunday afternoon will then see the quarter-finals played, before the event concludes in the evening session with the semi-finals and final.

DATES

November 2 - 4 2018

TV HOURS

16 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

£250,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Holland, Australia and others

VENUE

TBC



PGA Europro Tour

Top class tournament golf featuring 168-man fields playing strokeplay over 54 holes with the cut after two rounds and the top 50 and ties progressing to the final round.

Part of the PGA European Tour golf pyramid, successful Europro Tour players gain exemptions to Q School as well as the Challenge Tour. The Europro Tour is a real breeding ground for tomorrow's champions and the likes of Open Champion Louis Oosthuizen, Masters winner Charl Schwartzel and European Tour winners Lee Slattery, Robert Rock, Ross Fisher and Nicolas Colsaerts have all cut their golfing teeth on the PGAEP.T.

DATES

May - October 2018

TV HOURS

16 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS including Tour Championship, plus 2 x 30 minute magazine shows

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK, Ireland, Spain, South Africa, USA

VENUE

Major courses across the UK and Spain

INAUGURAL YEAR

2001



The British Fast5 Netball All-Stars Championship

The world's most exciting form of netball returns to London this autumn, as the defending champions Loughborough Lightning plus the top seven teams in the Netball Super League compete in a thrilling fast-paced format.

Fast5 includes five-a-side teams, shortened match times, multiple point shots, unlimited roll on-roll-off substitutions and an exciting double point power play; setting the stage for guaranteed entertainment.

DATES

October 13 2018

TV HOURS

5 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

£100,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK

VENUE

Copperbox, Olympic Park, London, England

INAUGURAL YEAR

2017



The British Basketball All-Stars Championship

Matchroom Sport return with their fast-paced take on basketball as defending champions the London Lions, return along with the top seven finishers on the British Basketball League.

With a large £100,000 prize fund, all matches are just 12 minutes long with a 20-second shot clock while an all-Star 5-point line offers rewards for those willing to brave a shot from distance. Teams will also have a two-minute Power Play at their disposal, during which any points will be doubled.

DATES

October 14 2018

TV HOURS

5 HOURS LIVE

PRIZE FUND

£100,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

UK

VENUE

Copperbox, Olympic Park, London, England

INAUGURAL YEAR

2017



The Weber Cup - USA v Europe Tenpin Challenge

Golf has its Ryder Cup, pool has its Mosconi Cup and hot on the heels of those two events comes tenpin bowling's own thrilling version – the Weber Cup.

Named after American bowling legend Dick Weber, the tournament features two four-man teams battling it out over three days in a series of singles and doubles matches. The biggest names in US and European bowling will be flying the flag when the Weber Cup returns.

DATES

Autumn 2018

TV HOURS

20 HOURS LIVE or **16 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS**

PRIZE FUND

\$60,000

NATIONS REPRESENTED

USA and Europe

VENUE

Barnsley, England

INAUGURAL YEAR

2000

Archive Specials

FROM OVER 10,000 HOURS OF AVAILABLE PROGRAMMING

Steve Davis - The Greatest Snooker Trickshots

1 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

The annual World Snooker Trickshots competition was one of Matchroom Sport's first-ever televised events and over the years it has allowed many of the world's finest trickshot artists the opportunity to perform in front of a huge global TV audience. This two hour programme, presented by the incomparable Steve Davis, is a non-stop highlights package featuring some astounding snooker trickshots from the biggest names in the game.

Greatest Pool Trickshots

1 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Following in from the success of the annual World Snooker Trickshots, came the World Pool Trickshot Masters. The very best trickshot artists from around the world did battle on an annual basis, and the list of winners reads like a who's who of trickshots. Presented by Steve Davis, who took part in the event on many occasions, the Greatest Pool Trickshots showcases the very best of a decade of pool trickshots.

101 Great Knockouts I

1 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

This is a unique compilation of the most sensational knock-outs from more than 300 shows in the Matchroom Sport boxing archive. Featuring British boxing legends like Benn, Eubank and Lewis as well as the likes of Azumah Nelson, Julian Jackson and Mike McCallum, three of the hardest punchers in the history of the sport. 101 Great Knock-Outs is an irresistible catalogue of boxing mayhem. Non-stop excitement for an unforgettable 90 minutes with commentary from Dave Brenner, Barry McGuigan, Dave McAuley and Nicky Piper.

101 Great Knockouts II

1 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Following on from the barnstorming success of 101 Great Knock-Outs I comes more of the same from the superb Matchroom Sport boxing archive. As well as the game's marquee names, 101 Great Knock-Outs II also features some of boxing's lesser lights but they all have one thing in common - fists made of iron. Cut together with expert precision, this two-hour show features some of the sports most destructive punchers in a cavalcade of non-stop slugging. From heavyweights down to flyweights, each of these fighters is in possession of the type of concussive punch that puts grown men to sleep. 101 Great Knock-Outs II is not to be missed as the KO's come thick and fast leaving the viewer reeling with excitement!

101 Great Knockouts III

1 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Such was the success of Great Knockouts I & II that volume III was put together to satisfy demand in the market for the no holds barred blitzkrieg that Great Knockouts is. From the very depths of Matchroom Sport's archives, comes another non-stop fistic fiesta that sees some of the sport's biggest punchers do what they do best.

Archive Specials

FROM OVER 10,000 HOURS OF AVAILABLE PROGRAMMING

101 Great Knockouts IV

1 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Digging deep into the extensive Matchroom Boxing archives the 101 Great Knockouts series continues with the latest pull no punches compilation of some of the finest finishes from boxing's biggest names. This pugilistic paradise showcases prize fighters at their very best, packing ferocious action and crowd-thrilling devastation into 120 action-packed minutes. 101 Great Knockouts IV is guaranteed to have fight fans on the edge of their seats.

Pro Box World Championships

51 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

In the 1980's and 90's, Matchroom Sport produced a record number of World Championship fights and this thrilling series groups them together as it showcases some of the great names of the era. An hour in length, each fight features one of the great world title fights from the extensive Matchroom archive. Names such as Chris Eubank, Nigel Benn, Steve Collins, Julian Jackson, Azumah Nelson, and Herbie Hide are all featured in a thrilling succession of world-class performances.

Prizefighter: No Guts, No Glory - The Top Ten (Parts 1 & 2)

2 X 75 MINUTES SHOWS

Since its inception in 2008, Prizefighter has captured the imagination of the boxing public with its innovative format that pits eight fighters in a thunderous knock-out tournament all on the same evening. Over the years, some world class fighters have launched their careers with triumphant Prizefighter appearances and this highlight show brings together ten of the greatest matches from the first five years of the series. Introduced by renowned boxing broadcasters, No Guts, No Glory – The Top Ten is the perfect introduction to one of boxing's ground-breaking new formats. Now with a second episode!

The Phil Taylor Story

1 X 1 HOUR SHOW

The sport of darts has become a modern-day phenomenon and one man has lead the way, breaking every record, filling vast arenas and taking the sport to new heights. Think darts and you think Phil Taylor – the credentials match the hype. An unassuming giant in his own field but a man who has dominated his chosen sport for nearly two decades, this superb documentary tells the story of one of the UK's greatest ever sportsmen.

The Perfect Nine

1 X 1 HOUR SHOW

180, 180, treble 20, treble 19, double 12. That is the most commonly preferred route to reach darting nirvana – the magical nine-dart finish and this superb compilation puts together all those perfect moments over the years from the PDC's titans of tungsten. The likes of James Wade, Raymond van Barneveld, Adrian Lewis and the incomparable Phil Taylor show nerves of steel as they complete the feat that many strive for but few achieve.

Snooker

Champion of Champions

54 HOURS LIVE

9 Ball Pool

Mosconi Cup (USA v Europe)

18 HOURS LIVE or 18 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

World Pool Masters

20 HOURS LIVE

World Cup of Pool

48 HOURS LIVE

The Efen Reyes Cup (Asia v Europe)

18 HOURS LIVE or 18 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Boxing

Fight Night 2017/18 (14 shows per year)

14 X 4 HOURS LIVE or 14 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Fight Night Pay-Per-View (5/6 shows per year)

5/6 X 6 HOURS PAY-PER-VIEW | 2 X 2 HOUR DELAYED

Ping Pong

The World Championship of Ping Pong

15 HOURS LIVE or 8 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Fishing

Fish 'O' Mania

5.5 HOURS LIVE or 1 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Fish 'O' Mania - The Qualifiers

3 X 30 MINUTE

FLW Outdoors Bass Fishing

10 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Darts

World Darts Championship

87 HOURS LIVE or 23 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS plus 2 X 1.5 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

World Matchplay

38 HOURS LIVE

World Grand Prix

27 HOURS LIVE

UK Open

27 HOURS LIVE

Premier League Darts

54 HOURS LIVE or 32 X 1.5 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

World Cup of Darts

24 HOURS LIVE

Grand Slam of Darts

43 HOURS LIVE

Players Championship Finals

25 HOURS LIVE

European Darts Championship

25 HOURS LIVE

The Masters

17 HOURS LIVE

Champions League Darts

14 HOURS LIVE

The Darts Show

12 X 1 HOUR

Auckland Darts Masters

11 HOURS LIVE

Shanghai Darts Masters

10 HOURS LIVE

US Darts Masters

12 HOURS LIVE

Melbourne Darts Masters

11.5 HOURS LIVE

Brisbane Darts Masters

11.5 HOURS LIVE

German Darts Masters

9 HOURS LIVE

World Series of Darts Finals

16 HOURS LIVE

Golf

PGA Euro Pro Tour Golf - 16 Events

16 X 2 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS plus 2 X 30-MINUTE MAGAZINE SHOW

Tenpin Bowling

Weber Cup - USA v Europe Challenge

20 HOURS LIVE or 16 X 1 HOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Netball

British Fast5 All-Stars Championship

5 HOURS LIVE

Basketball

British Basketball All-Stars Championship

5 HOURS LIVE