

To whoever this concerns I am writing to you to express how disappointed I am that the BBC has pulled out of boxing. I understand that Audley Harrison hardly helped the cause continually fighting no hopes but it is worth remembering the 80's and first half of the 90's when Nigel Benn, Chris Eubank, Frank Bruno, and Naseem Hamed brought in audience figures that were hugely impressive. You only need to look at the viewing figures of Amir Khan's fight in the olympic final to see that the British public love to view boxing if they are only given the chance and that it is at a reasonable viewing hour not starting at 11.30pm when most people are in bed asleep. I have told some of my friends (who have the same opinion as me) I was going to write in regarding boxing on terrestrial TV and they have told me there is little point as nothing will change and my views will not be

taken into account. I hope this is not the  
end we can see a revival of boxing on  
British screens again very soon

Yours sincerely

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