



**Undefeated Rising Prospect Chris Colbert Battles
Alberto Mercado & Unbeaten Welterweight Prospect
Jésus Ramos Takes on Rondale Hubbert In FOX
PBC Fight Night Prelims on FOX and FOX Deportes
Sunday, June 23 at Mandalay Bay Events Center
in Las Vegas Beginning at 7 p.m. ET/4 p.m. PT**

LAS VEGAS (June 4, 2019) - Exciting unbeaten prospect **Chris Colbert** takes on Puerto Rico's **Alberto Mercado** in an eight or 10-round lightweight bout and unbeaten welterweight prospect **Jésus Ramos** battles **Rondale Hubbert** in a four-round attraction as part of a special FOX PBC Fight Night Prelims on FOX and FOX Deportes Sunday, June 23 at Mandalay Bay Events Center in Las Vegas beginning at 7 p.m. ET/4 p.m. PT.

Prelims will lead up to FOX PBC Fight Night on FOX and FOX Deportes beginning at 8 p.m. ET/5 p.m. PT. The show is headlined by former champion Jermell Charlo battling Mexico's Jorge Cota in a super welterweight attraction and features former world champions Guillermo Rigondeaux and Julio Ceja clashing in a 12-round WBC featherweight title eliminator in the co-feature. Also in action is sensational unbeaten prospect **Joey Spencer**, as he faces **Akeem Black** in a six-round junior middleweight bout.

Tickets for the event, which is promoted by Lions Only Promotions, TGB Promotions and Mayweather Promotions, are on sale now and can be purchased at [AXS.com](https://www.axs.com).

Representing his hometown of Brooklyn, N.Y., Colbert (11-0, 4 KOs) has begun to make a name for himself showing off tremendous skills across his first 11 pro victories. The 22-year-old most recently blasted out Mario Briones by second-round knockout in April on FS1. He will take on a durable 31-year-old in Mercado (16-2-1, 3 KOs), who has never been stopped throughout a pro career dating back to 2009. The Humacao, Puerto Rico-native most recently won a unanimous decision over Sergio Lopez in March.

"I'm preparing for a big day on June 23," said Colbert. "This is chapter 12 in my career. I know Mercado will come to fight just like he's supposed to. I'm just focused on putting on another dominant performance, like I do every time. Mercado has a good record on paper, but I'll do what I do best at Mandalay Bay and make it look easy. People say you have to fight in Vegas to become a top-notch fighter, so I'm excited to fight there. We'll be fighting in primetime on FOX, so I'll get a chance to show everyone why I changed my nickname to 'Prime Time'."

"I'm ready for this fight on June 23," said Mercado. "I know who I'm facing and what I'm up against, but I'm working hard every day on a strategy that will give me what I need in to be successful. I have all the tools to make this a great fight and get the win. I'm going to be aggressive and bring the fight to him. His only advantage is speed, but I'm better at everything else."

Having scored knockouts in each pro fight since turning pro last May, Ramos (9-0, 9 KOs) made his U.S. debut in April with a knockout over Seifullah Wise. The 19-year-old from Casa Grande, Arizona will be opposed by the 30-year-old Hubbert (13-8-2, 8 KOs), who fights out of Fargo, North Dakota.

Spencer (7-0, 6 KOs) will appear on the FOX PBC Fight Night broadcast with his bout against Black (5-2, 2 KOs) serving as part of the show following prelims. At just 19-years-old and having only turned pro just over a year ago, Spencer has shown the tremendous skill and promise he possesses across his first seven pro fights. In April on FS1, the Linden, Michigan-native displayed his boxing acumen in going six rounds for the first time to earn a dominant unanimous decision over Osias Vasquez. He will take on the Chicago-born Black, who enters this fight on a two-bout winning streak.

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