



How we helped deliver world title boxing in Belfast within just 96 hours.

We provided a complete event infrastructure solution at Northern Ireland's largest stadium for the all-Irish IBF world title boxing clash between Lewis Crocker and Paddy Donovan.

Our team supplied and managed the full event infrastructure to bring this historic bout to life - including temporary power, pitch protection, lighting, fencing, plant, powered access equipment and more.

Installed, live, and derigged - all within 96 hours.



Safe access and
egress for
16,000 fans



96-hour stadium
transformation and
turnaround



Football pitch
protected for
fixtures days later



Fewer deliveries
through
consolidated
supply

The Saturday night showdown between Lewis Crocker and Paddy Donovan marked just the second major boxing event ever staged at the Clearer Twist National Stadium at Windsor Park, in the heart of Belfast.

A rematch for the IBF world welterweight title, the bout drew 16,000 fans to a venue more accustomed to international football.

Transforming a football stadium into a world-title boxing arena required a complete turnkey infrastructure solution - delivered safely, efficiently, and at scale.

Having built a strong working relationship with the Irish FA over many years, we were appointed to provide the full event infrastructure package for both the Irish FA and Matchroom Boxing.

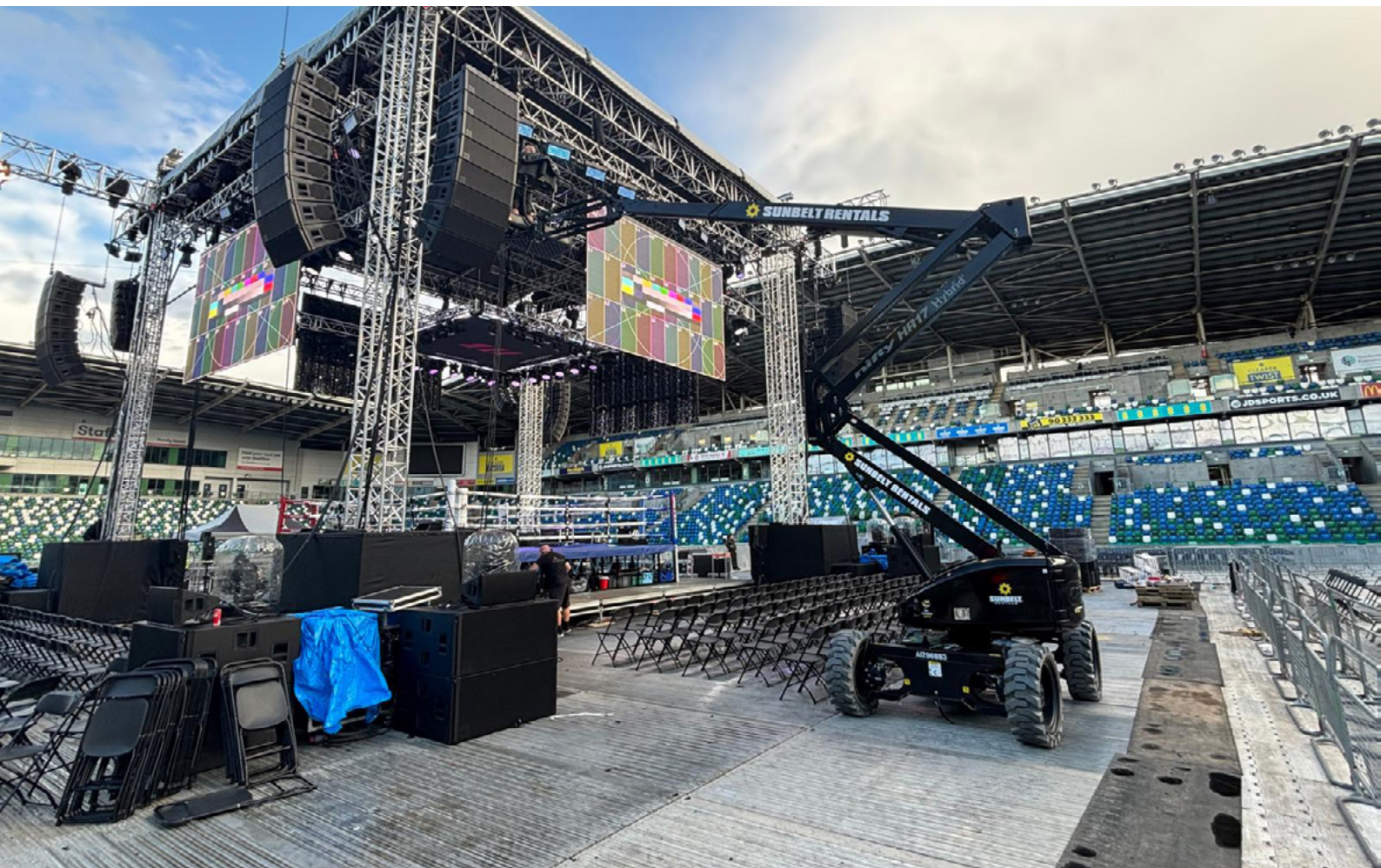
Challenges

With the integrity of the playing surface critical - and a football match scheduled a few days after fight night, followed by a further fixture seven days later - the build and break programme had to be dramatically compressed.

We had just 96 hours to transform the stadium into a world-title boxing arena - and then return it, event-ready and pitch-protected, back to the venue.

Our equipment and services supplied at a glance

- 1.2m kVA of generator power supplied on site
- Distribution boards and cables supplied and installed.
- VMS traffic signage
- Forklifts and telehandlers
- Powered Access including booms and scissor lifts
- 7100m² Supa-Trac pitch covering system
- 2100m of crowd control barriers
- Almost 1500m² of trakway
- Met barriers
- Welfare facilities including chemical toilets





“ Sunbelt Rentals delivered exceptional support for our high-profile event at Windsor Park in Belfast. Their ability to provide a complete infrastructure solution under extremely tight deadlines was outstanding.

From pitch covering to power, fencing, and welfare facilities, everything was handled with precision and professionalism. The team's commitment and collaborative approach ensured the event ran seamlessly.

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Irish FA

Solution

This was a mammoth logistical operation, delivered through meticulous planning and 24-hour execution. While much of our work is typically carried out during standard daytime hours, this project required full round-the-clock working to meet critical deadlines.

Every phase was carefully coordinated to maintain momentum without compromising safety or quality. From initial installation to final removal, our team delivered all infrastructure and equipment required to bring this major sporting event to life.

Result

The event ran seamlessly for 16,000 fans, with the full infrastructure operating safely throughout. Following derig, the pitch was handed back pristine and match-ready - enabling the Irish FA to host scheduled fixtures just days later. Clients praised the team's responsiveness, professionalism and ability to deliver at pace.



World title boxing delivered

Pitch protected throughout

96-hour turnaround complete

Leave the how to us.