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**GOLOVKIN VS. MACKLIN**

**CAMP NOTES & PHOTOS AND**

**MEDIA CONFERENCE CALL TRANSCRIPT**

**WBA AND IBO MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP**

**SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2013**

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### HBO Boxing After Dark® triple-header, 9:45 p.m. ET/PT

**New York, NY (6/21/13)** - Next Saturday defending WBA/IBO champion **Gennady "GGG" Golovkin** (26-0,

23KO's) meets Ireland's top-rated former world title challenger

**Matthew "Mack The Knife" Macklin**

(29-4, 20KO's) in their much-anticipated middleweight championship showdown at the

**MGM Grand Theater**

at

**Foxwoods® Resort Casino**

in

**Mashantucket, Connecticut**

. The championship matchup will be the main event on the

**HBO Boxing After Dark**

triple-header, which will be televised live on HBO

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beginning at 9:45 p.m. ET/PT.

In the HBO televised co-feature bout, red-hot super middleweight contender and IBO Champion **Thomas "Tommy Gun" Oosthuizen** (21-0-1, 13KO's) puts his undefeated record on the line against fellow undefeated contender **Brandon**

**"Flawless" Gonzales**

(17-0, 10KO's) while top-rated junior middleweight NABF champion

**Willie "The Great" Nelson**

(20-1-1, 12KO's) squares off against

**Luciano Cuello**

(32-2, 16KO's) in the televised opener. Both bouts are scheduled for 10 rounds.

With just over a little more than a week to go before the monster middleweight showdown, both champion and challenger are eagerly counting down the minutes to what is one of the most anticipated championship match-ups thus far in 2013.

Below are quotes and photos (Photo credit Team Golovkin) from Golovkin's media day held in Big Bear last week as well as a complete transcript (audio included) from yesterday's media teleconference call.

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