

Chatarras Palace

In a small semi-clandestine boxing gym located in the popular neighborhood of “Casas Baratas” (it means “cheap houses”) in Barcelona, and considered as the Spanish version of the Fight Club, the street children, who are not afraid to fight, train three times a week.

Javi García Roche, boxer and entrepreneur, but above all the indisputable Rey Chatarrero (it means “king of”), famous thanks to his videos of street fights, rode the gym, the Chatarras Palace, as an act of good faith towards himself and the kids, so they could get away of street and drugs and have the opportunity to become good fighters and even compete at a professional level.

The gym is free and can go to train everyone, the regulars are about thirty and most are neighborhood kids.

Many of these kids have nothing in life but boxing, they don't go to school not working and they find in Chatarras Palace a chance to change their lives.