ATHLETICS NEWS







Luis Victorious at World Triathlon Championship Series Bermuda

Sunday, November 6th; Bermuda - Vincent Luis claimed the victory at the World Triathlon Championship Series Bermuda on Sunday, thus marking his first WRCS podium performance in a year, and his first gold since Hamburg over two years ago. This victory was sweeter than most, as Vincent has struggled with injury in recent months. "Last year I thought I was done and then I got injured again, but still I'm surrounded by amazing people who believe in me, so I just had to believe in myself as the minimum I could do. The last lap, I was just remembering all the days I couldn't run," Luis reflected post-race. After exiting the swim in the eight-strong lead pack, Luis completed a strong bike. He started the run behind the lead pack but quickly closed the gap and maintained his lead to secure the win. Luis' gold was not the only medal claimed by the NYAC on Sunday - Taylor Knibb took second with a finish of 2:03:04 behind the hometown favorite and Tokyo 2020 Olympic champion

Flora Duffy who crossed the line in 2:01:26. Beth Potter of Great Britain took third in 2:03:17. On the women's side, in addition to Taylor Knibb's silver medal performance, the NYAC's Taylor Spivey finished fifth in 2:04:05, and Summer Rappaport finished 25th in 2:08:51. Notably, Summer had the second-fastest swim of the field of 20:18, three seconds behind winner Flora Duffy (20:15). On the men's side, in addition to Vincent Luis' victory, the NYAC's Matt McElroy finished 16th in 1:51:09. Click here for compete results from Bermuda.

Meet Vincent Luis

Sport: Triathlon Hometown: Vesoul, France Achievements: Three-time Olympian (2012, 2016, 2020), and

Tokyo 2020 team bronze medalist, 2019 and 2020 world champion, 2022 Mixed Relay world champion.

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Water Polo - US Women Claim FINA World League Super Final Bronze

Sunday, November 6th; Tenerife, Spain - The USA Women's National Team claimed the bronze medal on Sunday at the FINA World League Super Final after defeating the Netherlands in a shootout, 16-15. The first period concluded with a 3-3 score, and the US entered halftime with a 7-4 advantage. After the break, the Dutch scored three times before the NYAC's Jordan Raney brought the score to a 9-7 advantage for the US. In the fourth and final quarter, the Dutch scored three times once more to gain the lead. However, following a goal from Jordan Raney and Rachel Fattal, the game went to a shootout. Following successful attempts from Rachel Fattal, Jordan Raney, and fellow teammates, and a decisive save from Ashleigh Johnson, Team USA secured the bronze medal with a 16-15 win. Click here for complete results.

Road Running - NYC Marathon

Sunday, November 6th, 2022; New York, NY - The NYAC's Tatyana McFadden finished eighth in the women's wheelchair division at the New York City Marathon on Sunday with a finish of 1:52:59. American Susannah Scaroni won in 1:42.43, Manuela Schar of Switzerland took second in 1:45:11, and Madison de Rozario of Austria took third in 1:45:24. For complete results from the NYC Marathon, click here.

Judo - Battling in Baku

Friday, November 4th - Sunday, November 6th; Baku, Azerbaijan - The NYAC's Hannah Martin, Katelyn Jarrell, and Christian Konoval each contested their respective weights at the Baku Grand Slam, though none advanced beyond the second round of competition. Katelyn Jarrell (-52kg) defeated Martina Castagnola of Italy by ippon in the first round but was defeated herself by ippon in the second by Aydan Valiyeva of Azerbaijan. At -63kg, the NYAC's Hannah Martin won the first round against Yesui Darkhanbatbayar of Mongolia by ippon but lost to Lucy Renshall of Great Britain by ippon in the second. Christian Konoval was defeated at +100kg by Zhambyl Turgynaliyev of Kazakhstan by ippon in the second round. For complete results from Baku, click here.

Soccer - NYAC Defeats Zum Schneider

Sunday, November 6th; Roosevelt Island, NY - The NYAC Firsts defeated Zum Schneider, 2-1, and the Reserves drew, 0-0, on Sunday. Wednesday, November 9th; Randalls, NY - The NYAC Firsts defeated Borgetto FC, 4-2, including a hat trick from Stephen Chapman. For more information about the Cosmopolitan Soccer League, click here.

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Special Marathon Guests - Last Friday, attendees of the NYAC Runners' Club Pasta Dinner had the honor of meeting special guests Tatyana McFadden and Eliud Kipchoge. Tatyana and Eliud were fitting guests for the dinner - an annual NYC Marathon weekend tradition - as Tatyana has won the wheelchair division of the NYC Marathon five times, and Eliud is the current world record holder in the marathon (2:01:09).

Wrestling - Entries for the Bill Farrell Tournament have been announced. The tournament will be hosted at the City House next week, from Friday, November 18th to Saturday, November 19th, and will feature some of the top senior-level wrestlers in the world. Click here to view the entry lists. • Also in NYAC wrestling news, NYAC member and USA Wrestling supporter Arno Niemand has passed away at the age of 88. Click here to read about his life and legacy.

Track and Field - Orlando, FL has been announced as the host for the USATF Olympic Trials for the Paris 2024 Games marathon. Click here to learn more about the race.

Upcoming Events

Friday, November 11th - Saturday, November 12th Coupe du Monde – Tallin, Estonia - Kat Holmes (Epee), Anne Cebula (Epee) More info Friday, November 11th - Saturday, November 12th Coupe du Monde - Bern, Switzerland - Justin Yoo (Epee), Dylan Nollner (Epee) More info Sunday, November 13th Eintracht FC in D'Arpino Cup Round II - Travers Island, NY, 10am

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