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# NYAC ATHLETICS NEWS

## 100 Days Out - Our Inspirational Athletes

On Wednesday evening, April 14th, four of the NYAC's elite athletes joined a virtual zoom call to talk to NYAC members about their hopes and aspirations as they look towards the Tokyo Olympic Games. Jesse Smith (water polo), Adeline Gray (wrestling), Jake Hoyle (fencing) and Priscilla Frederick-Loomis were, without exaggeration, inspirational. If you missed it, [click here](#), and get ready to be inspired.



## Track and Field - DeAnna Price, #3 All-Time

On Saturday, April 10th at the Tom Botts Invitational in Columbia, MO, the NYAC's DeAnna Price improved her own US women's hammer throw record and installed herself as the third farthest female hammer thrower of all time. Her mark of 78.60m/257'10" improved her own previous US record by 14". To read the USATF release about DeAnna's throw, [click here](#). To see the historic throw, [click here](#). To read full details, see the March/April edition of *The Winged Foot*.

## Judo

From April 15th to 16th, the 2021 Senior Pan American Championships will be contested in Guadalajara, Mexico. Five NYAC athletes will take to the mats: Angelica Delgado (52kg), Katelyn Jarrell (52kg), Alisha Galles (63kg), Colton Brown (90kg), and Nate Keeve (100kg). For details, [click here](#).



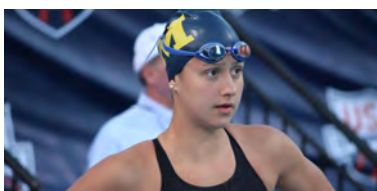
## Rowing

Thursday, April 15th saw the conclusion of the four-day US Olympic Team Rowing Trials #2, held in West Windsor, NJ. In the men's pair, the NYAC's Michael DiSanto won his final and advances to the Final Olympic Qualification Regatta, being held May 16th-17th in Lucerne, Switzerland. That will be his opportunity to secure his place on the Tokyo team. Olympians, Ellen Tomek and Meghan O'Leary placed third in the women's double, unfortunately missing out on a ticket to Tokyo. For results from Trials #2, [click here](#). For details of the Lucerne qualification regatta, [click here](#). In other news, Tracy Eisser and Kristine O'Brien

will test their speed in the pair at the World Rowing Cup in Zagreb, Croatia (April 30th-May 2nd) or the World Rowing Cup in Lucerne, Switzerland (May 21st-23rd). A top-two finish in either would give them the option of being named to the Olympic team in the event. Read about it [here](#).

## Fencing

USA Fencing is in the process of naming its team for this summer's Tokyo Olympic Games. Among them is Jake Hoyle, one of the guest athletes at the NYAC's [100 Days Out event last night](#). Also named are Olympic medalists Courtney and Kelley Hurley and Kat Holmes, as well as Nicole Ross. Soren Thompson and James Kaul are still in the hunt to claim team places. [Click here](#) for details.



## Swimming

At the 2021 TYR Pro Swim Series- Mission Viejo, CA, held from April 8th-11th, the NYAC's Ali DeLoof placed sixth in the 100 LC Meter backstroke with a time of 1:01.49. For results, [click here](#).

## Triathlon - Morgan Pearson, Proud NYAC Member

Morgan Pearson is the newest member of the NYAC triathlon team. He joined last year and celebrated his membership with a silver medal in the mixed team relay at the 2020 World Championships in Hamburg. He also scored an eighth place finish in the individual race. Morgan is no slouch as a runner; he ran a 62:15 half marathon last October, which places him #2 all time list at the NYAC, behind only Meb. [Click here](#) to see his thoughts on being a member of the New York Athletic Club.



## News

Tokyo celebrates 100 Days to go before the July 23rd Opening Ceremony. [Click here](#).



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