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Triathlon - Luis Claims CLASH Daytona Title

Friday, December 2nd; Daytona, FL – The NYAC's **Vincent Luis**, two-time world champion (2019, 2020) and three-time Olympian (2012, 2016, 2020), secured the win at CLASH Daytona on Friday. The race featured a 1.6K swim, a 60K bike, and a 13.2K run which concluded on the Daytona International Speedway. Early in the swim, Luis, with Henri Schoeman (RSA), Seth Rider (FRA), and Matthew Sharpe (CAN) broke away as the lead pack. The trio held their lead at the beginning of the bike but were passed by Bishop (GBR) and Starykowicz (USA), who came off the bike in first and second, respectively. Their leads were short-lived, however. Luis, Rider, and Schoeman passed Starykowicz back in the run. Luis made his move and closed the gap on Bishop, ultimately catching and passing him. Jason West and Joao Pereira (POR) closed in on Luis and Bishop, but Luis held his lead and crossed the line in first in 2:23:48. Joao Pereira took second in 2:24:12, and Jason West took third in 2:24:58. [Click here](#) for complete results from Daytona.

• **Sunday, December 4th; Indian Wells, CA** – **Matt McElroy** finished fifth at the IRONMAN 70.3 Indian Wells this weekend in 3:51:48. The race consisted of a 1.9K swim, a 90K bike, and a 21.1K run. American Sam Long won in 3:43:34, Canadian Jackson Laundry took second in 3:44:22, and Belgian Bart Aernouts took third in 3:45:08.

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Judo - NYAC Judokas Contest Tokyo Grand Slam

Saturday, December 3rd – Sunday, December 4th; Tokyo, Japan – The NYAC's **Jack Yonezuka** (-73kg), **Nicholas Yonezuka** (-81kg), **Nate Keeve** (-100kg), and **Christian Konoval** (+100kg) contested the Tokyo Grand Slam last weekend. Jack defeated Ratbek Zhumanazarov of Kazakhstan in the first round by ippon but lost to Soichi Hashimoto of Japan by ippon in the second. Both Nicolas and Christian were defeated in their respective second rounds, and Nate Keeve was defeated in the first round. For complete results from Tokyo, [click here](#).

Upcoming Events

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SOCCER: Sunday, December 11th [Central Park Rangers Red](#) at Home, 12pm [More info](#)



Meet Vincent Luis

Sport: Triathlon
Hometown: Vesoul, France
Achievements: Three-time Olympian (2012, 2016, 2020), Tokyo 2020 team bronze medalist, 2019 and 2020 world champion, 2022 Mixed Relay world champion.
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News



This Week in NYAC Athletics History - On **December 10th, 1831**, the first issue of *The Spirit of the Times: A Chronicle of the Turf, Agriculture, Field Sports, Literature and the Stage* was published. The weekly newspaper covered sports such as angling, baseball, foot racing, horse racing, rowing, and more, and was aimed for an upper-class readership of sportsmen. At its peak, the paper had 40,000 subscribers. In 1878, the NYAC's founder William B. Curtis became the editor of the *Spirit* and henceforth covered solely amateur sporting events in the paper.

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