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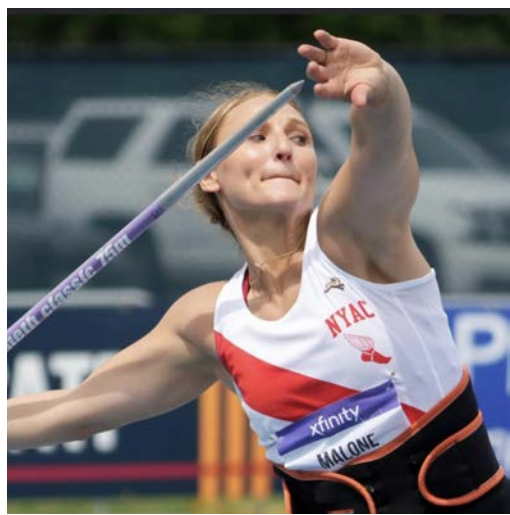


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Water Polo - US Women Win Fourth Straight World Cup

Sunday, June 25th; Long Beach, CA – The US women defeated the Netherlands, 12-11, in a closely contested final match to claim the gold medal at the [2023 World Aquatics Women's World Cup](#). Alex Ellison of USA Water Polo reported on the final minutes of the exciting match – “In the final frame, Van De Kraats drilled a penalty shot for The Netherlands' eighth of the game. A player advantage followed for the United States and Musselman took advantage before Van De Kraats buried another penalty attempt. Minutes later, Keuning scored back-to-back goals to level the score at 11-11 with 1:54 to play. Team USA came out of a timeout to earn a 6-on-5 and Rachel Fattal came up clutch with her first goal of the night. The Netherlands had a shot with seconds left to tie the game but Amanda Longan denied Van De Kraats at the horn to win the gold medal, 12-11.” The NYAC's Maggie Steffens, the US team's captain who scored a hat trick in the final, was named Player of the Match, while the NYAC's Amanda Longan, with 15 saves, was named Best Goalkeeper. In addition to Steffens and Longan, NYAC members on the team were Kaleigh Gilchrist, Maddie Musselman, Ashleigh Johnson, Rachel Fattal, Ava Johnson, Denise Mammolito, Jordan Raney, Tara Prentice and Bayley Weber. To read USA Water Polo's full report on the match, [click here](#).

Track and Field - Malone and Winkler Win at NYC Grand Prix



Saturday, June 24th; Icahn Stadium, Randall's Island, NY, NY – Rudy Winkler and Maggie Malone won the men's hammer throw and women's javelin, respectively, at the [USATF NYC Grand Prix](#) at Icahn Stadium last weekend. Winkler, the American record holder, recorded a mark of 78.70m/258-2 to secure the win, while fellow NYAC thrower **Daniel Haugh** placed second at 75.75m/248-6. In the women's javelin, new recruit Maggie Malone, the US record holder until deposed by the NYAC's Kara Winger, won with a throw of 56.24m/184-6. Other NYAC results include **Janeah Stewart's** fifth place (70.42m/231-0) in the hammer throw, **Michael Shuey's** sixth place (72.08m/236-6) in the javelin, **Sam Mattis's** fifth place (61.13m/200-6) in the discus, and **Rob Napolitano's** fifth place (3:39.72) in the 1500m. Also at the Grand Prix, the NYAC's **AI Oerter**, four-time Olympic discus champion, one of the most celebrated athletes in Olympic history, was posthumously honored at a commemorative ceremony on the infield. [Click here](#) for full results from the Grand Prix.



Cathy Oerter (R) and some of the NYAC contingent including VP Ed Smith (L), at Icahn Stadium.

Meet Maggie Malone

Sport: Track and Field **Hometown:** College Station, TX
College: Texas A&M, 2017

Achievements: Former American javelin record holder, two-time Olympian (2016, 2020), NCAA collegiate record holder

Find Maggie on Instagram [@maggietheeaggie](#)



Triathlon - Bronze Medals for Rappaport and Kanute

Saturday, June 24th – Sunday, June 25th; Montreal, Canada – **Summer Rappaport** was the NYAC's top finisher at the [World Triathlon Championship Series Montreal](#), securing a bronze medal in a time of 58:19. She completed the 750m swim in 8:54, the 20.16K bike in 30:21 and the 5K run in 16:35. Beth Potter of Great Britain won the race in 58:10, and France's Leonie Periault took second in 58:12. Other NYAC finishers included **Katie Zaferes** (fifth, 58:33), **Taylor Knibb** (sixth, 58:36), **Taylor Spivey** (ninth, 58:51) and **Kirsten Kasper** (18th, 59:10). **Matt McElroy** did not complete the individual race, and the Mixed Team Relay was canceled due to smoke from the ongoing Canadian wildfires. [Click here](#) for full results from Montreal. In other NYAC triathlon news, **Ben Kanute** secured a bronze medal in the [Challenge Roth Triathlon](#) on Sunday, June 25th in Roth bei Nurnberg, Germany. Kanute completed the full or iron-distance triathlon in 7:37:01, clocking 46:36 for the 2.4-mile/3.8K swim, 4:10:17 for the 112-mile/180K bike, and 2:37:18 for the 26.2-mile/42.4K run. Denmark's Magnus Ditlev won in 7:24:40, and Germany's Patrick Lange was second in 7:30:04. [Click here](#) for full results from Roth.

Swimming - Kate Douglass, Ninth Fastest of All Time



Tuesday, June 27th – Saturday, July 1st; Indianapolis, IN – The [2023 Phillips 66 National Championships](#) are currently underway and, already, NYAC swimmers have achieved some excellent results. **Kate Douglass** won the 100m freestyle on Tuesday, her winning 52.57 seconds being the second fastest ever recorded by an American and the ninth fastest in history. The following day, Douglass placed second in the 200m breaststroke in a time of 2:21.22, beaten to the touch by Indiana's Lilly King, who won in 2:20.95. The top two finishers in these national championships are selected for the World Championships, which will be held in Fukuoka, Japan from July 14th-30th. Douglass, thus, has already qualified for two events, with several days of competition remaining. Other NYAC highlights thus far include **Ryan Held's** fifth and sixth place finishes in the 100m freestyle and 50m butterfly, and **Paige Madden's** and **Gabby DeLoof's** eighth place finishes in the B and C 200m freestyle finals, respectively. [Click here](#) for full results from Indianapolis. Check back next week for details results from the national championships. In the interim, updates will be posted on our NYAC Twitter page [@newyorkac](#).

Judo - Berliner Contests Ulaanbaatar Grand Slam

Friday, June 23rd – Sunday, June 25th; Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia – The NYAC's **Ari Berliner** (-66kg) contested the [Ulaanbaatar Grand Slam](#), where he was defeated by ippon in the first round by Naramandakh Bayanmunkh of the United Arab Emirates. [Click here](#) for full results.

Upcoming Events

SWIMMING: Tuesday, June 27th – Saturday, July 1st [Phillips 66 Swimming National Championships](#) – Indianapolis, IN – Kate Douglass, Catie DeLoof, Gabby DeLoof, Paige Madden, Ryan Held, Hunter Armstrong [More info](#)

WATER POLO: Friday, June 30th – Sunday, July 2nd [Men's Water Polo World Cup](#) – Los Angeles, CA [More info](#)

TRACK AND FIELD: Sunday, July 2nd [Diamond League Stockholm Meeting](#) – Stockholm, Sweden – Valarie Allman [More info](#)

TRACK AND FIELD: Thursday, July 6th – Sunday, July 9th [USATF Outdoor Championships](#) – Eugene, OR

Emmanuel Corvera – 20,000m Race Walk, Miranda Melville – 20,000m Race Walk, Chris Nilsen – Pole Vault, Tori Franklin – Triple Jump, Joe Kovacs – Shot Put, Sam Mattis – Discus, Valarie Allman – Discus, Rudy Winkler – Hammer Throw, Daniel Haugh – Hammer Throw, Brooke Andersen – Hammer Throw, Deanna Price – Hammer Throw, Janeah Stewart – Hammer Throw, Michael Shuey – Javelin, Maggie Malone – Javelin [More info](#)

News

Olympics – Alcoholic beverages will not be available to the general public at the Paris 2024 Games. [Click here](#) to learn more.

LA28 – LA Olympic Committee marks Olympic Day with model Games for young athletes. [Click here](#).

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