

Rabat (MAR) 13th July 2018



Flash Quotes

Tajay GAYLE (JAM)

Long Jump Men - winner

It was not my best performance. I am not really satisfied. The crowd and the atmosphere were really exquisite.

13.07.2018 20:00

Akeem BLOOMFIELD (JAM)

400m Men - 1st

The performance was fantastic and I am happy about it. I expected that the competition will be tough. The amosphere was amazing. I am looking forward to the upcoming events and I hope to finish the year in a healthy shape.

13.07.2018 20:07

Mariya LASITSKENE (ANA)

High Jump Women - First defeat after 45 victories

I am disappointed of course but these things happen. I lost myself. I had no problem, no injuries, it was just a bad day. Now I need to go back to training and work hard.

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Christina SCHWANITZ (GER)

Shot Put Women

The compititon was great, I was expecting to win this compition, especially with the help of the audience. The weather was good as well. I am looking forward to win in the upcoming events in Monaco, Brussels and Birmingham.

13.07.2018 20:22

Francine NIYONSABA (BDI)

800m Women - winner

It feels very good to win tonight. The race was as i expected. The pace maker did an exellent job. I am very pleased with the time. Now I will go back to London fot training, then i will run in Monaco.

13.07.2018 20:22

Mirela DEMIREVA (BUL)

High Jump Women - winner

It was a difficult competition and I am happy that I managed to deal with the conditions. I am expecting to be in the European Championships in Berlin and I hope to come back next year to Rabat.

13.07.2018 20:30

Brahim KAAZOUZI (MAR)

1500m Men - winner, PB

I am happy about my performance. This is a dream come true. I owe my victory and personal best to the crowd.

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Shaunae MILLER-UIBO (BAH)

200m Women - winner

I am very happy about this victory, though i need to work on a few things, especially my start as it is not the best in the 200m. I was here last year and I am glad to return because the athmosphere is amazing.

13.07.2018 20:37

Yomif KEJELCHA (ETH)

3000m Men - winner

I am very happy with the result. I had a very good training and the race was as I expected. Now I am going to run in London on July 21st in the 5000m.

13.07.2018 20:59

Brianna McNEAL (USA)

100m Hurdles Women - winner

I feel good about my performance. I tried to stay composed aiming for the win. I always go to the race expecting to win and I am not sure if anyone has bet on themselves. My aim is to be number one in the world and win the DL.

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Renaud LAVILLENIE (FRA)

Pole Vault Men - 5.45m

I had some issues today to adjust myself from the start of the event. I do not know why, I have no explanation. It happens sometimes. I had no feeling today, I am frustrated but it is not a big deal. My next competition is in Berlin on July 21st, but before that I will go back home as tomorrow is my child's first birthday. This will give me something to clear my mind.

13.07.2018 21:18

Hellen OBIRI (KEN)

5000m Women - winner

I am very delighted for this victory, especially that I accomplished the WL in 2018. The race was fast and difficult, especially in the last lap. Now I will go back to my home country to prepare for the African Championships, as I am strongly aiming for another win.

13.07.2018 21:24

Sam KENDRICKS (USA)

Pole Vault Men - winner

Tonight I have beaten the meeting record, then I decided to retire. Sometimes victory is enough and you do not need to jump higher. I need to fly to London tomorrow to be part of the World Cup. I will arrive to London only twelve hours before the competition. It is tough, but it is the life of an athlete and I enjoy it. I am living my dream.

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Christian COLEMAN (USA)

Winner

It was a perfect night for me: good race and good time. I could not be happier. I am not so suprised to win for my first race, even with such a great field because I was very fast in practice these last days. When I was injured, I managed to maintain a good condition. Now I am gonna run in London then Birmingham.

13.07.2018 21:41

Caster SEMENYA (RSA)

1000m Women - winner

It was a very good race, but unfortunately it was not as fast as I expected. I hope be here next year because it is always nice to be in Africa.

13.07.2018 21:53

Magnus KIRT (EST)

Javelin Throw Men - 89.75.MR.PB

I feel really happy about my performance. I was struggling in the first rounds, but in the end I did much better. It is always an honour to have a MR.

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Caterine IBARGUEN (COL)

Triple Jump Women - Winner

I am very satisfied. It is a great jump and a great victory. But I think I was able to do better tonight. I wanted to jump 15 m. Every time I jump, I want to do 15 m, and even 16 m or 17 m. This season I had some good results in long jump as well, it is an event I do for fun, as a diversion from triple jump. It is not serious for me, but I managed to get some good jumps.

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Benjamin KIGEN (KEN)

Winner

I felt good all the race, from start to finish. I think I could have done better, I felt very fresh at the end. But to be honest, I did not expect to win tonight. Beating my PB is a great surprise. But I improve a lot this season. I beat my PB for the first time in Eugene in Diamond League. And now for the second time here in Rabat. My next race will be in Monaco. I know it's gonna be a fast and tough race, but I'm ready for that.

13.07.2018 22:08

Soufiane EL BAKKALI (MAR)

3000m Steeplechase Men - 3rd

First of all I would like to say sorry for the fans for not winning. The race was extremely difficult, however I feel satisfied for finishing 3rd especially that it reflects my preparations.

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