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Salomé KORA (SUI)

100m Women B Race - Heat 1 - 4th

Today's race was ok. I'm still a bit tired from the Olympics. I didn't have big expectations for tonight, I just wanted to see where I stood for the relay later this evening. I'm really excited for the relay, there will be a crazy atmosphere as the stadium will be full by then.

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Samuel COQUOZ (SUI)

400m Men B Race - 7th

Racing in my home stadium with this incredible atmosphere was an honor. I followed my race plan well, though I hoped to be a bit faster, but overall it was a nice race.

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Lore HOFFMANN (SUI)
800m Women B Race - 2nd position

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Jonas BEUTLER (SUI)

1000m Boys - Rank 1

I was very relaxed at the end and I wanted to enjoy the moment here, that's why I bowed. It's so nice to run in Athletissima, every competitor knows each other and it was so special to run in front of a crowd so big here in Lausanne!

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Aimie DECRAUSAZ (SUI)

1000m Girls - 1st - PR

The first 100 meters weren't great, I really struggled, but I was able to catch up and finish first. It's my personal record so I'm super happy. The atmosphere at La Pontaise is incredible, it really makes you want to run again. Thank you for all the support!

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Catia GUBELMANN (SUI)

400m Women - Rank 1

At the finish line I was thinking of finishing strong because the 400 meters always hurts. The crowd definitely helped, I love big crowds and it was absolutely lovely to have their support. I did my personal best here, right before the Olympics so it was special to come back to the place that gave me confidence.

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Markus REHM (GER)

Long Jump Men Paralympic - 1st

It was a blast bringing paralympic long jumping to the Diamond League - a huge success! Competing in front of a full stadium with such an amazing atmosphere was incredible. 8.20 is a solid distance, and we're still finding our rhythm before the Paralympic Games in Paris. We're excited for the upcoming competitions and hope to keep showcasing our sport on this stage. There's another Diamond League on Sunday in Poland, which is really amazing that we have the chance to represent our sport in such a stage. I think that if the public enjoys it, it may be a chance to be here more often.

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Sarah ATCHO-JAQUIER (SUI)

200m Women - 8th

I'm grateful to have run today despite foot issues. The Lausanne atmosphere was amazing with so much support. Post Olympics exhaustion made it tough to get back, but that's the game and I loved to compete here.

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Léonie POINTET (SUI)

200m Women - 5th

The atmosphere here is always incredible. It feels like home so it's really cool. I was quite tired after the Games, so I'm pretty satisfied with the 23.02. I hope to do two more races, that's for sure. As for the relay, being at home is great and we're all in shape, so I think it will go well if we give it our all.

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Muzala SAMUKONGA (ZAM)

400m Men - 2nd

I am very happy with my results tonight and I found my race perfect. It felt great to be in Lausanne and to run in front of such an amazing crowd. I can't explain how truly grateful I am to run low 44 seconds, it's amazing. I hope to come again in the future!

23.08.2024 02:11

Gabriel TUAL (FRA)

800m Men - 3rd

The atmosphere was fantastic. The race was fast and it was aiming for a world record so I had to push hard. Despite the long season, I'm proud of my 1:42.30 and the progress I've made this year. I'm still in the mix and ready to finish strong.

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Busang Collen KEBINATSHIPI (BOT)

400m Men - Rank 3

I expected to run fast, even tho I hadn't been training much due to the celebratio nback at home after the Olympics. I decided to come here and enjoy myself, knowing the crowd and weather would be great. Now I am focused on a few things that I knowwill make me better and in the next Diamond League event.

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Matthew HUDSON-SMITH (GBR)

400m Men - 1st

I want to consistently be one of the best ever and run consistently under 44 seconds. My goal is to win the Olympic gold and to be mentioned alongside Michael Johnson and Jeremy Wariner. I don't see myself as one of the best as long as I don't get the OlympicgGold and maybe breaking the 43 second barrier. It's all about consistency, winning and never giving up.

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Emmanuel WANYONYI (KEN)

800m Men - 1st, WL, meeting record, 2nd best all time

I'm so happy to have run that crazy time here in Lausanne. Improving my PB once again setting the world lead today in Lausanne, is very good. I really loved the crowd here at atletissima and I hope for the bes for my next race in Silesia.

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Ackera NUGENT (JAM)

The last few moments were really special because it was my first Diamond League since turning professional, and being around all the girls, everyone was so supportive and it just felt great. My anxiety and nerves disappeared because I was with good people, which helped me give my best today. And yes, that's exactly what I did.

23.08.2024 02:28

Marco AROP (CAN)

800m Men - 2nd

I feel pretty good tonight, especially after the Olympics -my fitness is holding up, so I'm excited for the next few races. Next up is Silesia on Sunday, then 1K in Zagreb, and hopefully the Diamond League. Lausanne is simply incredible, the atmosphere and crowd is amazing. It's been three years since I was here, and I hope to be back again next year. It's one of my favorite cities, thank you for having me!

23.08.2024 02:33

Jasmine CAMACHO-QUINN (PUR)

100m Hurdles Women - 1st, SB

"Even though I didn't feel like I was running all out, I'm still winning and running great so I'll take it. As a vet, I just show up, do the job, and aim to do better next time. As I'm a vet I know what to expect from Lausanne, an amazing crowd.

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Grace STARK (USA)

2nd

I'm feeling incredibly good tonight, but I am a bit in shock - it's my first time doing the Diamond League, and I'm super excited. It's been a long season with a lot of races, but I'm so happy to have kept up with such amazing girls. The stadium here in Lausanne is incredible, with the mountains in the background. I've never been to Switzerland before, and it's just beautiful. I feel so blessed to be here.

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Hobbs KESSLER (USA)

1500m Men - 3rd

The event was awesome, I'm super happy to be here. The race went smoothly but I just need a little more training to stay with the leaders. I'm planning to race a few more times this season then focusing on getting stronger for next year.

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Sarah MITTON (CAN)

Shot Put Women - ank 3

I felt good tonight, close to a big throw, with a lot of good movements, but nothing quite came together at the end. The consistency was there, but I was just missing a little on the finish, probably needing to relax a bit more and get into the zone. Lausanne was great-it's calm and relaxing, which helped clear my head, and the crowd's energy was amazing, making it a fun competition.

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Tamari DAVIS (USA)

100m Women - 2nd

It went well tonight. I'm just trying to bounce back after not making the Olympic team, and I'm pleased with the result. This was my first race back, and I'm happy and healthy - and that is what matters most. I love being in Lausanne, the atmosphere is always great. I'm happy to be back.

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Mujinga KAMBUNDJI (SUI)

Coming here is always special, especially after everything achieved this year. The crowd in Lausanne is fantastic, and it's just great to be part of this event. The competitors are also amazing, and it's always a great pleasure to compete alongside them.

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Chase JACKSON (USA)

Shot Put Women - 1st - SB

I'm super glad to have done my Season Beast and now I'm super focused on Brussels. I didn't take any time off after the last event - I just went straight back to training. My goal is to win another world title and keep pushing myself. I know I can go further, much further, so I'm working hard on my technique to really excel in the World Cup. Wonderful to be in Lausanne tonight, such an amazing stadium and ambience!

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Jakob INGEBRIGTSEN (NOR)

1500m Men - 1st

It's been almost two weeks since Paris so there was plenty of time to recover. For me a lot of it has been mental including going home, taking some easy days and then getting back to work. Tonight's race gave me good answers and I'm looking forward to building on this for my next race on Sunday and the rest of the season.

23.08.2024 02:55

Cole HOCKER (USA)

1500m Men - 2nd

3.29.85 - my second best ever, so I can't complain. Considering the overwhelming past two weeks, it was a solid race. Physically I felt comfortable, but mentally, it's a new challenge being announced as Olympic champion. I felt the pressure but I'm excited about how things are shaping up. I was ready for whatever pace the race demanded, and I executed well. With another two weeks of practice ahead, I'm focused on getting my mental game right. The post-Olympic storm wasn't as tough as people say.

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Dina ASHER-SMITH (GBR)

100m Women - 1st, SB

It's always great to be in Switzerland and the Swiss crowd is so warm and welcoming. After the Olympics I took some time to refocus and now I'm just enjoying running, feeling fit and injury free. I'm excited to push on to the two next meets in Silesia and Zurich where the track and atmosphere were amazing. Plus there's always chocolate.

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Diribe WELTEJI (ETH)

3000m Women - Rank 1

I'm very happy with my time, it's incredible. The conditions here in Lausanne were perfect, truly great to be here. The crowd was big and I heard it a lot when I raced, I was happy at the end.

23.08.2024 03:05

Janeth CHEPNGETICH (KEN)

3000m Women - 2nd, SB

The race was very tough, but I gave it my all, tried to do my best and I'm very happy of the result. I'm really happy and blessed to have run my season best here in Lausanne and I hope for the best for the rest of the season and my preparation.

23.08.2024 03:05

Yemisi OGUNLEYE (GER)

Shot Put Women - 2nd

My competition went really well with a throw of 19.55, which I'm happy with especially after the Olympics as it's hard to stay motivated. The crowd felt like family and it was great to share that energy. Next I'll compete in Berlin, focusing on staying motivated and enjoying the competition.

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Tsige GEBRESELAMA (ETH)

3000m Women - 3rd, PB

It was a fun race, and the atmosphere here is great. I'm very happy with my race because I achieved my Personal Best, so of course, I'm pleased with my time. I'll definitely be coming back to Lausanne. There's something special about Switzerland - the atmosphere, the support and the beauty of the place make it an incredible experience.

23.08.2024 03:09

Hansle PARCHMENT (JAM)

110m Hurdles Men - Rank 3

I came to Lausanne just aiming to make it through, especially since I haven't been feeling great leading up to the Olympics. I'm learning as I go, identifying the issues I need to work on, and focusing on improving. My technique fell apart a bit at the end, but I'm definitely going to work on maintaining it all the way to the line. Competing here is awesome-the energy in the stadium is electrifying, and the support from the crowd really pushes us to give our best.

23.08.2024 03:14

Grant HOLLOWAY (USA)

110m Hurdles Men - 2nd

Coming off that high from the Olympics, it's challenging to keep that same pace, but I'm focused on learning from this race to run better next time. Once you've reached your goals, it can be tough to keep pushing, but I'm prepared to defend my world titles. As long as I'm improving, it's a good sign.

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Jemma REEKIE (GBR)

800m Women - 3rd

The race was a bit rusty, and I ran slower than I wanted, but it was the first one, so it was always going to be the hardest. After the game, I'll focus on recovery and getting back to training as quickly as possible. It was tough, but I'm happy to be back. I'm aiming to get closer to my personal best from London as the season wraps up, and I'm excited for what's ahead.

23.08.2024 03:26

Rasheed BROADBELL (JAM)

110m Hurdles Men - 1st

It felt really great here again and win. I'm undefeated in Lausanne. The atmosphere in Lausanne is always fantastic. I love everything about the place from the view to the food. It's a pleasure to come here and put on a show and I think I did that today. Even though I ran 13.10 here compared to 13.09 in Paris, the race felt better because I knew I had it after the last hurdle. I could have run faster if I pushed through the tape but I'm satisfied. My eyes are set on breaking my national record next year and I have a specific target in mind. When you get there you'll see.

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Rachel PELLAUD (SUI)

Rank 9

The race was really fast, and I knew I had to be quick to position myself well and finish strong. At one point, I saw the other girls together, and I told myself to push hard, and I think I finished well. I'm really happy to have run under 2 minutes, especially here in Lausanne, which is my favorite meet. I gave it everything tonight.

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Mary MORAA (KEN)

800m Women - 1st

I'm thrilled to return here in Lausanne, and to perform at this level again. It was a very good race and I executed it well. I'm so thankful, for the race, the crowd. I'm extremely happy of how it all went out.

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Rushell CLAYTON (JAM)

400m Hurdles Women - 2nd

The atmosphere in the stadium was great, and it's a very nice venue. This was my first race since the Olympique and I just wanted to see how my body feels. It felt really good so I'm looking forward to the next race in a few days. My goal for next year is simple: Run fast.

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Jason JOSEPH (SUI)

110m Hurdles Men - 8th

The race wasn't good, just too slow. But the competition overall was great. Amazing atmosphere, fantastic track and perfect conditions. The plan is now two meets in Switzerland and finish the season strong

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Simon EHAMMER (SUI)

Long Jump Men - 3rd

Today's performance was okay. I'm slightly disappointed that I didn't reach the 8 meter barrier but knowing that I had a knee bruise, I'm satisfied. My plans for the rest of the season are to compete in the Weltklasse in Zurich, in Bellinzona and hopefully wrapping it up in Brussels.

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Erriyon KNIGHTON (USA)

200m Men - 2nd

It feels good to be back in the league but there's definitely room for improvement. I go back to Europe 2 days ago and I'm still adjusting. The competition was strong, and now I'm focused on the next steps. The plan for next year is to compete with the best in the world and go to the World Championships in Tokyo.

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Letsile TEBOGO (BOT)

200m Men - 1st

It was a great race for me here today in Lausanne, to be able to return here the following year is very cool to me. I think the most important thing for me is that even after such achievements like the ones I did at the Olympics, at the end of the day you just have to keep running to maintain the form throughout the season. So that being done here in atletissima, I'm satisfied.

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Women Netherlands (NED)

4x100m Relay Women - 3rd

We're feeling a bit tired - it's like boot camp after the Olympics! It's great to be here again, but it feels different, like you're giving everything and now you have to take care of yourself. We had the chance to visit Lausanne which is really nice. The energy in the stadium is amazing, it's always one of the best places to race. The crowd is so excited, and you can really feel the city's passion for athletics. We hope to be back often in the future!

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Women Switzerland U23 (SUI)

4x100m Relay Women - 4th

We're feeling really good tonight! The race went well, and we had a great time. The atmosphere and energy were incredible - the crowd really carried us with their passion. The highlight of the evening was definitively the tour of honour. The atmosphere during that moment was amazing, with so many people cheering us up. It's a special experience, and we're happy to have shared it with everyone.

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Nicola OLYSLAGERS (AUS)

High Jump Women - 3rd

It's wonderful to be back in Lausanne So much has happened in the last year, and it's great to come back and just enjoy the competition without the pressure. After the Olympics, it's easy for motivation to wear, but I'm so grateful to be here, surrounded by so much love and positive energy. The height tonight wasn't as high as I wanted, but it's more important to show up and inspire others. Lausanne is one of my favorite places, and I'm excited for what's to come.

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Women Switzerland (SUI)

4x100m Relay Women

It's great that we delivered such a performance tonight, but it would've been better to achieve that season best in Paris. We're very grateful though to have done this at home in front of the Lausanne public. Our next relay is in Zurich and our next big goal is the preparation leading to next year's world championships.

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Eleanor PATTERSON (AUS)

High Jump Women - 2nd, SB

I'm having so much fun tonight - that is what's the most important. It's great to be back in Lausanne. I competed here three years but I was exhausted and didn't perform well. This time, I felt energized and in one piece, and I managed to jump my season's best. The atmosphere here is incredible, and having my parents in the crowd made it even more special. The crowd is so close and eclectic, it really lifts you up. I've just enjoyed every moment. I'll be definitively be back in Switzerland soon for the Diamond League.

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Neeraj CHOPRA (IND)

Javelin Throw Men - 2nd, SB

The feeling wasn't great at first, but I'm happy with my throw, especially the second-best throw on my last attempt. It was a tough start, but the comeback was really nice and I enjoyed the fighting spirit I showed. Even though my early throws were around 80-83 meters, I pushed hard in the last two attempts finishing strong. Competing at this high level, it's important to stay mentally tough and fight through.

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Julian WEBER (GER)

Javelin Throw Men - 3rd

I'm really enjoying throwing right now and feel in great shape. My 87 meter throw was good, but it's a bit frustrating as I know I have more in me. Everything just hasn't come together perfectly yet. There are still a few competitions left, so I hope it all clicks. It was a great day today, though, with a fantastic atmosphere. Now I'll take a few days to relax and celebrate with family before moving to the next challenge.

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Fred KERLEY (USA)

200m Men - 3rd

It's my second 200 in the season so, I perform like I know I do. The crowd was really good, I had a good night. I'm riding over the wave of the Olympic hype, and I will do everything to keep it that way.

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Femke BOL (NED)

1st, MR

I'm still in great shape, with no injuries or sickness, which is really positive. The race today was super with a MR. The 4x400 mixed relay at the Games was all about going for a medal. When I got the baton and saw where the others were, I knew it was doable. I pushed hard in the last two hundred meters, and the energy from the crowd and my teammates was incredible. It was an emotional experience, especially after such a challenging season, and celebrating together with everyone made it even more special.

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Yaroslava MAHUCHIKH (UKR)

High Jump Women - 1st

It was really a joyful competition, and I loved the energy of the stadium, especially with so many children here to support. Meeting them earlier in the city and seeing their interesting track and field gave me a special motivation. Even though I made a few mistakes, I'm happy to have competed here and show the strong power of Ukrainians.

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Miltiadis TENTOGLOU (GRE)

Long Jump Men - 1st

I feel really well because I had a streak, for over two years now, where I've never jumped less than 8 meters in any competition, and I don't want to lose that streak at this point. As for how far I can go next year, I don't know exactly, but I'll try some new things, maybe take on some difficult challenges, and see what happens. Another year, another chance.

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Women Great Britain & NI (GBR)

1st

The crowd was insane, and the noise really carried us. From the moment the gun went off, we knew it was on. Dina absolutely tore it up on the first leg and we just kept the momentum going. Our handovers were spot on, and everything clicked perfectly. WE´re so happy with the win - How could we not be. Next up, were focused on more wins and heading to Tokyo 2025. For now maybe some ice cream to celebrate!

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