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IFSC CLIMBING WORLD CUP CHAMONIX 2014: KIM & AMMA SECURE CHAMONIX VICTORIES IN RAINY CONDITIONS

Site of the first Winter Olympics in 1924 and one of the oldest ski resorts in France, Chamonix hosted the first European stop in the 2014 IFSC Lead World Cup series, with a dual Lead and Speed competition this July 10-12, 2014.

The city that Mark Twain dubbed "the death-sport capital of the world" lived up to its promise of adrenaline-pumping sensations minus the danger with the world's top speed and lead climbers pushing their limits in extreme rainy conditions this weekend in Chamonix!

Humid holds upped the challenge in Lead

As if the World Cup routes weren't difficult enough, extreme weather conditions increased the climbing challenge this weekend, with rain, cold, and humidity, rolling in, the latter being the killer, causing a wet film to form on the holds, despite the walls being covered.

In the lead competition on the women's side, Korea's Jain Kim climbed calmly to a victory, just missing the top of the final route with a score of 50+, while Austria's Magdalena Röck claimed silver with 45+, followed closely by Slovenia's Mina Markovic with 44+.

Despite the routesetters' intention of creating an easier route for the men's lead finals, no competitor made it much higher than halfway, with Japan's Sachi Amma taking gold with a score of 28+, Austria's Jakob Schubert in second with 24+, and Slovenia's Domen Skofic in third with 23+.

Running through the rain in Speed

In Speed, Eastern Europe dominated the podiums. For women, Russia's Alina Gaidamakina took her first gold of the 2014 season, followed by Poland's Aleksandra Rudzinska in second and Russia's Mariia Krasavina in third.

In the men's field, Danyl Boldyrev won his second gold of the 2014 season after Baku. Poland's Marcin Dzienski took silver and Iran's Reza Alipourshenazandifar took bronze.

Next stop: Briançon (FRA)

The IFSC Lead World Cup tour will be stopping in Briançon, France, for the first 2014 solo lead competition. Rich with history since its start as a Roman village, this small Alpine city and its famous citadel provide a picturesque background for our athletes' scaling dizzying heights!

More information on the event, as well as live streaming of the semi-finals and finals on:

<http://www.ifsc-climbing.org>

As always, we are present on Twitter during competitions, so reach out with the hashtag #IFSCwc.



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RESULTS OF IFSC WORLD CUP CHAMONIX 2014 - LEAD

WOMEN LEAD:

RANK	NAME	NATION	POINTS
1	Kim Jain	KOR	50+
2	Röck Magdalena	AUT	45+
3	Markovic Mina	SLO	44+
4	Verhoeven Anak	BEL	40
5	Fakhritdinova Dinara	RUS	36+
6	Noguchi Akiyo	JPN	36+
7	Durif Charlotte	FRA	36+
8	Ota Risa	JPN	31+

For Full Results:

<https://www.ifsc-climbing.org/index.php/world-competition/calendar#!comp=1524&cat=2>

MEN LEAD:

RANK	NAME	NATION	POINTS
1	Amma Sachi	JPN	28+
2	Schubert Jakob	AUT	24+
3	Skofic Domen	SLO	23+
4	Ballet Thomas	FRA	19+
5	Desgranges Romain	FRA	16+
6	Julian Puigblanque Ramón	ESP	16+
7	Midtboe Magnus	NOR	16+
8	Primožic Urban	SLO	13+

For Full Results:

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RESULTS OF IFSC WORLD CUP CHAMONIX 2014 - SPEED

WOMEN SPEED:

RANK	NAME	NATION	TIME
1	Gaidamakina Alina	RUS	8.30
2	Rudzinska Aleksandra	POL	FALL
3	Krasavina Mariia	RUS	7.70
4	Jaubert Anouck	FRA	9.44
5	Kaplina Iuliia	RUS	8.75
6	Elmer Alexsandra	AUT	9.05
7	Buczek Klaudia	POL	9.49
8	Prokopiuk Monika	POL	13.49

For Full Results:

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MEN SPEED:

RANK	NAME	NATION	TIME
1	Boldyrev Danyl	UKR	7.20
2	Dzienski Marcin	POL	FALL
3	Alipourshenazandifar Reza	IRI	6.01
4	Mawem Bassa	FRA	9.74
5	Nambot Quentin	FRA	6.42
6	Santoni Alessandro	ITA	6.44
7	Hroza Libor	CZE	7.15
8	Zhong Qixin	CHN	FALL

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REPLAYS

Speed Final: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M-jQ67WJiO8>

Lead Semi-final: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=edanNiKLPtc>

Lead Final: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vr9akwjMGj4>

PHOTOS

A selection of photos from Chamonix can be found Monday morning on our flickr page here:

<https://www.flickr.com/photos/123572206@N08/sets/72157644623968172/>

WHAT'S NEXT?

IFSC World Cup (L) Briançon (FRA), July 19-20, 2014

Provisional program (GMT+2)

Saturday, July 19

08h30-13h00 - Lead qualification for men

15h00-19h00 - Lead qualification for women

Sunday, July 20

09h30-12h00 - Lead semi-final for men & women (live streaming)

19h30-20h30 - Lead final for women (live streaming)

21h30-22h30 - Lead final for men (live streaming)



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