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IFSC CLIMBING WORLD CUP CHONGQING 2014: DOUBLE GOLD FOR GERMANY AND RUSSIA

The sun came out, as did thousands of fans, in China's city between rivers, Chongqing, for the first World Cup of the 2014 season this April 26-27. We saw a double gold for Germany with Juliane Wurm and Jan Hojer in Boulder, while Russian teammates Stanislav Kokorin and Iuliia Kaplina took gold in the Speed competition.

This weekend, the world's top climbers were welcomed back to the IFSC World Cup circuit in Chongqing, China. Supporters flocked to the event by the thousands, and were not disappointed by the thrilling, almost acrobatic performances of the competitors.

Tough Boulder problems shook up the podiums

In the women's field, Juliane Wurm and Shauna Coxsey gave strong performances, with three tops and two flashes each, while podium regulars Anna Stöhr and Alex Puccio had some trouble with the women's boulder problems. Akiyo Noguchi finished out the podium in third, with three tops in twelve attempts.

The men's problems proved to be real dividers of the field, with lots of dynamic moves, power, and a killer crossover on the last problem. Jan Hojer rose to the top with four tops, Dmitrii Sharafutdinov pulled off three tops and two flashes, and Jorg Verhoeven came in third with two tops.

Fast, Faster, Fastest

In Speed, Russia dominated the women's podium with Iuliia Kaplina in first and Mariia Krasavina in second. Coming in third was Anouck Jaubert of France.

The men's field proved a bit more surprising, with times in the finals and small finals consistently longer than those in the quarter- or semi-finals. Stanislav Kokorin came in first, with Danylo Boldyrev and Libor Hroza in second and third.

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This opening competition was a first taste of what will most surely be a spectacular 2014 sport climbing season.

The next IFSC World Cup will be composed of both Speed and Bouldering competitions and will take place next weekend, May 3rd-4th, in Baku (AZE). For full results and a detailed schedule head to www.ifsc-climbing.org.



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RESULTS OF IFSC WORLD CUP CHONGQING 2014 - BOULDER

WOMEN BOULDER:

RANK	NAME	NATION	POINTS
1	Wurm Juliane	GER	3T6
2	Coxsey Shauna	GBR	3T7
3	Noguchi Akiyo	JPN	3T12
4	Puccio Alex	USA	2T4
5	Stöhr Anna	AUT	2T10
6	Thévenet Marine	FRA	1T2

For Full Results:

<https://www.ifsc-climbing.org/index.php/world-competition/calendar#!comp=1518&cat=5>

MEN BOULDER:

RANK	NAME	NATION	POINTS
1	Hojer Jan	GER	4T26
2	Sharafutdinov Dmitrii	RUS	3T5
3	Verhoeven Jorg	NED	2T9
4	Kassay James	AUS	1T1
5	Glairon Mondet Guillaume	FRA	1T3
6	Timonov Vadim	RUS	0T0B

For Full Results:

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RESULTS OF IFSC WORLD CUP CHONGQING 2014 - SPEED

WOMEN SPEED:

RANK	NAME	NATION	TIME
1	Kaplina Iuliia	RUS	8.02
2	Krasavina Mariia	RUS	8.24
3	Jaubert Anouck	FRA	8.47
4	Levochkina Yuliya	RUS	8.54
5	Buczek Klaudia	POL	8.79
6	Polekhina Ksleniya	RUS	8.93
7	Bruckner Esther	FRA	9.28
8	Rudzinska Aleksandra	POL	10.01

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MEN SPEED:

RANK	NAME	NATION	TIME
1	Kokorin Stanislav	RUS	6.79
2	Boldyrev Danylo	UKR	9.15
3	Hroza Libor	CZE	6.25
4	Vaitcekhovskii Evgenii	RUS	6.58
5	Mawem Bassa	FRA	6.11
6	Dzienski Marcin	POL	6.21
7	Gontaryk Yaroslav	UKR	6.52
8	Zhong Qixin	CHN	7.33

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A selection of photos from the event can be found here : <https://www.flickr.com/photos/123572206@N08/sets/72157644397228303/>



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