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IFSC CLIMBING WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS GIJÓN 2014:

HISTORIC RESULTS FOR 2014 GIJÓN WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 2014 IFSC Lead, Speed, and Paraclimbing World Championships were held in Gijón, Spain, this September 8-13. An important city since the Roman Empire, Gijón's Atlantic coastline provided the perfect backdrop for some spectacular performances!

A brand new, innovative wall, designed specifically for the event by IFSC Partner Entre-Prises and Top3O, and a state-of-the-art venue in Gijón were the setting for an epic battle with historic results in Lead, Speed, and Paraclimbing!

Climbing into history in Lead

All eyes were on the Lead competition coming into Gijón, and our athletes did not disappoint; the competition was full of suspense and an electric atmosphere palpable even for spectators tuning it at home!

On the women's side, things were close coming into the finals, with Jain Kim (KOR) and Anak Verhoeven (BEL) tied in first with tops on all previous routes. After a heartbreaking slip that put Verhoeven out of the running, Kim calmly topped the final route, becoming the only woman to do so and the only Lead climber with a perfect record and well-deserved gold medal in the Championships! Rounding out the podium were Mina Markovic, who took silver with a score of 47+, followed by Magdalena Röck (AUT) who scored 47+ as well, but took bronze because of count back.

The men's top spot was also tied coming into the finals, with recently crowned IFSC Boulder World Champion Adam Ondra (CZE) and hometown favorite Ramón Julian Puigblanque (ESP) tied with 3 tops in qualifications and semi-finals. Ondra climbed first, falling on one of the very

last holds before the top, followed by Julian Puigblanque, who, buoyed by the crowd's deafening cheers, made it to the same spot, but slipped before making the next move, scoring 45. Ondra, with his score of 45+, took the gold medal, becoming the first climber in history to win both Boulder and Lead World Champion titles in the same year. Julian Puigblanque took silver, and Sachi Amma (JPN) bronze with a score of 42+.

Boldyrev shatters Speed World Record

The Speed competition was no less historic, with Danyl Boldyrev (UKR), shattering the previous world record of 5.73 seconds (set in Arco on August 31 by Libor Hroza), clocking in on his final run at 5.60 seconds. Stanislav Kokorin (RUS) took silver with a time of 5.92 seconds, and Reza Alipourshenazandifar (IRI) took bronze at 6.11 seconds.

In the women's field, the Polish team put up a great fight to the incredibly strong Russians and ended up taking second through fourth places. Russia's Alina Gaidamakina held strong and won gold with a time of 8.38 seconds, followed by Klaudia Buczek (POL) at 8.55 seconds, and Aleksandra Rudzinska (POL), with a time of 9.00 seconds.

Great success at Paraclimbing Championship and Masters

For the first time this year, the IFSC decided to host a dual Paraclimbing competition during the World

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Championships in Gijón, with athletes in categories with less than 4 athletes from 3 countries competing the World Paraclimbing Masters competition. This way, around 30 climbers whose categories didn't have enough participants were able to compete on the world stage. Overall, around 100 paraclimbers competed in Gijón, a historic figure for a Paraclimbing World competition, both Championships and IFSC Paraclimbing Cups.

Discover the Paraclimbing Championships and Masters finals results below.

Next stop: Noumea (FRA)

The 2014 IFSC Youth World Championships will be held in Nouméa, New Caledonia, this September 19-23, 2014! The up-and-coming talents in sport climbing will be present in the idyllic island cadre to battle for the World title in Lead and Speed!

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 championship hashtag #IFSCwch!

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RESULTS OF IFSC WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS GIJÓN 2014 - LEAD

WOMEN LEAD:

RANK NAME NATION **POINTS** 1 Kim Jain **KOR TOP** 2 **Markovic** SLO 47+ Mina 3 Röck **AUT** 47+ Magdalena 4 **Janicot** 44. Hélène FRA **Vidmar** 5 Maja SLO 36 6 Verhoeven Anak BEL 35. 7 Kobayashi 35+ JPN Yuka 8 Durif 35 Charlotte FRA

MEN LEAD:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Ondra	Adam	CZE	45-
2	Julian Puigblanque	Ramón	ESP	45
3	Amma	Sachi	JPN	42 +
4	Skofic	Domen	SLO	42 +
5	Schubert	Jakob	AUT	40+
6	McColl	Sean	CAN	40-
7	Desgranges	Romain	FRA	29
8	Supper	Gautier	FRA	24-

For Full Results:

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For Full Results:

http://www.ifsc-climbing.org/index.php/world-competition/calendar#!comp=1500&cat=1

RESULTS OF IFSC WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS GIJON 2014 - SPEED

WOMEN SPEED:

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RANK	NAME		NATION	TIME
1	Gaidamakina	Alina	RUS	8.38
2	Buckzek	Klaudia	POL	8.55
3	Rudzinska	Aleksandra	POL	9.00
4	Ropek	Edyta	POL	9.08
5	Krasavina	Mariia	RUS	8.75
6	Kan	Daria	RUS	9.13
7	Tsyganova	Anna	RUS	9.93
8	Kaplina	Iuliia	RUS	FALL

MEN SPEED:

RANK	NAME		NATION	TIME
1	Boldyrev	Danyl	UKR	5.60
2	Kokorin	Stanislav	RUS	5.92
3	Alipourshenazandifar	Reza	IRI	6.11
4	Vaitcekhovskii	Evgenii	RUS	6.18
5	Dzienski	Marcin	POL	6.09
6	Gontero	Leonardo	ITA	6.17
7	Mawem	Bassa	FRA	6.27
8	Hroza	Libor	CZE	7.43

For Full Results:

http://www.ifsc-climbing.org/index.php/world-competition/calendar#!comp=1500&cat=24

For Full Results:

http://www.ifsc-climbing.org/index.php/world-competition/calendar#!comp=1500&cat=23







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RESULTS OF IFSC WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS GIJÓN 2014 -**PARACLIMBING**

AMPUTEE LEG WOMEN:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Carmona	Christa	USA	59₊
2	Sawford	Kate	CAN	52₊
3	Harte	Esme	GBR	52

For Full Results:

http://www.ifsc-climbing.org/index.php/worldcompetition/calendar#!comp=1501&cat=92

NEUROLOGICAL PHYSICAL DISABILITY A WOMEN:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Orbaen	Elodie	BEL	36+
2	Paolini	Tiziana	ITA	30+
3	Moreno	Oriane	FRA	30+
4	Ong	Wendy	USA	27-

For Full Results:

http://www.ifsc-climbing.org/index.php/worldcompetition/calendar#!comp=1501&cat=121

VISUAL IMPAIRMENT B2 WOMEN:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Refolo	Alessia	ITA	40+
2	Glusic	Tanja	SLO	40
3	Poggioli	Giulia	ITA	35₊

For Full Results:

http://www.ifsc-climbing.org/index.php/worldcompetition/calendar#!comp=1501&cat=89

AMPUTEE LEG MEN:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Carmona Barandiaran	Urko	ESP	TOP
2	Dickson	Ronald	USA	60-
3	Demartino	Craig	USA	58
4	Grausam	Günther	GER	44

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NEUROLOGICAL PHYSICAL DISABILITY A MEN:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Besnard	Mathieu	FRA	TOP
2	Kumar	Manikandan	IND	58
3	Khalaji	Behnam	IRI	57
4	Bowes	Dave	GBR	46

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VISUAL IMPAIRMENT B1 MEN:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Kobayashi	Koichiro	JPN	35₊
2	Moineau	Nicolas	FRA	29-
3	Stefani	Matteo	ITA	29-
4	lwamoto	Kenji	JPN	29

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NEUROLOGICAL PHYSICAL DISABILITY B MEN:

RANK	NAME		NATIO	N POINTS
1	Szijártó	András	HUN	TOP
2	Cornamusini	Alessio	ITA	36-
3	Laurencin	Serge	FRA	35₊

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RESULTS OF IFSC WORLD PARACLIMBING MASTERS 2014

AMPUTEE ARM WOMEN:

RANK NAME NATION **POINTS** 1 **Beck** USA 37+ Maureen 2 **ESP** 34+ De La Calle Pizarro Paula 3 Gallagher **GBR** 33 Sianagh

For Full Results:

http://www.ifsc-climbing.org/index.php/worldcompetition/calendar#!comp=1604&cat=94

VISUAL IMPAIRMENT B3 WOMEN:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Maeoka	Mika	JPN	59₊
2	Racktoo	Reanne	GBR	32

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AMPUTEE ARM MEN:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Snyder	Ryan	USA	52÷
2	Middleton	Nick	GBR	33₊
3	Saparov	Mikhail	RUS	13₊

For Full Results:

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VISUAL IMPAIRMENT B3 MEN:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Minowada	Kazuhiro	JPN	35₊
2	Pérez Amado	Ricardo	ESP	17

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SEATING WOMEN:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Crawford	Chloé	USA	26-
2	Sikut	Julia	USA	19+

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NEUROLOGICAL PHYSICAL DISABILITY B WOMEN:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Brown	Frances	GBR	TOP
2	Yoshida	Aika	JPN	TOP
3	Quiroz	Elvira	CHI	35₊

For Full Results:

http://www.ifsc-climbing.org/index.php/worldcompetition/calendar#!comp=1604&cat=122

SEATING MEN:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Major	Lorenzo	SLO	29

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VISUAL IMPAIRMENT B2 MEN:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Aita	Sho	JPN	42+
2	Barbe	Mathieu	FRA	30
3	Churcher	John	GBR	17-

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http://www.ifsc-climbing.org/index.php/worldcompetition/calendar#!comp=1604&cat=86

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REPLAYS

Speed Final: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TQfrQy3WpA0
Lead Semi-final: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AhOvh4mitKM
Paraclimbing Final: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=In_wfczIOq8
Lead Final: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7SmAa2CKFU4

PHOTOS

A selection of photos from Gijón can be found Monday morning on our flickr page here: https://www.flickr.com/photos/123572206@N08/sets/72157644623968172/

WHAT'S NEXT?

IFSC World Youth Championships (L, S) Noumea (FRA), September 19-23, 2014

Provisional program (GMT+11)

Friday, September 19

18h00-19h30 - Opening Ceremony

Saturday, September 20

08h30-13h30 - Lead Qualifications Route 1 - Youth A/Youth B/Juniors male & female

17h00-22h00 - Lead Qualifications Route 2 - Youth A/Youth B/Juniors male & female

Sunday, September 21

17h30-21h30 - Lead semi-final Youth A/Youth B/Juniors male & female (live streaming)

Monday, September 22

08h30-13h30 - Speed Qualificiations Youth B female & Juniors male & female

17h30-18h50 - Speed Final Youth B female & Juniors male & female (live streaming)

19h00-20h30 - Lead Final Youth A male & female & Youth B male (live streaming)

Tuesday, September 23

08h30-13h30 - Speed qualification Youth A male & female & Youth B male

19h00-20h20 - Speed Final Youth A male & female & Youth B male (live streaming)

20h30-21h45 - Lead final Juniors male & female & Youth B female (live streaming)





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