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Sarah ATCHO (SUI)

100m Women 1st Race - 11,63 4th

Der Fehlstart war wirklich nicht gut fuer mich. Ich kann nur einmal einen guten Start hinlegen aber nicht drei mal, da geht der Fokus verloren. Mit dem Rennen bin ich nicht so zufrieden, mein Start war wirklich nicht gut.

29.08.2019 19:08

Constantin PREIS (GER)

400m Hurdles Men Young Diamonds Challenge - 49.23s Winner PB

Mit dieser Zeit unter 49.30s habe ich die Norm fuer Doha erfolgreich erfuellt. Das klingt jetzt vielleicht noch sehr nuechtern, aber nach so einer Anstrengung ist das fuer mich erst einmal schwer zu verarbeiten. Ich bin ein Athlet, der sich konstant von Jahr zu Jahr entwickelt und ich freue mich nun auf Doha. Alles ist dieses Jahr bei mir besser geworden, v.a. die Grundschnelligkeit.

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Yasmin KWADWO (GER)

100m Women 1st Race - 11.55 Winner

It was Good.I was a bit afraid due to the tree times false start. I lost my concentration but after the start i just focused on my lane and just make it to the final line.

I hope during the relay the race will be better. Now i'm focused on the ISTAF in Berlin on Sunday and than after that i'm looking for the World Championships in Doha.

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Jonielle SMITH (JAM)**100m Women 2nd Race - 11.25 Winner**

Honestly I wanted to run the race very fast because I was doing pretty good during the training. I'm happy that I came through and got best start. So I'm happy to finish first. I hope to get back to the training very soon and looking forward to the World Championships next Month.

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Yulimar ROJAS (VEN)**Triple Jump Women - 14.74 2nd**

I'm disappointed about my result today even the 2nd place is quite good. I have to work very hard this next weeks, fix some technical failure and do my best to be ready for Doha.

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Mateusz PRZYBYLKO (GER)**High Jump Men - 2.20m 12th**

I am disappointed. 2019 seems to be a learning year for me. I did not get into the competition, it was just bad. I did not feel good. I would have been happy to clear 2.24m. This is a difficult year. I am now looking forward to Doha. Hopefully I can do better on Sunday in Berlin.

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Shanika RICKETTS (JAM)**Triple Jump Women - 14.03m Winner PB**

Before the last jump I knew that I had a chance and I needed to take that chance. This is my first Diamond League win, and with a PB. I am soo happy. I do not yet know what I will do with the money. My husband and coach Kerrylee Ricketts hugged me right after the competition. I have a really good team that is supporting me, my coach, my manager and my physio. So a new PB was possible today. At Doha I do not care about the colour, I just need a medal. I will go home to Kingston, Jamaica to train and mid-September I will go to Qatar with the Jamaican team for a training camp.

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Simon EHAMMER (SUI)**110m Hurdles Men - 14,94, 6th**

Hürde 1 bis 9 habe ich super überquert, Hürde 10 war leider nicht so gut. Ich habe mit dem linken Fuss eingehängt und bin gestürzt, das war halt schade. Natürlich war ich heute nervös, früher hat man die Läufer im Fernsehen gesehen und heute durfte ich selber laufen.

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Selina BÜCHEL (SUI)**800m Women - 2:01:40, 5th**

Ich bin sehr erleichtert nach diesem Monat wo ich nicht recht wusste wie es geht. Ich bin sehr happy! Jetzt bin ich Saisonbestleistung gelaufen und darauf kann ich aufbauen.

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Shakima WIMBLEY (USA)

400m Women - 51.21s Second

I am exhausted, I cannot talk now. This is always how I am. I need to catch my breath. I feel amazing and blessed. I scored high points and just seized the opportunity to have a great run . I am very grateful. I will now got to Amsterdam to train hard and on September 21st the US team has a training camp in Qatar.

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Eunice Jepkoech SUM (KEN)

800m Women - 2.00.40 Winner

To me it was a tough race because i was a bit tired due to traveling this season from a meeting to another one. I just try to had a good run, focus on my lane and give a good finish to the final, so I'm happy for my result today.I make the qualifications for the World Championships and it's feel good for me.Now I'm going back to Kenya and back to hard training to make sure to be on top tree in Doha.

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Stephenie Ann McPHERSON (JAM)

400m Women - 51,90, 6th

We tried to get quotes from her 3 times and followed her to the Mixed Zone and insited on getting quotes. She declined 3x times.

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Ferguson Cheruiyot ROTICH (KEN)

800m Men - 1:45:28, 7th

I could have done better but I'm happy with my race tonight. For the last two, three weeks I've been injured so I was away from training. The Kenyan trials are coming up and of course I want to qualify for Doha.

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Huihui LYU (CHN)

Javelin Throw Women - 66.88m Winner

I feel great. I feel quite satisfied with the result. Before the competition I felt that I was in good shape. But than I throw less than expected. The reason is that I caught cold and that my technique is not that stable. I have no more competitions, I go home to Beijing to train until I will leave for Doha.

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Tihomir IVANOV (BUL)

High Jump Men - 2,30m 3rd, SB

I'm happy with tonight, I competed in as many competitions as possible to pick up some points. I had some medical problems but I dealt with it as good as possible so I'm happy. In three days I have my next competition and after that I'll start preparing for Doha.

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Nijel AMOS (BOT)

800m Men - 1.42.98 min Second

He did not feel well after the race and could not give an interview.

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Christina SCHWANITZ (GER)

Shot Put Women - 19.37m Third SB

I am happy that I was able to improve my performance and to show what was already visible in the training. I am very satisfied to have thrown over 19m today. If I could repeat the placement and the result in Doha I would be over the moon.

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Emma COBURN (USA)

3000m Steeplechase Women - 9:10:01, 6th

The race was great up to the last 2 laps, I've been challenging myself to go fast and my first kilometre was about 2:53 which is about 7 seconds faster than what I wanted it to be and I paid for it. I know I'm dead but I also know that I'm in a great shape so it's disappointing but I'm not worried about the result with regard to the upcoming world championships.

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Donavan BRAZIER (USA)

800m Men - 1.42.70 Winner

I was just nervous and was thinking what my coach told to get a good position and do all my best. I'm quite amazed about my result, I just did my job and gave everything I had to make the first place. I will just get back to the training and do as always, work hard and deal with every race like always. Now focusing on Doha.

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Gesa Felicitas KRAUSE (GER)

3000m Steeplechase Women - 9.07.51min NR, PB Fifth

I have worked very hard for this. And finally I could show what I am capable of. In this sport it is important, that you achieve good times. It is great that I can leave for Doha with such a time. I would like to thank my coach. On Sunday I will run the 2000m steeple in Berlin. At the World Championships I want to be in the mix in front. I share a room here with Konstanze Klosterhalfen and it is nice that we have two fast middle distance runners from Germany at the moment.

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Salwa Eid NASER (BRN)

400m Women - 50.24 Winner

I'm happy with result today, good ambient and nice track. The race was very hard for me, and the training this last weeks was a bit tough but I did good today and I'm just amazed and feeling good. Now get back to the training and get ready for Doha.

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Mujinga KAMBUNDJI (SUI)

200m Women - 22,58, 5th

Ich bin sehr zufrieden, Shaunae Miller war zu weit weg aber mit den anderen konnte ich gut mithalten. Ich konnte mein Rennen machen mit einer guten Konkurrenz, die Zeit ist nicht super aber trotz allem OK. Eine bestimmte Zeit hatte ich nicht im Kopf, ich wollte einfach den direkten Vergleich.

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Beatrice CHEPKOECH (KEN)**3000m Steeplechase Women - 9.01.71min Winner**

I feel so grateful about this victory. I am happy about this race. Today was not about time, it was about winning. We are still aiming for the World Championships.

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Pascal MARTINOT-LAGARDE (FRA)**110m Hurdles Men - 13.51 Winner**

Unfortunately the false start make to loose the concentration during the race but I just focused and I did a good race - and I'm happy. All conditions was good for me in this beautiful stadium and with nice spectators. I know i can do better but I will work very hard for the World Championships in Doha and everything is possible.

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Sifan HASSAN (NED)**1500m Women - 3:57:08, Winner**

I'm very happy with my race, it was like a real championship race, it was crazy! I felt good and thought we would be running faster tonight, so I went all out. I really went hard up to the last 300 meters but when I saw my team mate I had to push.

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Lijiao GONG (CHN)**Shot Put Women - 20.31m WL, MR Winner**

It is amazing today, winning the Diamond League with a World Lead. This gives me confidence for the Doha World Championships. I have a special plan for this season as Doha is so late in the year. I just follow this plan. In Doha I want to break my personal record, this is my goal. I dream about a gold medal. Since the end of 2017 I have a new coach, a Chinese coach, his name is Cong Yuzyen. I have a tattoo on my arm that says .Do what you say and say what you do.

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Zhenye XIE (CHN)**100m Men - 10.04 2nd**

I'm very happy and very satisfied with my result. To run in lane nine and out from the crowd it's not simple. It's just incredible to get the 2nd place here in Zurich. I just believe on myself, train hard and I'm here - It's wonderful. The venue is very nice and the spectators are just awesome. Now focusing for Doha and getting back to training to be ready for the World Championships.

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Shaunae MILLER-UIBO (BAH)**200m Women - 21.74s NR, WL, DLR**

Oh my gosh. It is a blessing. This is my last run before the World Championships. My coach did a great job. I am in great shape. It is just a blessing. I am very happy about it. I am very excited. This is my second PB in Zurich, I guess, it is a good track for me. At the World Championships I will run the 400m, not the 200m.

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Konstanze KLOSTERHALFEN (GER)**1500m Women - 3.59.02 min Second SB**

I do not know how I achieved this. I felt just soo good. The atmosphere is super here and the audience is just so great. I have the same training programmes as Sifan and I know that can do the same like her. This gives me a lot of strength, training with her in the same group. My next race will be in Brussels and after that our group will leave for St. Moritz for the final preparation for Doha.

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Sydney McLAUGHLIN (USA)**400m Hurdles Women - 52.85s SB Winner**

We have a great team in the USA. I am absolutely shocked and amazed. This was a strong race. But it was not my cleanest one at a couple of hurdles. I need to work on that, especially on the first hurdle and on the steos between the hurdles. Everything is new for me this year being in the international circuit for the first time.

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Andriy PROTSENKO (UKR)**High Jump Men - 2.32 Winner**

High Jump was today very hard and also very good for me with SB. This result give me good motivations for the rest of this season until the World Championships in Doha. After today i will compete in Berlin on Sunday and after that get back to a hard training camp -and preparing for Doha.Amaizing night here and very happy with my result.

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Sam KENDRICKS (USA)

Pole Vault Men - 5.93m Winner

I can only be thankful. It is an explosion. I am exhilarated and exhausted. There are great competitors. Nothing was decided until the last moment, everybody was waiting to make this moment. It was a special moment. I was most happy that there are so many people to share this moment, to share it with the crowd. Right now, before the World Championships, every man is at its strongest at the moment. So no prediction for Doha. It will be decided at the last moment. I love this challenge and I love the competition. All those guys have the same dream.

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Alex WILSON (SUI)

100m Men - 10,40, 8th

Ich weiss noch nicht mal was für eine Zeit ich gelaufen bin, es war für mich als wäre ich in einer anderen Welt gelaufen. Für eine lange Zeit habe ich keine Ernstkämpfe bestritten und jetzt war wichtig das ich laufe. Ich gewöhne mich langsam daran in solchen gut besetzten Feldern zu laufen aber ich kann natürlich nicht jedes Mal Topleistungen bringen.

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Noah LYLES (USA)

100m Men - 9.98s Winner

I followed my race plan, my execution was great. I feel pretty good. The race was not as fast as I wanted. To be honest, I do not remember much of the race. I only remember the start and there was an ending. That is all. This victory was very important. Now Sandy and me will rock the stadium in a few moments. I am taking one challenge at a time, race first and then perform. The 200m in Doha, that is definitely a sure thing. Today was like a World Championships final for me as I will not do the 100m in Doha. I will compete in Brussels next week. You will see me in the 200m there. Two years ago I was watching the others win diamonds, oh my God. And this year I am trying to come away with two Diamond race wins. It is going to be something.

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Karsten WARHOLM (NOR)**400m Hurdles Men - 46.92 Winner**

It was crazy, I knew that i will do a good time but this race and with this new PB it's just amazing and still best will come. I just push during the race and it was quiet tough and the finish was hard. It's incredibly good feeling with my time. Now focusing for Doha and doing the same as usual - Hard training -. In a way, I'd like to say goodbye and see you next season but it's the world champs, the biggest thing this year. This race was so close it could have gone both ways. I push him and he pushes me, it's amazing.

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Andreas HOFMANN (GER)**Javelin Throw Men - 87.49m Third**

The warm-up throws were good, I do not know what happened after that. Maybe my feet were tired. I have to speak with my coach and watch the videos. I cannot tell you. Something was wrong. I was in good shape though, the training was super and I really wanted to defend my Diamond League title. Nevertheless I am happy about my third place. I hope that until my competition in Berlin I will have analyzed what was wrong today.

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Chao-Tsun CHENG (TPE)**Javelin Throw Men - 89.05m SB Second**

I am a little bit tired, maybe when I go back to the hotel, I can review this competition. I did not expect this result. Every time I compete I try my best as if every competition was my last one. After Zurich, I will go to Japan with the national team of Taipeh to train for Doha. I have no exact goal for the World Championships, but I just want to try my best.

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Joshua CHEPTEGEI (UGA)**5000m Men - 12.57.41min PB Winner**

If I go fast, I go fast. On the last lap I thought that I can win the race. I was expecting to win. I believe in myself and this victory gives me even more confidence. In Doha I will not compete in the 5k but the 10k. Winning the gold medal there would be special because I have never won a track gold at World Championships. I planned this race and I expected to win. I will train in the mountains of Uganda not until Doha and the good thing is that my coach will be there, too.

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Juan Miguel ECHEVARRÍA (CUB)**Long Jump Men - 8.65m MR, WL, DLR**

I feel soo good, very happy and satisfied. It is a great performance. It showed great strength. I felt very good before the competition, I was prepared very well. We had very good conditions today. I liked the atmosphere here very much. In Doha, of course, I want to win the gold medal, like the others. Everything is possible, even a record.

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