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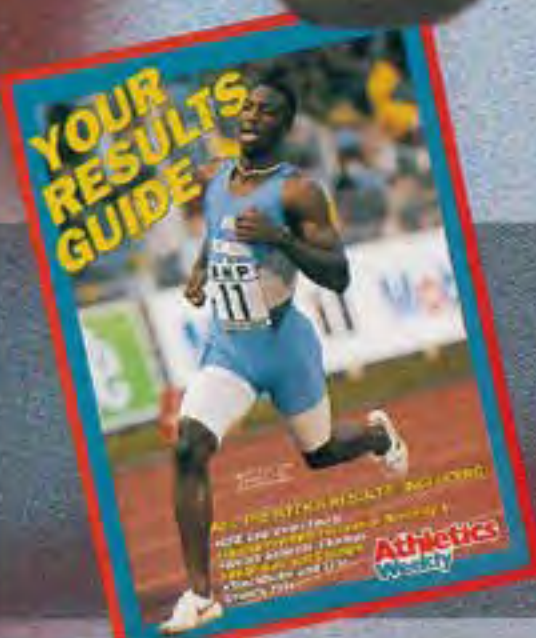
*Why Haringey
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*News from: GRE Cup, Scottish
Champs, Welsh Schools' Champs,
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rest of the action from track and
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(URS) 7.93; 5, K. Talley (USA) 7.92; 6, G. Lane (USA) 7.88; 7, G. Huang (CHN) 7.78; 8, B. Blain (YUG) 7.87; 9, STEWART FAULKNER 7.43; 10, R. Verbeke (FRA) 7.37; 11, Y. Ali (NGR) 7.27
 JT: 1, P. Lefevre (FRA) 82.28; 2, S. Einarsson (ISL) 79.64; 3, D. Wamling (SWE) 78.20; 4, V. Zaitsev (URS) 77.20; 5, G. Bertimon (FRA) 74.30; 6, T. Pusktyk (USA) 73.80; 7, COLIN MCKENZIE 73.04

Non Grand Prix
 100(+0.8): 1, D. Mitchell (USA) 10.09; 2, C. Lewis (USA) 10.20; 3, O. Adeniken (NGR) 10.22; 4, F. Fredericks (NAM) 10.24; 5, B. Surin (CAN) 10.28; 6, M. Witherspoon (USA) 10.29; 7, R. Johnson (CAN) 10.46; 8, M. Marsh (USA) 10.58

1,000: 1, DAVID SHARPE 2:19.50; 2, MATTHEW VATES 2:19.74; 3, N. Kiprotich (KEN) 2:19.81; 4, C. Nkizamyamba (BUR) 2:19.85; 5, S. Ole Mara (KEN) 2:20.04; 6, W. Tanui (KEN) 2:20.13; 7, R. Kipet (KEN) 2:20.60; 8, S. Koskei (KEN) 2:20.82; 9, G. Kersh (USA) 2:21.78; 10, O. Diarra (SEV) 2:22.57; 11, I. Okash (SOM) 2:23.98

400H: 1, S. Mateo (ZAM) 48.70; 2, D. Patrick (USA) 49.23; 3, K. Young (USA) 49.28; 4, R. Page (USA) 49.75; 5, P. McGhee (USA) 50.15; 6, O. Adkins (USA) 50.53; 7, K. Yelinde (BEL) 51.01; 8, H. Amika (NGR) 51.38

Women
 100(+0.8): 1, M. Dryali (NGR) (National record); 2, G. Terrence (USA) 11.08; 3, K. Krabbe (GER) 11.28; 4, S. Scholz (USA) 11.36; 5, P. Davis (BAH) 11.44; 6, G. Malchugna (URS) 11.45; 7, M. Finn (USA) 11.57; 8, A. Narova (BUL) 11.58
 1,000: 1, E. Kovacs (ROM) 2:36.15; 2, C. Wachter (GER) 2:36.65; 3, L. Vresse (SUI) 2:37.15; 4, T. Onidu (ROM) 2:38.35; 5, L. Quinn (URS) 2:38.94; 6, C. Hariday (USA) 2:39.07; 7, J. Clark (USA) 2:39.13; 8, S. Gasser (SUI) 2:39.88; 9, B. Bruhns (GER) 2:39.72; 10, M. Rainey (USA) 2:43.32

Mile: 1, D. Melliste (ROM) 4:23.78; 2, H. Boulimarka (ALB) 4:25.46; 3, N. Artyomova (URS) 4:26.12; 4, Y. Mei (GER) 4:29.94; 5, M. Keszeg (ROM) 4:30.57; 6, E. Fidelet (ROM) 4:30.74; 7, S. O'Sullivan (IRL) 4:30.80; 8, TEENA COLEBROOK 4:31.82; 9, V. Radice (ROM) 4:32.74; 10, G. Procaccio (USA) 4:33.07; 11, L. Sheskey (USA) 4:34.11; 12, V. Pongracic (FRA) 4:35.57; 13, D. Grossmader (USA) 4:40.34; 14, A. Hill-Harvey (USA) 4:41.68

3,000: 1, P. S. Plumer (USA) 8:51.78; 2, S. Sims (KEN) 8:52.83; 3, M. Dia (POR) 8:52.88; 4, L. Pella (CAN) 8:53.05; 5, L. Kremlyova (URS) 8:53.11; 6, J. Ngatha (KEN) 8:53.15; 7, F. Ribeiro (POR) 8:57.64; 8, V. Collard (BEL) 8:57.70; 9, M. Fays (FRA) 9:00.56; 10, F. Fates (FRA) 9:02.23; 11, L. Slegers (BEL) 9:05.47; 12, I. Delagrang (BEL) 9:05.85

400H: 1, M. Ponomareva (URS) 54.85; 2, T. Ledovskaya (URS) 55.80; 3, K. Batten (USA) 55.87; 4, S. Williams (USA) 56.23; 5, K. Freeman (USA) 56.69; 6, N. Carutaru (ROM) 56.88; 7, G. Abt (GER) 57.63

HJ: 1, Y. Radina (URS) 1.90; 2, T. Kykova (URS) 1.90; 3, A. Bradburn (USA) 1.85; 4, V. Ward (AUS); 5, C. Fine-Siniega (MEX); J. Wonschlag (USA); B. Vinos (GER); S. Kostadinova (BUL); A. Arene (GER) 1.80; 10th, J. Brankuova (TCH)/V. Borsheim (USA) 1.80

SP: 1, Z. Huang (TPE) 20.13; 2, N. Lisovskaya (URS) 19.97; 3, A. Namburus (GER) 18.62; 4, X. Su (TPE) 18.59; 5, M. Daria (ROM) 18.20; 6, C. Pace (USA) 18.09; 7, JUDY DAKES 17.97; 8, R. Pagel (USA) 17.94; 9, H. Hartwig (GER) 17.67; 10, A. Lefevre (FRA) 15.91

Non Grand Prix
 200(+0.20): 1, D. Young (USA) 22.57; 2, E. Jones (USA) 22.77; 3, G. Torrence (USA) 22.87; 4, G. Malchugna (URS) 22.88; 5, J. Humphrey (USA) 24.63

400: 1, L. Leatherwood (USA) 50.66; 2, M. Malone (USA) 50.68; 3, F. Yussuf (NGR) 51.30; 4, L. Dzhigalova (URS) 51.58; 5, D. Dams (USA) 51.70; 6, R. Stevens (USA) 51.94; 7, N. Kiser

(USA) 53.29; 8, G. Jackson (JAM) 54.27
 100H: 1, E. Narozhenko (URS) 12.65; 2, N. Gngoryeva (URS) 12.68; 3, M. Ewanje-Epee (FRA) 13.01; 4, A. Piquereau (FRA) 13.03; 5, T. Stanley (USA) 13.22; 6, K. McKenzie (USA) 13.23; 7, M. Pogacian (ROM) 13.24; 8, A. Epe (USA) 13.39

LEICHTATHLETIK WELTKLASSE LINZ, AUSTRIA 5TH JULY

Men
 100(+0.8): 1, D. Mitchell (USA) 10.09; 2, R. Stewart (JAM) 10.18; 3, A. Berger (AUT) 10.19; 4, O. Adeniken (NGR) 10.22; 5, T. Jefferson (USA) 10.25; 6, B. Johnson (CAN) 10.31; 7, T. Renner (AUT) 10.34; 8, D. Council (USA) 10.35/10.34ht

400: 1, R. Hernandez (CUB) 44.51; 2, A. Pattigrew (USA) 44.67; 3, A. Vainion (USA) 45.34; 4, R. Pierre (USA) 45.49; 5, H. Burnett (JAM) 45.98; 6, I. Ismail (GAT) 46.01
 800: 1, B. Konchellon (KEN) 1:45.80; 2, S. Popovic (YUG) 1:45.83; 3, F. Williams (CAN) 1:46.55

1,500: 1, M. Suemami (QAT) 3:37.80; 2, M. Pancerbin (ESP) 3:38.16; 3, M. Corstjens (BEL) 3:40.15

5,000: 1, E. Ignatov (BUL) 13:37.81; 2, A. Machler (SUI) 13:39.57; 3, A. Adani (CAN) 13:50.22; 4, H. Meizer (GER) 13:54.37; 5, K. P. Nebel (GER) 13:54.89; 6, I. Berkovic (HUN) 13:55.74

110H(+0.2): 1, G. Foster (USA) 13.12; 2, R. Nehemiah (USA) 13.20; 3, M. McKay (CAN) 13.28; 4, T. U. (CHN) 13.48; 5, J. Pierce (USA) 13.68; 6, R. Roth (AUT) 13.88
 400H: 1, D. Harris (USA) 47.90; 2, W. Graham (JAM) 49.85; 3, R. Page (USA) 50.05

Li: 1, L. Myrsky (USA) 8.18; 2, G. Laine (USA) 7.98; 3, D. Culbert (AUS) 7.98; 4, O. Probenko (URS) 7.69

SP: 1, W. Gunther (SUI) 21.34; 2, K. Bodenmuller (AUT) 19.74; 3, R. Backes (USA) 19.58; 4, S. Buder (GER) 19.55; 5, D. Peric (YUG) 19.55

DT: 1, R. Ubertas (URS) 64.18; 2, M. Bundo (USA) 63.74; 3, V. Kulkas (URS) 61.28
 PV: 1, I. Bagyalu (HUN) 5.92; 2, H. Fehring (AUT) 5.77; 3, G. Yegorov (URS) 5.70; 4, J. Laine (USA) 5.60; 5, V. Polyakov (URS) 5.50; 6, D. Starkey (USA) 5.50

Women
 200: 1, K. Krabbe (GER) 22.21; 2, D. Young (USA) 22.42; 3, H. Drechsler (GER) 22.73; 4, C. Guldry (USA) 22.84; 5, G. Malchugna (URS) 22.86; 6, L. Allen (CUB) 23.20
 400: 1, A. Quiror (CUB) 50.02; 2, M. Malone (USA) 50.83; 3, D. Dixon (USA) 51.32; 4, J. Vickers (USA) 51.71; 5, S. Richards (JAM) 52.00; 6, N. Kaiser (USA) 52.93
 B: R. Stevens (USA) 51.44

800: 1, C. Wautel (GER) 1:58.84; 2, J. Clark (USA) 1:58.95; 3, M. Rainey (USA) 1:59.30; 4, Y. Mai (GER) 2:01.15; 5, M. Akkaka (SWE) 2:01.85; 6, T. Kesi (AUT) 2:02.73
 100H(+0.2): 1, L. Narozhenko (URS) 12.56; 2, J. Humphrey (USA) 13.00; 3, K. McKenzie (USA) 13.02; 4, T. Reshailitova (URS) 13.18; 5, J. Baumann-Rochelleau (SUI) 13.18; 6, A. Myrsky (URS) 13.20; 7, A. Lopez (CUB) 13.56; 8, U. Baiser (AUT) 13.63

HJ(+0.6): 1, O. Adams (CUB) 13.16; 2, L. Olyane (URS) 13.38; 3, D. Waller (USA) 13.48
 HT: 1, E. Radina (URS) 1.87; 2nd, S. Kirshenau (AUT)/V. Godovska (URS)

1.91; 4, T. Kykova (URS) 1.91; 5, B. Vinos (GER) 1.88; 6, I. Koyne-Kersee (USA) 1.88
 TJ: 1, I. Kravets (URS) 14.59; 2, G. Chistyakova (URS) 13.68; 3, L. Nivova (AUT) 13.48; 4, D. Wile (USA) 13.47; 5, H. Radtke (GER) 13.41; 6,

J. Jendork (USA) 13.20
 JT: 1, P. Meier-Fellie (GER) 67.08; 2, S. Rana (GER) 65.24; 3, Z. Makovsz (HUN) 57.82

INTERNATIONAL MEETING REIMS, FRANCE 3RD JULY

Men
 100(+2.00): 1, Trappe (USA) 10.29; 2, Okota (NGR) 10.43; 3, Theophile (FRA) 10.47
 400: 1, Daniel (USA) 46.03; 2, Davis (JAM) 46.27; 3, Faradieu (FRA) 46.79
 110H: 1, Journot (FRA) 13.41; 2, Jett (USA) 13.69; 3, Philbert (FRA) 13.74
 400H: 1, Adkins (USA) 48.96; 2, Dia Ba (SEN) 49.77; 3, McGhee (USA) 50.06
 HJ: 1, Dakov (BUL) 2.20; 2, Vincent (FRA) 2.15; 3, Naji (USA) 2.15
 PV: 1, D'Encausse (FRA) 5.80; 2, Tallharder (FRA) 5.60; 3, Polyakov (URS) 5.55; 4, Seibert (FRA) 5.55; 5, Akell (AUS) 5.45
 HT: 1, Astapovich (URS) 84.26; 2, Ginfani (FRA) 78.10; 3, Epalle (FRA) 73.005KMW: 1, Korzenowski (POL) 18:54.76; 2, Mrazek (TCH) 18:57.37; 3, Blasek (TCH) 18:55.27

Women
 200(+1.30): 1, Malone (USA) 22.94; 2, Williams (TRI) 23.17; 3, Fisher (FRA) 23.52
 Mile: 1, Artyomova (URS) 4:22.95; 2, Boulimarka (ALB) 4:24.50; 3, Pella (CAN) 4:27.90; 4, Racz (HUN) 4:29.73; 5, Diaz (POR) 4:29.97
 100H(+1.70): 1, Ewanje-Epee (FRA) 12.87; 2, Humphrey (USA) 13.04; 3rd, Kuitavan (FRA) 13.14; Piquereau (FRA) 13.14; 5, Baumann (SUI) 13.28; 6, Hurdin (FRA) 13.62

Li: 1, Fenova (AUT) 6.72; 2, Ropo (FIN) 6.53; 3, Nestorci (FRA) 6.38
 SP: 1, Huang Zhihong (CHN) 20.26; 2, Lisovskaya (URS) 20.23; 3, Su Xihui (CHN) 19.7

INTERNATIONAL MEETING PIEKSAKAKI, FINLAND 3RD JULY

Men
 100: 1, Dunn (USA) 10.04; 2, Da Silva (BRA) 10.30
 400: 1, D'Conner (JAM) 46.31; 2, Brankovic (YUG) 46.31
 800: Suhonen (FIN) 1:48.99
 110H: 1, Dees (USA) 13.23; 2, Schickel (URS) 13.57
 38StC: Abalire (USA) 8:34.62

1, G. Moore (USA) 8:34.62
 HT: 1, Sedyk (URS) 82.62; 2, Gotsak (HUN) 77.44; 3, Tamm (URS) 77.34

DT: 1, Ubertas (URS) 65.04; 2, Bundo (USA) 65.84; 3, Kulkas (URS) 63.02

JT: Kuitanen (FIN) 83.50
 Women
 100: 1, Theagwan (NGR) 11.23; 2, Hannijou (FIN) 11.33
 400H: Anderson (URS) 58.56

ISLAND GAMES MARIEHAMN, ALAND, FINLAND 25/29TH JUNE

Men

100: G. Crowe (IOM) 11.28
 200: 1, M. Sunheborn (Gotland) 21.99; (21.83ht); 2, G. Crowe 22.60
 400: 1, A. Harrison (Jer) 50.01; 2, D. Anderson (IOM) 50.53; 3, A. Connope (Jer) 50.59
 800: 1, M. Guggan (Jer) 1:51.38; 3, C. Quire (IOM) 1:53.34; 4, N. Marley (Guern) 1:54.30; 5, G. Epiani (IOM) 1:54.69
 1,500: 1, Guggan 3:53.67; 2, G. Epiani 3:54.06

5,000: 1, M. Nordblom (Aland) 14:28.69; 2, N. Gummell (IOW) 14:46.94; 3, C. Quire (IOM) 14:55.51; 4, A. Fox (IOM) 15:11.92

10,000: 1, K. Godfredson (Greenland) 31:14.30; 2, P. McGrath (Jer) 31:18.97; 3, N. Gummell (IOW) 31:21.98; 6, W. Tweed (Jer) 32:15.55; 8, J. Williamson (Shet) 32:27.18; 9, P. Deslley (IOM) 32:52.00

3,000SD: 1, M. Nordblom (Aland) 9:00.65; 2, R. Large (IOW) 9:27.42; 3, A. Fox (Mann) 9:29.36; 4, R. Cox (Mann) 9:32.87

110H: 1, R. Warff (Gotland) 15.41; 4, K. Furlong (IOM) 15.87; Heat: R. Hume (IOM Jun) 16.33
 400H: 1, P. Lehtonen (Aland) 54.83; 2, D. Anderson (IOM) 55.88; Heat: K. Furlong (IOM) 56.79

HJ: 1, P. Diamond (Guern) 2.02; 2, R. Brehaut (Guern) 1.94
 PV: A. Aoki (Saaremaa) 4.50

Li: R. Raamat (Saaremaa) 6.94 (+0.7)
 TJ: K. Laanet (Saaremaa) 14.19 (+1.2)
 SP/DT: G. Lehto (Aland) 14.95/42.68

HT: R. Cross (Orkney, M50) 43.82
 JT: 1, R. Warff (Gotland) 58.48; 4, P. Carey (Guern) 52.22

4x100: 1, Isle of Man 42.83; 2, Jersey 43.53
 4x400: 1, Jersey 3:19.64; 4, Isle of Man 3:28.49

Half Marathon: 1, R. Large (IOW) 1:07.54; 2, R. Laaksonen (Aland) 1:08.33; 3, V. Tweed (Jer) 1:09.10; 4, J. Williamson (Shet) 68:20; 5, R. Collister (IOM) 1:10.33; 7, R. Douglas (Jer) 1:10.43; 8, V. Adams (Shetland) 1:10.50; 9, P. Ingvaldsen (Guern) 1:12.18; 10, R. Cox (IOM) 1:12.58

TEAM: 1, Jersey 10; 2, Shetland 12; 3, Isle of Man 16

Women
 100/200: D. Myrsky (IOM) 12.08 (12.0)/25.01 (+3.2)

400: 1, S. Mitsui (Gibraltar) 57.68; 4, G. Moore (IOM) 59.82 (59.63ht)
 800: 1, L. O'Connor (Jer. J) 2:17.75...3, K. Reshailon (IOM) 2:19.78

1,500: 1, A. Nordman (Aland) 4:28.17; 2, B. Walker (IOM) 4:29.56; 3, D'Conner 4:42.53
 3,000: B. Walker (IOM) 9:34.77

100H: 1, D. Lindqvist (Aland) 14.80; 2, J. Peet (Guern) 15.39; 3, C. Dene (IOM) 15.41; 4, A. Le Saux (Jer) 15.46

400H: 1, D. Lindqvist 1:00.70; 2, E. Richings (Jer) 1:05.61; 4, G. Moore (IOM) 1:08.18/57.67
 In hts: A. Simpson (Jer) 1:07.70

HJ: D. Lindqvist 1.75
 Li: 1, Lindqvist 5.65 (+0.4); 2, D. Myrsky (IOM) 5.31 (+1.1)

SP: 1, L. Liljeroms (Aland) 11.32; 5, G. Dene (Mann) 10.87
 DT: Liljeroms 37.02

JT: 1, A. Aaga (Saaremaa) 42.68; 3, D. Allen (Guern) 39.34; 4, L. Lowe (Orkney) 38.20; 7, C. Dene (Mann) 35.76; 8, F. Martal (Guern) 35.28

4x100: Isle of Man 49.08
 4x400: 1, Aland 3:56.43; 2, Isle of Man 3:58.74; 3, Jersey 4:05.26

Half Marathon: 1, B. Walker (IOM) 1:13.35; 2, A. Nordman (Aland) 1:18.38; 3, B. Parker (Jer) 82:35

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FASTEST FOR RESULTS

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1:12.44; 3, H Jarrett (CFR) 1:12.51; 4, G Byers (CFR) 1:13.14; 5, J Nixon (A Ratti), M40) 1:13.48; 6 P Novak (Kes) 1:16.07; 7, D Stewart (Kes) 1:16.41; 8, R Clucas (Unatt) 1:17.11; 9, M Conway (Mand) 1:17.44; 10, M Egner (Derby Dale) 1:18.25
M50: T Baxter (Cumberland) 1:26.23;
TEAM: CFR
Women
R Pickdance (Kend) 1:30.12 (rec)

DAVID SHEPPERD MEMORIAL GLAMAIG HILL RACE SLIGACHAN HOTEL, SKYE 20TH JULY

Men
1, P Hughes (L'aber) 52:45; 2, J Brooks (L'aber, Y) 53:37; 3, R Boswell (L'aber) 54:47; 4, J Coyle (Carn) 55:28; 5, J Maitland (L'aber) 55:37; 6, G Brooks (L'aber) 55:56; 7, E Harwood (H'land) 55:57; 8, R Morris (Carn, M40) 56:35; 9, D Crowe (Shett) 57:09; 10, A Spencely (Carn) 57:22
Women
1, S King (C'dale) 1:33:47; 2, H Urquart (Unatt) 2:02:15

BLISCO DASH LANGDALE 17TH JULY

FELL Running Association secretary, Selwyn Wright, shifted the popular race to a midweek slot in a successful bid to cut entry numbers, Lynn Everington reports.

The change was prompted by concern about the effect of large race numbers in an environmentally-sensitive area.

Bland and Potts reached the summit of Pike O' Blisco together with Bland proving stronger on the descent.

Men (5M 2000ft ascent)
1, G Bland (B'dale) 36:52; 2, B Potts (Clyde) 38:30; 3, S Booth (Kes) 39:58; 4, S Hicks (Amble) 41:30; 5, H Lorimer (HELP) 42:07; 6, P Singleton (Amble, J) 42:38; 7, R Badgatt (Fell G) 43:08; 8, M Egner (Derby Dale) 43:13; 9, M Whitfield (Bing, J) 43:17; 10, D Hall (Kend) 43:23
M40: 1, E Rennie (A'deen) 45:14; 2, J Flynn (L&M) 46:18; 3, A Kenny (A Ratti) 46:28;
M50: 1, H Blenkinsop (Kes) 48:37
TEAM: Ambleside
Women
1, C Kenny (A Ratti) 53:46; 2, C Howlett (Kend) 1:00:18; 3, B Unsworth (Kend, W35) 1:08:29

SELECTION RACE FOR WORLD CUP MOUNTAIN RACE (LONG COURSE) LLANBERIS 14TH JULY

IT'S MAKE your mind up time for Mark Croasdale after adding top slot in this race to victory in the short course trial two weeks ago, Lynn Everington reports.

Croasdale's speed was never in doubt after setting a course record in the Lancaster & Morecambe 10km four days earlier, but he has indicated a preference for the longer course to selectors. He sat in with the leading group to the top of the first climb but later said he felt so relaxed he decided to take it on from there.

With the first two finishers assured of automatic selection, Nigel Gates made sure of his ticket to Zermatt by holding off Robin Bergstrand in a neck and neck sprint over the rubble in the summit cairn. Bergstrand has already booked his place on the short course team.

Men (8.5M)
1, M Croasdale (L&M) 1:13:18; 2, N Gates (B&H) 1:14:21; 3, R Bergstrand (Man) 1:14:23; 4, J Taylor (Holm) 1:15:26; 5, T Dymoke (Uvni) 1:17:47; 6, C Donnelly (Eryri) 1:16:16; 7, G Bland (Borr) 1:17:14; 8, A Smith (CFR) 1:17:59; 9, G Huddleston (Clay) 1:18:23; 10, D Knock (Hales) 1:19:36; 11, M O'Carra (Man) 1:20:24; 12, S Barlow (Hor) 1:20:30; 13, G Wilkinson (Clay) 1:20:37; 14, H Griffiths (Hebog) 1:20:43; 15, A Trigg (Gloss) 1:20:47; 16, A Peace (Bing) 1:21:29; 17, J Nixon (ARATTI, M40) 1:21:49; 18, G Patterson (MDC) 1:22:13; 19, B Thompson (CFR) 1:22:23; 20, G Devine (P&B) 1:22:41; 21, H Davy (Eryri,

M40) 1:23:03

GIBBET HILL RACE HASLEMERE, SURREY 3RD JULY

Men (10km)
1, M Gossley (G&G) 33:51; 2, J Jackson (AFD) 33:57; 3, A Cranstone (Wok) 35:09; 4, P Finch (Wav, M40) 35:55; 5, M Scott (Stubb G) 36:19
M45: G Newton (Tad) 37:58
M50: P Hawker (Unatt) 39:57
Women
1, T Ball (LOAC, W35) 39:51; 2, A Howard (Fam) 40:20; 3, D Pound (G&G) 42:06
W40: S Mundy (Stubb G) 44:49
W45: P Agate (Fitt) 58:33

OVERSEAS

IAAF MOBIL GRAND PRIX NEW YORK GAMES 20TH JULY

THE New York Games may have fulfilled the criteria for its newly acquired Mobil/IAAF Grand Prix status, but it barely assembled a roster of competitors to elevate it beyond the realms of a hefty domestic meeting. *Jim O'Brien reports.*

In none of the designated Grand Prix events did the number of foreign competitors exceed three and in three (the men's 200, 110H and long jump) there were no overseas competitors at all.

New York's predicament lies in attracting a star quality field to the USA for one sole meeting at a point during the European season when most athletes are taking a break, and this year, gathering themselves for a good showing at the World Championships. Next year the situation could be alleviated somewhat as, in addition to the New York Games, a major meeting has been scheduled in Indianapolis close to the same date. Atlanta, host to the 1996 Olympics, may organise an athletics event around that time.

Still, there were some outstanding performances on the Wein Stadium track, despite temperatures that hovered at or around 100 degrees. World record holder, Leroy Burrell withdrew from the 100m, leaving his Santa Monica mentor and training partner, Carl Lewis, to dominate a largely domestic, but still world class field.

Uncharacteristically quick out of the blocks, Lewis still had to fight hard to draw alongside Mark Witherspoon, but then surged away in the closing 20m to score an exceptional 10.02sec victory, leaving Mike Marsh to overtake Witherspoon for second position.

"Today I felt like me again," commented Lewis. "My start was good. I've been focussing on the long jump and the rest of the time on starting. I wasn't out front, but right in there with the pack. I didn't expect to run that fast today, so I'm pleased. When I start well I can run with anyone and that's what I did today."

Lewis later revealed that he is unlikely to contest the long jump at next summer's Olympic Games, preferring instead to concentrate on the 100m and 200m.

Mary Slaney's comeback hit a bump in the road when she was swallowed by a voluminous pack in the home straight of the 800 metres after having set the pace from the gun.

"If I don't run under 2:00 I will be very disappointed," Slaney had commented 24 hours earlier.

An opening 200 metres split of 28 seconds indicated that sub-2:00 was on the cards, and as she cruised through 400 metres in 59.14 and 600 metres in 1:29 it almost seemed as if she would get her wish in this, her first competitive 800 metres since 1985. Maria Mutola, a high school phenomenon from Mozambique, barely remembers Slaney at her intimidating best in the mid-1980s. As the home straight unwound, therefore, the powerful Mutola led a charge of four athletes who powered

past Slaney, Mutola reaching the finish line first in 2:00.22, ahead of Meredith Rainey (2:00.51) and Celeste Halliday (2:00.53). Slaney placed fifth in 2:01.28

Although the men's 110H was a completely American affair, that also meant that it boasted one of the deepest fields to be assembled anywhere. Both Greg Foster and Renaldo Nehemiah were on the starting line and, as evidenced by their pre-race comments, felt they had something to prove.

"When a person has to run almost their personal best to beat you, that makes you feel pretty good," said Foster of his defeat by Colin Jackson in Rome three days prior to this meeting. "If I had been in the lane next to him, you would have seen a different outcome."

Nehemiah was similarly pointed. "The Brits are a force to be reckoned with right now, but I feel that the real hurdlers have always been here in the US."

Tony Dees undoubtedly concurs, as he relegated both Foster and Nehemiah to a battle for second place. Following no fewer than three false starts, Dees, who failed to make the US team for the World Championships, blasted out of the blocks, glided over each hurdle and swept untroubled through the finishing line in 13.18. Foster, enjoying one of his best seasons in some years, barely held on for second in 13.26, 0.03 up on Nehemiah.

Other outstanding performances were Danny Harris' 49.45 win in the 400H, Jim Spivey's 3:52.74 mile victory, Danny Everett's fast closing 20.13 clocking in the 200, and Gwen Torrance's 11.00 victory over Nigeria's Mary Onyiah in the women's 100 metres. Most frustrated athlete of the day may have been Jill Hunter who after a very fast first mile in the women's 3,000 metres (4:49, three seconds up on the pack), she was reeled in with one lap to go, ultimately placing fourth (9:00.05) as Margareta Keszeg from Romania outkicked Patti Sue Plumer, 8:54.90 to 8:55.9

Men
100 (0.32): 1, C Lewis (USA) 10.02; 2, M Marsh (USA) 10.17; 3, M Witherspoon (USA) 10.21; 4, D Council (USA) 10.25; 5, F Heard (USA) 10.36; 6, A Simon (CUB) 10.36; 7, J Aguilera (CUB) 10.50; 8, L McRae (USA) 10.66
200 (1.05): 1, D Everett (USA) 20.13; 2, Jefferson (USA) 20.21; 3, L Daniel (USA) 20.70; 4, T Warren (USA) 20.81; 5, B Bridgewater (USA) 21.01; 6, J St Julian (USA) 21.18; 7, B Smith (USA) 21.48
400: 1, A Valmon (USA) 45.04; 2, I Morris (TRI) 45.05; 3, S Lewis (USA) 45.17; 4, R Pierre (USA) 45.38; 5, C Jenkins (USA) 45.58; 6, J Reynolds (USA) 45.85; 7, C Daniel (USA) 45.85; 8, H Davis (USA) 45.85
800: 1, J Gray (USA) 1:48.00; 2, G Kersh (USA) 1:46.33; 3, S Redwine (USA) 1:46.84; 4, K Cesar (USA) 1:48.64; 5, J Armour (USA) 1:49.64; 6, R Jackson (USA) 1:50.94; 7, T Graham (USA) 1:51.52
1 mile: 1, J Spivey (USA) 3:52.74; 2, G Whiteley (USA) 3:56.01; 3, M O'Sullivan (IRL) 3:56.23; 4, T Herrington (USA) 3:58.91; 5, M Hussain (KEN) 3:59.66; 6, M Smith (USA) 3:59.84; 7, J McKeon (USA) 4:00.91; 8, A Bunce (NZL) 4:01.48; 9, M Glusto (USA) 4:06.48; 10, C Cushing-Murray (USA) 4:07.00
3,000SC: 1, B Diemer (USA) 8:32.77; 2, D Nelson (USA) 8:33.40; 3, D Reese (USA) 8:36.91; 4, M Coogan (USA) 8:40.54; 5, O Lopez (USA) 8:41.49; 6, F Boffi (ITA) 8:43.29; 7, R Currie (CAN) 8:47.29
110H: 1, T Dees (USA) 13.18; 2, G Foster (USA) 13.26; 3, R Nehemiah (USA) 13.29; 4, C Hawkins (USA) 13.39; 5, J Pierce (USA) 13.40; 6, C Clark (USA) 13.61
400H: 1, D Harris (USA) 48.45; 2, N Page (USA) 48.82; 3, A Phillips (USA) 48.95; 4, M Neal (USA) 50.17; 5, K Henderson (USA) 50.19; 6, P McGhee (USA) 50.60; 7, M Pailay (AUS) 51.09
HJ: 1, A Zilkauskas (CAN) 2.31; 2, S Matei (ROM) 2.25; 3, J Jacoby (USA) 2.25; 4eq, T Barton (USA) & P Sjoberg (SWE) 2.25; 5eq, C Austin (USA), B Harken (USA) & D Nourduist (USA) 2.20
PV: 1, K Tarpenning (USA) 5.60; 2, J Dial (USA) 5.60; 3, L Lehr (USA) 5.50; 4, E Bell (USA) 5.35
LJ: 1, L Starks (USA) 8.20; 2, G Laine (USA) 8.11; 3, J Greene (USA) 8.03; 4, G McKee (USA) 7.97; 5, A Ester (USA) 7.85
Women

100 (0.33): 1, G Torrence (USA) 11.00; 2, M Onyiah (NGR) 11.09; 3, M Finn (USA) 11.29; 4, G Devers-Roberts (USA) 11.29; 5, E Jones (USA) 11.29; 6, C Guldry (USA) 11.37; 7, Y Vinogradova (URS) 11.52; 8, B Utundu (NGR) 11.59
400: 1, R Stevens (USA) 50.97; 2, J Miles (USA) 51.29; 3, S Richards (JAM) 51.58; 4, C Cheeseborough (USA) 54.79; 5, A Williams (TRI) 55.58
800: 1, M Mutola (MOZ) 2:00.32; 2, M Rainey (USA) 2:00.51; 3, C Halliday (USA) 2:00.53; 4, J Clark (USA) 2:00.80; 5, M Slaney (USA) 2:01.28; 6, D Marshall (USA) 2:02.29; 7, C Groendaal (USA) 2:03.30; 8, A Valdez (USA) 2:04.13; 9, T Chidu (ROM) 2:04.78; 10, M Dimuro (USA) 2:05.02
3,000: 1, M Keszeg (ROM) 8:54.90; 2, P Plumer (USA) 8:55.93; 4, S Steely (USA) 8:57.63; 4, JILL HUNTER 9:00.05; 5, S Dornhoefer (USA) 9:02.49; 6, R Taylor (USA) 9:05.31; 7, C Pfitzinger (NZL) 9:08.29; 8, C Hopp (USA) 9:14.14; 9, I Jennings (USA) 9:27.94; 10, G Procaccio (USA) 9:44.93; 11, D Martin (USA) 9:52.50
100H (0.29): 1, K McKenzie (USA) 12.94; 2, M Freeman (USA) 12.98; 3, J Humphrey (USA) 12.99; 4, Y Chernyshova (URS) 13.13; 5, T Stanley (USA) 13.18; 6, K Freeman (USA) 13.44; 7, L Estwick (CAN) 13.54; 8, W Froderingham (USA) 14.36
400H: 1, S Farmer-Patrick (USA) 53.77; 2, K Batten (USA) 55.06; 3, A Graham (USA) 56.68; 4, S Williams (USA) 56.71; 5, K Freeman (USA) 56.86; 6, R Edeln (CAN) 57.43; 7, D Duprey (CAN) 57.74; 8, C Matei (ROM) 58.20; 9, C Comadore (USA) 58.59; 10, J Vickers (USA) 59.88
2,000SC: 1, S Rogova (URS) 6:55.24; 2, T Diperna (USA) 6:55.69; 3, C Morgan (USA) 7:14.83; 4, M Sutera (USA) 7:28.29; 5, M Obidinski (USA) 7:51.24; 6, J Market (USA) 8:05.45; 7, L Black (USA) 9:08.34
HJ: 1, A Bradburn (USA) 1.88; 2, V Borshaim (USA) 1.84; 3, J Wohlischlag (USA) 1.84; 4, J Broughton (USA) 1.80; 5, L Estwick (CAN) 1.80

**GOLD COAST
MARATHON
BRISBANE, AUSTRALIA
21ST JULY**
OLYMPIC marathon silver medallist Lisa Ondieki's medal hopes at next month's World Championships in Tokyo nose dived when she could only manage eighth place in the Gold Coast half-marathon, Nick Bideau reports.
Ondieki has just resumed running, after three weeks out of action with a hip injury.
Her time of 1:14:15 is well outside her best of 1:09:45 and it is even slower than she would expect to run the first half of a marathon.
Last month Ondieki returned to racing after the birth of her daughter Emma with a superb victory in the national 15km road championship in Sydney in a personal best of 50:06.
Before her hip injury, Ondieki had been in good form in training in Canberra and there is feeling at the Australian Institute of Sport that she may have overdone it. Unless Ondieki can pick up form quickly she could be in doubt to toe the line in Tokyo.
Her last race before going to Tokyo will be the 14km Sydney City to Surf on August 11th. While Ondieki's performance was below her best Gold Coast resident Jenny Lund ran a big race to be the first Australian in fifth place in 1:13.51 only days after returning from a European track racing tour.
Japanese runners dominated the race taking the first four places with Kaori Kumura winning in 1:11.12.
The men's half-marathon was won by Commonwealth 5,000 metres champion Andrew Lloyd who like Lund has also just returned from racing on the track in Europe. Lloyd used his familiar sit and kick tactics to blast past Victorian Mal Norwood in the final 100 metres to win by three seconds in 1:03.06.
Former national junior 1,500 metres champion Sean Quilty completed his progression to marathon running when he won the national marathon title on the Gold Coast.
Quilty, 24, from Doncaster was fourth across the line behind two Japanese runners and a Russian runner in a personal best time of 2:14.59 in the Gold Coast International marathon to collect his first national title.
Shinji Kawashima took the honours in 2:14.01 after breaking away from the

lead pack at 36km.

New South Wales John Andrews took the silver medal in eighth place in 2:16.28 with Merv Johnstone taking the bronze in tenth place in 2:17.14. The women's Australian champion was Jackie Hallam (NSW), 21, was a surprise winner of the women's title in 2:36.21 also a personal best.

Nine seconds behind Hallam was Western Australia's Karen Gobby with Soviet runner Zola Gavriluk third in 2:43.04.

Hallam, the current Australian aquathlon champion and former Australian junior triathlon champion even surprised herself by winning the race in only her second marathon.

Men
1, S. Kawashima (JPN) 2:14.1; 2, K. Takahashi (JPN) 2:14.37; 3, S. Ratan (URS) 2:14.42; 4, S. Quilty (AUS) 2:14.59; 5, M. Conover (USA) 2:15.03; 6, F. Rijo (URS) 2:15.16; 7, Y. Shimizu (JPN) 2:15.31; 8, J. Andrews (AUS) 2:16.28; 9, Y. Ishiguro (JPN) 2:16.44; 11, M. Johansson (AUS) 2:17.14.

Women
1, J. Hallam (AUS) 2:36.21; 2, K. Gobby (AUS) 2:36.40; 3, Z. Gavriluk (URS) 2:43.04; 4, B. Lucas (RSA) 2:44.43; 5, J. Cowan (AUS) 2:45.42.

Men (Half-marathon)
1, A. Lloyd (AUS) 1:03:06; 2, M. Nurev (AUS) 1:03:09; 3, T. Ohtsuka (JPN) 1:03:12; 4, I. Yano (JPN) 1:03:15; 5, N. Yamaguchi (JPN) 1:03:26.

Women
1, K. Kamae (JPN) 1:11:12; 2, T. Masago (JPN) 1:12:44; 3, M. Yano (JPN) 1:13:11; 4, Y. Kojima (JPN) 1:13:15; 5, J. Lund (AUS) 1:13:21; 6, M. Oh (JPN) 1:13:55; 7, H. Mores (NZL) 1:13:55; 8, L. Onda (AUS) 1:14:15.

IAAF INVITATION ST DENIS, FRANCE 19TH JULY

Men
100: 1, E. Smith (CAN) 10.08; 2, R. Stewart (JAM) 10.17; 3, F. Fredericks (NAM) 10.18.
200: 1, R. Hernandez (CUB) 20.49; 2, Stewart 20.55; 3, B. Floyd (USA) 20.97.
400: 1, S. Aquila (MAR) 3:37.71; 2, P. Thiébaud (FRA) 3:38.22; 3, M. Silva (POR) 3:38.39; 4, P. Scammell (AUS) 3:38.68; 5, S. Koskel (KEN) 3:39.25; 6, H. Amour (FRA) 3:39.79; 7, A. Monteiro (POR) 3:39.83.
800: 1, A. Barros (MEX) 1:24.47; 2, Behar (MAR) 1:24.97; 3, C. Monteiro (POR) 1:25.03; 4, Domingo Castro (POR) 1:25.52; 5, T. Marquis (FRA) 1:25.25; 6, F. Oute (POR) 1:25.29; 7, A. Naal (MAR) 1:25.88.
1000: 1, J. Mahmoud (FRA) 8:26.95; 2, J. Jurgens (POR) 8:28.10; 3, T. Brusseu (FRA) 8:30.81.
110H: S. Carsten (FRA) 13.50; 2, T. Li (CHN) 13.51; 3, T. Nagata (POL) 13.66.
400H: 1, D. Patrick (USA) 48.99; 2, W. Graham (JAM) 49.18; 3, A. Oba (SEN) 50.40.
HJ: 1, J. Solomayor (CUB) 2.40; 2, M. Drake (CUB) 2.34; 3, T. Kemp (BAH) 2.31; 4, G. Dakov (BUL) 2.24; 5, A. Parda (POL) 2.24; 6, R. Neji (USA) 2.24.
PV: 1, J. M. Talmardat (FRA) 5.60; 2, T. Bright (USA) 5.45; 3, J. Galfone (FRA) 5.30.
7J: 1, L. Voloshin (URS) 16.94; 2, M. Colley (USA) 16.95; 3, E. Bismuth (BAH) 16.85.
HT: 1, Y. Sedykh (URS) 81.40; 2, A. Abdvaliyev (URS) 80.74; 3, T. Gecsek (HUN) 78.78.

Women
100: 1, S. Harvillat (FRA) 11.36; 2, M. Neumaier (FRA) 11.38; 3, L. Navarone (MAD) 11.54.
200: 1, G. Malchugina (URS) 22.87; 2, Neumaier 22.95; 3, Harvillat 23.30; 4, A. Thomas (GER) 23.49.
400: 1, A. Quirot (CUB) 2:00.73; 2, D. Floyd (USA) 2:02.30; 3, M. Thomas (FRA) 2:03.65.
800: 1, N. Artyomova (URS) 8:43.59; 2, A. Dias (POR) 8:50.85; 3, E. Kolagat (KEN) 8:53.97.
110H: 1, N. Grigorieva (URS) 12.44; 2, I. Harzonienko (URS) 12.44; 3, A. Figueroa (FRA) 12.74.
HJ: 1, S. Leliva (BRA) 1.93; 2, T. Rykova (URS) 1.90; 3, Y. Panikarovskikh (URS) 1.90.

MAKARIA INTERNATIONAL LARNACA 17TH JULY

Men
100 (4.15): 1, D. Coljancu (ROM) 10.42 (meeting rec); 2, A. Gheba (MEX) 10.44; 3, Y. Zhuravskiy (CYP) 10.56; 4, A. Genovais (GRE) 10.74; 5, DONOVAN 10.76; 6, A. Tonic (YUG) 10.82.
200 (9.79): 1, WAYNE MACDONALD 21.10; 2, A. Mercoules (CYP) 21.34; 3, DONOVAN 21.45; 4, P. Aleksander (YUG) 21.68; 5, K. Vasilis (GRE) 21.91; 6, D. Kyriacos (GRE) 21.98; 7, C. Andrews (CYP) 22.09.
400: 1, WAYNE MACDONALD 46.72; 2, C.

Chauwa (NGR) 46.98; 3, GARY CADAGON 47.25; 4, N. Natpiliotis (GRE) 47.82; 5, E. Demosthenous (CYP) 49.12.
800: M. Hawes (POL) 1:50.53.
1,000: G. Loucalides (CYP) 2:14.36; 37.10H (0.49): 1, TONY JARRETT 13.33 (meeting rec); 2, HUGH TEAPE 13.74; 3, M. Daida (ROM) 13.89; 4, G. Zagoras (GRE) 14.12; 5, AA. Kher (SYR) 14.48; 6, A. Kozos (CYP) 14.77; 7, K. Kyriacos (CYP) 15.55.
400H: 1, A. Gypers (BEL) 50.99; 2, LAWRENCE LYNCH 52.27; 3, E. Frichavik (CYP) 52.69; 4, T. Georjov (CYP) 55.34.
HJ: 1, Marinkovic (YUG) 7.81; 2, Golanowski (POL) 7.81; 3, Barbulasca (ROM) 7.80; 4, Vasilev (GRE) 7.77; 5, Hoffmann (BEL) 7.64.
E: M. Hadjipantou (CYP) 16.13.
SP: K. Larsson (SWE) 19.54.
JT: C. Tolaie (CYP) 70.20.
Women
100 (1.02): 1, D. Chikaso (HKG) 11.62; 2, K. Koffa (GRE) 11.83; 3, S. Constantinou (CYP) 11.96; 4, L. Jordin (POR) 12.09; 5, LORRYN HALL 12.22.
400: 1, E. Kuleska (POL) 53.79; 2, LORRYN HALL 54.04; 3, E. Papanicolaou (GRE) 58.27.
400H: F. Jafarizadeh (SWE) 56.83.
HJ: N. Jonckheere (BEL) 1.82.

IAAF/MOBIL GRAND PRIX NIKAIA-MOBIL MEETING NICE, FRANCE 15TH JULY

LIZ MCCOLGAN gave a clear warning that she is on course for the 10,000 metres gold medal at the World Championships in Tokyo next month when she ran the fastest 3,000 metres in the world this year, Dave Martin reports.

Her time of 8:38.23 beat her PB, set on the same track almost four years ago to the day, by over one-and-a-half seconds.

The Commonwealth 10,000 metres champion has, of course, run 8:34.80 indoors when finishing second at the 1989 World Indoor Championships.

Three weeks after moving to second on the 10,000 metres all-time list, the 27-year-old admitted: "I felt awful for the first three laps," in the stifling Cole D'Azur heat, 1km being passed by the pacemaker, Gina Prociak, in 2:52.12.

The Scot got her act together with just over three laps to run, leading through 2km in 5:49.78 ahead of Patti Sue Plumer, who faded badly, and Susan Sima.

It was the Kenyan who proved to be the biggest danger, but a kick at the bell saw McColgan open up a sizeable gap which increased to 15 metres at the finish. Sima was rewarded with a Kenyan record - just failing to break 8:40 - while Albertina Dias, in third place, broke the Portuguese record.

Despite the victory, McColgan was disappointed with her performance. She said: "I expected to run closer to 8:30. I have been doing a lot of strength training, but even so, I believe I should have ran faster. Really, there were too many people in field."

Asked about her Tokyo hopes, she answered: "I would have liked to have attempted a 3km/10km double, but the timetable doesn't fit, although I believe I could win both events. I fear no one."

Despite his defeat over 400 metres by Roberto Hernandez, one suspects Roger Black also has the same frame of mind as McColgan. On the night the invincible European champion couldn't match the finishing speed of the Cuban, who was second-ranked in the world last year.

But Black, who slipped when leaving his blacks, has raced and beaten all of the top contenders for the Tokyo title, except Michael Johnson, who will compete over 200 metres only in Japan.

Although he beat Hernandez in Granada he is now aware of him, having lost in Seville and Nice. A sporting Black said: "Hernandez has definitely got to be favourite next month. But it should be a fantastic race for the medals."

There were several 1991 world bests achieved but, more significantly, were the performances from Algerian athletes.

Noureddine Morceli moved up to

3,000 metres and a 1:56.7 last 800 metres destroyed an outstanding field. His performance, where he left Ibrahim Bouleib and Khalid Skeh floundering with a 26.08sec final 200 metres, was the best seen this summer and a national record.

Jack Buckner continued his comeback, finishing 10th.

Azzeddine Brahmi followed his countryman's example, becoming their fastest steeplechaser, although Olympic champion Julius Karuki looked favourite until he fell at the last barrier.

In the 1,500 metres, world record-holder Said Aouita held on to win from Pat Scammell. A late run brought Matthew Yates through to third spot - two places ahead of Tony Morrell.

Five women broke two minutes in the 800 metres, the 1989 World Cup winner Ana Quirot setting a 1991 world leading mark of 1:57.34.

The 1,000 metres was a last lap burn-up, Natalya Artyomova triumphing from Hassiba Boulmerka, who set an Algerian record to add to her mile achievements in Rhone and Oslo. Chris Conill finished seventh.

In the first track event of the evening, Sandra Farmer-Patrick became the first to run under 54sec for the 400m hurdles this year. Maria Peres consolidated her European Cup final form, running under 50sec in her home country for the first time.

Probably the most popular victory for the sentimentalists in the crowd went to the high jump world record-holder Stefka Kostadinova, who won with a leap of 1.95 metres. Times, financially and injury-wise, have been difficult for the Bulgarian over the last two years. One sincerely hopes her luck will now have changed for the better.

Men
Grand Prix Events
200 (0.80): 1, L. Burne (USA) 20.50; 2, F. Fredericks (NAM) 20.53; 3, R. Da Silva (BRA) 20.80; 4, J. C. Treuvalat (FRA) 20.78; 5, J. Williams (USA) 21.20; 6, B. Marie-Rose (FRA) 21.22; 7, S. Quenette (FRA) 21.31; 8, M. Conley (USA) 21.49.
400: 1, R. Hernandez (CUB) 44.65; 2, ROGER BLACK 45.03; 3, D. Everett (USA) 45.28; 4, R. Parris (USA) 45.37; 5, H. Burrell (JAM) 45.89; 6, D. Hovot (FRA) 46.21; 7, H. Davis (JAM) 46.86.
1,000: 1, S. Aquila (MAR) 3:37.48; 2, P. Scammell (AUS) 3:37.84; 3, MATTHEW YATES 3:37.94; 4, R. D. Dash (MAR) 3:38.85; 5, TONY MADRELL 3:39.52; 6, H. Philippeau (FRA) 3:39.87; 7, A. Meneil (MAR) 3:39.87; 8, M. Kaiboussi (TUN) 3:40.99; 9, J. Carrier (FRA) 3:41.47; 10, A. Brahmia (ALG) 3:43.25; 11, M. Ouyaya (TUN) 3:43.29; 12, B. El Ghazal (MAR) 3:44.47; 13, B. Brahmi (ALG) 3:49.01.
3,000: 1, N. Morceli (ALG) 7:37.34 (Nat rec); 2, B. Bounia (MAR) 7:38.39; 3, K. Skah (MAR) 7:38.64; 4, D. Baumann (GER) 7:39.10; 5, A. Ramirez (USA) 7:41.89; 6, M. Choumou (TUN) 7:42.00; 7, K. Reina (USA) 7:43.02; 8, P. Thiébaud (FRA) 7:43.11; 9, H. Boulayeb (MAR) 7:43.44; 10, JACK BUCKNER 7:44.80; 11, Y. Onelau (KEN) 7:48.92; 12, M. Parnas (ESP) 7:47.29; 13, S. Oughton (AUS) 7:48.27; 14, C. Dubus (FRA) 7:48.37; 15, M. Mouchit (MAR) 7:48.78; 16, B. Levent (FRA) 7:48.85; 17, K. Kuremagat (JPN) 7:50.90 (Nat rec); 18, T. Hayala (JPN) 7:53.22; 19, S. Oseki (JPN) 8:01.30; 20, M. Belouas (ALG) 8:01.39; 21, A. Bouni (ALG) 8:04.58.

3,000: 1, A. Brahmi (ALG) 8:13.29 (Nat rec); 2, W. Muehl (GER) 8:13.74; 3, B. Le Scum (FRA) 8:15.28; 4, A. Bouni (MAR) 8:16.81 (Nat rec); 5, J. Karuki (KEN) 8:18.97; 6, H. Meder (GER) 8:25.15; 7, B. Vager (HUN) 8:25.61; 8, J. Mahrouf (FRA) 8:31.44; 9, G. Feli (CAN) 8:32.47; 10, PETER MCCOLGAN 8:38.32.
110H: 1, G. Foster (USA) 13.26; 2, M. McKay (CAN) 13.33; 3, Q. Yekker (USA) 13.42; 4, S. Canedo (FRA) 13.49; 5, F. Schwartz (GER) 13.56; 6, D. Philmer (FRA) 13.68; 7, C. Clark (USA) 13.77; 8, A. Bouni (USA) 14.05.
HJ: 1, J. Zeleny (TCH) 82.89; 2, I. Vihjameson (SLI) 82.00; 3, K. Kyriacos (GRE) 81.94; 4, G. Lavigne (NZL) 80.04; 5, J. Sankar (FIN) 79.99; 6, V. Zaitsev (URS) 79.68; 7, S. Elmarsson (ISL) 79.68; 8, P. Lefevre (FRA) 79.44; 9, P. Borglund (SWE) 78.38; 10, S. Mathiasen (ISL) 78.90; 11, I. Pakstys (USA) 74.32; 12, M. Yoshida (JPN) 73.64; 13, T. Melkyn (FIN) 71.36.

Non Grand Prix
100 (1.00): 1, D. Smith (CAN) 10.08; 2, R. Stewart (JAM) 10.17; 3, M. Witherspoon (USA) 10.27; 4, B. Smith (CAN) 10.28; 5, E. Davidson (NGR) 10.29; 6, F. Ward (USA) 10.33; 7, C. Lee (NGR) 10.33; 8, C. Mascoe (ITA) 10.35.
200: 1, F. Fredericks (NAM) 20.68; 2, R. Da Silva (BRA) 20.18; 3, D. Capobianco (AUS) 20.39; 4, M. Marsh (USA) 20.44; 5, T. Jefferson (USA) 20.47; 6, A. Mahom (CAN) 20.78; 7, V. Oughton (NGR) 21.00; 8, S. Herli (ITA) 21.05; 9, G. Tugger (ITA) 21.44.
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1500: 1, G. Di Napoli (ITA) 3:31.74; 2, D. Kibet (KEN) 3:34.34; 3, F. De Oliveira (BRA) 3:35.63; 4, N. Horsfield (GB) 3:35.81; 5, P. Scammell (AUS) 3:35.62; 6, D. Treu (ITA) 3:35.63; 7, W. Tahir (KEN) 3:36.53; 8, M. Culberg (DEN) 3:36.87; 9, J. Barbosa (BRA) 3:37.48; 10, Z. Ozturk (TUR) 3:37.82; 11, R. Geoffrey (FRA) 3:38.27; 12, D. Clark (USA) 3:39.40; 13, I. Oshon (ISL) 3:51.08; 14, A. Rosa (ITA) 3:55.30.
5000: 1, K. Kibet (KEN) 13:09.76; 2, S. Antibo (ITA) 13:10.10; 3, D. Boulayeb (MAR) 13:10.44; 4, R. Chelimo (KEN) 13:11.76; 5, O. Onodoro (KEN) 13:11.77; 6, R. DENMARK (GB) 13:13.01; 7, S. Mei (ITA) 13:17.78; 8, A. Silo (ARG) 13:19.64; 9, M. Feli (ESP) 13:20.01; 10, S. Karon (KEN) 13:30.99; 11, A. Sambu (NAM) 13:31.48; 12, M. Bortosak (POL) 13:38.62.

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200: 1, F. Fredericks (NAM) 20.68; 2, R. Da Silva (BRA) 20.18; 3, D. Capobianco (AUS) 20.39; 4, M. Marsh (USA) 20.44; 5, T. Jefferson (USA) 20.47; 6, A. Mahom (CAN) 20.78; 7, V. Oughton (NGR) 21.00; 8, S. Herli (ITA) 21.05; 9, G. Tugger (ITA) 21.44.
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800: 1, J. Barbosa (BRA) 1:44.14; 2, D. Clark (USA) 1:45.06; 3, G. Kersch (USA) 1:45.28; 4, S. Doyle (AUS) 1:45.38; 5, R. Kibet (KEN) 1:45.40; 6, H. Abdennur (ALG) 1:45.59; 7, D. Clara (FRA) 1:46.19; 8, A. Bolkessam (ALG) 1:47.06.

HJ: 1, T. Kemp (BAH) 2.33 (Nat rec); 2, M. Drake (CUB) 2.30; 3, H. Cunway (USA) 2.30; 4, P. Sjöberg (SWE) 2.27; 5, J. C. Cioquei (FRA) 2.24; 6, P. Bernhart (FRA)/G. Desov (BUL)/S. Metel (ROM) 2.20; 8, H. Harkin (USA) 2.20; 10, N. Gaumier (GER) 2.16.

Women
Grand Prix Events
100 (1.70): 1, C. Gwily (USA) 11.22; 2, M. Dryal (NGR) 11.28; 3, J. Cuthbert (JAM) 11.33; 4, F. Jones (USA) 11.44; 5, H. Drecher (GER) 11.48; 6, P. Davis (BAH) 11.53; 7, L. Bily (FRA) 11.58; 8, G. Devers-Roberts (USA) 11.58.
200: 1, A. Quirot (CUB) 1:57.34; 2, E. Kovacs (ROM) 1:57.93; 3, S. Maslova (URS) 1:58.26; 4, L. Gurina (URS) 1:58.90; 5, L. Vriente (SUR) 1:58.57 (Nat rec); 6, M. Goulet (ROM) 2:00.57; 7, M. Figueroa (BRA) 2:01.44; 8, N. Lohylo (URS) 2:01.90; 9, F. Oshon (ITA) 2:02.05; 10, N. Thomas (FRA) 2:05.05.
400: 1, N. Artyomova (URS) 4:03.00; 2, H. Bounia (ALG) 4:03.39 (Nat rec); 3, D. Moliva (ROM) 4:03.80; 4, L. Kromova (URS) 4:05.70; 5, Y. Mei (GER) 4:06.50; 6, Y. van der Kolk (HOL) 4:06.97; 7, CHRISTINA CAMILL 4:07.52; 8, H. Roca (HUN) 4:08.46; 9, G. Doro (ITA) 4:08.88; 10, E. Fiedor (ROM) 4:08.77; 11, T. Chivu (ROM) 4:08.93; 12, V. Pongnerd (FRA) 4:08.96; 13, V. Bocea (ROM) 4:09.49; 14, A. H. Harvey (USA) 4:11.93.

3,000: 1, LIZ MCCOLGAN 8:38.23; 2, S. Sima (KEN) 8:40.71 (Nat rec); 3, M. Dias (POR) 8:43.50 (Nat rec); 4, J. N. Gotta (KEN) 8:44.14; 5, M. Kersch (ROM) 8:44.76; 6, A. Peters (USA) 8:44.78; 7, P. S. Palmer (USA) 8:45.89; 8, S. Stealy (USA) 8:49.59; 9, T. Kosa (URS) 8:59.35; 10, V. Colard (BEL) 9:00.28; 11, KAREN HUTCHESON 9:02.22; 12, C. Murphy (USA) 9:17.00; 13, F. Fates (FRA) 9:26.68.
400H: 1, S. Farmer-Patrick (USA) 53.64; 2, K. Bamen (USA) 54.86; 3, J. Vickers (USA) 55.56; 4, M. Wexler (SWE) 56.59; 5, K. Freeman (USA) 56.13; 6, M. C. Carter (FRA) 57.04; 7, C. Fortin (FRA) 57.40; 8, C. Metel (ROM) 57.96.

HJ: 1, S. Kostadinova (BUL) 1.95; 2, T. Bykova (URS) 1.93; 3, Y. Panikarovskikh (URS) 1.91; 4, B. Petrov (YUG)/V. Ward-Brown (AUS)/Y. Henry (USA)/S. Remon McNeal (USA)/S. Leliva (BUL) 1.87; 5, Y. Rodina (URS) 1.87; 6, A. Bredburn (USA) 1.87; 11, M. Satch (JPN)/B. Voss (GER) 1.83.
Non Grand Prix
400: 1, M. Peres (FRA) 49.76; 2, F. Yusuf (NGR) 50.06; 3, R. Stevens (USA) 51.07; 4, N. Kaiser (USA) 51.21; 5, S. Richards (JAM) 52.18; 6, J. Ychere (USA) 52.40; 7, D. Jackson (JAM) 53.12.
1000 (0.80): 1, N. Grigorieva (URS) 12.62; 2, M. Ewinge (FRA) 12.74; 3, F. Colie (FRA) 12.83; 4, A. Piquereau (FRA) 12.93; 5, J. Daumane-Rochelau (SUI) 13.02; 6, M. Pogacianu (ROM) 13.10; 7, A. Lopez (CUB) 13.21; 8, O. Adams (CUB) 13.51; 9, C. Hustlin (FRA) 13.91.

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1991 World rankings

17.55	Vasily Sokov (URS)
17.51	Aleksandr Kovalenko (URS)
17.35	Kenny Harrison (USA)
17.34	Denis Kapustin (URS)
17.31	Oleg Sakirkin (URS)
17.24	Oleg Protosenko (URS)
17.21	Jon Edwards (GBR) (17.43w)
17.14	Tord Henningson (SWE)
17.14	Gennadiy Kikhno (URS)
17.48w	George St Rose (FRA)
17.41w	Brian Wellman (GBR)

Shot	
22.03	Werner Gurdur (SUI)
20.43	George Andersen (NOI)
20.37	Aleksandr Klimenko (URS)
20.33	Paul Edwards (GBR)
20.33	George Guset (ROM)
20.33	Sergey Smirnov (URS)
20.27	Ulf Timmermann (GER)
20.24	Mikhail Kostin (URS)
20.15	Ron Backes (USA)
20.14	Andre Nemshaninov (URS)

Discus	
69.38	Mike Burdard (USA)
68.12	Erik de Bruin (HOL)
67.80	Ardwale Olukoya (NG)
67.78	Lars Riedel (GER)
67.20	Jürgen Schult (GER)
67.02	Attila Horvath (HUN)
66.58	Kamir Keshmiri (USA)
66.22	Romas Ubartas (URS)
65.72	Ray Laddins (CAN)
65.64	Rick Meyer (USA)

Hammer	
84.26	Igor Astapkovich (URS)
82.80	Andrey Abduvaliyev (URS)
82.40	Flamen Minev (BUL)
82.62	Yuri Sedylch (URS)
81.16	Sergey Zalay (URS)
81.14	Sergey Kirmasov (URS)
80.72	Tibor Gecsek (HUN)
80.72	Igor Nikulin (URS)
80.52	Aleksandr Seleznyov (URS)
79.76	Vasily Sidorenko (URS)

Javelin	
96.96	Seppo Raut (FIN)
90.72	Jan Zelezny (TCH)
89.16	Tom Petranoff (USA)
88.46	Steve Backley (GBR)
87.36	Raymond Hecht (GER)
85.94	Sigurdur Einarsson (ICE)
85.86	Kimmo Kinnunen (FIN)
85.58	Patrik Boden (SWE)
85.18	Gavin Lovegrove (NZL)
85.08	Badman Seckic (HUN)
84.94	Einar Vihljalmsson (ICE)

WOMEN	
100	
10.84	Merlene Ottey (JAM)
10.94	Carlette Guidry (USA) (10.91w)
10.96	Gwen Turrance (USA)
10.98	Irina Sergeyeva (URS)
11.04	Mary Onyiah (NG)
11.09	Heike Drechsler (GER)
11.09	Katrin Krabbe (GER)
11.11	Esther Jones (USA)
11.12	Evelyn Ashford (USA)
11.15	Sheila Echols (USA)

200	
22.05	Merlene Ottey (JAM)
22.26	Marie-Jose Perce (FRA)
22.36	Dannette Young (USA)
22.38	Gwen Turrance (USA)
22.48	Irina Sergeyeva (URS)
22.57	Kim Walker (USA)
22.57	Grit Breuer (GER)
22.60	Heike Drechsler (GER)
22.65	Sandra Myers (ESP)
22.71A	Evette de Klerk (RSA)

22.44w	Carlette Guidry (USA)
No wind information	
22.21	Katrin Krabbe (GER)

400	
49.32	Marie-Jose Perce (FRA)
49.67	Sandra Myers (ESP)
49.66	Lilke Leatherwood (USA)
49.87	Grit Breuer (GER)
50.02	Ana Quiroz (CUB)
50.19	Jean Miles (USA)
50.30	Diane Dixon (USA)
50.39	Maiel Malone (USA)
50.41	Fatima Yusuf (NG)
50.66	Olga Nazarova (URS)

800	
1:57.23	Svetlana Masterkova (URS)
1:57.34	Ana Quiroz (CUB)
1:57.95	Ella Kovacs (ROM)
1:58.10	Doina Melinte (ROM)
1:58.17	Lilia Nurudina (URS)
1:58.30	Inna Yevseyeva (URS)
1:58.59	Lyubov Gurina (URS)
1:58.57	Letitia Winsde (SUR)
1:58.72	Hassiba Boulmerka (ALG)
1:58.84	Christine Wachtel (GER)

1,500	
4:00.75	Natalya Artyomova (URS)
4:00.83	Doina Melinte (ROM)
4:05.1	Hassiba Boulmerka (ALG)
4:04.92	Mary Simey (USA)
4:05.05	Patti Sue Plumer (USA)
4:05.13	Ellen Kiesel (GER)
4:05.60	Tatyana Doroshkina (URS)
4:05.64	Christina Cahill (GBR)
4:05.78	Lyubov Kremlyova
4:06.01	Shelly Steely

3,000	
8:52.00	Elana Meyer (RSA)
8:55.72	Zola Pieterse (RSA)
8:56.05	Yvonne Murray (GBR)
8:58.23	Liz McColgan (GBR)
8:40.71	Susan Sima (KEN)
8:40.76	Marie-Pierre Duron (FRA)
8:42.42	Margareta Keszeg (ROM)



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8:43.39	Natalya Artyomova (URS)
8:43.50	Albertina Dias (POR)
8:44.14	Ngotho (KEN)

10,000	
30:57.07	Liz McColgan (GBR)
31:03.62	Kathrin Ullrich (GER)
31:07.88	Jill Hunter (GBR)
31:28.92	Francie Larrieu-Smith (USA)
31:40.56	Delliah Asiago (KEN)
31:51.36	Tina Pippig (GER)
31:51.47	Conceicao Ferreira (POR)
31:53.27	Wang Xinting (CHN)
31:53.83	Wanda Panfil (POL)
31:57.84	Ikumi Maki (JAP)

100H	
12.28	Lyudmila Narozhilenko (URS)
12.38	Natalya Grigoryeva (URS)
12.67	Monique Ewanje-Epe (FRA)
12.77	Lillane Nastase (ROM)
12.77	Jackie Joyner-Kersey (USA)
12.81	Natalya Gubanova (URS)
12.82	Dawn Bowles (USA) (12.70w)
12.83	Gail Devers-Roberts (USA)
12.83	Florence Colie (FRA)



TOP TWO: 1,500m leaders Artyomova (176) and Melinte (160)

12.88	Annie Piquereau (FRA)
12.80w	Tanajaym Stanley (USA)

400H	
53.54	Sandra Farmer-Patrick (USA)
54.18	Kim Batten (USA)
54.25	Margarita Ponomareva (URS)
54.27A	Myrtle Bothma (RSA)
54.61	Sally Gunnell (GBR)
54.82	Tatyana Ledovskaya (URS)
54.89	Janeene Vickers (USA)
55.13	Nezha Biduane (MOR)
55.15	Anna Chuprina (URS)
55.28	Natalya Ignatyuk (URS)

High Jump	
2.02	Heike Henkel (GER)
2.01	Irina Bobakova (URS)
2.00	Stefka Kostadinova (BUL)
1.99	Yelena Rodina (URS)
1.98	Svetlana Leseva (BUL)
1.96	Sue Rimbao (USA)
1.95	Yolanda Henry (USA)
1.95	Gai Kapernick (AUS)
1.95	Svetlana Lavrova (URS)
1.95	Heike Balck (GER)
1.95	Vanessa Ward (AUS)

Long Jump	
7.24	Larisa Berezhnaya (URS)
7.24	Heike Drechsler (GER)
7.20	Yelena Senchukova (URS)
6.97	Jackie Joyner-Kersey (USA)
6.95	Inessa Kravets (URS)
6.95	Lyudmila Ninova-Rudolph (AUT)
6.94	Yelena Khlopotnova (URS)
6.88	Renata Nielsen (DEN)
6.78	Nicole Medvedyeva (URS)
6.77	Valentina Ucheddu (ITA)
6.77	Fiona May (GBR)
No wind info: 7.13	Joyner-Kersey

Triple Jump	
14.95	Inessa Kravets (URS)
14.08	Sofia Bozhanova (BUL)
14.04	Li Huirong (CHN) (14.20w)
13.97	Inna Lasovskaya (URS)
13.97	Inna Yevseyeva (URS)
13.84	Svetlana Davydova (URS)
13.83	Helga Radtke (GER)
13.74	Yelena Semiriz (URS)
13.68	Galina Chistyakova (URS)
13.58	Diana Wills (USA)

Shot	
21.12	Natalya Lisovskaya (URS)
20.58	Huang Zhihong (CHN)
20.27	Svetlana Krivelyova (URS)
19.80	Stephanie Storp (GER)
19.72	Sun Xin Mei (CHN)
19.67	Astrid Kumbhuss (GER)
19.55	Maria Antonyuk (URS)
19.54	Beleis Laza (CUB)
19.50	Claudia Losch (GER)
19.40	Zhen Wenjia (CHN)

Discus	
69.20	Larisa Mikhailchenko (URS)
68.82	Ike Wyludis (GER)
67.42	Barbara Echavarria (CUB)
66.62	Martina Hellman (GER)
65.66	Martina Marten (CUB)
65.18	Hilda Ramos (CUB)
65.12	Stefania Simova (BUL)
64.98	Daniela Costian (AUS)
64.32	Austrine Mikelyte (URS)
64.28	Zhao Yonghua

Javelin	
70.20	Karin Forkel (GER)
68.98	Trine Hattestad (NOI)
68.34	Silke Renik (GER)
68.26	Petra Felke-Meyer (GER)
66.84	Anna Verouli (GRE)
66.14	Paivi Alafanti (FIN)
65.62	Natalya Shikolenko (URS)
65.32	Dulce Garcia (CUB)
65.18	Tessa Sanderson (GBR)
64.80	Irina Kostyuchenkova (URS)

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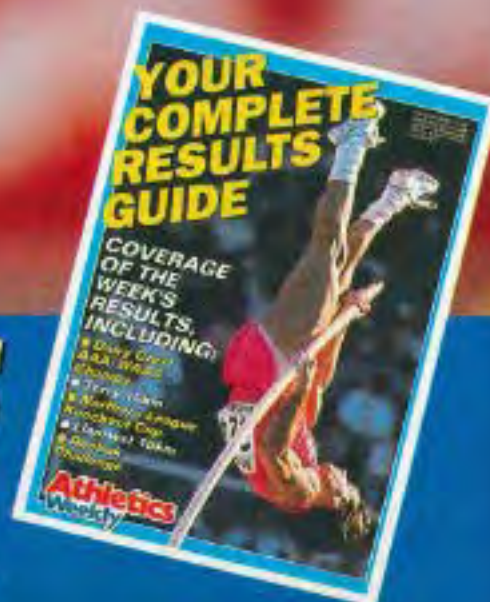
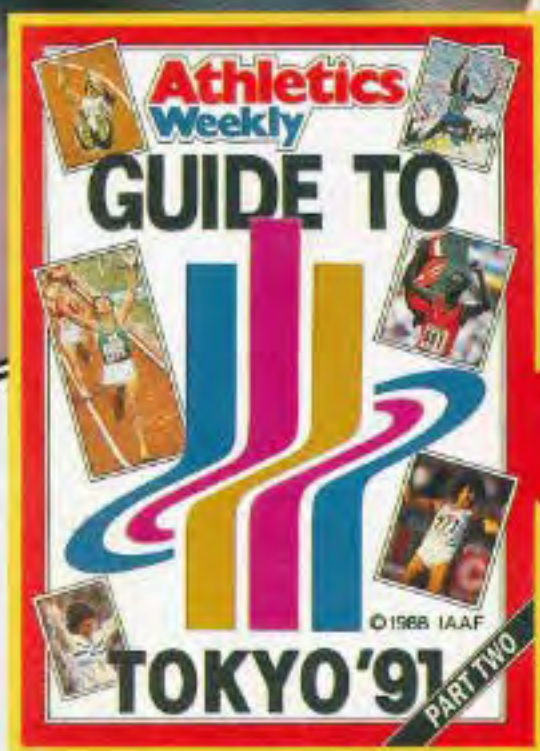
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Men
100(-0.3): 1, Carl Lewis (USA) 10.07; 2, Calvin Smith (USA) 10.21; 3, Emmit King (USA) 10.24; 4, ALLAN WELLS 10.27. **SP2:** 6, CAMERON SHARP 10.43. **100H:** 7, BUSTER WATSON 10.57.
200(+1.10): 1, Calvin Smith (USA) 20.14; 2, Milton Quarar (USA) 20.41; 3, Pietro Mennea (ITA) 20.51; 4, ALLAN WELLS 20.52. **100H:** CAMERON SHARP 20.99. **100H:** BUSTER WATSON 21.20.
400: 1, Ben Cameron (JAM) 45.05; 2, Michael Franks (USA) 45.22; 3, Sander Nis (USA) 45.24. **SP1:** 6, TODD BENNETT 46.11. **SP2:** 8, PHIL BROWN 46.81.
800: 1, Will Wurbeck (FRG) 1:43.65; 2, Rob Drapper (HOL) 1:44.20; 3, Joergum Cruz (BRA) 1:44.27; 4, PETER ELLIOTT 1:44.87. **SP2:** 6, GARRY COOK 1:47.48.
1,500: 1, STEVE CRAM 3:41.59; 2, Steve Scott (USA) 3:41.87; 3, Said Anouar (MAR) 3:42.02; 4, STEVE OVERTY 3:42.34. **SP1:** 10, GRAHAM WILLIAMSON 3:45.64.
5,000: 1, Eamonn Coghlan (IRL) 15:28.53; 2, Werner Schödlbauer (GDR) 15:30.20; 3, Mats Wilander (SWE) 15:30.54. **10,000:** 1, Alberto Cuza (ITA) 28:01.04; 2, Werner Schödlbauer (GDR) 28:01.18; 3, Hansjörg Kunze (GDR) 28:01.26; 7, NICK ROSE 28:07.53. **10,000:** 12, STEVE JONES 28:15.03. **10,000:** STEVE BURNS 28:12.79.
Marathon: 1, Rob De Castella (AUS) 2:10.05; 2, Ketecde Balcha (ETH) 2:10.27; 3, Waldemar Cierpinski (GDR) 2:10.37; 8, IUGEN JONES 2:11.15; 48, GERRY HEFME 2:21.02. **Non-finisher:** MIKE GRATTON.
3,000SC: 1, Puri Dg (FRG) 8:15.06; 2, Bogusław Mariniński (POL) 8:17.03; 3, COLIN REITZ 8:17.75; 5, ROGER HACKNEY 8:19.38; 6, GRAEME FELL 8:20.01.
110H(+1.30): 1, Greg Foster (USA) 13.42; 2, Arto Hyyrgare (FIN) 13.46; 3, Willie Gault (USA) 13.46. **SP1:** 6, MARK HOLTOM 13.79.
400H: 1, Edwin Moses (USA) 47.50; 2, Hans-Joachim Schmid (FRG) 48.61; 3, Aleksandr Kharchov (URS) 49.05. **H1:** 3, GARY OAKES 51.23. **H2:** 6, STEVE SOLY 51.80.
H1: 1, Gennadiy Avdeyenko (URS) 2:32; 2, Tyke Peacock (USA) 2:32; 3, Zhu Jian-Hou (PRC) 2:29.
PV: 1, Sergey Bubka (URS) 5.70; 2, Konstantin Volkov (URS) 5.60; 3, Anwar Tanay (BUL) 5.60.
H1: 1, Carl Lewis (USA) 8.55; 2, Jason Gomes (USA) 8.29; 3, Mike Conley (USA) 8.12.
H1: 1, Zdzisław Hoffman (POL) 17.42; 2, Willie Banks (USA) 17.18; 3, Ajayi Agbete (NGR) 17.18. **Non-qualifier:** KEITH CONNOR 16.18; JOHN HEBBERT 16.12.
SP: 1, Edward Saut (POL) 11.39; 2, Ulf Timmerman (GDR) 21.16; 3, Remigius Machura (TCH) 20.98.
DT: 1, Ulrich Hugor (TCH) 67.72; 2, Luis Delis (CUB) 67.36; 3, Geza Valent (TCH) 66.08.
H1: 1, Sergey Litvinov (URS) 82.68; 2, Yuriy Sedukhin (URS) 80.94; 3, Zdzisław Kwasny (POL) 79.42. **Non-qualifier:** ROBERT WHEAT 71.62; CHRIS BLACK 71.18; MATT MEEHAM 67.12.
H1: 1, David Meade (AUS) 69.48; 2, John Parnell (USA) 65.60; 3, David Kida (URS) 65.58.
DT: 1, DALEY THOMPSON 86.66; 2, Jürgen Hingsen (FRG) 85.61; 3, Siegfried Wentz (FRG) 84.78.
20KW: 1, Ernesto Cotto (MEX) 1:30.00; 2, Josef Prsilinac (TCH) 1:29.59; 3, Vsevolod Vasyukov (URS) 1:21.07; 25, PHIL VESTY 1:27.30; 37, ROGER MILLS 1:30.25; 41, IAN McCOMBIE 1:31.14.
50KW: 1, Ronald Weiger (GDR) 3:43.08; 2, Jose Martin (ESP) 3:46.42; 3, Sergey Jung (URS) 3:49.05.
4x100: 1, USA (King, Gault, Smith, Lewis) 37.86; 2, Italy 38.37; 3, URS 38.41. **SP2:** 5, GIB (AINSLIE BENNETT, DONOVAN BIRD, MIKE McFARLANE, DREW McMASTERS) 39.39.
4x400: 1, URS (Lavachov, 45.23, Trischilin 44.85, Chernensky 45.65, Markin 45.06) 5:00.79; 2, FRG 5:01.83; 3, GBR (AINSLIE BENNETT 46.74, GARRY COOK 45.12, TODD BENNETT 46.46, PHIL BROWN 45.21) 5:03.53.

Women
100(-0.50): 1, Marlies Gebr (GDR) 10.97; 2, Marita Koch (GDR) 11.02; 3, Diane Williams (USA) 11.06. **SP1:** 8, SHIRLEY THOMAS 11.52. **SP2:** 7, HEATHER OAKIN 11.50. **200(+1.50):** 1, Marita Koch (GDR) 22.13; 2, Marlene Ottey (JAM) 22.19; 3, KATHY COOK 22.37. **SP2:** 5, JOAN BAPTISTE 22.26. **100H:** 5, SANDRA WHITAKER 23.63.
400: 1, Jarmila Kratochvílová (TCH) 47.99; 2, Tatiana Kozmenkova (TCH) 48.39; 3, Maria Pinigina (URS) 49.19. **SP2:** 6, MICHELLE SCHULT 51.89.
800: 1, Jarmila Kratochvílová (TCH) 1:54.08; 2, Lyubov Gurina (URS) 1:56.14; 3, Yekaterina Podkopayeva (URS) 1:57.58.
1,500: 1, Mary Decker (USA) 4:00.90; 2, Zuzana Zainova (URS) 4:01.19; 3, Yekaterina Podkopayeva (URS) 4:02.25; 5, WENDY SLY 4:04.14; 9, CHRIS BOXER 4:06.74.
3,000: 1, Mary Decker (USA) 8:36.62; 2, Brigitte Kraus (FRG) 8:35.11; 3, Tatyana Kazankina (URS) 8:35.13; 5, WENDY SLY 8:37.06; 7, JANE FURNESS 8:45.09; 13, CHRIS BENNING 8:58.01.
Marathon: 1, Grete Waitz (NOR) 2:28.09; 2, Marianne Dickerson (USA) 2:31.09; 3, Raisa Smekhnova (URS) 2:31.13; 9, JOYCE SMITH 2:34.27; 12, KATH BURNS 2:42.12. **GLYNIS PENNY** did.
100H(+2.40): 1, Bettine Jahn (GDR) 12.35; 2, Kerstin Krabe (GDR) 12.42; 3, Ginka Zagorcheva (BUL) 12.62; 5, SHIRLEY STRONG 12.78. **SP2:** 7, JUDY LYVERMORE 13.30. **100H:** 5, DONNA BOOTHIE 13.29.
400H: 1, Yekaterina Pesenka (URS) 54.14; 2, Anna Ambrazene (URS) 54.15; 3, Ellen Fiedler (GDR) 54.17; 7, SUE MORLEY 55.04. **H2:** 6, VERONA ELDER 58.74. **100:** GLADYS TAYLOR 58.25.
H1: 1, Tamara Bykova (URS) 2:01; 2, Ulrike Meyfarth (FRG) 1:59; 3, Louise Jilmer (USA) 1:55. **Non-qualifier:** GILLIAN EVANS 1:44.
H1: 1, Heike Dautz (GDR) 7.27; 2, Antonia Gustin (ROM) 7.19; 3, Carol Lewis (USA) 7.04; 5, BEV KINCH 6.98.
SP1: 1, Helena Fibingerova (TCH) 21.05; 2, Helena Konecova (GDR) 20.70; 3, Ilona Slapničková (GDR) 20.56; 10, VERA VERA 18.05; 12, JUDY OAKES 17.52.
DT: 1, Martina Opitz (GDR) 68.94; 2, Galina Muskhova (URS) 67.44; 3, Marija Petkova (BUL) 66.94; 8, MEG KITCHIE 62.50. **Non-qualifier:** Verona Elder 58.74.
H1: 1, Tina Liffa (FIN) 70.82; 2, FATIMA WHITEHEAD 69.14; 3, Anna Venera (GFR) 65.72; 4, TESSA SANDERSON 64.76.
H2P1: Ramona Neubert (GDR) 67.14; 2, Sabine Paetz (GDR) 66.62; 3, Anke Vater (GDR) 65.52. **JUDY LYVERMORE** did.
4x100: 1, GDR (Gladisch, Koch, Alerswald, Goh) 41.76; 2, GBR (JOAN BAPTISTE, KATHY COOK, BEV CALLENDER, SHIRLEY THOMAS) 42.71; 3, Jamaica 42.73.
4x400: 1, GDR (Waitz 50.95, Juch 49.45, Koch 48.55, Rulman 50.70) 3:29.75; 2, Czechoslovakia 3:30.57; 3, URS 3:31.16.
1987, Rome
Men
100(+0.95): 1, Carl Lewis (USA) 9.95; 2, Ray Stewart (JAM) 10.08; 3, LINCOLN

CHRISTIE 10.14. **SP2:** 7, MIKE McFARLANE 10.38. **ALLAN WELLS** did.
***Title taken away from Ben Johnson who won in 9.85 after he admitted using drugs.**
200(+0.49): 1, Calvin Smith (USA) 20.16; 2, Giles Quenelherve (FRA) 20.16; 3, JOHN HIGGS 20.18. **100H:** 1, LINCOLN CHRISTIE did.
400: 1, Thomas Schönlebe (GDR) 44.55; 2, Innocent Egbunike (NGR) 45.56; 3, Burch Reynolds (USA) 44.80; 5, DEREK REDMOND 45.06. **100H:** TODD BENNETT 46.54. **100:** 4, PHIL BROWN 46.08.
800: 1, Billy Konchick (GDR) 1:43.06; 2, PETER HAJOTY 1:43.81; 3, Jose Luis Barbosa 1:43.76; 6, TOM McKEAN 1:49.21. **H1:** 4, TONY MORRILL 1:46.25.
1,500: 1, Abdel Bile (SON) 3:36.80; 2, Jose Luis Gonzalez (ESP) 3:36.05; 3, Jim Spivey (USA) 3:38.82; 8, STEVE CRAM 3:41.19. **SP2:** 9, STEVE CRAB 3:42.12. **H2:** 8, ADRIAN PARSEY 3:41.44.
5,000: 1, Said Anouar (MAR) 13:26.44; 2, Dom Castro (POR) 13:27.59; 3, JACK BUCKNER 13:27.74; 7, TIM HUTCHINGS 13:30.01; 10, STEVE OVERTY 13:33.49.
10,000: 1, Paul Kipkoech (KEN) 27:58.63; 2, Francesco Panerai (ITA) 27:48.98; 3, Hansjörg Kunze (GDR) 27:50.37; 5, STEVE BURNS 28:05.08; 15, JON SOLLY 28:31.97.
Marathon: 1, Douglas Wakihara (KEN) 2:11.48; 2, Ahmed Saleh (DJI) 2:12.50; 3, Gelando Bordin (ITA) 2:12.40; 5, HUGH JONES 2:12.54. **GEORGE SMITH** did.
3,000SC: 1, Francesco Panerai (ITA) 8:08.57; 2, Hagen Melzer (GDR) 8:10.32; 3, William Van Diek (BEL) 8:12.18; 14, ROGER HACKNEY 8:08.86. **H1:** 5, EDDIE WEDDERBURN 8:04.02. **H2:** 9, COLIN REITZ 8:04.55.
110H(+0.90): 1, Greg Foster (USA) 13.21; 2, JON REDGREN 13.29; 3, COLIN JACKSON 13.38. **SP2:** 6, NIGEL WALKER 13.68.
400H: 1, Edwin Moses (USA) 47.46; 2, Danny Harris (USA) 47.48; 3, Harald Schmid (FRG) 47.48; 7, KRES AKABUSI 48.74. **SP1:** 4, MAX ROBERTSON 49.90. **H1:** 3, MARTIN GILLINGHAM 50.64.
H1: 1, Patrick Sjöberg (SWE) 2:38; 2, Igor Paklin (URS) 2:36; 3, Gennadiy Avdeyenko (URS) 2:38. **100:** GEORGE PARSONS 2:25.
PV: 1, Sergey Bubka (URS) 5.65; 2, Thierry Vigneron (FRA) 5.80; 3, Braden Gaudin (URS) 5.80.
H1: 1, Carl Lewis (USA) 8.67; 2, Robert Emmiyan (URS) 8.55; 3, Larry Myricks (USA) 8.33.
***Cancelled Evangelist originally did, but medal awarded to Myricks after irregularities by officials.**
H1: 1, Khristian Markov (BUL) 17.52; 2, Mike Conley (USA) 17.47; 3, Oleg Saladin (URS) 17.43.
SP: 1, Werner Gauder (AUS) 22.23; 2, Alessandro Andrei (ITA) 21.88; 3, John Bessinger (USA) 21.75.
DT: 1, Jürgen Schult (GDR) 68.74; 2, John Parnell (USA) 66.22; 3, Luis Delis (CUB) 66.02.
H1: 1, Sergey Litvinov (URS) 83.05; 2, Jan Tamm (URS) 80.86; 3, Ralf Haber (GDR) 80.76. **Non-qualifier:** DAVID SMITH 68.54.
H1: 1, Seppo Rii (FIN) 63.54; 2, Viktor Vasyukov (URS) 62.52; 3, Jan Zeleny (TCH) 62.20; 7, MICK HILL 70.06; 8,

DAVID OFFLEY 77.64. **Non-qualifier:** ROALD BRADSTOCK 75.86.
DT: 1, Torsten Voss (GDR) 86.80; 2, Siegi Wentz (FRG) 84.61; 3, Pavel Tarnovskiy (URS) 84.61; 9, DALEY THOMPSON 81.24.
20KW: 1, M Damilano (ITA) 1:20.45; 2, Josef Prsilinac (TCH) 1:21.07; 3, Jose Martin (ESP) 1:21.24; 9, IAN McCOMBIE 1:23.51; 34, CHRIS MADDOCKS 1:32.36.
50KW: 1, Harwig Gauder (GDR) 3:40.53; 2, Ronald Weiger (GDR) 3:41.30; 3, Vyacheslav Ivanenko (URS) 3:44.02; 19, PAUL BLAGG 3:59.55.
4x100: 1, USA (McKay, McNeill, Glines, Lewis) 37.90; 2, URS 38.02; 3, Jamaica 38.41. **GBR** (LINCOLN ASQUITH, JOHN HIGGS, MIKE McFARLANE, CLARENCE CALLENDER) did.
4x400: 1, USA (Everett 45.1, Haley 44.0, McKay 44.20, Reynolds 44.00) 2:57.29; 2, GBR (DEREK REDMOND 45.2, KRES AKABUSI 44.5, ROGER BLACK 44.81, PHIL BROWN 44.50) 2:58.85; 3, Cuba 2:59.16.
Women
100(+0.58): 1, Silke Gladisch (GDR) 10.90; 2, Heike Drechsler 11.00; 3, Marlene Ottey 11.04. **SP2:** 8, PAULA DUNN 11.59. **100H:** 7, SIMONE JACOBS 11.89.
200(+1.16): 1, Silke Gladisch (GDR) 21.74; 2, Florence Griffiths (USA) 21.96; 3, Marlene Ottey (JAM) 22.05.
400: 1, Olga Bryzgina (URS) 49.38; 2, Petra Müller (GDR) 49.94; 3, Kirsten Tzschernig (GDR) 50.20.
800: 1, Sigrid Wodars (GDR) 1:55.26; 2, Christine Wachtel (GDR) 1:55.52; 5, Lyubov Gurina (URS) 1:55.56. **SP1:** 6, DIANE EDWARDS 1:59.34.
1,500: 1, Tatyana Samolentsova (URS) 3:58.56; 2, Hildegard Komer (GDR) 3:58.67; 3, Dorina Melinte (ROM) 3:59.27; 7, KIRSTY WADE 4:01.41. **H1:** 7, YVONNE MURRAY 4:07.83.
***Sandra Ganser (SUI) 3:59.06 finished third but disqualified for drug taking.**
3,000: 1, Tatyana Samolentsova (URS) 8:38.73; 2, Maricica Puica (ROM) 8:39.45; 3, Ulrike Bruns (GDR) 8:40.30; 7, YVONNE MURRAY 8:43.94; 8, WENDY SLY 8:45.85; 12, CHRIS BENNING 8:57.92.
10,000: 1, Ingrid Kristiansen (NOR) 31:05.85; 2, Yelena Zhuravskaya (URS) 31:09.40; 3, Kathrin Ulrich (GDR) 31:13.34; 5, LIZ LYNCH 31:19.82; 9, ANGELA TOOTH 31:55.30. **H2:** 10, SUE CREHAN 33:54.99.
Marathon: 1, Rosa Mera (POR) 2:25.17; 2, Zoya Ivanova (URS) 2:32.38; 3, Jocelyne Villetton (FRA) 2:32.53; 11, ANGE PAIN 2:38.12; 17, PAULA PUDGE 2:42.42; 22, VERONIQUE MAROT 2:45.02.
100H(+0.56): 1, Ginka Zagorcheva (BUL) 12.34; 2, Greta Uibel (GDR) 12.44; 3, Cornelia Oschkenat (GDR) 12.46. **SP1:** 6, SALLY GUNNELL 13.06. **H1:** 5, WENDY JRAL 13.41. **H2:** 5, LESLEY-ANN SREETS 13.40.
400H: 1, Sabine Busch (GDR) 53.62; 2, Debbie Finstoff-King (AUS) 54.19; 3, Cornelia Ulrich (GDR) 54.31.
H1: 1, Stefka Kostadinova (BUL) 2:09; 2, Tamara Bykova (URS) 2:04; 3, Susanne Beyer (GDR) 1:59.
H1: 1, Jasine Joyner (USA) 7:36; 2, Yelena Belynskaya (URS) 7:14; 3, Heike Drechsler (GDR) 7:13.
SP: 1, Natalya Lyschinskaya (URS) 21.24; 2, Kathrin Neukirch (GDR) 21.21; 3, Ines Müller 20.76. **Non-qualifier:** JUDY OAKES 18.43.
DT: 1, Martina Hellman (GDR) 71.62; 2, Diana Gansky (GDR) 70.12; 3, Tsvetanka Klavinska (BUL) 68.82.
H1: 1, FATIMA WHITEHEAD 76.64; 2, P Felke (GDR) 71.76; 3, B Peters (FRG) 68.82; 4, TESSA SANDERSON 67.54.
H2P1: 1, Joyner (USA) 71.28; 2, L Nikolova (URS) 65.64; 3, J Frederick (USA) 65.02; 9, KIM HAGGER 61.67; 15, JOANNE MULLINER 58.42.
10KMW: 1, Inna Stankova (URS) 44:12; 2, Kerry Saxby (AUS) 44:23; 3, Yan Hong (PRC) 44:42; 13, LISA LANGFORD 46:23; 25, JUDY ALLEN 48.50.
4x100: 1, USA (Glines, Williams, Griffiths, Marshall) 41.56; 2, GDR 41.95; 3, URS 42.53. **SP2:** 5, GIB 44.21.
4x400: 1, GDR (Neukirch, Emmichmann, Busch, Müller) 3:38.65; 2, URS 3:39.50; 3, USA 3:41.04.

1991 Tokyo

EVENT	DAVE MARTIN	PAT BUTCHER
MEN PV	1, Bubka; 2, Gataullin; 3, Bagyula Sergey Bubka won in Rome with a clinical performance. His 6.10m in Malmö suggests he will be untroubled in his quest for a hat-trick. Only Iryvan Bagyula looks the part to prevent a Soviet clean sweep.	1, Bubka; 2, Gataullin; 3, Tarasov Only a piece of Green Kryptonite (of Superman comics) smuggled into the top end of Sergey Bubka's pole can prevent him winning. A Soviet "sweep" is equally likely.
LJ	1, Lewis; 2, Powell; 3, Myricks Carl Lewis will be chasing a third title. Mike Powell seems the only jumper capable of stopping him and Larry Myricks could make it a clean sweep for the Americans.	1, Lewis; 2, Powell; 3, Myricks Mike Powell will make this a great contest, but Carl Lewis will surely prevail again, in all but the combination of altitude, a suspicious following wind and the negative ionised air before the thunderstorm, which propelled Bob Beamon to 8.90m in Mexico City 23 years ago.
TJ	1, Harrison; 2, Voloshin; 3, Sokov Kenny Harrison is particular when and where he competes. He should be rewarded in Tokyo, but watch the Soviet challenge from last year's revelation, Leonid Voloshin and Vasily Sokov.	1, Harrison; 2, Voloshin; 3, Jaros Kenny Harrison's win over the Soviets in Malmö two weeks ago is the best pointer. Ralf Jaros is struggling after that great win in Frankfurt.
SP	1, Gunthor; 2, Nilsen; 3, Bodenmüller Werner Gunthor is head and shoulders (literally) above the opposition and the Swiss, after a serious back injury, is a must to retain his title. Standards have plunged in this event, and former world record-holder Ulf Timmermann will be missing.	1, Gunthor; 2, Buder; 3, Smirnov Werner Gunthor won't have the William Tell overture to greet his gold medal as he did in Rome four years ago, but he should bring a belated golden present to the Swiss nation's 700th birthday party.
DT	1, Schult; 2, Ubartas; 3, Buncic Another event where the standard has become shocking. In the present climate, Olympic champion Jürgen Schult should retain his title from Rome's Ubartas and Mike Buncic.	1, Schult; 2, Schmidt; 3, Riedel Mike Buncic cannot produce elsewhere anything like the form he finds in the wind tunnels of California, and the Germans should dominate.
HT	1, Astapkovich; 2, Abduvaliyev; 3, Sedykh A Soviet clean sweep is the forecast with European champion Igor Astapkovich again leading the way.	1, Astapkovich; 2, Sedykh; 3, Abduvaliyev This is Soviet territory, where it takes more than just a 16lb hammer to break and enter.
JT	1, Backley; 2, Zelezny; 3, Raty The late Ron Pickering had a favourite television cry, "Oh you of little faith". Mine is with Steve Backley, ahead of Jan Zelezny, while Mike Hill - winner in Monaco and Malmö - might possibly shock everyone.	1, Backley; 2, Zelezny; 3, Raty Steve Backley is coming right just in time to see off the now-consistent Jan Zelezny. Since his world record, Seppo Raty has lost it somewhere in the northern lakes.
Dec	1, O'Brien; 2, Plaziat; 3, Smith Dan O'Brien looks the likely winner over European champion Christian Plaziat. Third place should go to Mike Smith but don't rule out Dezső Szabo.	1, O'Brien; 2, Plaziat; 3, Schenk Dan O'Brien looks in unbeatable form and could even break Daley Thompson's world record.
20km W	1, Blazek; 2, Shchennikov; 3, Kostyukevich Last year's top man, Pavol Blazek, faces the challenges of Mikhail Shchennikov and Franz Kostyukevich.	1, Shchennikov; 2, Pershin; 3, Kostyukevich Peru any three Soviets from the nine who head this year's world rankings. With selections yet to be made, Mikhail Shchennikov's record probably makes him marginal favourite to go and win. The other two are speculative.
50km W	1, Perlov; 2, Mercenario; 3, Gummelt European champion Andrey Perlov looks a sound bet. Carlos Mercenario has been going well, as has Split runner-up Bernd Gummelt.	1, Mercenario; 2, Baker; 3, Popovich Carlos Mercenario looks set to continue the great Mexican tradition at this distance, which should provide a far more international array of medal hopes.
4x100	1, USA; 2, Great Britain; 3, France The new world record-holders from America should make it three in a row. Linford Christie must be included in the British team and his presence should give us a silver ahead of European champions France.	1, USA; 2, Great Britain; 3, France All the USA needs to do is keep hold of the baton, the world record will take care of itself. If the Brits stop playing the foul over relay practice and selection policy, they can get second.
4x400	1, USA; 2, Great Britain; 3, Jamaica Roger Black and Kristi Akabusi have such a thirst to succeed that, with the assistance of Derek Redmond, Paul Sanders and, hopefully, John Regis in the final, they could give the Americans a fright. It should be a cracker, with the USA retaining the title.	1, Great Britain; 2, USA; 3, USSR The weakest American quartet for years gives Britain a wonderful chance for a rare relay gold at full international level outside Europe and the Commonwealth.

DAY THREE - MONDAY 26th AUGUST

1000	100 Hurdles	Heptathlon	W	1620	100	Round 2	W	1910	800	FINAL	W
1000	Discus	Qualifying (Group 1)	M	1640	TRIPLE JUMP	FINAL	M	1925	3,000	FINAL	W
1045	100	1st Round	W	1650	200	Round 2	M	1945	200	Heptathlon	W
1100	High Jump	Heptathlon (2 groups)	W	1720	400	Round 2	M	2010	10,000	FINAL	M
1135	200	Round 1	M	1755	400	Semi-Finals	W	TV GUIDE			
1140	Discus	Qualifying (Group 2)	M	1810	JAVELIN	FINAL	M				
1530	400 Hurdles	Round 1	W	1815	800	Semi-Finals	M	BBC 1: <i>Grandstand</i> , 8.05am - 1pm / 1.30pm - 5.20pm			
1600	Shot	Heptathlon (2 groups)	W	1845	400 Hurdles	Semi-Finals	M				
Highlights: 10.35pm - 11.20pm											

predictions

IAN HODGE	AW STAFF	YOUR GO	RESULT
1, Bubka; 2, Gataullin; 3, Tarasov Soviet benefa with Istvan Bagyula and Philippe Collet the two most likely to spoil the party. Bubka looks sure to add to his golds in 1983/87 and he is a firmer No.1 than ever. Six metres looks likely but world record No.29 may wait until September.	1, S Bubka 2, R Gataullin 3, I Bagyula		
1, Powell; 2, Lewis; 3, Myricks Many will watch this one just to say "I was there" when Lewis got beaten. But he may not, he has previously pulled out all the stops to maintain his "streak" (now at 65 meets, 10 years). Powell's been jumping some monster fouls recently and is a live danger.	1, C Lewis 2, M Powell 3, J Jefferson		
1, Harrison; 2, Voloshin; 3, Sokov This is a close one, but Harrison has something to spare. In Malmö he indicated 17.70m is just around the corner. Voloshin is another in that league but he's a few points off his 1990 form.	1, I Voloshin 2, K Harrison 3, R Jaros		
1, Gunthor; 2, Andersen; 3, Nilsen Werner Gunthor may ask for the gold to be posted to him a week beforehand. He's well clear and may well win by a metre, successfully defending his title. One must wonder just how much lower standards are going to go.	1, W Gunthor 2, A Klimenko 3, G Andersen		
1, Schult; 2, Buncic; 3, Horvath Another event to have dropped away in distance, but never has it been more competitive. There could be only two metres between the first eight and perhaps as many as a dozen have really strong medal hopes. Schult may have the edge. Watch for 38-year-old Wolfgang Schmidt.	1, J Schult 2, M Buncic 3, A Olukoju		
1, Astapkovich; 2, Sedykh; 3, Abdubaliyev The Soviets don't like getting anything less than three medals and have won gold at all previous championships for 20 years. If he does show up, Sedykh would be a sentimental favourite. Heinz Weis and Tibor Gecsek could exceed 80 metres and may challenge.	1, I Astapkovich 2, A Abduvaliyev 3, Y Sedykh		
1, Raty; 2, Backley; 3, Zelezny With these new designer models there is little room for error. Steve Backley is having this problem but he is a 90-metre man and a great competitor - he needs a big first round effort. Raty recently had his seventh meet of the year over 88 metres and will hold onto his title.	1, J Zelezny 2, S Backley 3, S Raty		
1, O'Brien; 2, Plaziat; 3, Smith Dan O'Brien makes his debut in competition outside America, a reproduction of the form he displayed at Randall's Island and he'll comfortably take gold. Previous world No.1. Christian Plaziat looks sure to collect a medal.	1, C Schenk 2, D O'Brien 3, C Plaziat		
1, Shchennikov; 2, Kostyukevich; 3, Damilano The Soviets could take both walking golds but the red vests have been seeing too many red cards recently. Shchennikov, a relative youngster at 23, won the San Jose World Cup and must be favourite. Main danger is likely to be Ernesto Canto.	1, M Shchennikov 2, M Damilano 3, E Canto		
1, Mercenario; 2, Perlov; 3, Gummelt San Jose World Cup winner Carlos Mercenario must be favourite to win the gold for the Soviets. One danger for the 24-year-old could be Simon Baker.	1, C Mercenario 2, R Weigel 3, G Percelli		
1, USA; 2, France; 3, Great Britain The Americans have set two world records recently - both with Mike Marsh, who's not on the Tokyo team sheet - perhaps Lewis can get him on the plane. However, with Andre Cason to lead, they have 37.4 potential. Britain can take third with safe exchanges.	1, USA 2, France 3, Great Britain		
1, USA; 2, Great Britain; 3, Jamaica Britain's hopes, buoyed by the return of Redmond and the good form of the others, may still be disappointed as America may well field a final foursome of Pettigrew, Valmon, Everett and Johnson.	1, Great Britain 2, USA 3, Germany		

DAY FOUR - TUESDAY 27th AUGUST

1000	110 Hurdles	Round 1	M	1720	Javelin	Heptathlon (Group 2)	W	1950	800	FINAL	M
1010	Long Jump	Heptathlon (2 groups)	W	1730	400 Hurdles	Semi-Finals	W	2005	600	Heptathlon	W
1100	3,000 Schase	Round 1	M	1800	400 Hurdles	FINAL	M	2025	10,000	Round 1	W
1600	Javelin	Heptathlon (Group 1)	W	1820	100	FINAL	W	TV GUIDE BBC 2: Sun - 8.30am BBC 1: Highlights: 8.50am - 12.55pm / 10pm - 10.30pm			
1605	100	Semi-Finals	W	1840	400	Semi-Finals	M				
1625	200	Semi-Finals	M	1900	Discus	FINAL	M				
1640	Pole Vault	Qualifying (2 groups)	M	1910	200	FINAL	M				
1700	110 Hurdles	Semi-Finals	M	1930	400	FINAL	W				

Discus

69.58	Mike Buncic (USA)
68.12	Enik de Bruijn (HOL)
67.80	Adewale Oluokun (NGR)
67.78	Lars Riedel (GER)
67.20	Jürgen Schult (GER)
67.02	Anita Horvath (HUN)
66.59	*Kamy Keshmiri (USA)
66.22	*Romas Ulanas (URS)
65.72	Ray Lazdins (CAN)
65.64	*Rick Meyer (USA)
65.62	Stefan Fernholm (SWE)
64.88	Galin Georgiev (BUL)
64.82	Marcel Tirlé (ROM)

Hammer

84.26	Igor Astapkevich (URS)
82.80	Andrey Abduvaliyev (URS)
82.40	Plamen Minev (BUL)
82.62	Yuri Sedykh (URS)
81.16	*Sergey Alay (URS)
81.14	*Sergey Kirmasov (URS)
80.72	Tibor Gecsek (HUN)
80.72	*Igor Nikulin (URS)
80.52	*Alexandr Seleznyov (URS)
79.76	*Vasily Sidorenko (URS)
79.26	Ken Flax (USA)
79.20	Heinz Weis (GER)
78.82	Vigaliy Alisevich (URS)
78.64	Lance Deal (USA)
78.10	Walter Gofani (FRA)

Javelin

96.95	Seppo Rätty (FIN)
90.72	Jan Zelezny (TCH)
89.16	*Tom Petráň (USA)
88.46	Steve Backley (GBR)
87.36	Raymond Hecht (GER)
86.32	Mick Hill (GBR)
85.94	Sigurdur Einarsson (ICE)
85.86	Kimmo Kinnunen (FIN)
85.58	Patrik Boden (SWE)
85.52	Dag Wernlund (SWE)
85.18	Gavin Lovegrove (NZL)

Decathlon

8844w	Dan O'Brien (USA)
8518	Christian Flaxiat (FRA)
8467	Dave Johnson (USA)
8427	Mike Smith (CAN)
8402	Christian Schenk (GER)
8346	Robert Zmielek (TCH)
8306	António Pereira (ESP)
8278	Mikhail Medved (URS)
8211	Alain Blondel (FRA)
8194	Eduard Hamalainen (URS)

WOMEN

100	
10.79	Merlene Ottey (JAM)
10.91	Katrin Krabbe (GER)
10.94	Carlente Guidry (USA) (10.91w)
10.96	Gwen Torrence (USA)
10.96	*Marie-José Percec (FRA)
10.98	Irina Sergeyeva (URS)
11.04	Mary Oryali (NGR)
11.06	*Sandra Myers (ESP)
11.09	*Heike Drechsler (GER)
11.11	*Esther Jones (USA)
11.12	Evelyn Ashford (USA)
11.17	Marian Jones (USA) (11.12w)
11.18	Pauline Davis (BAH) (11.08w)
11.18	Juliet Cuthbert (JAM)
11.20	Galina Malchugina (URS)

200

21.98	Merlene Ottey (JAM)
22.12	Katrin Krabbe (GER)
22.21	Irina Sergeyeva (URS)
22.24	Dannette Young (USA)
22.26	*Marie-José Percec (FRA)
22.28	Gwen Torrence (USA)
22.55	*Grit Breuer (GER)
22.57	*Kim Walker (USA)
22.58	*Heike Drechsler (GER)
22.62	*Sandra Myers (ESP)
22.72	Mary Oryali (NGR)
22.75	Pauline Davis (BAH)
22.81	Tatyana Alekseyeva (URS) (22.71w)
22.81	Sisko Hanhijoki (FIN)
22.81	Silke Knoll (GER)
22.44w	Carlente Guidry (USA)

400

49.32	Marie-José Percec (FRA)
49.66	Lillie Leatherwood (USA)
49.67	Sandra Myers (ESP)
49.87	Grit Breuer (GER)
50.02	Ana Quiroz (CUB)
50.19	Jean Miles (USA)



FOLLOW THE LEADER: Merlene Ottey, top of the lists at the sprints

50.30	Diane Dixon (USA)
50.39	*Maked Malone (USA)
50.41	Patima Yusuf (NGR)
50.66	Olga Nazarova (URS)
50.71	*Rochelle Stevens (USA)
50.99	Lyudmila Dzhigalova (URS)

800

1:57.23	Svetlana Masterkova (URS)
1:57.34	Ana Quiroz (CUB)
1:57.93	Ella Kovacs (ROM)
1:58.10	Doina Melinte (ROM)
1:58.17	Lilia Nurudina (URS)
1:58.30	Inna Yevseyeva (URS)
1:58.50	*Lyubov Gurina (URS)
1:58.57	Leita Vriesde (SUR)
1:58.72	Hassiba Boulmerka (ALG)
1:58.84	Christine Wachtel (GER)
1:58.85	*Zelda Pretorius (RSA)
1:58.86	Ellen Van Langen (TOL)

1,500

3:59.16	Natalya Artyomova (URS)
4:00.00	Hassiba Boulmerka (ALG)
4:00.83	Doina Melinte (ROM)
4:02.21	Valentina Bechev (ROM)
4:04.92	*Mary Slaney (USA)
4:05.05	*Patricia Plumer (USA)
4:05.13	Ellen Kessling (GER)
4:05.60	Tatyana Doroshina (URS)
4:05.64	Christina Cabell (GBR)
4:05.78	*Lyubov Kuznetsova (URS)
4:05.81	Sonia O'Sullivan (IRE)
4:05.94	Sandra Gasser (SUI)
4:06.01	*Shelly Steady (USA)
4:06.13	Suzy Favor-Hamilton (USA)

3,000

8:34.00	*Blana Meyer (RSA)
8:35.72	*Zola Pieterse (RSA)
8:36.05	Yvonne Murray (GBR)
8:38.23	*Liz McColgan (GBR)
8:40.71	Susan Sima (KEN)
8:40.76	Marie-Pierre Ducos (FRA)
8:42.42	Margareta Keszeg (ROM)
8:43.39	*Natalya Artyomova (URS)
8:43.50	Alberina Dias (POR)
8:44.14	Jane Ngũgũ (KEN)
8:44.36	Nadia Dandoko (ITA)

8:44.78	Annette Peters (USA)
8:45.00	*Sabina Dornhoefer (USA)
8:45.49	Uta Pippig (GER)
8:46.50	Patricia Plumer (USA)
8:47.26	Roberta Brunet (ITA)
8:47.80	Alison Wyeth (GBR)

10,000

30:57.07	Liz McColgan (GBR)
31:03.62	Kathrin Ullrich (GER)
31:07.88	Jill Hunter (GBR)
31:28.92	Francie Larrieu-Smith (USA)
31:40.56	Delilah Asiago (KEN)
31:51.36	Uta Pippig (GER)
31:51.47	Conceicao Ferreira (POR)
31:53.27	Wang Xinting (CHN)
31:53.83	Wanda Panfil (POL)
31:57.84	Jaumi Maki (JAP)

Marathon

2:24:18	*Wanda Panfil (POL)
2:25:14	Rosa Mota (POR)
2:25:40	*Kim Jones (USA)
2:25:40	*Uta Pippig (GER)
2:25:54	*Joan Samuelson (USA)
2:25:55	Kamila Gradius (POL)
2:27:43	Katrin Dörre (GER)
2:28:01	Yuko Arimori (JAP)
2:28:18	Valentina Yegorova (URS)
2:29:04	Maria Lelut (FRA)
2:29:24	Ingrid Kristiansen (NOR)
2:29:44	Chen Quig Mei (CHN)
2:30:12	Renata Kokowicz (POL)
2:30:18	Conceicao Ferreira (POR)

100H

12.28	Lyudmila Narozhnikova (URS)
12.39	Natalya Grigoryeva (URS)
12.65	Gail Devers-Roberts (USA)
12.67	Monique Ewanje-Epe (FRA)
12.73	Florence Colle (FRA)
12.74	Anne Piquereau (FRA)
12.77	Iliziane Nastase (ROM)
12.77	*Jackie Joyner-Kersey (USA)
12.81	*Natalya Gurfanova (URS)
12.81	*Nadezhda Bodrova (URS)
12.82	Dawn Bowles (USA) (12.70w)
12.89	Marina Azyabina (URS)
12.92	Alaska Lopez (CUB)

12.95	Paraskevi Patoulidou (GRE)
12.80w	Tinaajayn Stanley (USA)

400H

53.54	Sandra Farmer-Patrick (USA)
53.61	Sally Gunnell (GBR)
53.71	Janeene Vickers (USA)
54.08	Margarita Ponomareva (URS)
54.18	Kim Batten (USA)
54.27A	*Myrtle Bothma (RSA)
54.48	Anita Protti (SUI)
54.82	*Tatyana Lechkovskaya (URS)
55.13	Nezha Bidouane (MAR)
55.14	Heike Messtner (GER)
55.15	Anna Chuprina (URS)
55.28	*Natalya Ignatyuk (URS)
55.29	Gweny Reichman (GBR)

High Jump

2.04	Heike Henkel (GER)
2.01	Inga Babakova (URS)
2.00	Stelka Kostadinova (BUL)
1.98	Svetlana Leseva (BUL)
1.96	Sue Rumbao (USA)
1.95	Yolanda Henry (USA)
1.95	Gai Kapernick (AUS)
1.95	*Svetlana Luvrova (URS)
1.95	Heike Bäck (GER)
1.95	Vinessa Ward (AUS)
1.95	Tamara Bykova (URS)
1.94	Alison Invernizzi (AUS)
1.94	Tanya Hughes (USA)
1.94	Yelena Panikarovskikh (URS)

Long Jump

7.37A	Heike Drechsler (GER)
7.24	Larisa Berezhnaya (URS)
7.20	Yelena Senchukova (URS)
7.13	Jackie Joyner-Kersey (USA)
6.95	*Inessa Kravets (URS)
6.95	Lyudmila Ninova-Rudolph (AUS)
6.94	Yelena Khlopontova (URS)
6.94	Susan Tiedke (GER)
6.85	Renata Nielsen (DEN)
6.79	Ringa Ropo (FIN)
6.78	*Nole Medvedyeva (URS)
6.77	Valentina Uchoddu (ITA)
6.77	Fiona May (GBR)
No wind info: 7.13 Joyner-Kersey	

Shot

21.12	Natalya Lisovskaya (URS)
20.58	Huang Zhihong (CHN)
20.36	Svetlana Krivolyova (URS)
19.94	Sun Xin Mei (CHN)
19.80	Stephanie Storp (GER)
19.67	*Astrid Kobernuss (GER)
19.65	Claudia Losch (GER)
19.57	Svetla Mitkova (BUL)
19.55	Maria Antoniyuk (URS)
19.54	Bebis Laza (CUB)
19.40	Zhen Wenjia (CHN)

Discus

69.20	Larisa Mikhalchenko (URS)
68.82	Ike Wylodda (FER)
67.42	Barbara Echevarria (CUB)
66.64	Tsvetanka Khristova (BUL)
66.62	Martina Hellman (GER)
65.66	Maritza Marien (CUB)
65.18	Hilda Ramos (CUB)
65.12	Stefania Samova (BUL)
64.98	Daniela Costian (AUS)
64.60	Irina Yarchenko (URS)

Javelin

71.44	Trine Hattestad (NOR)
70.20	Karin Furkel (GER)
68.54	Silke Renk (GER)
67.32	Natalya Shkolnikova (URS)
68.26	Petra Felke-Meyer (GER)
66.84	Anna Veroli (GER)
66.14	Patri Alfranti (FIN)
65.32	Dulce Garcia (CUB)
65.18	*Tessa Sanderson (GBR)
64.80	Irina Kostuchenkova (URS)
64.66	Heli Rantanen (FIN)

Heptathlon

6878	Jackie Joyner-Kersey (USA)
6534	Sabine Braun (GER)
6494	Peggy Beer (GER)
6482	Iliziane Nastase (ROM)
6419	*Birgit Garius (GER)
6374	Ursula Włodarczyk (POL)
6366	Heike Taschler (GER)
6290	*Anke Behmer (GER)
6279	Maria Knapowska (POL)
6254	Veronika Byzhova (URS)
6226	Tatyana Zhuravlyeva (URS)
6221	Satu Ruotsalainen (FIN)

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DAY ONE

Men 20km walk

THE opening event of the championships was marred by the disorganised finish, the two leaders, Maurizio Damilano and Mikhail Shchennikov, tripping over the sprinters preparing for heat 10 of the 100 metres, as they entered the stadium.

Damilano, defending his title, was always among the leading group, following the early pace-makers, Pavol Blazek, holder of the world best for 20km on the road, and Roman Mrazek.

At 12km, Shchennikov showed at the front for the first time. The Soviet's injection of pace quickly reduced the contenders to six, the three Italians, Damilano, Walter Arena and Giovanni De Benedictis, being accompanied by last year's European silver medallist Daniel Plaza and Misyula.

Three kilometres further along the course, Shchennikov, Damilano and Plaza had opened up a six-second gap on Benedictis, who led Arena and Misyula by 50 metres.

Shchennikov, still only 23, has already enjoyed a brilliant career, and looked the freshest of the trio as Plaza fell off the pace just before the 16km mark.

Damilano, 10 years senior to his opponent, was stretching the pace, but it seemed to be hurting him. The pain seemed worth it as he got away just after the watering point at 17km.

But within 400 metres, the Soviet was back on his shoulder, the race looking over as he opened a sizeable gap. But the title-holder called upon his experience and with a kilometre remaining he again got ahead.

Approaching the stadium, neither was aware of the chaos that awaited them. With the 100 metres heats in full swing, officials had clearly forgotten about the walkers and Damilano had to jump over starting blocks and athletes as he entered the arena with an eight-metre lead.

Having been caught unawares, more drama unfolded. No one had bothered to place the route bollards in lane four to ensure the competitors completed a full 20km course. Instead of walking the last 500 metres in lane five, the leader, through no fault of his own, headed for the inside lane.

A massive final effort saw Shchennikov accelerate past the Italian and, passing the finishing line, he threw up his hands in victory. There was no doubt he thought he had finished, only realising his error when Damilano carried on around the track.

Shchennikov's effort may have cost him victory, as a 20-metre gap opened ahead of him, Damilano, coming home waving to the crowd in a championship record time of 1:19:37, albeit having walked a little shorter than he should have.

FINAL: 1. M Damilano (ITA) 1:19:37 (GBR); 2. M Shchennikov (URS) 1:19:46; 3. V Misyula (URS) 1:20:22; 4. G De Benedictis (ITA) 1:20:29; 5. V Masanna (ESP) 1:20:29; 6. R Jilly (GDR) 1:20:52; 7. W Arena (ITA) 1:21:01; 8. M Li (CHN) 1:21:15 (nat rec); 9. T Tostain (FRA) 1:21:22; 10. B Kozienkowski (POL) 1:21:52; 11. A Nijack (GER) 1:21:55; 12. E Meicemart

(MEX) 1:21:57; 13. I Keller (CUB) 1:21:44; 14. S Urbanik (HUN) 1:21:57; 15. R Mrazek (CZE) 1:22:03; 16. R Weigel (GER) 1:22:19; 17. P Blazek (CZE) 1:22:34; 18. J Urbano (POR) 1:23:09; 19. H Moreno (COL) 1:23:27; 20. N A'Hern (AUS) 1:23:44; 21. M Friess (ESP) 1:24:06; 22. T Berrett (CAN) 1:24:10; 23. V Ostrovski (ISR) 1:24:55; 24. M Palma (BRA) 1:24:54; 25. S Galdano (JRA) 1:25:29; 26. A Shumak (URS) 1:25:29; 27. I McCombie (GBR) 1:25:30; 28. G Dudas (HUN) 1:25:53; 29. B O'Leary (IRE) 1:29:28; 30. S Jalavainen (SWE) 1:29:47; 31. T Lewis (USA) 1:30:55; 32. S Ponsa (HON) 1:38:36; D Plaza (ESP) DQ; E Sakai (JPN) Dsq; G Leblanc (CAN) Dsq; C Bealino (BRA) DNF; J Szach (MEX) DNF

Men 100m first round

(First 3 and 2 fastest to second round)

THE first track event saw Daniel Sangouma, known for his lightning starts, false-starting, before coasting in ahead of Darren Braithwaite, who equalled his best of the year.

The remaining nine heats produced no shocks - but gave early indications of the form of the favourites.

Carl Lewis looked especially sleek in heat nine, running 10.12sec - the fastest of the day. Jason Livingston made his exit - nursing his hamstring - in heat four, as world record-holder Leroy Burrell cantered 70 metres before turning on the power.

Those contesting the final heat had every right to feel a little peeved. Having warmed up, the entrance of the 50km walkers saw their race delayed for 26 minutes.

H1 (+1.6): 1. D Sangouma (FRA) 10.27; 2. D Braithwaite (GBR) 10.31; 3. B Jawon (JAM) 10.38; 4. C Smith (GBR) 10.42; 5. N Hodge (GBR) 10.51; 6. T Gonyea (USA) 10.92; 7. B Shobe (USA) 10.96; 8. A Shagof (MEX) 11.19
H2 (+0.3): 1. P Frelislika (NAM) 10.21; 2. E Tuffery (GBR) 10.36; 3. J Maricki (POL) 10.49; 4. D Crociani (ROM) 10.51; 5. S K JN (KOR) 10.67; 6. V Watanabe (JPN) 10.88; 7. M Sherwin (GBR) 11.55 Nat rec; 8. Abdul (AFG) DNF

H3 (+1.0): 1. D Mince (ITA) 10.27; 2. M Gross (JAM) 10.38; 3. S Galdano (JRA) 10.58; 4. J Lamela (CUB) 10.55; 5. K Ondrick (KEN) 10.57; 6. J Olin (ITA) 11.06; M Anderleth (GBR) DNF

H4 (+0.1): 1. L Burrell (USA) 10.17; 2. J O Zifigian (GBR) 10.20 Nat rec; 3. A Silva (BRA) 10.42; 4. S Briggman (GBR) 10.47; 5. J Livingston (GBR) 10.57; 6. P Aguilar (PAN) 10.85; 7. D Dendak (AFG) 11.30

H5 (+1.3): 1. Ertawa (NGR) 10.25; 2. M Morinier (FRA) 10.28; 3. O Khraparenko (URS) 10.36; 4. A Kovacs (HUN) 10.39; 5. J Treppe (ESP) 10.44; 6. E Nava (MEX) 10.56; 7. E Estaphane (STL) 10.62 Nat rec; 8. F Davis (ANG) 11.16

H6 (+0.2): 1. R Stewart (JAM) 10.17; 2. R Di Silva (BRA) 10.20; 3. T Sugimoto (JPN) 10.38; 4. V Atanasov (BUL) 10.53; 5. K Iouma (BRD) 10.68; 6. O Tueria (MEX) 10.69; 7. J Jermiah (VAN) 10.82; 8. P Bocio (GUM) 12.27

H7 (+0.5): 1. L Christie (GBR) 10.39; 2. S Inoue (JPN) 10.47; 3. C Sack (GBR) 10.60; 4. E Haynes (STK) 10.82; 5. P Zio (SRB) 10.93; 6. B Hsu (INA) 11.14; 7. T Dubuis (SAU) 12.04; J Gikonyo (KEN) DNF

H8 (+1.4): 1. R arm (GBR) 10.28; 2. A Berger (AUT) 10.40; 3. C Moreno (CHI) 10.44; 4. H Dove-Edwin (SLE) 10.48; 5. G Queneherve (FRA) 10.59; 6. F Pouchi (SEN) 10.92; 7. C Manengue (CMR) 10.98; 8. G Amha (BAN) 11.09

H9 (+0.2): 1. E Lewis (USA) 10.12; 2. E Madonia (ITA) 10.45; 3. T Yamashita (JPN) 10.35; 4. Y Zismides (CYP) 10.38; 5. R Cox (TKS) 11.02; 6. J Romani (JMN) 11.06; C Kavadioglou (TUR) DNF

H10 (+1.4): 1. O Adeniran (NGR) 10.20; 2. A Mahon (CAN) 10.25; 3. V Savio (URS) 10.38; 4. F Sostero (BRA) 10.49; 5. J Gometti (GAT) 10.63; 6. T-T Zlaten (FYE) 11.70; 7. J Hoo (NGR) 11.04; A Salda (SRB) DNF

Women shot putt qualifying

(18.50m or first 12)

THERE were undistinguished performances from Judy Oakes and Myrtle Auger. Both were well below what was expected of them, although the drizzle didn't help.



WARM WELCOME: The Soviet athletes took their usual place in the championships despite fears that they would not appear

Defending champion Natalya Lisovskaya led the qualifiers with 19.72m. Only three others got over 19 metres, compared to 13 in Rome.

The qualifying mark of 18.50m was achieved by nine throwers.

Qualifying Group A: N Lisovskaya (URS) 19.72; T Zima (CHN) 19.58; C Louch (GER) 18.83; K Neimke (GBR) 18.79; S Mikova (BUL) 18.54; K Tsimlyuk (POL) 18.15; C Price-Smith (USA) 18.09; J Oakes (GBR) 17.81 (17.81, 17.78); A Ovaska (JPN) 17.15; M Rames (ESP) 15.89; 11. F Khaled (EGY) 14.75; J Laine (NGU) 12.56

Group B: S Storp (GER) 19.52; Z Huang (CHN) 19.14; M Ananyuk (URS) 18.80; S Krivlyova (URS) 18.66; 5. B Laza (CUB) 18.52; 6. B Pagel (USA) 17.99; 7. M Auger (GBR) 17.80 (17.89, 17.14); 8. P Dukes (USA) 17.17; A Maffei (ITA) 16.99; 10. M Oina (ROM) 16.73; 11. E Adriano (BRA) 15.09; A Tes (CHN) 11.69

Women 10km walk

THE reigning gold and silver medallists, Irina Strakhova and Kerry Saxby, were forecast to repeat their Rome duel. However, it was the 4ft 11in Italian Anna Rita Sidoti who led the 42-strong field out of the stadium.

At 5km (22:05), Madelein Svensson made a positive move to the front. Within a kilometre she had reduced the contenders to eight, looking strong and confident.

The opposite was the case with Saxby and Strakhova. Both seemed to be toiling and fell rapidly backwards as Ivanova, Svensson and Chen pulled clear.

It was the Soviet's turn to wind-up the pace and a short burst established a 100-metre lead by 8km. In the space of a kilometre, she had made the gold hers - barring accident or disqualification.

Ivanova came into the arena 50 metres ahead of Svensson, who was having to dig deep to keep ahead of Essayeh. Strakhova was having a second wind and rapidly gaining on the Finn. The silver and bronze medals were decided in the last 50 metres.

Betty Sworowski, in 20th place, set a British best.

FINAL: 1. A Ivanova (URS) 42:57 CR; 2. M Svensson (SWE) 43:15 Nat rec; 3. S Kasykh (FIN) 43:15 Nat rec; 4. I Strakhova (URS) 43:40; 5. K Saxby (AUS) 44:02; 6. G Mendon (MEX) 44:03; 7. I Salvador (ITA) 44:09; 8. S Chen (CHN) 44:11; 9. A-R Sidoti (ITA) 44:18; 10. P Andes (GER) 44:55; 11. E Bora (GBR) 44:59; 12. K Radke-Schewe (POL) 44:42 Nat rec; 13. M Botta (HUN) 45:00; 14. A Alfoldi (HUN)

45:22; 15. M Dax (ESP) 45:25; 16. E Gini (ESP) 45:52; 17. S Foster (POR) 45:57 Nat rec; 18. M Chavez (MEX) 45:54; 19. D Lawrence (INA) 45:58; 20. B Sworowski (GBR) 45:59; 21. P Grand (CAN) 46:17; 22. Y Son (JPN) 46:21; 23. A Bruchmann (GER) 46:23; 24. I McCaffrey (CAN) 46:33; 25. L Wells (USA) 46:40; 26. J Brannan (JPN) 46:59; 27. V Hozzo (USA) 47:14; 28. T Poiras (CAN) 47:22; 29. B Sobolev (FSP) 47:51; 30. Y Sato (JPN) 47:37; 31. Z Zimkova (CHN) 47:41; 32. K Holpuchova (CZE) 48:08; 33. M Cola (MEX) 48:27; 34. V Topurek (AUT) 48:31; 35. H Hirayama (JPN) 48:33; 36. I Gonsalves (POR) 48:35; 37. P Wanda (JPN) 48:52; 38. H Bliker (GBR) 48:56; 39. J Dake (GBR) 49:47; 40. H Lawrie (INA) 50:26 (nat rec); 41. M Guzman (ESA) 53:40 (nat rec); Y Sanyo (URS) Dsq

Men hammer qualifying

(75.50m or first 12)

THE qualifying rounds featured Japanese ingenuity at its best, as contestants' hammers were returned to the throwing cage by a mobile trolley.

Ominously, the three furthest throws came from the Soviet trio of Andrey Abdalaliyev, Igor Asupkovich and the greatest hammer thrower of all-time, Yuriy Sedykh.

Abdalaliyev was the only one to clear 80 metres as only five attained the qualifying mark.

Paul Head, having his first competition since injuring his back in June, was eliminated.

Qualifying Group A: A Abdalaliyev (URS) 80.30; I Asupkovich (URS) 79.66; T Gross (HUN) 75.98; R Bolash (FRA) 74.92; S Gullin (AUS) 74.90; 6. C Dethloff (GER) 73.54; Non-qualifiers: 1. Dax (USA) 72.90; I Taney (BUL) 71.52; 9. J Sgrallat (ITA) 72.40; P Head (GBR) 68.52 (x, 67.52, 68.52); K Nysted (SWE) 67.20; G Guzman (MEX) 66.80; A Chiradita (ARG) 66.52

Group B: Y Sedykh (URS) 77.96; P Miney (BUL) 75.08; W Ciofani (FRA) 74.34; H Wells (GER) 74.08; K Fias (ITA) 73.25; 2. H (CHN) 73.34; Non-qualifiers: J Dethloff (AUT) 72.50; I Soria (JPN) 71.50; S Santogloss (GBR) 70.60; J Logan (USA) 70.04; A Cooper (NZL) 67.26; A Tolia (AUS) 67.26; C Ellermaw (EGY) 57.26; Y Wong (SIN) 46.04

Women 400 first round

(First four in each heat and four fastest qualify for semi-final)

LINDA KEOUGH drew the hardest of the five heats, facing this year's world leader, Marie Perce, and reigning champion Olga Bryagina. The Basingstoke woman, although having to run fairly quickly, wasn't over-awed by the company, qualifying easily.

Perce was joined in the next

DAY TWO

Women marathon

WE THOUGHT it might have been the end of an era when reigning champion Rosa Mota retired from the fray at 26 kilometres. But it wasn't. *Tom Knight reports.*

After the race, her coach, Jose Pedrosa, was quick to quell rumours that she had run against her will, under pressure from the Portuguese federation.

"We would never accept pressure from any quarter to compete, he said. 'Rosa was in good shape and came to run in Tokyo confident of winning.'

It was Wanda Panfil of Poland, winner of five of her nine marathons before Tokyo, who took Mota's title in style.

The heat and humidity eventually told and when the leaders had reduced to just three, with a mile-and-a-half to go, Panfil had the German, Katrin Dörre, a winner in Osaka in January and always at her best in Japan, and 27-year-old Sachiko Yamashita of Japan for company.

It looked as if the trio would be together until the final lap of the track at the National Stadium when Panfil made her break. The gap stretched to 30 metres as she came up the short climb to the stadium concourse.

Emerging from the darkness to the bright orange track, Panfil had a 20-metre lead over Yamashita, who was leading Dörre by the same margin.

Sally Ellis was first Briton home - 10th in 2:35:09 - leading Sally Eastall, who was more than a minute behind in 11th place. The two had worked their way through the field in the latter stages as many of the girls dropped out.

Veronique Marot, who dropped out at 30km after going through half-way in 78 minutes, claimed she must have left it too late before coming down from altitude training at Boulder.

FINAL: 1. W Panfil (POL) 2:29:53; 2. S Yamashita (JPN) 2:29:57; 3. K Dörre (GER) 2:30:10; 4. Y Arimori (JPN) 2:31:08; 5. M Rebelo Lima (BRA) 2:32:05; 6. K Grubis (POL) 2:32:09; 7. M Machado (POR) 2:33:33; 8. R Burroughs (GBR) 2:33:06; 9. I Biba (GEO) 2:33:48; 10. S Hilla (GEO) 2:35:09; 11. S Eneali (GBR) 2:36:16; 12. K Anko (JPN) 2:38:27; 13. J Smith (USA) 2:39:16; 14. M Trujillo (USA) 2:39:28; 15. F Oppiger (COL) 2:41:51; 16. S Grottenberg (NOR) 2:43:11; 17. F Moser (SUI) 2:44:07; 18. P Wages (KEN) 2:45:22; 19. E Guereza (PER) 2:48:53; 20. F Reiner (FRA) 2:48:57; 21. I Mella (ARG) 2:48:16; 22. M Yulo (UGA) 2:59:59; 23. G Coelho (HON) 2:59:54 (not rec); 24. G Calabrese (RUS) 3:00:03; D. Rasmussen (DEN) DNF; L. Melcherova (CZE) DNF; Y. Marot (GBR) DNF; L. Fighi (ITA) DNF; A. Vallini (ITA) DNF; T. Yagirova (URS) DNF; F. Caran (GUA) DNF; M. Nadjadi (BRA) DNF; A. Combe (POR) DNF; S. Naezi (DOM) DNF; B. Mota (POR) DNF; Q. Chen (CHN) DNF; V. Yegorova (URS) DNF; C. Black (USA) DNF; J. Rylewicz (POL) DNS.

Men javelin qualifying

THE first major disaster of the championships occurred when Steve Backley was eliminated in the javelin.

The former world record-holder couldn't get his rhythm together, his best throw of 78.24m following a first effort of 75.34m. His third was even worse, only reaching out to 73.96m.

Having finished fifth in his group

of the qualifying round - won by Kimmo Kinnunen with a championship record of 88.48m - Backley had to sit back and wait to see how many would qualify.

As the list of those who threw further than him increased - it included Mick Hill - the tension grew.

It was the Icelfinder Sigurdur Einarsson who sealed his fate. The 1989 World Student Games champion winged his spear out to 78.84m and Backley's dreams faded.

Qualifying Group A: E. Kinnunen (FIN) 88.48 (CR); G. Lovregrove (NZL) 82.08; E. Vahalahti (SLO) 80.10; Non-qualifiers: D. Poljanec (URS) 78.50; S. Backley (GBR) 78.24 (75.34, 78.24, 73.96); B. Gonzalez (CUB) 77.72; P. Lefevre (FRA) 77.36; J. Zelazny (CZE) 76.26; A. Palacios (ESP) 75.14; M. Yordis (JPN) 75.09; D. Sigurdur (ISL) 75.10; L. F. Berglund (SWE) 74.40; S. Kodzab (YUG) 73.84; J. De la Gata (MEX) 72.84; V. Zaitsev (URS) 72.48; R. Talschler (GER) 72.42; R. Zelaya (CHI) 70.70; A. Mandelshuk (BUL) 69.78; J. Sordo (ESP) 66.74; T. Modest (GER) 62.66.

Group B: S. Ruy (FIN) 87.54; P. Blau (GER) 82.56; S. D. Wernlund (SWE) 82.46; V. Sammelich (URS) 82.38; H. Hede (GER) 81.82; V. Baykin (URS) 81.36 (not rec); S. Einarsson (ISL) 80.60; P. Budes (SWE) 79.64; M. Hill (GBR) 79.54 (79.54, x, x); Non-qualifiers: L. Zhang (CHN) 78.94; S. Skeite (YUG) 76.19; S. Mattiasson (ISL) 76.10; C. Mackenzie (GBR) 75.12 (75.12, x, 74.74); M. Barnett (USA) 75.02; T. Pukuly (USA) 74.72; K. Mizoguchi (JPN) 73.78; K-H. Kim (KOR) 73.62; L. Lussini (COL) 70.48; P. Morgan (AMS) 66.98; P. Mshure (INA) 66.20; B. Cawigan (PHI) 61.38.

400 men first round

(First four in each heat and four fastest qualify)

PAUL SANDERS occupied the last qualifying place in the first heat won by TAC champion Antonio Pettigrew.

The stadium came alive as Japan's Susumu Takano - a semi-finalist in the last two Olympic Games - took heat two.

The next heat saw a very composed run from Derek Redmond, content to follow Alvin Daniel home, but looking in fine trim.

Danny Everett, a last-minute replacement for Quincy Watts, was just as immaculate in heat four. Roger Black's race followed, the European champion staying off the pace as Seymour Fagan blasted to a PB of 44.88.

Heat 1: A. Pettigrew (USA) 45.02; 2. W. Cantales (COL) 46.25; 3. P. G. Connor (JAM) 46.30; 4. P. Sanders (GBR) 46.36; 5. S. Kipkemboi (KEN) 46.46; 6. M. Jobbner (AUS) 46.55; 7. C. Morales (CHI) 46.80; 8. M. Fonseca (STP) 54.01.

Heat 2: 1. S. Takano (JPN) 46.10; 2. S. Kaur (KEN) 46.19; 3. L. Martinez (CUB) 46.28; 4. T. Molnar (HUN) 46.64; 5. D. Silger (URS) 46.71; 6. R. Botolado (BRA) 47.44; 7. J. Chen (TGA) 48.03; A. Sr. Savane (GUY) DNF.

TOKYO TALK

STEVE BACKLEY was completely mystified by his shock exit at the qualifying stage of a javelin competition in which he was a firm gold medal favourite.

The Londoner just couldn't make any impression and had to be content with a best throw of 78.24 which left him reflecting "I just don't know what went wrong."

Backley had not tasted defeat for more than three years but that all ended in bitter disappointment with a best qualifying throw that was way below his best of 90.96.

The former world record holder said "I haven't thrown that badly since I was 17 or 18 and I just don't know why it happened here."

"We talk about hearing the music of the event but I just couldn't hear anything out there. I am shattered by it all."

TOM MCKEAN: "I just can't believe it. I thought I had qualified and then was beaten in the last few strides."

"It was my own fault, my own stupidity. It was the kind of mistake a runner of my experience should not have made."

Heat 1: A. Daniel (TUR) 45.64; 2. D. Redmond (GBR) 45.78; 3. D. Lalloo (MAR) 45.80; 4. A. Valman (INA) 46.16; 5. A. Nuh (ITA) 46.80; 6. P. Lumbis (POR) 47.37; 7. E. Coimbra (CIV) 48.65; T. Heme (GHA) DNF.

Heat 2: D. Everett (USA) 45.73; 2. P. Zelke (TUR) 46.03; 3. P. Greene (AUS) 46.27; 4. C. Skotot (FRA) 46.41; 5. D. Jallow (GAM) 46.66; 6. A. Wilson (CAN) 46.71; 7. S. Thompson (BAH) 46.88; **Heat 3:** 1. S. Fagan (JAM) 44.88; 2. J. Carlweitz (GER) 45.78; 3. B. Black (GBR) 46.02; 4. T. Morris (GBR) 46.16; 5. A. Heciel (ARG) 46.52; 6. T. Shankulov (BUL) 46.89; 7. T. Gonye (ZIM) 47.61; 8. H. Swenney (MYI) 49.81.

Heat 4: 1. R. Hernandez (CUB) 45.49; 2. M. Garner (AUS) 45.77; 3. T. Lamsie (QAT) 46.20; 4. C. Coenert (ESP) 46.54; 5. J. Boun (CIV) 46.86; 6. C. Goring (GBR) 47.03; T. Douglas (BER) DNS.

Men hammer final

World record-holder Yuriy Sedykh, who has thrown over 80 metres every year since 1980, opened the competition with 81.38m.

Heinz Weiss (78.02m) got ahead of Sedykh's comrades, Andrey Abduvaliyev and European champion, Igor Astapkovich.

In round two, Sedykh added 32cm to his best. Astapkovich, who leads the world this year with 84.26m, improved to 79.66m, pushing the German into third spot.

Abduvaliyev, winner of the 1985 European Junior title, moved into third spot in the next round, the remarkable Sedykh, now 36, having once again thrown over 80m.

The fifth round began with Sedykh just under 80m. European silver medalist Tibor Gecsek moved into fourth spot, while Astapkovich got it right, floating his hammer to 80.94m. Weiss was still fighting, improving to 79.60m.

Thus, Sedykh, having broken the world record six times, won the world title for the first time. Statistics also tell that he is the oldest man to win a world title.

FINAL: 1. Y. Sedykh (URS) 81.70 (81.38, 81.70, 81.06, 80.26, 79.28, 79.94); 2. I. Astapkovich (URS) 80.94 (77.52, 79.66, x, 79.70, 80.94, 80.90); 3. H. Weiss (GER) 80.41 (78.02, 77.70, 76.80, 79.24, 79.60, 80.44); 4. T. Gecsek (HUN) 78.96; 5. A. Abduvaliyev (URS) 78.30; 6. W. Gohm (FRA) 76.48; 7. K. Flax (USA) 75.58; 8. H. Pichler (FRA) 75.66; 9. B. Cadin (AUS) 73.24; 10. C. Dehnbach (GER) 72.96; 2. H. (CHN) 69.50; 12. P. Minor (BUL) 66.70.

Men 100 semi-final

(First four qualify for final)

CARL LEWIS was at his best, without going anywhere near top gear, as he sped to a magnificent victory and championship record in 9.93sec with a legal following wind of 1.3m/sec.

The second line-up could have graced any major championship final. World record-holder Leroy Burrell knew there could be no

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ROBSON
DA SILVA
(Brazil)
10.12

FRANKIE
FREDERICKS
(Namibia)
9.95



relaxing and from the gun went eyeballs out.

Linford Christie matched him almost stride for stride, along with Dennis Mitchell and Ray Stewart.

There was no relaxing for anyone, although Burrell got clear over the last 20m, winning in 9.94sec.

For only the second time in history, three men beat that barrier in the same race, the last occasion being the 1988 Olympic Games. To add to Christie's stature, he became the oldest man to run under 10sec. **SP1 (+1.3):** 1. C. Lewis (USA) 9.93; 2. F. Fredericks (NAM) 10.02 (not rec); 3. B. Surin (CAN) 10.07 (not rec); 4. R. da Silva (BRA) 10.12; 5. D. Asdeniken (NGR) 10.17; 6. J. O. Zidron (CIV) 10.25; 7. S. Garba (GHA) 10.37; 8. M. Green (JAM) 10.38. **SP2 (+1.1):** 1. L. Burrell (USA) 9.94; 2. D. Mitchell (USA) 9.99; 3. L. Christie (GBR) 9.99; 4. R. Stewart (JAM) 10.03; 5. D. Sanguma (FRA) 10.18; 6. A. Malsara (CAN) 10.18; 7. D. Ezema (NGR) 10.20; 8. F. Madonia (ITA) 10.33.

Men triple jump qualifying

(Qualification 16.95 or first 12)

IT WAS only last year that Leonid Voloshin switched to the triple jump, his season ending with the European gold medal.

He led a trio of Soviets to the final, eight men achieving the 16.95m qualifier with their first jump, including favourite Kenny Harrison.

John Herbert was less fortunate. His 16.79m ranked him 13th of the 36 starters.

Qualifying Group A: V. Sokov (URS) 17.16; V. Chumakov (CUB) 17.14; K. Harrison (USA) 17.06; G. Scates-Rose (FRA) 17.07; B. Werlimus (BER) 17.02; G. Denishchik (URS) 16.92; A. Grabczyk (POL) 16.88; Non-qualifiers: J. Herbert (GBR) 16.79 (16.79, x, 16.48); E. Mackov (BUL) 16.67; 10. J. Gado (CZE) 16.58; L. Khazda (ALG) 16.54; S. Zoro (CHN) 16.35; M. Habjandrea (CYP) 16.06; S. Mureno (ESP) 16.04; P. Nisac (SEY) 15.72; L. Shira (DOM) 15.27; F. Reiner (GAB) 14.45; P. Koranting (GHA) NM; K. A. Mousa (SYR) DNS.

Group B: 1. Voloshin (URS) 17.29; T. Herrmann (SWE) 17.07; M. Conley (USA) 16.98; M. Yamashita (JPN) 16.98; R. Jams (GER) 16.88; Non-qualifiers: E. Belenicki (POL) 16.76; F. Buchford (BAH) 16.74; Y. Chen (CHN) 16.70; E. Phoral (CAN) 16.68; S. Hama (FRA) 16.51; P. Gama (FRA) 16.46; D. Parisi (USA) 16.45; G. Georgiev (BUL) 16.16; A. Shira (BAH) 16.18; T. Nachum (ISR) 15.90; T. Ballmala (MAD) 15.82; B. Kewah (KEN) 15.74; J. Bunnin (JAM) 15.49; L. Castillo (BOL) 13.95.

Men 400H first round

(First two in each heat and six

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winners, overcame opposition from 14 other teams and monopolised the individual winner's charts with Michelle Wilkinson (800), Shelley Holroyd (JT), Sonia Bowyer (400H), Allison Thompson (200) and the 4x400 metres relay team. MATCH: 1, Sale 164.5; 2, Warsaw (POL) 145; 3, Bromley 145; 4, Decreeon (HUN) 140; 5, Lublin (YUG) 140; 6, Milan (ITA) 135

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Men
100: 1, S Floyd (USA) 10.41; 2, D Leigh (GER) 10.57; 3, S Schambo (GER) 10.69; 4, T Nitsch (GER) 10.87; HT2: 1, S Dingmann (GER) 10.38; 2, C Smith (USA) 10.38; 3, K Braumshill (USA) 10.43; 4, B Goins (USA) 10.43; 5, V Westagemann (GER) 10.65; 6, L Daniel (USA) 10.88; HT3: 1, A Cason (USA) 9.99; 2, D Mitchell (USA) 10.23; 3, M Johnson (USA) 10.23; 4, M Bates (USA) 10.24; 5, J Drummond (USA) 10.32; 6, J Bikonyer (KEN) 10.51

400: HT1: 1, S Kilor (KEN) 45.49; 2, J Reynolds (USA) 46.05; 3, C Jenkins (USA) 46.38; 4, P O'Connor (JAM) 46.18; 5, T Knoch (KEN) 47.87; 6, G Kluth (GER) 48.09; HT2: 1, A Valmon (USA) 44.98; 2, A Pettigrew (USA) 45.41; 3, R da Silva (BRA) 45.54; 4, I Norris (TRI) 45.74; 5, R Lieder (GER) 45.79; 6, R Klingele (GER) 48.35

800: 1, J Barbosa (BRA) 1:44.06; 2, D Clark (USA) 1:45.93; 3, P Ruto (KEN) 1:46.34; 4, A Sudnik (URS) 1:47.46; 5, W Magut (KEN) 1:50.53

1500: 1, W Kerrell (KEN) 3:37.22; 2, M Busch (GER) 3:37.69; 3, M Hacksteiner (SUI) 3:37.78; 4, M Guindberg (DEN) 3:38.48; 5, KEVIN MCKAY 3:39.64; 6, E De Oliveira (BRA) 3:39.58; 7, M Corstjens (BEL) 3:40.52; 8, B Zorko (YUG) 3:42.71; 9, J Naas (GER) 3:46.45; 10, J Daniel (GER) 3:47.48; 11, R Banal (HUN) 3:47.48; 12, J Kibonon (KEN) 3:47.90; 13, D Reid (CAN) 3:49.52; 14, T Harrington (USA) 3:51.83

5,000: 1, A Gunkel (GER) 13:59.52; 2, M Neukirch (GER) 14:02.57; 3, M Bremer (GER) 14:03.81; 4, J Jospich (GER) 14:04.24; 5, M Fietz (GER) 14:05.36; 6, R Dahmen (GER) 14:06.08; 7, A Knickenburg (GER) 14:07.89

10,000: 1, R Chellom (KEN) 27:34.04; 2, L Aguta (KEN) 28:14.77; 3, S Nyangichia (KEN) 29:25.27; 4, K Huerst (SUI) 29:34.57; 5, C Anadi (GER) 30:05.59

3,000SC: M Birn (KEN) 8:26.95; 2, R Karl (GER) 8:31.72; 3, S Mitia (KEN) 8:35.20; 4, T Zimifry (POL) 8:35.30; 5, W Filtz (AUT) 8:38.08; 6, M Heist (GER) 8:39.28; 7, A Fischer (GER) 8:45.31; 8, D Loezel (GER) 8:48.99; 9, E Torrelli (GER) 8:59.54; 10, K Baummeister (GER) 9:00.72

HJ: 1, R Varkas (URS) 2.20; 2, B Dakay (BUL) 2.20; 3, I Pakiit (URS) 2.15; 4eq, D Meenpudt (BEL)/S Dymitschenko (URS) 2.15; 6, S Maltshchenko (URS) 2.15

PV: 1, M Tamasov (URS) 5.75; 2, P Widen (SWE) 5.60; 3, N Nikolov (BUL) 5.50; 4, D Lasev (BUL) 5.50; 5, D Fraley (USA) 5.50; 6, G Sucharew (URS) 5.40; 7, Y Krasnov (URS) 5.30; 8, L Hukwits (ISR) 5.30

LJ: 1, L Starks (USA) 8.04; 2, G Vernon (USA) 7.84; 3, E Plozet (CAN) 7.74; 4, B Goins (USA) 7.65; 5, A Ester (USA) 7.51

DT: 1, L Riedel (GER) 65.46; 2, W Schmidt (GER) 64.26; 3, A Horvath (HUN) 62.98; 4, B Komootschenko (URS) 62.60; 5, K Keshmiri (USA) 61.58; 6, O foebben (GER) 60.08; 7, R Mayer (USA) 59.90

JT: 1, W Sashinevich (URS) 83.94; 2, G Lovygrave (NZL) 83.76; 3, A Linden (GER) 83.50; 4, D Potunin (URS) 80.72; 5, V Jevsgurov (URS) 80.46; 6, M Kileta (URS) 79.58; 7, R Hecht (GER) 78.42; 8, P Esamwein (GER) 72.72; 9, D Michel (GER) 70.12; 10, K Tefalmier (GER) 70.10

Women
100: 1, E Ashford (USA) 11.20; 2, M Finn (USA) 11.23; 3, H Drechsler (GER) 11.28; 4, P Davis (BAH) 11.52; 5, A Williams (USA) 11.61; 6, D Young (USA) 11.62; 7, S Richter (GER) 11.79

400: HT1: 1, L Kisabaka (GER) 53.15; 2, S Kneil (GER) 54.52; 3, Williams 55.01; HT2: 1, L Leatherwood (USA) 51.10; 2, R Stevens (USA) 51.32; 3, U Rohlaender (GER) 52.26; 4, M Schmonina (URS) 52.89; 5, A Jurtshchenko (URS) 53.44

800: 1, DIANE EDWARDS 2:01.35; 2, M Fguelder (BRA) 2:03.49; 3, B Bruhns (GER) 2:04.51; 4, KIRSTY WADE 2:04.92; 5, M Stacey (USA) 2:02.18; 6, A Protti (SUI) 2:02.43; 7, S Masternova (URS) 2:03.50; 8, S Kallensee (GER) 2:04.57; 9, 1, M Rainey (USA) 2:03.21; 2, LORRAINE BAKER 2:04.47

9:10.54; 10, Z Agoston (HUN) 9:16.04; 11, K Hoffman (GER) 9:18.18

100H: 1, K Polzwan (GER) 13.10; 2, A Lopez (CUB) 13.21; 3, R McKenzie (USA) 13.22; 4, O Adams (CUB) 13.28; 5, G Siebert (GER) 13.39; 6, I Lischnik (GER) 14.06; 7, H Radke (GER) 14.16

400H: 1, S Farmer-Patrick (USA) 55.37; 2, K Batten (USA) 55.87; 3, GOWRY RETCHAKAN 55.93; 4, H Meissner (GER) 56.43; 5, JACQUI PARKER 58.28

HJ: 1, H Henkel (GER) 1.99; 2, I Habakova (URS) 1.96; 3, J Kovacs (HUN) 1.90; 4, J Velasina (URS) 1.90; 5, S Laseva (BUL) 1.85; 6, S Braun (GER) 1.85; 7, S Remon (USA) 1.85; 8, M Saton (JPN) 1.85; 9eq, V Ward (AUS)/O Dos Santos (BRA) 1.80; 11, M Aigner (GER) 1.80; 12, S Brinkhoff (URS) 1.80

LJ: 1, J Serezhukova (URS) 6.81; 2, H Radke (GER) 6.70; 3, J Beljewska (URS) 6.55; 4, C Gernard (GER) 6.16; 5, S Huehn (GER) 6.13; 6, J Jendryk (USA) 5.92

DT: 1, L Mikhalitschenko (URS) 68.94; 2, I Wyludca (GER) 68.14; 3, Z Christowa (BUL) 63.82; 4, M Hallmann (GER) 62.38; 5, D Galler (GER) 58.40

IAAF/MOBIL GRAND PRIX BERLIN, GERMANY 9TH SEPTEMBER

Men
100: 1, L Barrell (USA) 10.04; 2, B Surin (CAN) 10.28; 3, F Fredericks (NAM) 10.30; 4, R Stewart (JAM) 10.32; 5eq, S Bringmann (GER)/T Dees (USA) 10.48; 7, V Bryzgin (URS) 10.75

400: 1, S Lekas (USA) 44.56; 2, ROGER BLACK 44.85; 3, D Everett (USA) 45.23; 4, I Cardowitz (GER) 45.83; 5, I Momo (IRI) 46.26

800: 1, S Knochell (KEN) 1:45.95; 2, W Taku (KEN) 1:45.98; 3, R Kibet (KEN) 1:46.17; 4, TOM MCKEAN 1:46.23; 5, R Abdenouz (ALG) 1:46.71; 6, J Dehmelt (GER) 1:46.97; 7, M Epilinus (GER) 1:47.08; 8, R Kinyor (KEN) 1:47.28; 9, H Fuhbrugge (GER) 1:47.44; 10, A Belkessam (ALG) 1:47.91; 11, G De Assis (BRA) 1:49.70

MILE: 1, N Morosi (ALG) 3:52.40; 2, STEVE GRAM 3:52.85; 3, JF Harnd (GER) 3:53.05; 4, D Baumann (GER) 3:54.39; 5, W Kirochi (KEN) 3:54.94; 6, H Philippeau (FRA) 3:55.07; 7, G Di Nassi (ITA) 3:55.98; 8, P Rome (KEN) 4:06.80; 9, D Kery (KEN) 4:09.98

10,000: 1, J Kari (KEN) 27:34.96; 2, M Tanui (KEN) 27:35.88; 3, I Kano (KEN) 27:36.88; 4, W Ormwoy (KEN) 27:37.36; 5, K Kinnel (KEN) 27:41.98; 6, R Limola (FIN) 27:53.00; 7, JC Paul (ESP) 28:49.20; 8, H Hanninen (FIN) 28:50.17; 9, S Dirmann (GER) 29:01.34; 10, M Balabhas (ALG) 29:19.15; 11, F Luckmann (GER) 30:19.01; 12, C Ekh (GER) 30:39.32

3,000SC: 1, M Kiplani (KEN) 8:11.64; 2, P Sang (KEN) 8:17.63; 3, W Mutwol (KEN) 8:17.70; 4, J Karluiki (KEN) 8:17.75; 5, A Salere (MAR) 8:18.07; 6, J Kipkoech (KEN) 8:20.27; 7, P Barakuzet (KEN) 8:20.67; 8, B Diemer (USA) 8:20.81; 9, W van Dyck (BEL) 8:25.16; 10, G Fell (CAN) 8:29.06; 11, G Marko (HUN) 8:37.99; 12, M Stredge (GER) 8:46.56; 13, E Zaidi (ALG) 8:53.99

110H: 1, Dees 13.47; 2, F Schwarhoff (GER) 13.49; 3, C Hawkins (USA) 13.50; 4, D Koszowski (GER) 13.59; 5, J Pletze (USA) 13.60; 6, J Kazanov (URS) 13.63

HJ: 1eq, C Austin (USA)/H Conway (USA) 2.30; 3, M Drake (CUB) 2.28; 4, S Matel (ROM) 2.25; 5, A Partyla (POL) 2.25; 6eq, A Yemelin (URS)/R Povarnitsyn (URS) 2.20; 8, R Sonn (GER) 2.20; 9, S Malchenko (URS) 2.20; 10, U Bellmann (GER) 2.25

PV: 1, R Gataullin (URS) 5.75; 2, V Bubke (URS) 5.60; 3, S Huffman (USA) 5.50; 4, G Yegurov (URS) 5.60; 5, V Ryzhankov (URS) 5.60; 6, T Bright (USA) 5.50; 7eq, P Bochkaryov (URS)/G Sucharew (URS)/K Tarpering (USA) 5.40

LJ: 1, M Powell (USA) 8.10; 2, L Myrck (USA) 8.05; 3, D Haaf (GER) 8.01; 4, J Greene (USA) 7.97; 5, V Oshkan (URS) 7.89; 6, MARK FORSYTHE 7.82; 7, G Laine (USA) 7.78; 8, A Muller (GER) 7.68; 9, O Culbert (AUS) 7.65; 10, R Emmiyah (URS) 7.64

TJ: 1, M Carley (USA) 17.23; 2, V Sokov (URS) 16.85; A Kovalenko (URS) 16.53; 4, K Markov (BUL) 16.45; 5, O Protserko (URS) 16.45; 6, J Friess (GER) 16.43; 7, V Mai (GER) 16.42; 8, M Musiyenko (URS) 16.28; 9, K Stephan (GER) 15.86; 10, T Hennissen (SWE) 15.88

DT: 1, R Ubartan (URS) 67.12; 2, L Riedel (GER) 66.06; 3, K Kashmirt (USA) 65.30; 4, A Horvath (HUN) 65.02; 5, W Schmidt (GER) 64.80; 6, J Schult (GER) 62.44; 7, M Bunick (USA) 62.32; 8, G Komootschenko (URS) 62.30; 9, E De Brun (HOL) 61.04; 10, V Kudvas (URS) 60.88

HT: 1, Y Sedykh (URS) 80.24; 2, T Gacskak (HUN) 78.58; 3, H Weis (GER) 77.46; 4, A Abdullayev (URS) 77.38; 5, J Tamm (URS) 76.56; 6, L Akselin (FIN) 73.50; 7, C Dellhoff (GER) 71.56

Women
100: 1, M Otley (JAM) 10.84; 2, G Torrance

(USA) 10.85; 3, I Sergeyeva (URS) 11.10; 4, M Onyiah (NGR) 11.16; 5, J Cutbert (JAM) 11.21; 6, G Malchugina (URS) 11.35; 7, L Allen (CUB) 11.47; 8, U Sarvari (GER) 11.61

200: 1, K Khabbe (GER) 21.96; 2, I Sergeyeva (URS) 22.31; 3, G Breuer (GER) 22.65; 4, G Malchugina (URS) 22.76; 5, O Bryzgina (URS) 23.18

1,000: N Artyomova (URS) 2:31.50; 2, L Wleasde (SUI) 2:32.25; 3, D Melinte (ROM) 2:32.38; 4, L Gurina (URS) 2:33.08; 5, L Nurudinova (URS) 2:33.84; 6, G Lesh (GER) 2:35.54; 7, E Kovacs (ROM) 2:35.86; 8, C Wachtel (GER) 2:35.93; 9, Y Van der Kolk (HOL) 2:38.27; 10, I Kubasova (TCH) 2:39.67; 11, E Wleasde (GER) 2:40.06

5,000: 1, K Ulrich (GER) 14:58.71; 2, Y Romanova (URS) 14:59.70; 3, S Sirma (KEN) 15:03.52; 4, U Ploppig (GER) 15:04.87; 5, J Ngolite (KEN) 15:05.91; 6, S Stealy (USA) 15:15.05; 7, A Peters (USA) 15:15.27; 8, P Kongu (KEN) 15:18.65; 9, A Sargens (FRA) 15:27.31; 10, D Nauar (SUI) 15:28.55; 11, L Siegers (BEL) 15:41.42; 12, W Van Dhris (HOL) 15:52.23

100H: 1, G Dovers-Roberts (USA) 12.48; 2, N Grigoryeva (URS) 12.76; 3, J Baumann (SUI) 12.88; 4, M Ewanje-Epee (FRA) 13.24; 5, K Polzwan (GER) 13.25; 6, P Bear (GER) 13.53; 7, T Reshetnikova (URS) 13.85

HJ: 1, H Henkel (GER) 2.02; 2, I Babakova (URS) 2.02; 3, S Kossadnova (BUL) 1.96; 4, Y Velasina (URS) 1.90; 5, S Brinkhoff (GER) 1.85; 6, OM Dos Santos (BRA) 1.85; 7eq, A Anens (GER)/M Saton (JPN) 1.80; V Ward (AUS) 1.80

LJ: 1, H Drechsler (GER) 7.08; 2, L Berezchnaya (URS) 6.80; 3, I Kravets (URS) 6.73; 4, S Tiedike (GER) 6.58; 5, H Radke (GER) 6.55; 6, S Hunn (GER) 6.40; 7, G Chistyakova (URS) 6.23

SP: 1, N Lisovskaya (URS) 19.91; 2, Z Huang (CHN) 19.77; 3, A Kumbennuss (GER) 19.31; 4, V Schmidt (GER) 19.01; 5, S Krivelyova (URS) 18.98; 6, K Neimke (GER) 18.31; 7, V Fedynshina (URS) 17.99; 8, JUDY DAKES 17.60; 9, H Hartwig (GER) 16.79; 10, C Price-Smith (USA) 16.73

DT: 1, I Wyludca (GER) 68.68; 2, L Nikalitschenko (URS) 65.84; 3, C Hnatova (BUL) 63.02; 4, M Hallmann (GER) 62.58; 5, A Gundler (GER) 57.78; 6, F Dietzsch (GER) 57.74; 7, D Galler (GER) 57.18; 8, C Price-Smith (USA) 54.22

WINSCHOTTEN 100KM HOLLAND 7TH SEPTEMBER

THE IAU World Cup under the patronage of the IAAF takes place in Palamos (Spain) on 16th February and with many athletes hoping to gain selection for their national teams it was inevitable that there would be some outstanding performances in this event. *Malcolm Campbell reports.*

Konstantin Santalov, a 2:14 marathon runner, moved to the top of the all time world ranking list for 100km with 6:26:20, passing the halfway point in 3:05:20. At this point in the race, he was locked in battle with the Belgian, Jean Paul Praet.

The pair gradually drew away from the rest of the field but the outcome was not decided until the last 5km. During the last year, the Soviet Union have emerged as a major force on international ultra-distance running and the national men's team, on present form, will be hard to beat.

The same may well be said of the British women's national team and with a number of runners gaining experience of international competition, they have a real chance of winning in Palamos. In Winschotten, Sylvia Watson won with 8:24:05, followed by Hilary Johnson in 8:50:53. After the event, Tony Jones remarked that much had been gained from the race and he was hopeful of further improvement.

The first British runner home was Stephen Moore in sixth position with 7:03:54, followed by Eric Seedhouse, the British 100km National champion, in 7:17:06. It seems likely that both runners will have done enough to satisfy the selectors, and probably other British athletes will be in action in Santander (Spain) next month.

Men
100: 1, K Santalov (URS) 6:26:20; 2, J Preet (BEL) 6:35:34; 3, U Anderson (SWE) 6:53:33; 4, J Szamiec (POL) 6:56:57; 5, W Van Dijke (HOL) 6:59:20; 6, STEPHEN MOORE 7:03:54; 7, ERIC SEEDHOUSE 7:17:06; 8, V Kamenick (TCH) 7:23:55; 9, Z Lunsk (POL) 7:26:48; 10, P Man

(GER) 7:29:28

Women

1, SYLVIA WATSON 8:24:05; 2, HILARY JOHNSON 8:50:53; 3, A Loanstad (DEN) 9:25:22; 4, R Holber (SUI) 9:28:50; 5, E Czarniak (POL) 9:51:13

LATE RESULTS

CARDIFF MARATHON (INCORPORATING WELSH CHAMPS) 15TH SEPTEMBER

Men
1, J Collins (Swan) 2:29:04; 2, M Griffiths (Brigg) 2:31:15; 3, G Jones (Soton) M45 2:35:02; 4, R Butler (Les C) 2:35:51; 5, O Bright (Les C) 2:37:49; 6, G Williams (Club 69, M40) 2:38:46; 7, S Munns (Wg P) 2:41:39; 8, J Poston (Swan, M40) 2:43:21; 9, B McGuinness (Peg) 2:48:10; 10, D Williams (Les c, M50) 2:49:03; 11, B Rees (Pleg) 2:50:05; 12, R Barmey (Neath) 2:51:22; 13, A Reddock (Brack) 2:51:58; 14, R Thomas (100km) 2:58:35; 15, S Boynton (Kreves) 2:59:33

TEAM: Les Croupiers 19

Women

1, C Jones (Carm) 3:05:04; 2, V Clare (LLI) 3:24:34; 3, A Croft (San Don)

DOONE 10 15TH SEPTEMBER

Men

1, R Butler (Bide) 1:03:09 (rec); 2, T Pares (RN) 1:04:38; 3, S Crews (Yeov) 1:05:12; 4, I Stoneman (SWRR) 1:06:31; 5, N Flint (Dill G) 1:06:46; 6, N Russell (Ox) 1:06:47; 7, J Wills (Bide) 1:07:52; 8, D Phillips (Ex) 1:08:05; 9, G Scott (Ponke, M45) 1:08:24; 10, B Standen (TVH) 1:09:38

TEAM: Bideford 26

Women

1, S Bolt (SWRR) 1:21:01; 2, S Hoak (SWRR) 1:24:19; 3, C Bagness (SWRR) 1:25:01

W35: B Spier (N Dev) 1:29:18

NALGO WEST MIDLANDS DISTRICT COUNCIL INTER BRANCH ROAD RACE CANON HILL PARK, BIRMINGHAM 9TH SEPTEMBER

Men (BM)

1, J Jennings (B Gas) 26:00; 2, A White (Birm) 26:28; 3, S Smith (Lich) 26:40; 4, M Ford (Wal) 26:55; 5, J Stone (Wal) 27:31; 6, B Worthington (Sand V) 27:38; 7, R Parter (Cov) 27:49; 8, M Hind (Birm) 28:06; 9, D Hyde (Birm) 28:18; 10, J Tovey (Power) 28:24

TEAMS: 1, Birmingham CC 19; 2, B Gas 27; 3, Walsall MRC 45

TREVIRA 10KM LIMAVADY, NORTHERN IRELAND 7TH SEPTEMBER

Men

1, J Cunningham (Anag) 29:33 (rec); 2, I O'Neill (ED) 30:20; 3, W Dobbin (Dunc O) 30:24

CAMBRIDGE HARRIERS INVITATION SUTCLIFFE PARK 15TH SEPTEMBER

Men

600: 1, Q Howe (USA) 1:49.0; 2, G Dunbar (SB) 1:49.3; 3, P Rowbottom (Camb H) 1:49.7; 4, A Knight (Camb H) 1:50.0; 5, L Mangleshot (Wim) 1:50.6; 6, J O'Shea (Houn) 1:51.7; 7, P Bristow (B&H) 1:54.7

OPEN MEETING COLWYN BAY 15TH SEPTEMBER

Men

100/200: R Kearney (Dee) 11.3/23.8
800: N Williams (Cydi) 2:14.1
5,000: M Anall (Col B) 15:35.2
400H: S Jones (Col B) 1:02.9
DT/SP: E Hulce (Col B) 38.52/12.74
HT: C Middleton (C&S) 53.99
TJ: D Clarke (Cid) 11.92
M40
100: J Barrett (Manc) 12.4
800: G Keyal (Col B) 2:16.5

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MEN

9.86	Carl Lewis (USA) (9.80w)
9.88	Leroy Burrell (USA)
9.91	Dennis Mitchell (USA)
9.92	Linford Christie (GBR) (9.90w)
9.95	Frankie Fredericks (NAM) (9.89w)
9.96	Ray Stewart (JAM)
9.99	Andre Cason (USA)
10.05	Chidi Imoh (NGR)
10.04	Davison Ebinwa (NGR)
10.07	Bruce Surin (CAN) (10.01w)
10.10	Floyd Heard (USA) (10.04w)
10.10	Chapade Adeniken (NGR) (10.00w)
10.12	Mark Wilhemsson (USA) (10.09w)
10.12	Immanuel Tuffour (GHA)
10.12	Robson Da Silva (BRA) (10.08)

200

19.88	Michael Johnson (USA)
20.06	Frankie Fredericks (NAM) (19.90w)
20.12	John Regis (GBR)
20.13	Danny Everett (USA)
20.15	Robson Da Silva (BRA)
20.16	Roberto Hernandez (CUB)
20.17	Adede Mahom (CAN)
20.20	Nikolay Antonov (BUL)
20.20	Jimmy French (USA) (20.15w)
20.21	Thomas Jefferson (USA)
20.30	Jean-Charles Trouabal (FRA)
20.30	Chapade Adeniken (NGR)
20.31	Leroy Burrell (USA) (20.12w)
20.35	Devon Dunn (USA)
20.36	Floyd Heard (USA)
20.36	Aleksandr Gornov (URS)

400

44.17	Michael Johnson (USA)
44.36	Antonio Pettigrew (USA)
44.40	Roberto Hernandez (CUB)
44.42	Danny Everett (USA)
44.52	Steve Lewis (USA)
44.59	Mark Everett (USA)
44.62	Roger Black (GBR)
44.65	Andrew Valmon (USA)
44.78	Satoshi Takano (JAP)
44.88	Sayemur Fagan (JAM)
44.88	Samuel Matete (ZAM)
44.98	Quincy Watts (USA)
45.00	Jon Morris (TR)
45.06	Robson Da Silva (BRA)
45.06	Pat Delaney (TR)

800

1:43.08	Jose Luis Barbosa (BRA)
1:43.50	William Tanui (KEN)
1:43.84	Johnny Gray (USA)
1:43.93	Mark Everett (USA)
1:43.96	Billy Brinkbell (KEN)
1:44.06	Robert Kibet (KEN)
1:44.06	Paul Breng (KEN)
1:44.07	George Kersh (USA)
1:44.20	Tom McKean (GBR)
1:44.27	Peter Elliott (GBR)
1:44.83	Ocky Clark (USA)
1:44.85	Nouredine Morcel (ALG)
1:44.92	Paul Hitt (KEN)
1:44.95	Barnaba Kinyor (KEN)
1:45.24	Mickie Tinkler (SUD)

1,500

3:41.09	Nouredine Morcel (ALG)
3:41.96	Simon Doyle (AUS)
3:42.03	Primitivo Cacho (ESP)
3:42.94	Peter Elliott (GBR)
3:43.28	Said Aouita (MOR)
3:45.51	David Kibet (KEN)
3:45.6	Wilfred Kipkoi (KEN)
3:45.7	Jim Spivey (USA)
3:45.74	Gennaro Di Napoli (ITA)
3:46.00	Matthew Yates (GBR)
3:46.15	Paulie Puhfugge (GER)
3:46.18	Steve Grant (GBR)
3:46.3	Abdi Bile (SOM)
3:46.3	Jens-Peter Herold (GER)
3:46.36	Jose Luis Gonzalez (ESP)

5,000

13:01.82	Yobes Ondieki (KEN)
13:09.76	Abraham Kibisa (KEN)
13:10.10	Salvatore Antibo (ITA)
13:10.44	Abraham Bouteb (MOR)
13:11.75	Richard Chelimo (KEN)

13:11.77	Osmo Onda (KEN)
13:13.01	Rob Denmark (GBR)
13:16.64	Fita Bayissa (ETH)
13:16.73	Mikhail Dasko (URS)
13:17.25	Dionisio Castro (POR)
13:17.31	Hamrou Bouteb (MOR)
13:17.72	Khalid Skah (MOR)
13:17.79	Stefano Mei (ITA)
13:18.09	Mohamed Issangar (MOR)
13:18.10	John Ngugi (KEN)

10,000

27:11.18	Richard Chelimo (KEN)
27:11.62	John Ngugi (KEN)
27:23.29	Khalid Skah (MOR)
27:24.55	Salvatore Antibo (ITA)
27:28.87	Thomas Osono (KEN)
27:34.96	Julius Koeir (KEN)
27:35.89	Moses Tanui (KEN)
27:36.88	Joseph Keino (KEN)
27:37.36	Arturo Barrios (MEX)
27:37.36	Wilson Omondi (KEN)
27:41.98	Kipkemboi Kimeli (KEN)
27:45.55	Hamrou Bouteb (MOR)
27:45.54	Antonio Silo (ARG)
27:47.70	Adis Abebe (ETH)
27:47.94	Godfrey Kiprotich (KEN)

Marathon

2:08.53	Koichi Mochizuki (JAP)
2:09.12	Takeyuki Nakayama (JAP)
2:09.17	Yakiv Tolstikov (URS)
2:09.23	Tom Minura (JAP)
2:09.42	Rob de Castella (AUS)
2:09.55	Osmo Silva (BRA)
2:10.02	Dionisio Castro (POR)
2:10.06	Tesfaye Dadi (ETH)
2:10.21	Mamuel Matias (POR)
2:10.21	Jan Hurak (POL)
2:10.26	Abbe Mekonnen (ETH)
2:10.26	Toru Kozasu (JAP)
2:10.29	Mark Platts (USA)
2:10.29	Joe Skosana (RSA)
2:10.30	Dave Long (GBR)

3,000SC

8:06.46	Moses Kiptani (KEN)
8:08.39	Philip Barkutwo (KEN)
8:10.09	Mark Croghan (USA)
8:11.28	Julius Kariuki (KEN)
8:11.85	William Mutwiri (KEN)
8:12.21	Abdelaziz Sahre (MOR)
8:12.58	Tom Harlow (GBR)
8:13.29	Azzedine Brahm (ALG)
8:13.44	Patrick Sang (KEN)
8:14.41	Francesco Panetta (ITA)
8:15.28	Bruno Le Stum (FRA)
8:17.76	Helen Dwyer (USA)
8:18.19	Graeme Fell (CAN)
8:18.59	Julius Kariuki (KEN)
8:19.29	William Van Dyck (BEL)

110H

13.05	Tony Dees (USA)
13.06	Greg Foster (USA)
13.06	Jack Pierce (USA)
13.09	Colin Jackson (GBR)
13.13	Tony Jarrett (GBR)
13.19	Rensaldi Nehemiah (USA)
13.27	Mark McKoy (CAN)
13.30	Courney Hawkins (USA) (13.38w)
13.33	Dan Philbert (FRA)
13.37	Tong Li (CHN) (13.31w)
13.38	Florian Schwarhoff (GER) (13.39w)
13.39	Vladimir Shabkin (URS)
13.42	David Nelson (GBR)
13.43	Arthur Hake (USA)
13.44	Tomasz Nagorka (POL)

400H

47.10	Samuel Matete (ZAM)
47.38	Danny Harris (USA)
47.74	Wimlap Graham (JAM)
47.85	Kevin Young (USA)
47.86	Kris Akabusi (GBR)
48.47	Eric Keter (KEN)
48.59	Dries Vanser (RSA)
48.60	Derrick Adkins (USA)
48.65	Dave Patrick (USA)



CHAMPION: Long jump leader Mike Powell

48.92	Nat Page (USA)
48.92	Fabrizio Mori (ITA)
48.93	Pat McGhee (USA)
48.99	McClintock Neal (USA)
49.11	Toshihiko Saito (JAP)
49.12	Domingo Cordero (PR)

High Jump

2.40	Javier Sotomayor (CUB)
2.40	Charles Austin (USA)
2.37	Hollis Conway (USA)
2.36	Dalton Grant (GBR)
2.35	Sorin Matei (ROM)
2.35	Tony Kemp (BAH)
2.34	Rolandas Verkus (URS)
2.34	Fatrik Sjoberg (SWE)
2.34	Arturo Ortiz (ESP)
2.34	Mathew Drake (GBR)
2.32	Dragutin Topić (YUG)
2.32	Artur Partyka (POL)

2.32	Igor Pakin (URS)
2.32	Sergey Dymchenko (URS)
2.31	Doug Nordquist (USA)
2.31	Alex Zaluskas (CAN)

Pole Vault

6.10	Sergey Bubka (URS)
5.92	Evgen Bagayda (HUN)
5.90	Igor Potapovich (URS)
5.90	Rodhan Gamallin (URS)
5.86	Bill Payne (USA)
5.85	Gigony Yegorov (URS)
5.85	Maksim Tarasov (URS)
5.82	Vasily Bubka (URS)
5.81	Dean Stacey (USA)
5.80	Philippe Collet (FRA)
5.80	Scott Hullman (USA)
5.77	Herman Fehninger (AUT)
5.75	Petr Buchkaryov (URS)
5.75	Peter Widén (SWE)
5.75	Viktor Anisimov (URS)
5.75	Kory Tarpenning (USA)
5.75	Tim Bright (USA)

Long Jump

8.95	Mike Powell (USA)
8.87	Carl Lewis (USA) (8.91w)
8.50	Larry Myricks (USA)
8.35	Lee Starks (USA) (8.50w)
8.28	Gordon Laine (USA)
8.28	Konstantinos Koukodimos (GRE)
8.26	Chen Zun Rong (CHN)
8.26	Jaime Jefferson (CUB)
8.25	Gordon McKee (USA)
8.24	George Ogilvie (NGR)
8.24	Joe Greene (USA) (8.34w)
8.23	Dietmar Haaf (GER) (8.30w)
8.22	Keith Talley (USA)
8.20	Edrick Floreal (CAN)
8.17	Jerry Harris (USA)
8.40w	Karsten Stresemann-Thompson (CAY)
8.35w	Giovanni Evangelista (ITA)

Triple Jump

17.78	Kenny Harrison (USA)
17.75	Leonid Vishin (URS)
17.66	Ralf Jans (GER)
17.62	Mike Conley (USA)
17.53	Oleg Denishik (URS)
17.52	Vasily Solov (URS)
17.45	Serge Hican (FRA)
17.41	Oleg Sakirkin (URS)
17.40	Aleksandr Kovalev (URS)
17.38	Maris Bruzulis (URS)
17.40	Jon Edwards (GBR) (17.43w)
17.34	Denis Kapustin (URS)
17.27	Oleg Pytsenko (URS)
17.24	Georges Sainne-Rose (FRA) (17.48w)
17.20	Brian Wellman (BER) (17.41w)
17.31w	Rogel Nachum (ISR)

Shot

22.03	Werner Günthor (SUI)
20.81	Georg Andersen (NOR)
20.77	Vyacheslav Lykko (URS)
20.75	Lars-Arvid Nilsson (NOR)
20.56	Saulius Kleiza (URS)
20.47	Dragan Petrović (YUG)
20.41	Aleksandr Bogach (URS)
20.37	Aleksandr Klimenko (URS)
20.33	Phil Edwards (GBR)
20.33	George Guset (ROM)
20.33	Sergey Smirnov (URS)
20.27	Ulf Timmermann (GER)
20.24	Mikhail Kozin (URS)
20.20	Sven Buder (GER)
20.15	Ron Burkes (USA)

Discus

69.38	Mike Buncic (USA)
68.12	Erik de Bruin (HOL)
67.80	Adewale Olukoya (NGR)
67.79	Lars Riedel (GER)
67.54	Romas Ubartas (URS)
67.20	Jürgen Schult (GER)

1991 world



HURDLING HIGH: World champion Samuel Matete

67.02	Anita Havath (HUN)
66.58	Kany Keshmiri (USA)
66.38	Viclavas Kadikas (URS)
66.82	Stefan Fernholm (SWE)
65.72	Ily Lazzina (CAN)
65.64	Rick Meyer (USA)
65.44	Calin Georgiev (BUL)
65.24	Mike Gravelle (USA)
65.04	Tony Washington (USA)

Hammer

84.26	Igor Astapkovich (URS)
82.80	Andrey Abdalavich (URS)
82.40	Plamen Minev (BUL)
82.62	Vari Sedykh (URS)
81.16	Sergey Alay (URS)
81.14	Sergey Khrasov (URS)
80.72	Vibor Gersak (HUN)
80.62	Igor Nikulin (URS)
80.62	Aleksandr Selzerov (URS)
80.56	Jari Tamm (URS)
80.44	Heiz Weis (GER)
79.70	Vasily Sidorenko (URS)
79.42	Sergey Litvinov (URS)
79.26	Ivan Flax (USA)
78.82	Vigghy Alievich (URS)

Javelin

96.56	Seppo Rii (FIN)
91.36	Sevgi Buckley (GBR)
90.84	Raymond Hecht (GER)
90.82	Kimmo Kinnunen (FIN)
90.72	Jon Zelezny (TCH)
89.16	Tam Petranoff (RSA)
87.08	Vladimir Sasimovich (URS)
87.00	Peter Borghard (SWE)
86.32	Mick Hall (GBR)
85.58	Pavik Boden (SWE)
85.52	Dag Wenlund (SWE)
85.18	Gavin Lovegrove (NZL)
85.08	Rudoman Seckie (YUG)
84.94	Einar Vihlalmsson (ICE)
84.94	Stigurdur Einarsson (ICE)

Decathlon

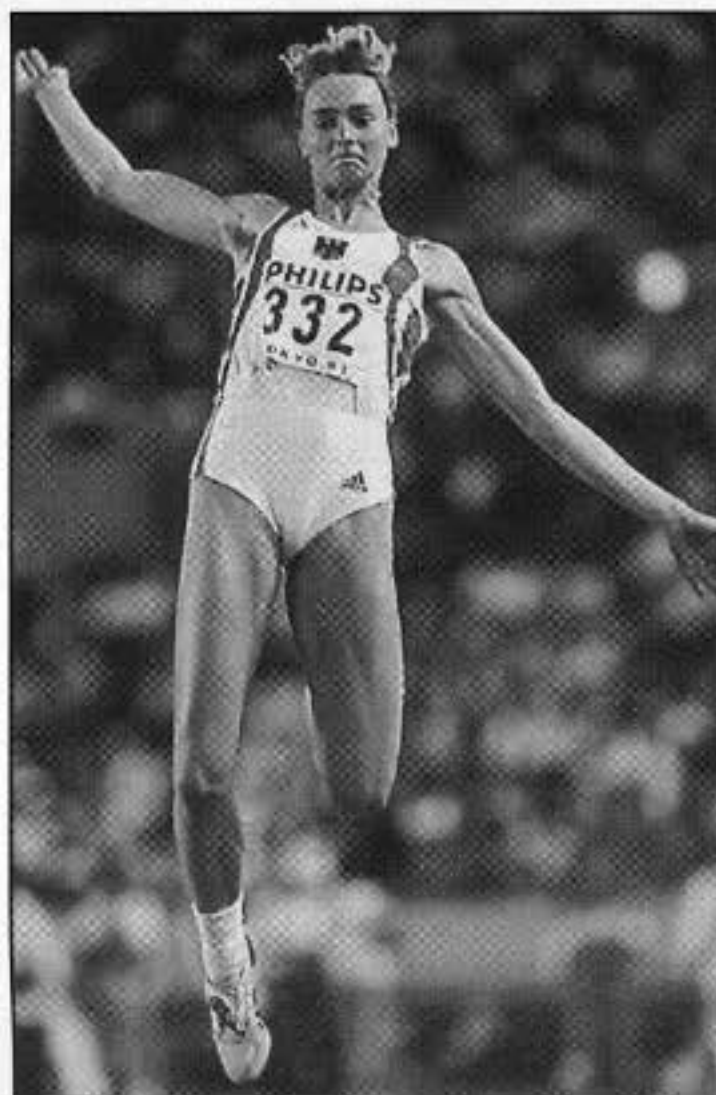
8812	Dan O'Brien (USA) (8844w)
8549	Mike Smith (CAN)

8518 Christian Plaziat (FRA)
8467 Dave Johnson (USA)
8402 Christian Schenk (GER)
8397 Robert Zmelik (TCH)
8318 Petri Kesitalo (FIN)
8306 Antonio Panelver (ESP)
8278 Mikhail Medved (URS)
8267 Simon Poelman (NZL)
8235 Eduard Hamalainen (URS)
8211 Alain Blondel (FRA)
8166 Sheldon Blockburger (USA)
8156 Thorsten Dauth (GER)
8119 Rob Muzzio (USA)

WOMEN

100
10.79 Merlene Ottey (JAM) (10.78w)
10.91 Katrin Krabbe (GER)
10.94 Carlette Guidry (USA)
(10.91w)
10.96 Gwen Torrence (USA)
(10.85w)
10.96 Marie-José Peres (FRA)
10.98 Irina Privalova (URS)
10.99 Esther Jones (USA)
11.04 Mary Onyali (NGR) (11.0.81)
11.06 Sandra Myers (ESP)
11.08 Evelyn Ashford (USA)
(11.06w)
11.09 Heike Drechsler (GER)
11.12 Juliet Cuthbert (JAM)
11.14 Grit Breuer (GER)
11.15 Sheila Echols (USA)
11.17 Marion Jones (USA) (11.12w)
11.08w Pauline Davis (BAH)

200
21.64 Merlene Ottey (JAM)
21.96 Katrin Krabbe (GER)
22.07 Gwen Torrence (USA)
22.21 Irina Privalova (URS)
22.24 Danette Young (USA)
22.26 Marie-José Peres (FRA)
22.45 Grit Breuer (GER)



LONG ODDS: Germany's long jumper, Heike Drechsler

53.98 Kim Batten (USA)
54.08 Margarita Ponomareva (URS)
54.25 Anita Protti (SUI)
54.27A Myrle Bothma (RSA)
54.77 Heike Meissner (GER)
54.88 Gowry Retchaican (GBR)
55.13 Nexha Bickouane (MOR)
55.15 Anna Chuprina (URS)
55.15 Silvia Bieger (GER)
55.28 Natalya Ignatyuk (URS)
55.30 Gretha Tromp (HOL)

High Jump

2.05 Heike Henkel (GER)
2.03 Stefka Kostadinova (BUL)
2.02 Inga Bahakova (URS)
1.98 Svetlana Leseva (BUL)
1.98 Yelena Yel'sina (URS)
1.96 Sue Rumbao (USA)
1.96 Beata Holub (POL)
1.95 Yolanda Henry (USA)
1.95 Gai Kapemich (AUS)
1.95 Svetlana Lavrova (URS)
1.95 Heike Balck (GER)
1.95 Vanessa Ward (AUS)
1.95 Tamara Bykova (URS)
1.94 Allison Inverarity (AUS)
1.94 Tanya Hughes (USA)
1.94 Yelena Panikarovskikh (URS)
1.94 Birgit Kahler (GER)

Long Jump

7.37A Heike Drechsler (GER)
(7.39w)
7.32 Jackie Joyner-Kersey (USA)
7.24 Larisa Benedumaya (URS)
7.20 Yelena Senchukova (URS)
7.00 Susan Tiedtke (GER)
6.99 Voloshnikova (URS)
6.95 Inessa Kravets (URS)
6.95 Lyudmila Ninova-Rudolph (AUT)
6.94 Yelena Khlopotnova (URS)
6.89 Wang Chunfang (CHN)

14.08 Sofia Bozhanova (BUL)
14.05 Inna Lasovskaya (URS)
14.04 Galina Chistyakova (URS)
13.84 Svetlana Davydova (URS)
13.83 Helga Radtke (GER)
13.82 Tatyana Maryashova (URS)
13.74 Octavia Jacob (ROM)
13.75 Zhanna Gureyeva (URS)
13.71 Irina Mushalova (URS)
13.67 Lyudmila Galkina (URS)
13.58 Ursula Włodarczyk (POL)
13.52 Natalya Kayukova (URS)
13.52 Carla Shannon (USA)
13.52 Concepcion Parades (SPA)
(13.74w)
13.75w Sheila Hudson (USA)

Shot

21.12 Natalya Lisovskaya (URS)
20.83 Huang Zhibong (CHN)
20.40 Zhou Tianhui (CHN)
20.36 Svetlana Krivelyova (URS)
20.06 Zhen Wenjia (CHN)
19.80 Stephane Storp (GER)
19.74 Claudia Losch (GER)
19.74 Svetla Mitkova (BUL)
19.67 Astrid Kumbemuss (GER)
19.55 Maria Antonyuk (URS)
19.54 Belsis Laza (CUB)
19.35 Natalya Akhimenko (URS)
19.34 Connie Price (USA)
19.04 Valentina Fedyushina (URS)
19.03 Krystyna Danilczyk (POL)

Discus

71.02 Tsvetanka Khristova (BUL)
69.20 Larisa Mikhailchenko (URS)
69.12 Ilke Wyludda (GER)
67.42 Barbara Bchevarria (CUB)
67.14 Martina Hellman (GER)
66.74 Min Chungfeng (CHN)

outdoor lists

22.47 Galina Malchugina (URS)
22.57 Kim Walker (USA)
22.58 Heike Drechsler (GER)
22.62 Sandra Myers (ESP)
22.71A Evette de Klerk (RSA)
22.71 Juliet Cuthbert (JAM)
22.72 Mary Onyali (NGR)
22.72 Esther Jones (USA) (22.57w)
22.44w Carlette Guidry (USA)

400

49.13 Marie-José Peres (FRA)
49.42 Grit Breuer (GER)
49.61 Ana Quirot (CUB)
49.66 Lillie Leatherwood (USA)
49.67 Sandra Myers (ESP)
49.82 Olga Bryzgina (URS)
50.14 Ximena Restrepo (COL)
50.19 Jearl Miles (USA)
50.30 Diane Dixon (USA)
50.33 Malcol Malone (USA)
50.41 Fatima Yousuf (NGR)
50.66 Olga Nazarova (URS)
50.71 Rochelle Stevens (USA)
50.76 Lyudmila Dzhaligova (URS)
50.93 Lorraine Hanson (GBR)

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1:57.23 Svetlana Masterkova (URS)
1:57.34 Ana Quirot (CUB)
1:57.50 Lilia Nurudinova (URS)
1:57.58 Ella Kovacs (ROM)
1:57.63 Maria Mutola (MOZ)
1:58.10 Doina Melinte (ROM)
1:58.25 Leila Vriesde (SUR)
1:58.30 Inna Yevseyeva (URS)
1:58.50 Lyubov Gurina (URS)
1:58.72 Hassiba Boulmerka (ALG)
1:58.84 Christine Wachtel (GER)
1:58.85A Zeldi Pretorius (RSA)
1:58.86 Ellen Van Langen (HOL)
1:58.95 Joetta Clark (USA)
1:59.24 Gabi Lesch (GER)

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3:59.16 Natalya Artyomova (URS)
4:00.00 Hassiba Boulmerka (ALG)

4:00.83 Doina Melinte (ROM)
4:02.21 Voileta Bedea (ROM)
4:02.58 Tatyana Dorovskikh (URS)
4:02.72 Lyudmila Bogachova (URS)
4:03.7 Mary Slaney (USA)
4:04.75 Ellen Kiesling (GER)
4:04.94 Susan Sirma (KEN)
4:05.04 Patti Sue Plumer (USA)
4:05.07 Debbie Bowker (CAN)
4:05.16 Kirsty Wade (GBR)
4:05.52 Malgorzata Rych (POL)
4:05.55 Ravilya Agletdinova (URS)
4:05.64 Christina Cahill (GBR)
4:05.78 Lyubov Kremlyova (URS)
4:05.81 Sonia O'Sullivan (IRL)
4:05.94 Sandra Gasser (SUI)
4:06.01 Shelley Steely (USA)
4:06.13 Suzy Favor-Hamilton (USA)

3,000

8:32.00 Elana Meyer (RSA)
8:35.72 Zola Pieterse (RSA)
8:35.82 Tatyana Dorovskikh (URS)
8:36.05 Yvonne Murray (GBR)
8:36.06 Yelena Romanova (URS)
8:38.23 Liz McColgan (GBR)
8:39.41 Susan Sirma (KEN)
8:40.76 Marie-Pierre Duros (FRA)
8:41.30 Paivi Tikkanen (FIN)
8:42.02 Margrta Keszeg (ROM)
8:42.64 Roberta Brunet (ITA)
8:43.19 Mary Slaney (USA)
8:43.39 Natalya Artyomova (URS)
8:43.50 Albertina Dias (POR)
8:44.02 Anette Peters (USA)
8:44.02 Judy St. Hilaire (USA)

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30:57.07 Liz McColgan (GBR)
31:03.62 Kathrin Ulrich (GER)
31:07.88 Jill Hunter (GBR)
31:20.28 Ingrid Kristiansen (NOR)
31:28.92 Francie Larrieu-Smith (USA)
31:35.08 Zhong Huanli (CHN)
31:35.99 Wang Xinting (CHN)
31:40.56 Delilah Asigwa (KEN)
31:45.95 Derartu Tulu (ETH)

31:51.36 Uta Pippig (GER)
31:51.47 Conceicao Ferreira (POR)
31:52.58 Iulia Negura (ROM)
31:53.83 Wanda Panfil (POL)
31:54.44 Lynn Jennings (USA)
31:55.97 Annette Sergent (FRA)

Marathon

2:24:18 Wanda Panfil (POL)
2:25:14 Rosa Mota (POR)
2:25:40 Kim Jones (USA)
2:25:40 Uta Pippig (GER)
2:25:54 Joan Samuelson (USA)
2:25:55 Kamila Gradus (POL)
2:27:35 Francie Larrieu-Smith (USA)
2:27:43 Katrin Dorn (GER)
2:28:01 Yuko Arimori (JPN)
2:28:18 Valentina Vezorova (URS)
2:29:04 Maria Lelut (FRA)
2:29:24 Ingrid Kristiansen (NOR)
2:29:38 Cathy O'Brien (USA)
2:29:44 Chen Quingmei (CHN)
2:29:57 Sachiko Yamashita (JPN)

100H

12.28 Lyudmila Narozhilenko (URS)
12.39 Natalya Grigoryeva (URS)
12.48 Gail Devers-Roberts (USA)
12.67 Monique Ewanje-Epee (FRA)
12.73 Florence Colle (FRA)
12.74 Anne Piquereau (FRA)
12.81 Liliane Nastase (ROM)
12.76 Julia Baumann (SUI)
12.77 Jackie Joyner-Kersey (USA)
12.81 Zhanna Gurbanova (URS)
12.81 Nadezhda Bodrova (URS)
12.82 Dawn Bowles (USA) (12.70w)
12.89 Marina Azyabina (URS)
12.91 Aliuska Lopez (CUB)
12.92 Kim McKenzie (USA)
12.80w Tananjaly Stanley (USA)

400H

53.11 Tatyana Ledovskaya (URS)
53.16 Sally Gunnell (GBR)
53.47 Janeene Vickers (USA)
53.54 Sandra Farmer-Patrick (USA)

6.87 Yelena Belevskaya (URS)
6.86 Renata Nielsen (DEN)
6.79 Ringa Ropo (FIN)
6.78 Nicole Medvedyeva (URS)
6.77 Marieta Ilcu (ROM)
6.77 Valentina Ucheddu (ITA)
6.77 Fiona May (GBR) (6.91w)

Triple Jump

14.95 Inessa Kravets (URS)
14.35 Yelena Semiraz (URS)
14.20 Li Huirong (CHN)



ALL-ROUNDER: Jackie Joyner-Kersey

66.06 Daniela Cusican (AUS)
65.72 Stefania Simova (BUL)
65.66 Maritza Marten (CUB)
65.18 Hilda Ramos (CUB)
64.92 Irina Yatchenko (URS)
64.36 Xiao Yanling (CHN)
64.32 Austrate Mikelyte (URS)
64.28 Zhao Yonghua (CHN)
63.80 Ellina Zvereva (URS)

Javelin

71.44 Trine Hattestad (NOR)
70.20 Karin Fockel (GER)
68.78 Xu Demei (CHN)
68.68 Petra Felke-Meier (GER)
68.34 Silke Renk (GER)
67.32 Natalya Shikolenko (URS)
66.84 Anna Verouli (GRE)
66.14 Paivi Alafantti (FIN)
65.96 Genowefa Padla (POL)
65.32 Dulce Garcia (CUB)
65.22 Natalya Cherniyenko (URS)
65.18 Tessa Sanderson (GBR)
64.80 Irina Kostyuchenkova (URS)
64.66 Heli Rantanen (FIN)
64.00 Herminia Bouza (CUB)

Heptathlon

6878 Jackie Joyner-Kersey (USA)
6672 Sabine Braun (GER)
6494 Peggy Beer (GER)
6493 Liliane Nastase (ROM)
6448 Irina Byelova (URS)
6419 Birgit Clarius (GER)
6404 Satu Ruotsalainen (FIN)
6392 Yasmina Azzizi (ALG)
6391 Ursula Włodarczyk (POL)
6370 Tatyana Zhuravlyova (URS)
6366 Heike Tischler (GER)
6300 Anke Behmer (GER)
6279 Maria Karmowska (POL)
6254 Veronika Ryzhova (URS)
6216 Ines Krause (GER)
6216 Cindy Greiner (USA)

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the year*

WHAT'S IN STORE FOR 1992...

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**WORLD MERIT
RANKINGS**
The top men's
performances
recorded and
rated



100

9.86	Carl Lewis (USA)
9.88	Leroy Burrell (USA)
9.91	Dennis Mitchell (USA)
9.92	LINFORD CHRISTIE
9.95	Frankie Fredericks (NAM)
9.96	Ray Stewart (JAM)
9.99	Andre Cason (USA)
10.03	Chidi Imoh (NGR)
10.07	Brany Surin (CAN)
10.10	Floyd Heard (USA)

Merit

1, Leroy Burrell (USA)
9.88, 9.90, 9.94, 9.96, 10.04
(10.02w)
2-WC, 1-NC, 1-Zurich, 1-Cologne
(3-1 v Lewis)
2, Carl Lewis (USA)
9.86, 9.93, 9.93, 10.02, 10.12
(9.80w)
1-WC, 2-NC, 2-Zurich
3, Dennis Mitchell (USA)
9.91, 9.99, 10.00, 10.03, 10.04
3-WC, 3-NC, 3-Zurich
(4-3 v Christie)
4, Linford Christie (GBR)
9.92, 9.99, 10.09, 10.12, 10.14
(9.90w)
4-WC, 1-Euro Cup, 1-AAA
5, Andre Cason (USA)
9.99, 10.05, 10.08, 10.11 (10.01w)
4-NC, 2-PAG
6, Frankie Fredericks (NAM)
9.95, 10.02, 10.15, 10.17, (9.89w)
5-WC, 1-NCAA, 1-African
7, Brany Surin (CAN)
10.07, 10.09, 10.14, 10.15 (10.01w)
8-WC, 1-NC, 1-St Denis
(5-3 v Stewart)
8, Ray Stewart (JAM)
9.96, 10.03, 10.17, 10.17 (10.02w)
6-WC, 1-NC, 1-Madrid
9, Mark Witherspoon (USA)
10.12, 10.21, 10.23 (10.09w)
6-NC, 4-Sestriere, 1-Seville
(4-3 v Surin)
10, Olapade Adeniken (NGR)
10.15, 10.15, 10.17, 10.19 (10.00w)
sf-WC, 1-Rome, 3-NCAA
(2-1 v Stewart)

DESPITE losing the world record to Lewis (having held it for 72 days) and the world title, Burrell had much the most consistent year.

Lewis won just three of his eight finals. Mitchell beat Christie in the most important race and Cason, during an excellent September, beat them both. Michael Rossweiss may well have ranked had he raced more against top performers.

200

19.88	Michael Johnson (USA)
20.08	Frankie Fredericks (NAM)
20.12	JOHN REGIS
20.13	Danny Everett (USA)
20.15	Robson da Silva (BRA)
20.17	Atlee Mahorn (CAN)
20.20	Jimmy French (USA)
20.20	Nikolay Antonov (BUL)
20.21	Thomas Jefferson (USA)
20.30	Jean-Charles Trouabal (FRA)
20.30	Olapade Adeniken (NGR)

Merit

1, Michael Johnson (USA)
19.88, 19.89, 19.94, 19.98, 20.01
1-WC, 1-NC, 1-Zurich, 1-GP Final
(Unbeaten in 15 races)
2, Frankie Fredericks (NAM)
20.08, 20.12, 20.13, 20.13, 20.27,
(19.90w)
2-WC, 2-Zurich, 1-NCAA, 1-African
3, Robson da Silva (BRA)
20.15, 20.18, 20.18, 20.24
4-WC, 2-GP Final, 2-Rome, 1-PAG
4, John Regis (GBR)

1991 Men's World Merit Rankings

**Athletics Weekly statistician
IAN HODGE presents the 1991
rankings according to results
and performances**

KEY

WC	World Championships
GP	Grand Prix
NC	National Championships
WSG	World Student Games
NCAA	National Collegiate Athletic Association (USA)
PAG	Pan-American Games
dnc	did not compete
dnc	did not finish

20.12, 20.16, 20.36, 20.38, 20.40
sf-WC, 2-Euro Cup, 3-Zurich, 1-London
(1-0 v Burrell, 3-2 v Trouabal)
5, Leroy Burrell (USA)
20.31, 20.38, 20.41, 20.42, (20.02w)
gf-WC, 2-NC, 2-London, 1-Nice
(2 wins over Fredericks)
6, Thomas Jefferson (USA)
20.21, 20.37, 20.47, 20.53, 20.59
4-Zurich, 4-Monaco, 8-NC, 2-N York
7, Olapade Adeniken (NGR)
20.30, 20.51, 20.51, (20.09w)
5-WC, 6-Zurich, 1-NC, 2-NCAA
8, Atlee Mahorn (CAN)
20.17, 20.49, 20.51, 20.61 (20.40w)
3-WC, 6-Rome, 1-B-Zurich
9, Jean-Claude Trouabal (FRA)
20.30, 20.40, 20.51, 20.55
6-WC, 1-Euro Cup, 6 Zurich, 4-Nice
10, James French (USA)
20.20, 20.23, 20.29 (20.15w)
3-NCAA
CHALLENGED in Zurich, Johnson was untouchable, and ran below 20sec in his last four races. Only Carl Lewis has run that many in a career before. The next two ran well all year and were clearly ahead of Regis, although Regis did not reach the Tokyo final, he was some way ahead of the other finalists prior to the Championships.

400

44.17	Michael Johnson (USA)
44.36	Antonio Pettigrew (USA)
44.40	Roberto Hernandez (CUB)
44.42	Danny Everett (USA)
44.52	Steve Lewis (USA)
44.59	Mark Everett (USA)

44.62	ROGER BLACK
44.65	Andrew Valmon (USA)
44.78	Susumu Takano (JPN)
44.88	Seymour Fagan (JAM)
44.88	Samuel Matete (ZAM)

Merit

1, Michael Johnson (USA)
44.17, 44.22, 44.73, 44.86, 44.97
1-London, 1-Lausanne, 1-Cologne
2, Roger Black (GBR)
44.62, 44.64, 44.71, 44.79, 44.85
2-WC, 1-GP Final, 1-Malmö, 2-London
(3-2 v Pettigrew)
3, Antonio Pettigrew (USA)
44.36, 44.52, 44.57, 44.67, 44.7
1-WC, 1-NC, 2-Malmö, 4-London
4, Roberto Hernandez (CUB)
44.40, 44.51, 44.61, 44.65, 44.66
4-WC, 1-Nice, 1-PAG
(3-1 v Pettigrew, 3-1 v Everett)
5, Danny Everett (USA)
44.42, 44.53, 44.63, 44.63, 44.71
3-WC, 4-NC, 1-Zurich



UNTOUCHABLE: American Michael Johnson

6, Steve Lewis (USA)
44.52, 44.56, 44.65, 44.67, 44.72
2-Zurich, 3-London,
(Injured for National Championships)
7, Andrew Valmon (USA)
44.65, 44.68, 44.89, 44.98, 44.98
5-WC, 2-NC, 2-GP Final, 1-New York
8, Ian Morris (TRI)
44.9, 45.00, 45.05, 45.07, 45.12
6-WC, 2-New York, 2-PAG
9, Susumu Takano (JPN)
44.78, 44.91, 45.09, 45.39, 45.43
7-WC, 1-NC

10, Gabriel Luke (USA)
45.22, 45.31, 45.32, 45.39, 45.70
1-NCAA, 6-NC
(2-0 v Pierre)
WITHOUT concentrating on the event, Johnson won all 10 races (six outdoor, four indoor), defeating all of the other specialists. The next three were virtually inseparable, with Hernandez being the best before August and Black clearly so in September.

If fully fit, Steve Lewis has a chance of being the first man to retain the Olympic 400 metres title.

800

1:43.08	Jose Luis Barbosa (BRA)
1:43.30	William Tanui (KEN)
1:43.84	Johnny Gray (USA)
1:43.93	Mark Everett (USA)
1:43.96	Billy Konchellah (KEN)
1:44.06	Robert Kibet (KEN)
1:44.06	Paul Ereng (KEN)
1:44.07	George Kersh (USA)
1:44.20	TOM MCKEAN
1:44.27	PETER ELLIOTT

Merit

1, Jose Luis Barbosa (BRA)
1:43.08, 1:43.75, 1:43.87, 1:44.06,
1:44.14
2-WC, 1-Zurich, 1-Brussels, 1-Rieti
(3-3 v Konchellah)
2, Mark Everett (USA)
1:43.93, 1:44.28, 1:44.34, 1:44.44,
1:44.52
3-WC, 1-NC, 1-Sheffield
(2-2 v Konchellah)
3, Billy Konchellah (KEN)
1:43.96, 1:43.99, 1:45.31, 1:45.54,
1:45.60
1-WC, 2-Sheffield, 3-Brussels, 9-Zurich
(1-1 v Ereng)
4, Paul Ereng (KEN)
1:44.06, 1:44.75, 1:45.2, 1:45.29,
1:45.42
4-WC, 3-Zurich, 1-NC
(4-0 v Gray)
5, William Tanui (KEN)
1:43.30, 1:44.41, 1:44.85, 1:44.94,
1:45.01

4-NC, 2-Brussels, 2-Rieti, 1-London
6, Johnny Gray (USA)
 1:43.84, 1:44.01, 1:44.83, 1:45.67,
 1:45.75
 6-WC, 3-NC, 1-Oslo, dnf-Zurich
7, Tom McKean (GBR)
 1:44.20, 1:44.41, 1:45.12, 1:45.60,
 1:45.67
 1st-WC, 1-AAA, 6-London, 5-
 Sheffield
8, Robert Kibet (KEN)
 1:44.06, 1:45.20, 1:45.40, 1:45.46,
 1:45.51
 1st-WC, 3-NC, 2-Zurich, 4-Brussels
 (2-2 v Kersh)
9, George Kersh (USA)
 1:44.07, 1:44.71, 1:45.28, 1:45.98
 1st-WC, 2-NC, 4-Zurich, 1-NCAA
10, Paul Ruto (KEN)
 1:44.92, 1:44.94, 1:44.97, 1:45.1
 6-NC, 1-Gateshead, 1st-Zurich, 1-
 Rovereto
 RUNNING below 1:45 for the ninth
 successive year and only placing
 outside the top two for the first
 time in September, Barbosa finally
 made it to the top. Konchellah led
 five Kenyans in the top 10, but was
 mediocre before Tokyo. McKean
 was below his best for most of the
 year, except in Stockholm and
 Cologne.

1,500

M=mile time
 m=1,500m time during mile race

3:31.00 Nouredine Morceli (ALG)
 3:31.96 Simon Doyle (AUS)
 3:32.03 Fermin Cacho (ESP)
 3:32.94 PETER ELLIOTT
 3:33.28 Said Aouita (MAR)
 3:33.51 David Kibet (KEN)
 3:33.6m Wilfred Kirochi (KEN)
 3:33.7m Jim Spivey (USA)
 3:33.74 Gennaro Di Napoli (ITA)
 3:34.00 MATTHEW YATES

Merit

1, Nouredine Morceli (ALG)
 3:31.00, 3:31.00, 3:31.01, 3:32.04,
 3:49.12M
 1-WC, 1-Zurich, 1-GP Final
 (Unbeaten)
2, Peter Elliott (GBR)
 3:32.94, 3:33.4m, 3:33.78, 3:49.46M,
 3:53.10M
 1-Oslo, 1-Euro Cup, 1-Sheffield
 (2-0 v Kirochi)
3, Wilfred Kirochi (KEN)
 3:33.6m, 3:34.08, 3:34.19, 3:49.77M,
 3:50.62M
 2-WC, 2-Oslo, 4-NC, 1-Rieti
4, Fermin Cacho (ESP)
 3:32.03, 3:34.52, 3:34.7m, 3:35.62,
 3:50.74M
 3-WC, 2-Zurich, 7-Oslo
 (2-1 v Doyle)
5, Hauke Fuhlbrugge (GER)
 3:34.15, 3:34.7m, 3:35.28, 3:35.56,
 3:50.52M
 3-WC, 1vGBR, 1-Lille, 6-Oslo
 (4-3 v Herold)
6, Simon Doyle (AUS)
 3:31.96, 3:32.78, 3:33.7m, 3:49.91M,
 3:51.74M
 12-WC, 2-Stockholm, 7-Zurich, 4-
 Oslo
 (2-1 v Kibet/Herold)
7, Jim Spivey (USA)
 3:33.7m, 3:33.81, 3:49.83M,
 3:50.52M, 3:52.74M
 4-NC, 3-Oslo, 2-Lausanne
 (2-0 v Fuhlbrugge)
8, Jens-Peter Herold (GER)
 3:34.3m, 3:35.37, 3:36.13, 3:50.08M,
 3:53.05M
 4-WC, 2-Euro Cup, 3, Sheffield, 5-
 Oslo
 (4-1 v Kibet)



UNCHALLENGED: Nouredine Morceli in the 1,500 metres

9, David Kibet (KEN)
 3:33.28, 3:33.51, 3:34.34, 3:35.02,
 3:35.08
 7-WC, 1-Malmö, 1-NC, 3-Rieti
10, Gennaro Di Napoli (ITA)
 3:33.74, 3:35.08, 3:36.66
 8-WC, 3-Euro Cup, 1-Rome, 2-
 Malmö
 MORCELI, aged just 21, was
 unchallenged. Perhaps only Herb
 Elliott, in 1960, has enjoyed such a
 margin of superiority in this event.
 Peter Elliott confirmed his No.2
 spot before and after Tokyo. Doyle
 lost form in August and Spivey's
 injury deprived him of a likely
 medal in the World
 Championships.

5,000

13:01.82 Yobes Ondieki (KEN)
 13:09.76 Ibrahim Kinuthia (KEN)
 13:10.10 Salvatore Antibo (ITA)
 13:10.44 Brahim Boutaib (MAR)
 13:11.76 Richard Chelimo (KEN)
 13:11.77 Ondoro Osoro (KEN)
 13:13.01 ROB DENMARK
 13:16.64 Fita Blyissa (ETH)
 13:16.73 Mikhail Dasko (URS)
 13:17.25 Dionisio Castro (POR)

Merit

1, Yobes Ondieki (KEN)
 13:01.82, 13:14.45, 13:14.98,
 13:18.99, 13:21.79
 1-WC, 1-Zurich, 1-NC, 3-Oslo
2, Salvatore Antibo (ITA)
 13:10.10, 13:13.66, 13:21.68,
 13:37.20
 1-Stockholm, 1-Euro Cup, 2-Rome
 (2-0 v Boutaib/Chelimo)
3, Brahim Boutaib (MAR)
 13:10.44, 13:15.38, 13:21.00,
 13:21.71, 13:22.17
 3-WC, 1-Brussels, 2-GP Final, 3-
 Zurich
4, Fita Blyissa (ETH)
 13:16.64, 13:18.28, 13:24.60,
 13:36.91
 2-WC, 2-Helsinki, 1-African Games
 (1-1 v Skah)
5, Khalid Skah (MAR)
 13:17.72, 13:19.18, 13:22.07,
 13:28.5M
 6-WC, 1-Helsinki, 2-Zurich, 3-
 Brussels
6, Richard Chelimo (KEN)
 13:11.76, 13:12.22, 13:14.15,
 13:16.35, 13:21.66
 1-Oslo, 1-London, 3-Stockholm, 4-
 Rome

7, Ibrahim Kinuthia (KEN)
 13:09.76, 13:13.87, 13:22.39,
 13:26.50
 10-WC, 1-Rome, 2-NC, 4-Brussels
8, Mathias Ntawulikura (RWA)
 13:19.88, 13:21.92, 13:28.14,
 13:32.50
 2-Rieti, 5-Zurich, 3-GP Final
9, Arturo Barrios (MEX)
 13:24.17, 13:25.24, 13:26.56
 1-St Denis, 3-London, 4-Helsinki
10, Dieter Baumann (GER)
 13:24.8, 13:28.22, 13:28.67, 13:40.06
 4-WC, 9-Brussels, 7-Stockholm
 ONDIEKI'S brilliant solo efforts in
 Tokyo and Zurich were a delight to
 see in such competitive races.
 Antibo and Chelimo's non-
 participation in Tokyo made this
 event difficult to rank. Kinuthia and
 Ondoro Osoro ran far too often and
 made no impression at the World
 Championships.

10,000

27:11.18 Richard Chelimo (KEN)
 27:11.62 John Ngugi (KEN)
 27:23.29 Khalid Skah (MAR)
 27:24.55 Salvatore Antibo (ITA)
 27:28.87 Thomas Osano (KEN)
 27:34.96 Julius Korir (KEN)
 27:35.89 Moses Tanui (KEN)
 27:36.88 Joseph Keino (KEN)
 27:37.36 Arturo Barrios (MEX)
 27:37.36 Wilson Omwoyo (KEN)

Merit

1, Moses Tanui (KEN)
 27:35.89, 27:38.74, 28:07.5A,
 28:08.31
 1-WC, 1-NC, 2-Berlin
 (2-0 v Chelimo)
2, Richard Chelimo (KEN)
 27:11.18, 27:34.04, 27:39.41,
 28:08.7A, 28:16.7A
 2-WC, 1-Hengelo, 2-NC, 1-Koblenz
3, Khalid Skah (MAR)
 27:23.29, 27:41.74, 28:23.28
 3-WC, 1-Oslo
4, Thomas Osano (KEN)
 27:28.87, 27:44.52, 27:53.66,
 27:55.81, 27:56.45
 4-WC, 3-Oslo, 2-Brussels, 6-NC
5, John Ngugi (KEN)
 27:11.62
 1-Brussels
6, Salvatore Antibo (ITA)
 27:24.55, 28:25.53, 28:26.72,
 28:52.41
 20-WC, 2-Oslo
7, Richard Nerurkar (GBR)
 27:57.14, 27:58.45, 28:24.03,
 28:39.58
 5-WC, 11-Oslo, 2-NC
8, Julius Korir (KEN)
 27:34.96
 1-Berlin
9, Mathias Ntawulikura (RWA)
 27:49.32, 28:02.86, 28:10.38
 7-WC, 7-Oslo, 1-Euro-Clubs
10, Arturo Barrios (MEX)
 27:37.36, 28:19.8M
 4-Oslo
 TOKYO brought most of the best
 together and, therefore, was of
 paramount importance. Tanui
 began his season by losing to a 17-
 year-old Tanzanian. Kenya's depth
 in this event is staggering. 10 of
 them ran below 28min and
 probably as many again could do
 so, given the opportunity.
 Ngugi continued to prove an
 enigma.

MARATHON

2:08:53 Koichi Morishita (JPN)
 2:09:12 Takeyuki Nakayama (JPN)
 2:09:17 Yakov Tolsukov (URS)

2:09:23 Toru Mimura (JPN)
 2:09:28 Salvador Garcia (MEX)
 2:09:42 Robert de Castella (AUS)
 2:09:55 Osniro De Souza Silva (BRA)
 2:10:00 Andres Espinoza (MEX)
 2:10:02 Dionisio Ceron (MEX)
 2:10:08 Tesfaye Dadi (ETH)

Merit

1, Salvador Garcia (MEX)
 2:09.28, 2:16.08
 1-New York, 1-Long Beach, dnf-PAG (intentionally)
2, Ibrahim Hussein (KEN)
 2:11.06, 2:11.07
 1-Boston, 3-New York
3, Abebe Mekonnen (ETH)
 2:10.26, 2:11.22, 2:11.39
 1-Tokyo, 2-Boston, 4-Fukuoka, dnf-WC
4, Rob de Castella (AUS)
 2:09.42
 1-Rotterdam
5, Dionisio Ceron (MEX)
 2:10.02
 2-Rotterdam
6, Hiromi Taniguchi (JPN)
 2:11.55, 2:14.57
 1-WC, 9-Tokyo
7, Mauricio Castillo (MEX)
 2:10.47, 2:10.47, 2:16.15
 7-WC, 3-Tokyo, 4-Rotterdam
8, Koichi Morishita (JPN)
 2:08.53
 1-Beppu
9, Jan Huruk (POL)
 2:10.21, 2:12.06, 2:15.47
 4-WC, 3-London, 8-Fukuoka
10, Tamio Suyoshi (JPN)
 2:11.02, 2:11.54, 2:11.55
 5-Tokyo, 6-Rotterdam, 7-Fukuoka
 A REMARKABLY difficult event to rank, with very little indication what was the best "form". The medallists in Tokyo either had no back-up or performed below par in other marathons. While none of the big city winners ran at the World Championships, with the exception of Tolstikov, who dropped out, I decided, without total conviction, to regard the Rotterdam and New York races as the most important.

3,000SC

8:06.46 Moses Kiptanui (KEN)
 8:08.39 Phillip Barkutwo (KEN)
 8:10.69 Mark Croghan (USA)

**DOMINANT MALE:** Kenyan steeplechaser Moses Kiptanui

8:11.28 Julius Kariuki (KEN)
 8:11.85 William Murwol (KEN)
 8:12.21 Abdelaziz Sahere (MAR)
 8:12.58 TOM HANLON
 8:13.29 Azzedine Brahm (ALG)
 8:13.44 Patrick Sang (KEN)
 8:14.41 Francesco Panetta (ITA)

Merit

1, Moses Kiptanui (KEN)
 8:06.46, 8:07.89, 8:08.53, 8:11.64, 8:12.59
 1-WC, 1-Zurich, 1-Brussels, 1-NC, 2-GP Final
2, Patrick Sang (KEN)
 8:13.44, 8:14.92, 8:15.85, 8:16.01, 8:16.48
 2-WC, 2-Zurich, 2-NC, 1-Lausanne
3, Julius Kariuki (KEN)
 8:11.28, 8:12.35, 8:16.81, 8:17.08, 8:17.73
 4-WC, 4-NC, 3-Brussels, 1-Monaco (5-3 v Barkutwo, 4-3 v Brahm)
4, Philip Barkutwo (KEN)
 8:08.39, 8:11.25, 8:11.46, 8:15.20, 8:15.21
 1-Rome, 7-NC, 1-Lille, 4-Brussels (4-0 v Brahm)
5, William Murwol (KEN)
 8:11.85, 8:11.85, 8:13.74, 8:15.25, 8:15.28
 1-Helsinki, 2-Nice, 2-Stockholm, 5-NC
6, Abdelaziz Sahere (MAR)
 8:12.21, 8:13.83, 8:16.58, 8:18.07, 8:18.23
 6-WC, 1-GP Final, 2-Brussels, 3-Stockholm (4-2 v Brahm)
7, Azzedine Brahm (ALG)
 8:13.29, 8:15.54, 8:18.91, 8:20.48, 8:20.78
 3-WC, 1-Nice, 5-Stockholm, 13-Brussels
8, Brian Diemer (USA)
 8:16.57, 8:17.76, 8:18.29, 8:20.81, 8:22.62
 5-WC, 3-Helsinki, 4-GP Final, 3-NC
9, Johnstone Kipkoech (KEN)
 8:18.59, 8:20.57, 8:20.40, 8:26.7A
 3-NC, 6-Berlin, 6-GP Final (3-0 v Van Dijk)
10, William Van Dijk (BEL)
 8:19.29, 8:19.94, 8:20.66, 8:23.18
 9-WC, 4-Zurich, 1-Seville (4-1 v Hanlon)

KIPTANUI raced the event only once before 1991, yet his superiority was such that he won in

**UNBEATEN:** Samuel Matete

Zurich despite a fall. Kenya dominated, yet Kariuki had his worst year since 1987 and Barkutwo's failure to run well at altitude held him down to seventh at the nationals, having previously looked a potential world No. 1.

110H

13.05 Tony Dees (USA)
 13.06 Greg Foster (USA)
 13.06 Jack Pierce (USA)
 13.09 COLIN JACKSON
 13.13 TONY JARRETT
 13.19 Renaldo Nehemiah (USA)
 13.27 Mark McKoy (CAN)
 13.30 Courtney Hawkins (USA)
 13.33 Dan Philibert (FRA)
 13.37 Tong Li (CHN)

Merit

1, Greg Foster (USA)
 13.06, 13.06, 13.10, 13.11, 13.11
 1-WC, 1-NC, 1-Nice, 1-Malmö, 2-Rome (8-1 v Nehemiah)
2, Renaldo Nehemiah (USA)
 13.19, 13.20, 13.22, 13.24, 13.27
 3-NC, 1-Zurich, 1-Cologne, 2-Gateshead, dno-WC (8-5 v Dees)
3, Tony Dees (USA)
 13.05, 13.13, 13.18, 13.23, 13.25
 6-NC, 1-Brussels, 2-Zurich, 1-GP Final (9-3 v Pierce)
4, Jack Pierce (USA)
 13.06, 13.23, 13.23, 13.29, 13.31
 2-WC, 2-NC, 3-Zurich, 2-Sheffield (2-2 v Jarrett)
5, Tony Jarrett (GBR)
 13.13, 13.19, 13.23, 13.25, 13.30
 3-WC, 1-London, 1-Sheffield (3-2 v Jackson)
6, Colin Jackson (GBR)
 13.09, 13.25, 13.31, 13.38, 13.40
 1-Euro Cup, 1-Rome, 3-London, 5-Zurich (2-0 v McKoy)
7, Mark McKoy (CAN)
 13.27, 13.28, 13.28, 13.30, 13.32
 4-WC, 2-Nice, 3-Rome, 6-Zurich
8, Dan Philibert (FRA)
 13.33, 13.38, 13.42, 13.42, (13.34w)
 5-WC, 1-Med Games, 6-Nice
9, Florian Schwarzhoff (GER)
 13.38, 13.39, 13.41, 13.41, 13.42
 7-WC, 2-Euro Cup, 4-London, 3-Nice

10, Li Tong (CHN)
 13.37, 13.39, 13.46 (13.31w, 13.34w)
 8-WC, 3-Malmö, 7-Zurich, fell-WSG
 THE TOP four Americans met regularly, clarifying their positions unexpectedly well, the only surprises being Pierce's form in Tokyo and Nehemiah's remarkably rapid return to fitness after his non-appearance at the World Championships. The depth in this event was unrivalled, with such consistent performers as Courtney Hawkins and Thomas Nagorka not making it.

400H

47.10 Samuel Matete (ZAM)
 47.38 Danny Harris (USA)
 47.74 Winthrop Graham (JAM)
 47.83 Kevin Young (USA)
 47.86 KRISS AKABUSI
 48.47 Eric Keter (KEN)
 48.59A Dries Vorster (RSA)
 48.60 Derrick Adkins (USA)
 48.65 David Patrick (USA)
 48.92 Nat Page (USA)
 48.92 Fabrizio Mori (ITA)

Merit

1, Samuel Matete (ZAM)
 47.10, 47.64, 47.80, 47.87, 48.07
 1-WC, 1-Zurich, 1-Monaco, 1-NCAA (Unbeaten)
2, Danny Harris (USA)
 47.38, 47.62, 47.64, 47.90, 48.21
 5-WC, 2-Zurich, 1-NC, 1-Lausanne (4-3 v Graham)
3, Kriss Akabusi (GBR)
 47.86, 47.91, 48.37, 48.37, 48.39
 3-WC, 2-Lausanne, 1-London, 1-Euro Cup (4-4 v Graham)
4, Winthrop Graham (JAM)
 47.74, 48.31, 48.43, 48.54, 48.67
 2-WC, 1-Koblenz, 3-London, 4-Lausanne
5, Kevin Young (USA)
 47.83, 47.94, 48.01, 48.20, 48.39
 4-WC, 3-Zurich, 2-NC, 1-Malmö
6, Derrick Adkins (USA)
 48.60, 48.95, 48.96, 48.97, 49.01
 6-WC, 1-WSG, 3-NC, 2-NCAA (2-1 v Page)
7, Nat Page (USA)
 48.92, 49.18, 49.19, 49.27, 49.27
 7-NC, 2-New York, 3-Malmö, 2-Berlin (7-5 v Patrick)
8, Dave Patrick (USA)
 48.65, 48.78, 48.90, 48.99, 49.21
 11-NC, 2-London, 4-Zurich, 2-Lille
9, Eric Keter (KEN)
 48.47, 48.62, 48.95, 49.12, 49.6A
 7-WC, 1-African Games, 3-NC, 3-Brussels
10, Dries Vorster (RSA)
 48.59A, 48.81A, 48.82A, 48.83A, 48.91
 1-NC (Unbeaten)
 MATETE won all 20 of his finals and in Zurich clocked the fastest time for eight years. Harris had regularly beaten all the rest prior to Tokyo, where Graham won silver. Akabusi takes third, having recorded faster times than the Jamaican for most of the season.

HIGH JUMP

2.40 Javier Sotomayor (CUB)
 2.40 Charles Austin (USA)
 2.37 Hollis Conway (USA)
 2.36 DALTON GRANT
 2.35 Sorin Matei (ROM)
 2.35 Troy Kemp (BAH)
 2.34 Rolandas Verkis (LIT)
 2.34 Patrik Sjöberg (SWE)
 2.34 Arturo Ortiz (ESP)

2.34 Marino Drake (CUB)

Merit

- 1, Javier Sotomayor (CUB)
2.40, 2.36, 2.36, 2.36, 2.35
2-WC, 1-PAG, 1-Eberstadt, 1-St Denis
(1-2 v Austin)
- 2, Charles Austin (USA)
2.40, 2.38, 2.33, 2.32, 2.30
1-WC, 2eq-NC, 1-Zurich, 2-Sheffield
(2-2 v Conway)
- 3, Hollis Conway (USA)
2.37, 2.36, 2.34, 2.32, 2.32
3-WC, 1-NC, 1-WSG, 3eq-Zurich
- 4, Troy Kemp (BAH)
2.35, 2.34, 2.34, 2.32, 2.32
Seq-WC, 2-PAG, 1-Nice, 3-Zurich
(3-2 v Conway)
- 5, Patrik Sjöberg (SWE)
2.34, 2.31, 2.31, 2.31, 2.31
7-WC, 2-Zurich, 1-London, 1-Stockholm
- 6, Marino Drake (CUB)
2.34, 2.34, 2.30, 2.29, 2.27
Seq-WC, 2-Nice, 2-St Denis, 1-PAG
(1-1 v Grant)
- 7, Dalton Grant (GBR)
2.36, 2.30, 2.30, 2.30, 2.28
4-WC, 2-London, 3-AAA, 1-Sheffield
- 8, Arturo Ortiz (ESP)
2.34, 2.31, 2.28, 2.28, 2.27
10-WC, 2-WSG, 3eq-Zurich
(2-1 v Grant)
- 9, Artur Partyka (POL)
2.32, 2.30, 2.30
12-WC, 3eq-Zurich, 4-Eberstadt, 5-Berlin
- 10, Rick Noji (USA)
2.28, 2.28, 2.28
8-WC, 2eq-NC, 2eq-London

DURING a season in which all of the top jumpers were injured at some stage, world-record holder Sotomayor proved the most consistent, rarely jumping lower than 2.35m.

POLE VAULT

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|------|------------------------|
| 6.10 | Sergey Bubka (URS) |
| 5.92 | Istvan Bagyula (HUN) |
| 5.90 | Rodion Gataullin (URS) |
| 5.90 | Igor Potapovich (URS) |
| 5.86 | Bill Payne (USA) |
| 5.85 | Maksim Tarasov (URS) |
| 5.85 | Grigoriy Yegorov (URS) |
| 5.82 | Vasily Bubka (URS) |
| 5.81 | Dean Starkey (USA) |
| 5.80 | Jean Galfione (FRA) |
| 5.80 | Scott Huffman (USA) |
| 5.80 | Philippe Collet (FRA) |

Merit

- 1, Sergey Bubka (URS)
6.10, 6.09, 6.08, 6.07, 6.00
1-WC, 1-Zurich, 1-GP Final
- 2, Istvan Bagyula (HUN)
5.92, 5.90, 5.85, 5.80, 5.80
2-WC, 1-Nice, 1-WSG, 3-Euro Cup
(3-1 v Tarasov)
- 3, Maksim Tarasov (URS)
5.85, 5.85, 5.80, 5.77, 5.75
3-WC, 2-NC, 2-Brussels, 2eq-Nice
(2-2 v Gataullin)
- 4, Rodion Gataullin (URS)
5.90, 5.90, 5.85, 5.78, 5.75
4-WC, 1-NC, 1-Berlin, 2-Cologne
(3-0 v Yegorov)
- 5, Grigoriy Yegorov (URS)
5.85, 5.80, 5.80, 5.80, 5.80
3-NC, 1-Euro Cup, 3-Zurich, 4-GP Final
(5-3 v Bagyula)
- 6, Scott Huffman (USA)
5.80, 5.75, 5.70, 5.70, 5.70
no ht-NC, 1-Sheffield, 2-GP Final, 2-Berlin
(5-3 v Potapovich)
- 7, Kory Tarpenning (USA)
5.75, 5.75, 5.72, 5.70, 5.70

- 4eq-NC, 3-GP Final, 3-Brussels
(5-3 v Bright)
 - 8, Igor Potapovich (URS)
5.90, 5.80, 5.80, 5.80, 5.76
4-NC, 2-Zurich, 1-Cologne
 - 9, Vasily Bubka (URS)
5.82, 5.75, 5.72, 5.70, 5.70
1-Brussels, 3-Cologne, 5-GP Final
(3-0 v Bright)
 - 10, Tim Bright (USA)
5.75, 5.70, 5.70, 5.70, 5.67
6-WC, 1-NC, 2eq-London, 2eq-Oslo
- BUBKA'S greatest year yet, with eight world records and 12 vaults over six metres. Even his brother ranked after a long absence! Spare a thought for Yegorov, who cleared 5.80 or higher six times, yet could not get in the team for Tokyo. Potapovich and Bright both lost higher placings due to many no-heights.



BEST YET: Sergey Bubka

LONG JUMP

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|------|-------------------------------|
| 8.95 | Mike Powell (USA) |
| 8.87 | Carl Lewis (USA) |
| 8.50 | Larry Myricks (USA) |
| 8.50 | Llewellyn Starks (USA) |
| 8.28 | Gordon Laine (USA) |
| 8.26 | Chen Zunrong (CHN) |
| 8.26 | Konstantinos Koukodimos (GRE) |
| 8.26 | Jaime Jefferson (CUB) |
| 8.25 | Gordon McKee (USA) |
| 8.24 | George Ogbeide (NGR) |
| 8.24 | Joe Greene (USA) |

Merit

- 1, Mike Powell (USA)
8.95, 8.63, 8.61, 8.45 (8.73w)
1-WC, 2-NC, 1-Sestriere, 1-Rhode
- 2, Carl Lewis (USA)
8.87, 8.64, 8.56, 8.11 (8.91w)
2-WC, 1-NC
- 3, Larry Myricks (USA)
8.50, 8.44, 8.42, 8.42, 8.35
3-WC, 3-NC, 1-Cologne, 2-Sestriere
(4-1 v Haaf)
- 4, Lee Starks (USA)
8.50, 8.35, 8.35, 8.34, (8.42w)
4-NC, 1-Brussels, 1-GP Final, 2-PAG
(5-1 v Jefferson)
- 5, Dietmar Haaf (GER)
8.23, 8.21, 8.12, 8.11, (8.30w)
4-WC, 1-Euro Cup, 1-Rome, 3-Monaco
- 6, Joe Greene (USA)

- 8.24, 8.17, 8.11, 8.05 (8.34w)
nq-NC, 2-Brussels, 4-GP Final, 2-San Jose
 - 7, David Culbert (AUS)
8.05, 8.05, 8.02, 8.02, 8.02
6-WC, 1-Stockholm, 3-Rome
 - 8, Jaime Jefferson (CUB)
8.26, 8.21, 8.17, 8.11, 8.07
9-WC, 1-PAG, 3-Brussels, 3-GP Final
(1-1 v Evangelisti)
 - 9, Giovanni Evangelisti (ITA)
8.13, 8.11, 8.10 (8.35w)
7-WC, 3-Euro Cup, 4-Rome
 - 10, Vernon George (USA)
8.08, 8.04, 8.08w
5-NC, 1-Sheffield, 3-San Jose
- THE extraordinary happenings in Tokyo shaped the order for the top of the rankings. Positions six to 10 were very close, eight metres still proving a barrier for all but the best in the event.

TRIPLE JUMP

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| 17.78 | Kenny Harrison (USA) |
| 17.75 | Leonid Voloshin (URS) |
| 17.66 | Ralf Jaros (GER) |
| 17.62 | Mike Conley (USA) |
| 17.55 | Oleg Denishik (URS) |
| 17.52 | Vasily Sokov (URS) |
| 17.45 | Serge Helin (FRA) |
| 17.43 | Oleg Sakirkin (URS) |
| 17.40 | Aleksandr Kovalenko (URS) |
| 17.40 | Oleg Grokhovskiy (URS) |

Merit

- 1, Kenny Harrison (USA)
17.78, 17.35, 17.33, 17.32, 17.21w
1-WC, 1-NC, 1-Malmö
(Unbeaten)
- 2, Leonid Voloshin (URS)
17.75, 17.59, 17.30, 17.29, 17.14
2-WC, 2-Malmö, 1-NC, 2-Stockholm
- 3, Mike Conley (USA)
17.62, 17.23, 17.03, 16.98, 16.86
3-WC, 2-NC, 1-Berlin
- 4, Vasily Sokov (URS)
17.52, 17.28, 17.16, 17.08, 16.97
4-WC, 3-NC, 2-Berlin
(2-0 v Jaros)
- 5, Maris Bruziks (Latvia/URS)
17.38, 17.29, 16.87
4-NC, 3-Malmö, 3-Moscow
(3-0 v Protsenko)
- 6, Ralf Jaros (GER)
17.66, 17.47, 17.28, 17.16, 16.94
1-Euro Cup, 9-WC, 5-Malmö, 1vGBR
- 7, Aleksandr Kovalenko (URS)
17.40, 17.24, 17.14, 17.13 (17.31w)
5-NC, 3-Berlin, 1vGBR
(2-1 v Protsenko)
- 8, Oleg Protsenko (URS)
17.27, 17.24, 17.20, 17.16, 17.03
6-NC, 4-Malmö, 1-Stockholm
- 9, Oleg Sakirkin (URS)
17.43, 17.31, 17.25, 17.18
1-Moscow, 2-Bratislava
- 10, Brian Wellman (BER)
17.07, 17.02, 16.98, (17.41w, 17.33w)
6-WC, 1-NCAA, 1-WSG, 5-Stockholm

THIS was one of a handful of events where the medals went to the expected favourites. The top three competed rarely, but were most reliable.

The Soviet Championships and Malmö were the other two important meets. The Soviets had three athletes over 17.40 who failed to make these rankings.

SHOT

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| 22.03 | Werner Günthör (SUI) |
| 20.81 | Georg Andersen (NOR) |
| 20.77 | Vyacheslav Lykko (URS) |
| 20.75 | Lars Arvid Nilsen (NOR) |

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| 20.62 | Saulius Kleiza (LIT) |
| 20.50 | Maris Petrashko (LAT) |
| 20.47 | Dragan Peric (YUG) |
| 20.41/20.49 | Aleksandr Bagach (URS) |
| 20.37 | Aleksandr Klimenko (URS) |
| 20.34 | Sergey Nikolayev (URS) |

Merit

- 1, Werner Günthör (SUI)
22.03, 21.74, 21.67, 21.54, 21.46
1-WC, 1-Zurich, 1-Oslo, 1-Berlin
(Unbeaten)
 - 2, Georg Andersen (NOR)
20.81, 20.43, 20.41, 20.26, 20.14
2-WC, 2-Zurich, 3-Oslo, 2-NC
 - 3, Lars Arvid Nilsen (NOR)
20.75, 20.64, 20.49, 19.81, 19.79
3-WC, 1-NC, 2-Oslo
 - 4, Aleksandr Klimenko (URS)
20.37, 20.34, 20.28, 20.18, 20.14
4-WC, 1-NC, 1-WSG
 - 5, Ulf Timmermann (GER)
20.27, 20.26, 19.87, 19.85
1-Euro Cup, 2-NC, 2-Berlin
(1-1 v Buder)
 - 6, Sergey Smirnov (URS)
20.33, 19.95, 19.91, 19.66, 19.63
2-Euro Cup, 2-NC, 1-Moscow
(2-1 v Nikolayev)
 - 7, Klaus Bodenmüller (AUT)
19.83, 19.74, 19.63, 19.52
4-Zurich, 2-Lausanne
(4-0 v Buder)
 - 8, Sven Buder (GER)
20.20, 20.17, 20.10, 19.71, 19.58
5-WC, 1-NC
 - 9, Sergey Nikolayev (URS)
20.34, 20.16, 19.98, 19.87, 19.85
6-WC, 3-NC, 2-Moscow
 - 10, Vyacheslav Lykko (URS)
20.77, 20.16, 19.43, 18.83
- GLINTHOR leads the rest by an amazing margin in an event where such an encouragingly high number of seasonal bests were set in Tokyo. For the first time, no American thrower was ranked. Andersen's position is pending a doping enquiry.

DISCUS

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| 69.38 | Mike Buncic (USA) |
| 68.12 | Erik de Bruin (HOL) |
| 67.80 | Adewale Olukotun (NGR) |
| 67.78 | Lars Riedel (GER) |
| 67.54 | Romas Ubartas (LIT) |
| 67.20 | Jürgen Schult (GER) |
| 67.06 | Attila Horvath (HUN) |
| 66.58 | Kamy Keshmiri (USA) |
| 65.98 | Vytautas Kidikas (LIT) |
| 65.90 | Dimitry Kovtsov (URS) |

Merit

- 1, Romas Ubartas (Lithuania/URS)
67.54, 67.12, 66.62, 66.22, 66.01
1-Cologne, 1-Berlin, 2-Zurich, 1-Seville
(5-2 v Riedel)
- 2, Lars Riedel (GER)
67.78, 66.20, 66.06, 65.82, 65.68
1-WC, 3-Zurich, 3-NC, 1-GP Final, 1-Koblenz
- 3, Attila Horvath (HUN)
67.06, 67.02, 66.70, 66.30, 65.42
3-WC, 1-Euro Cup, 1-Sao Paulo, 3-Koblenz
(6-2 v Buncic)
- 4, Wolfgang Schmidt (GER)
65.18, 64.98, 64.80, 64.76, 64.26
4-WC, 1-NC, 2-GP Final, 2-Koblenz
(3-3 v Horvath)
- 5, Jürgen Schult (GER)
67.20, 65.98, 65.68, 65.66, 65.08
6-WC, 2-NC, 2-Euro Cup, 1-Hengelo
(5-3 v Buncic)
- 6, Mike Buncic (USA)
69.38, 67.08, 66.94, 66.34, 66.24
5-WC, 2-NC, 2-Seville, 1-San Jose
- 7, Kamy Keshmiri (USA)



MULTI-TALENTED: American Dan O'Brien (right), decathlon world champion and top of the rankings

66.58, 65.74, 65.56, 65.28, 65.10
1-Zurich, 4-NC, 3-Berlin, 3-Cologne
(6-0 v Kidikas)
8, Erik De Bruin (HOL)
68.12, 67.16, 65.82, 64.58
2-WC, 9-Seville, 9-Berlin
9, Ade Olukotun (NGR)
67.80, 65.56, 65.56, 64.70, 64.08
11-WC, 1-WSG, 2-San Jose
10, Vaclavas Kidikas (LIT/URS)
65.98, 65.28, 64.80, 64.28, 63.80
4-Zurich, 3-Seville, 1-Getxo
UBARTAS is the only No.1 who was
not in Tokyo. He proved much the
best in September when most of
the top men met regularly. After a
slow start, Schmidt moved into
contention. Buncie produced all of
his 66-metre throws in America,
while de Bruin had no real back-up
for his Tokyo silver.

HAMMER

84.26	Igor Astapkovich (URS)
82.80	Andrey Abduvaliyev (URS)
82.62	Yuriy Sedykh (URS)
82.40	Plamen Minev (BUL)
81.16	Sergey Alay (URS)
81.14	Sergey Kirmasov (URS)
80.72	Tibor Gecsek (HUN)
80.62	Aleksandr Seleznyov (URS)
80.62	Igor Nikulin (URS)
80.52	Juri Tamm (EST)

Merit

1, Yuriy Sedykh (URS)
82.62, 81.70, 81.58, 81.42, 81.40
1-WC, 4-NC, 1-Berlin
2, Igor Astapkovich (URS)
84.26, 82.40, 82.00, 81.78, 81.60
2-WC, 2-NC, 1-Euro Cup, 1-Moscow
3, Tibor Gecsek (HUN)
80.72, 80.56, 80.28, 80.24, 79.28
4-WC, 2-Euro Cup, 2-Berlin

(2-1 v Weis)

4, Heinz Weis (GER)
80.44, 79.40, 79.20, 78.20, 77.62
3-WC, 4-Euro Cup, 3-Berlin
5, Andrey Abduvaliyev (URS)
82.80, 80.74, 80.36, 78.64, 78.30
5-WC, 1-NC, 4-Berlin
6, Igor Nikulin (URS)
80.62, 80.10, 79.14, 78.32
3-NC, 2-Moscow
7, Aleksandr Seleznyov (URS)
80.62, 80.52, 78.10, 77.86, 77.72
5-NC, 3-Moscow
8, Sergey Litvinov (URS)
79.42, 78.16, 77.80, 76.98, 76.64



FLYING FINN: Seppo Raty

5-St Denis, 2-Schwechat
9, Vasily Sidorenko (URS)
79.76, 79.70, 78.82, 78.04, 77.66
6-NC, 1-Edinburgh, 2-Limerick
10, Juri Tamm (EST/URS)
80.56, 78.94, 78.86, 78.52, 77.88
5-Berlin, 1-Lappeenranta
LITTLE changes here, the Soviets
are everywhere! Sedykh is No.1 (as
in 1976) and other old-timers,
Nikulin, Litvinov and Tamm,
continue to appear (yet they throw
so rarely in the USSR now). Perhaps
the only unexpected happening in
1991 was for France to have two in
the top eight in Tokyo.

JAVELIN

96.96	Seppo Raty (FIN)
91.36	STEVE BACKLEY
90.84	Raymond Hecht (GER)
90.82	Kimmo Kinnunen (FIN)
90.72	Jan Zelezny (TCH)
89.16	Tom Petranoff (RSA)
87.08	Vladimir Sasimovich (URS)
87.06	Juha Laukkanen (FIN)
87.00	Peter Borghind (SWE)
86.32	MICK HILL

Merit

1, Seppo Raty (FIN)
96.96, 91.98, 89.64, 89.62, 89.36
2-WC, 1-NC, 3-Sheffield, 1-Helsinki
(1-1 v Zelezny)
2, Jan Zelezny (TCH)
90.72, 90.40, 89.86, 89.58, 88.78
nq-WC, 1-Zurich, 1-London, 2-
Sheffield, 1-Euro Cup
(3-1 v Kinnunen)
3, Steve Backley (GBR)
91.36, 88.46, 88.24, 88.16, 88.04
nq-WC, 2-Zurich, 2-London, 1-
Sheffield
(2-1 v Kinnunen)
4, Kimmo Kinnunen (FIN)

90.82, 88.48, 87.58, 86.38, 85.90
1-WC, 3-NC, 7-Zurich, 5-Sheffield
5, Tom Petranoff (RSA)
89.16, 87.40, 87.32, 86.56, 85.72
6, Juha Laukkanen (FIN)
87.06, 84.36, 83.40, 82.58, 82.32
2-NC, 1-Brussels, 6-Sheffield, 4-GP
Final
(3-1 v Sasimovich)
(3-1 v Lovegrove)
7, Vladimir Sasimovich (URS)
87.08, 84.76, 84.46, 83.94, 83.56
3-WC, 1-Koblenz, 2-GP Final, 8-
Sheffield
(4-2 v Lovegrove)
8, Gavin Lovegrove (NZL)
85.18, 84.24, 84.22, 83.76, 83.32
4-WC, 3-London, 2-Stockholm
(5-3 v Hill)
9, Mick Hill (GBR)
86.32, 85.98, 85.60, 84.74, 84.54
5-WC, 1-Monaco, 4-Sheffield, 1-AAA
10, Dag Wennlund (SWE)
85.52, 83.42, 83.32, 83.20, 82.66
7-WC, 1-NC, 2-Malmö
This, along with the high jump,
proved to be the only difficult
men's field event to rank at the top
end. Raty and Zelezny had much
the best series of marks - the Czech
lost just twice in 11 meets.
Kinnunen had far too many defeats
(14), while Petranoff's placing can
only be an estimation.

DECATHLON

8844w/8812	Dan O'Brien (USA)
8549	Mike Smith (CAN)
8518	Christian Plaziat (FRA)
8467	Dave Johnson (USA)
8402	Christian Schenk (GER)
8379	Robert Zmelik (TCH)
8318	Petri Keskitalo (FIN)
8306	Antonio Penalver (ESP)
8278	Mikhail Medved (URS)
8267	Simon Poelman (NZL)

Merit

1, Dan O'Brien (USA)
8844w, 8812
1-WC, 1-NC
2, Mike Smith (CAN)
8549, 8427
2-WC, 1-Gotzis
3, Christian Plaziat (FRA)
8518, 8456, 8122
9-WC, 1-Euro Cup, 1-Talence
4, Christian Schenk (GER)
8402, 8394, 8301, 8227
3-WC, 2-Euro Cup, 1-NC, 4-Gotzis
5, Robert Zmelik (TCH)
8379, 8346, 8297, 8090
4-WC, 2-Gotzis, dnf-Talence
6, David Johnson (USA)
8467, 8267
2-NC, 1-Azusa, dnf-WC
7, Mikhail Medved (URS)
8278, 8216, 8092
4-Euro Cup, 3-Gotzis, 2-Talence,
dnf-WC
8, Antonio Penalver (ESP)
8306, 8200, 8152
8-WC, 1-Euro Cup 'B'
9, Simon Poelman (NZL)
8267, 8168
6-WC, 3-Talence, dnf-Gotzis
10, Petri Keskitalo (FIN)
8318, 8002
5-WC, 3-Euro Cup 'B'
O'BRIEN's manner of victory in Tokyo was most impressive and 9,000 points seems just around the corner. A fit Dave Johnson could give America a one-two in Barcelona in an event with at least 10 athletes who are medal contenders.