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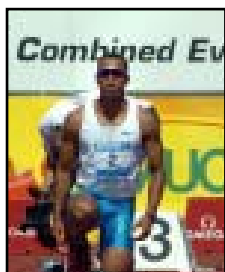
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AMERICANS READY in OSAKA World Champs on Friday-Saturday

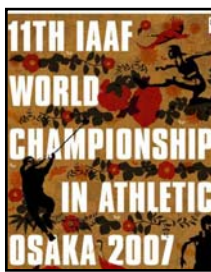
Hello Again....a field of 33 is set for the 11th IAAF World T&F Decathlon August 31-Sept 1, 2007 in Osaka, Japan. This Newsletter will be a last reminder before competition opens Friday morning at 10 am in Osaka, which will be (pm Thursday evening on the east Coast of the US. The defending champ, Bryan Clay, the 2003 champ, Tom Pappas and 3x winner (197-99-01) Tomas Dvorak/CZE are in the field which includes Olympic gold medalist Roman Sebrle/CZE, Olympic bronze medalist Dmitri Karpov and '07 Gotzis winner Andrei Krauchanka/BLR.



Bryan Clay



Jake Arnold



Tom Pappas



Paul Terek

Bryan Clay **27** **NIKE** **Azusa,, California**
SBs: **8493** 10.40-0.5 780+2.0 1574 209 48.41 13.97-0.1 3618 480 6909 4:51.32
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Tom Pappas **30** **NIKE** **Manhattan, KS**
SBs: **8352** 11.00-0.5 750+0.3 1643 205 48.81 14.12+1.9 4634 500 5970 4:59.69
PRs: **8782 ('03)** 10.63 +2.3 796+1.4 1653 221 47.58 13.90+0. 4987 520 6612 4:35.14

Paul Terek **27** **Asics** **San Luis Obispo, CA**
SBs: **8134** 10.81+1.5 729+0.8 1536 202 48.70 14.92+1.4 4679 535 5823 4:27.55
PRs: **8312** 10.81+15 738+2.3 1599 208 48.70 14.92+1.4 4924 570 6114 4:24.38

Jake Arnold **23** **U of Arizona** **Tucson, AZ/Santa Rosa, CA**
SBs: **8215** 11.12+2.0 697nwi 1501 207 48.38 14.20+1.8 4442 530 6009 4:34.22
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Time Schedule:

Friday, August 31

100 Meters	10:00 am
Long Jump	11:00
Shot Put	1:00 pm (13:00)
High Jump	6:30 (18:30)
400 Meters	9:35 (21:35)

Saturday, September 1

110m Hurdles:	9:00 am
Discus	10:00
Pole Vault	1:00 pm (13:00)
Javelin	6:00 (18:00)
1500 Meters	9:30 (21:30)

NB: these are local (Osaka) times and Japan is 13 hours ahead of US East Coast/ So, if you are watching for example, a webcast the 100m will go off at 9:00 pm EDT on Thursday, Aug 30.

Television/Webcast Schedule

The 2007 World Championships will be broadcast in the United States daily on NBC and Versus. The broadcast schedule for the decathlon is as follows. All times Eastern; subject to change; check local listings.

August 30: 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. on Versus

August 31: 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. on Versus

September 1: 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. on NBC

9:00 - 11:00 p.m. on Versus

September 2: 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. on NBC 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. on Versus

Summer results:

Mid Summer/post USA champs results at Atascadero, CA all-comer meets:

July 18- Terek	pv 5.10m/16-8 ³ / ₄ ; disc: 48.60m/159-5; 110mH: 15.30+0.2
July 25- Terek	pv: 5.26m/17-3; disc: 46.06/151-1;
Arnold	pv: 5.16m/16-11; disc: 46.18m/151-6 PR; 110mH: 14.40+1.9
Aug 1- Terek	pv: 5.28m/17-3 ³ / ₄ ; disc: 45.98m/150-10; 110mH: 15.33+0.5
Arnold	pv: 5.15m/16-10 ³ / ₄ ; disc: 44.25/144-3; 110mH: 14.40+0.5

The Field for Osaka:

Bryan Clay	USA	defending champ
Tom Pappas	USA	USA national champ
Paul Terek	USA	
Jake Arnold	USA	NCAA champ
Roman Sebrle	CZE	Olympic champ, WR
Dmitri Karpov	KAZ	Olympic bronze
Andrei Krauchanka	BLR	Gotzis winner
Attila Zsivoczky	HUN	Euro silver
Aleksey Drozdov	RUS	
Maurice Smith	JAM	Pan Am champ
Andre Nicklaus	GER	IAAF indoor hept champ
Romain Barras	FRA	
Arthur Abele	GER	'06 USA vs Germany winner
Aleksey Syoyev	RUS	
Norman Muller	GER	

Alexandr Parkomenka	BLR	
Yordani Garcia	CUB	Pan Am runner-up
Han van Alpen	BEL	
Alberto Juantorena	CUB	Alberto's son
Eugene Mrtineau	Ned	
Tomas Dvorak	CZE	3x winner, 36
Carlos Chinin	BRA	South American champ
Han Olaf Uldal	NOR	ex Missouri, Euro Cup 1 st league winner
Francois Gourmet	BEL	
Qi Haifen	CHN	
Josef Karras	CZE	ex Kansas St
Nicklas Wiberg	SWE	ex world junior champ
Augustin Felix	ESP	
Hamdi Dhoubi	TUN	African champ
Andres Raja	EST	
Vitaliy Smirnov	UZB	
Kun-Woo Kim	KOR	
Hiromasa Tanaka	JPN	