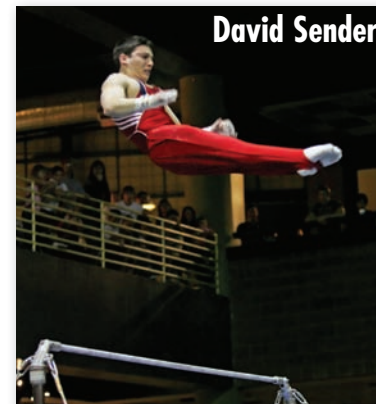


SENDER WINS FIVE MEDALS AT MACCABIAH GAMES

2008 U.S. all-around champion David Sender of Arlington Heights, Ill., won five medals at the 2009 World Maccabiah Games in Tel Aviv, Israel. The U.S. delegation earned 19 total medals.

Sender took three gold medals, winning rings, vault and high bar with 14.65, 15.575 and 14.60, respectively. He earned silver in the all-around with a final score of 84.225 and on pommel horse with a 13.05. Benjamin Rudolph of Naperville, Ill., finished third in the all-around with 80.25. David Frankl of Franklin Lakes, N.J., won bronze on pommel horse with a 12.5 and parallel bars with 12.55. Joshua Steves of Houston, Texas, took bronze on vault with 13.6. Joshua Ungar of Longmeadow, Mass., scored a 13.1 on high bar, earning bronze. Frankl also won gold in the all-around in the junior division, while Steves took bronze.

Simone Freidman of Annandale, Va., and Ilana Gordon of San Carlos, Calif., each earned silver medals in the women's junior division; Freidman on floor with a 12.625 and bars with 10.825, and Gordon on vault with 13.075. Hannah Popper of Forest Hills, N.Y., won bronze on floor with a score of 11.9. ❌



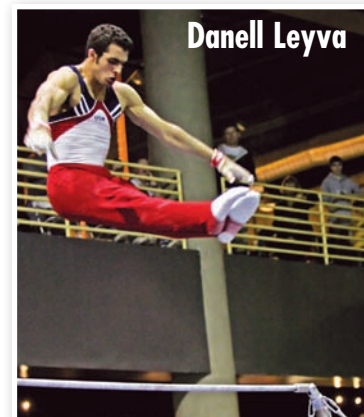
David Sender

U.S. MEN FINISH SIXTH AT JAPAN CUP

The U.S. men finished sixth in the 2009 Japan Cup team competition held July 18. Error and injury contributed to the 258.550 earned by the U.S. team, which included Jonathon Horton, Steven Legendre, Kyle Bunthuwong, Danell Leyva, Tim McNeill, and Sho Nakamori.

Japan won the competition with a total score of 275.500. China finished second with 273.850, and Germany came in third with 266.800. The team competition was decided for the first time by the "5-3-3" format, the system that will be applied at the 2012 London Olympics. The team score consisted of three gymnasts on each apparatus.

Leyva finished seventh overall with a score of 88.500, scoring as high as fourth on high bar with the mark of 15.1. Legendre finished 10th with an all-around score of 84.350, and was third on floor with a score of 15.4. ❌



Danell Leyva

event results

Southeast Missouri State University Wins National Academic Team title

The National Association of Collegiate Gymnastics Coaches/Women announced that Southeast Missouri State University earned the National Academic Team Championship again with a 3.9124 composite team GPA, bolstered by 14 athletes with perfect 4.0s for the year. ☒



The top 10 teams are: (school, team grade point average)

- | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|
| 1. Southeast Missouri State University, 3.91 | 6. Winona State University, 3.545 |
| 2. Southern Utah University, 3.68 | 7. University of Minnesota, 3.52 |
| 3. Michigan State University, 3.65 | 8. Eastern Michigan University, 3.51 |
| 4. University of Alabama, 3.56 | 9. Ithaca College, 3.47 |
| 5. Hamline University, 3.548 | 10. Brown University, 3.451 |

Stanford wins National Academic Team title

The College Gymnastics Association announced that Stanford University is the first team in men's gymnastics history to win both the national academic team title and the NCAA team championship in the same year. Stanford earned the 2009 national academic title by combining for a team grade point average of 3.394. ☒



The top 10 teams are: (school, team grade point average)

- | | |
|---|---|
| 1. Stanford University, 3.394 | 6. Ohio State University, 3.226 |
| 2. College of William and Mary, 3.335 | 7. University of Minnesota, 3.193 |
| 3. Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 3.275 | 8. University of Michigan, 3.191 |
| 4. Temple University, 3.271 | 9. Pennsylvania State University, 3.132 |
| 5. Springfield College, 3.261 | 10. University of Oklahoma, 3.070 |

LEVEL 9 WESTERN CHAMPIONSHIPS – JUNIOR DIVISION OOPS.

There was an error on the Level 9 Western Championships Junior 1 division results which were printed on page 22 of the July/August issue of USA Gymnastics magazine.

Madeleine Le Scouarnec of Gold Cup placed third on floor and sixth all-around with a score of 37.075. Her name was not included on the results and instead her teammate was listed as sixth all-around. ☒