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MEN:	Name	Trials mark	Games mark	Trials better	Games better	(Rnd)	WOMEN:	Name	Trials mark	Games mark	Trials better	Games better	(Rnd)
100:	Gatlin	9.80	9.79		1		100:	Jeter	10.92	10.81		1	
OT: +1.8	Gay	9.86	9.80		1		OT: +0.9	Madison	10.96	10.85		1	
OG:+1.5	Bailey	9.93	9.88		1		OG:+1.5	Felix	11.07	10.89		1	
200:	Spearmon*	19.82w	19.90		1		200:	Felix	21.69	21.88	1		
OT: +2.3	Mitchell	20.14w	20.51	1		(sf)	OT: +1.0	Jeter*	22.11	22.14		1	
OG:+0.4	Young	20.16w	20.86	1		(sf)	OG: -0.2	Richards-Ross	22.22	22.39	1		
400:	Merritt	44.12	dnf	1		(h)	400:	Richards-Ross	49.28	49.55	1		
	McQuay	44.49	45.31	1		(sf)		Trotter	50.02	49.72		1	
	Nellum	44.80	45.02	1		(sf)		McCorory	50.43	50.33		1	
800:	Symmonds	1:43.92	1:42.95		1		800:	Montano	1:59.08	1:57.93		1	
	Robinson	1:44.64	1:47.17	1		(h)		Gall	1:59.24	2:05.76	1		(sf)
	Solomon	1:44.65	1:42.82		1			Schmidt	1:59.46	2:01.63	1		(sf)
1500:	Manzano	3:35.75	3:34.79		1		1500:	Uceny	4:04.59	dnf	1		
	Centrowitz	3:35.84	3:35.17		1			Rowbury	4:05.11	4:11.26	1		
	Wheating	3:36.68	3:44.88	1		(sf)		Simpson	4:05.17	4:06.89	1		(sf)
Steeple:	Jager	8:17.40	8:23.87	1			Steeple:	Coburn	9:32.78	9:23.54		1	
	Cabral	8:19.81	8:25.91	1				Franek	9:35.62	9:45.51	1		
	Alcorn	8:22.17	8:37.11	1		(h)		Kipp	9:35.73	9:48.33	1		(h)
5000:	Rupp	13:22.67	13:42.99	1			5000:	Culley	15:13.77	15:28.22	1		
	Lagat	13:22.82	13:45.04	1				Huddle	15:14.40	15:20.29	1		
	Lomong	13:24.47	13:48.19	1				Conley	15:19.79	15:14.48		1	(h)
10,000:	Rupp	27:25.33	27:30.90	1			10,000:	Hastings	31:58.36	31:10.69		1	
	Tegenkamp	27:33.94	28:18.26	1				Uhl [4]	32:03.46	31:12.80		1	
	Ritzenheim	27:36.09	27:45.89	1				Bawcom [7]	32:17.06	31:12.68		1	
110H:	Merritt	12.93	12.92		1		100H:	Harper	12.73	12.58		1	
OT: +1.2	Richardson*	12.98	13.04		1		OT: -1.6	Wells	12.77	12.36		1	
OG: -0.3	Porter	13.08	13.41	1		(sf)	OG:-0.2	Jones	12.86	12.48		1	
400H:	Tinsley	48.33	47.91		1		400H:	Demus	53.98	52.77		1	
	Taylor	48.57	48.25		1			Moline	54.33	53.92		1	
	Clement	48.89	49.15	1				Brown	54.81	55.07	1		
20kW:	Barron:	1:23:00.1	1:22:46		1		20kW:	Michta	1:34:53.4	1:32:27		1	
HJ:	Nieto	2.28	2.29		1		HJ:	Lowe	2.01	1.97	1		
	Kynard	2.28	2.33		1			Barrett	2.01	2.03		1	
	Williams [4]	2.28	2.25	1				Acuff	1.95	1.85	1		(q)
PV:	Walker	5.67	nh	1			PV:	Suhr	4.60	4.75		1	
	Scott	5.60	5.50	1		(q)		Holliday	4.55	4.45	1		
	Miles [4]	5.60	nh	1		(q)		Janson	4.50	4.40	1		(q)
LJ:	Goodwin	8.33	7.80	1			LJ:	Reese	7.15	7.12	1		
	Clay	8.23w	8.12	1				Hayes	7.10	6.37	1		(q)
	Kitchens	8.21	6.84	1				DeLoach	7.08w	6.89	1		

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<i>Name</i>	<i>mark</i>	<i>mark</i>	<i>better</i>	<i>better</i>	<i>(Rnd)</i>		<i>Name</i>	<i>mark</i>	<i>mark</i>	<i>better</i>	<i>better</i>	<i>(Rnd)</i>	
TJ:	Taylor	17.63	17.81	1			TJ:	Smock	13.94	13.61	1		(q)
	Claye	17.55	17.62										
SP:	Hoffa	22.00	21.23	1			SP:	Camarena-Williams	19.16	18.22	1		(q)
	Whiting	21.66	20.64	1				Carter	18.57	19.42		1	
	Cantwell	21.28	21.19	1				Brooks	18.34	17.72	1		(q)
DT:	Brooks	65.15	61.17	1		(q)	DT:	Brown Trafton	65.18	63.01	1		
	Rome	63.35	59.57	1		(q)		Thurmond	62.23	59.39	1		(q)
	Young	62.15	62.18			1 (q)							
HT:	Johnson	74.97	74.95	1			HT:	Campbell	71.80	69.93	1		(q)
	Kruger [3]	73.93	72.13	1		(q)		Bingson	71.78	67.29	1		(q)
								Cosby	70.77	69.65	1		(q)
JT:	Kinsley [3]	79.92	78.18	1		(q)	JT:	Borman	61.51	59.27	1		(q)
	Furey [4]	77.86	72.81	1		(q)		Patterson	59.79	56.23	1		(q)
	Hostetler [5]	77.63	75.76	1		(q)		Hamilton	58.04	57.92	1		(q)
Dec:	Eaton	9,039	8,869	1			Hep:	Fountain	6,419	dnf	1		
	Hardee	8,383	8,672			1		Day	6,343	6,232	1		
								McMillan	6,188	5,688	1		

<u>Summary:</u>	<i>Trials</i>	<i>Games</i>		<u>Summary:</u>	<i>Trials</i>	<i>Games</i>	
	<i>better</i>	<i>better</i>			<i>better</i>	<i>better</i>	
<i>Totals:</i>	36	19		<i>London 2012 total:</i>	34	21	
<i>Pct.:</i>	65.5%	34.5%			61.8%	38.2%	
<i>Sprints & Hurdles (5):</i>	7	8	53.3%	<i>Sprints & Hurdles (5):</i>	4	11	73.3%
<i>Middle Distances (2):</i>	2	4	66.7%	<i>Middle Distances (2):</i>	5	1	16.7%
<i>Distances (3):</i>	9	0	0.0%	<i>Distances (3):</i>	4	5	55.6%
<i>Jumps (4):</i>	7	4	36.4%	<i>Jumps (4):</i>	8	2	20.0%
<i>Throws (4):</i>	10	1	9.1%	<i>Throws (4):</i>	10	1	9.1%
<i>Combined (1):</i>	1	1	50.0%	<i>Combined (1):</i>	3	0	0.0%
<i>Track (13):</i>	18	12	40.0%	<i>Track (13):</i>	13	17	56.7%
<i>Field (8):</i>	17	5	22.7%	<i>Field (8):</i>	18	3	14.3%
<i>Daegu 2011:</i>	42.5	11.5		<i>Daegu 2011 total:</i>	36	16	
<i>Pct.:</i>	78.7%	21.3%		<i>27.5 of 106: 25.9%</i>	69.2%	30.8%	