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STORY HEADLINE: USA'S TRENTON COWLES WINS MEN'S ARCHERY INDIVIDUAL RECURVE AT THE YOUTH OLYMPIC GAMES BUENOS AIRES 2018

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STORY SCRIPT:

Trenton Cowles of the USA took just nine arrows to claim gold in the men's Archery Individual Recurve at the Youth Olympic Games Buenos Aires 2018.

He beat Akash Akash of India 6-0 at the Youth Olympic Park. Athletes have three arrows per set, with two points for winning the set and one each for a drawn set. The first to six points wins.

Cowles proved too powerful for Akash, who had no answer to the American’s accuracy, and Cowles easily completed the shoutout to take his place on top of the podium.

Belgium's Senna Roos claimed bronze, beating Artem Ovchynnikov of the Ukraine 7-3 in the bronze medal match.

Buenos Aires 2018 is the third edition of the Summer Youth Olympic Games (YOG) to be held, bringing together the world’s best young athletes between the ages of 15 and 18. For the first time in Olympic history the Games will have gender equality, with equal numbers of males and females competing in the 32-sport programme.

Almost 4,000 athletes from 206 National Olympic Committees will be competing for 1,250 medals. The Youth Olympic Games Buenos Aires 2018 feature new sports and many new disciplines and events, reflecting the passions of the ‘Game Changers’, a new generation of athletes and fans.

The event offers a glimpse into the future of the Games as the new programme will introduce several innovations that will be replicated at the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.

The first Summer Youth Olympic Games took place in Singapore in 2010. The second edition was held in the Chinese city of Nanjing in 2014.
SHOTLIST:

00:04 Multiple action shots Men’s Archery Individual Recurve
00:25 Trenton Cowles celebrating his victory
00:30 Cowles from the USA being awarded his Gold medal

00:37 SOUNDBITE: Trenton Cowles, USA, Men’s Archery Individual Recurve Youth Olympic Champion (English Language)
“I don’t know, I feel honored, happy, excited, I don’t know, all kinds of emotions right now.”

00:45 Shot of Trenton Cowles during action

00:48 SOUNDBITE: Trenton Cowles, USA, Men’s Archery Individual Recurve Youth Olympic Champion (English Language)
“I relaxed, shot my shots, and I know I can get the gold medal if I just do what I do best.”

00:56 Medalists posing for a photo

00:59 SOUNDBITE: Trenton Cowles, USA, Men’s Archery Individual Recurve Champion (English Language)
“It means everything, It means all my hard work has paid off, all the support of my family and friends has paid off. It means everything.”

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