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STORY HEADLINE: RAM & BUMBLEBEE WIN FIRST EVER BREAKING GOLD MEDALS AT YOUTH OLYMPIC GAMES IN BUENOS AIRES ON MONDAY

DATE: 8 October, 2018

LOCATION: Buenos Aires, Argentina

LANGUAGE: English, Japanese

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STORY SCRIPT:

The first ever Breaking gold medals in an Olympic competition were awarded at the Youth Olympic Games Buenos Aires 2018 on Monday.

The B-Girls Gold Medal Battle was between Ram of Japan and Emma of Canada, with Ram taking the gold medal with a 4-0 win, having swept through the whole competition without dropping a point.

Yell of Korea beat Matina of Russia to take the bronze medal.

The B-Boys Gold Medal Battle saw Bumblebee of Russia beat Martin of France 4-0, with the bronze medal going to Shigekix of Japan who beat Axel of Poland, also 4-0.

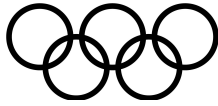
Breaking, (also called B-Boying or B-Girling) is an urban dance style. The urban dance style originated during the 1970s in the Bronx borough of New York City. The earliest innovators of breaking were African-American and Puerto Rican youth.

The competition consists of battles between two breakers teams. Each battle consists of a fixed number of rounds. Each round is judged by five judges while two referees (head judges) are overseeing the battle against six criteria:

Creativity/Personality/Technique/Variety/Performativity/Musicality.

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 Emma warming up ahead of the B-Girls Breaking Gold Medal Battle

00:06 Ram warming up

00:08 Shot of the introduction of the B-Girls Breaking Gold Medal Battle

00:12 Multiple shots of Ram in action

00:31 Shot of the B-Girls finalists congratulating each other

00:34 SOUNDBITE: Ram, B-Girls Breaking Youth Olympic Champion (Japanese Language)

“分かるやつは英語で喋っても大丈夫ですか。”

As for what I know, may I speak in English?

00:37 Shot of the B-Girls Champion, Ram, celebrating

00:42 SOUNDBITE: Ram, B-Girls Breaking Youth Olympic Champion (Japanese Language)

“音楽で楽しんで自分を全部出し切ることです。”

Just exert yourself to the utmost by enjoying the music.

00:47 Wide shot of the action of the B-Girls Breaking Gold Medal Battle

00:49 SOUNDBITE: Ram, B-Girls Breaking Youth Olympic Champion (Japanese Language)

“自分もやっぱり嬉しいので、やっぱり周りの友達とか、今日来てくれた、日本から来てくれたお母さんとか、自分のチームメイトとかがすごい喜んでくれるし、まあ、ちょっとしか恩返し出来ないけど、まあなんか少し恩返し出来た感じで、すごい嬉しいです。”

I feel delighted, of course, my friends, my mom who came from Japan today and my teammates are delighted as well. And this is what I can do to reciprocate the love and affection I get from them. I feel so delighted.

01:14 Action of the B-Girls Breaking Gold Medal Battle champion, Ram

01:17 SOUNDBITE: Ram, B-Girls Breaking Youth Olympic Champion (Japanese Language)

“ええと、先程言ったように、やっぱり一個一個の戦いを楽しむことです。”

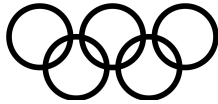
Well, as I mentioned, just enjoy the challenge in each game.

01:23 Shot of the introduction of the B-Boys Breaking Gold Medal Battle

01:27 Multiple action shots of the B-Boys Breaking Gold Medal Battle, Bumblebee

01:43 Shot of the B-Boys finalists congratulating each other

01:49 Multiple shots of the B-Boys Breaking Champion Bumblebee celebrating



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01:56 Bumblebee on the podium
01:59 Close up of Bumblebee getting his gold medal
02:04 Close up of medallists

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