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STORY HEADLINE: CHINA WIN GOLD IN THE WOMEN'S 10M PLATFORM DIVING EVENT AT THE YOUTH OLYMPIC GAMES BUENOS AIRES

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LOCATION: Buenos Aires, Argentina

LANGUAGE: English, Chinese

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STORY SCRIPT:

The diving competitions at the Youth Olympic Games in Buenos Aires got underway on Saturday.

The first event to be decided was the women's 10 metre platform dive.

A morning preliminary round saw the field whittled down from 35 competitors to 11 with the final set to take place in the evening.

It was Shin Lan of China who clinched the gold.

She was in fourth place after her first dive - a forward 3 ½ somersaults in the pike position - yielded her 63 points.

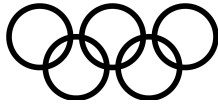
But she stepped things up for the second of her four dives with an inward 3 ½ somersault tuck dive which gave her 78.40 points.

Shin Lan continued to dominate from there, produced the highest scoring dives of the final two rounds and took the gold medal with a points total of 466.50.

The silver medal went to Sofiia Lyskun - the leader after the first round with a score of 75.20 for her first dive.

Lyskun scored 406.10 overall, just edging out bronze medalist Gabriela Agundes Garcia who scored 405.55 points.

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.



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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 Shot of Shin Lan diving

00:14 Close shot of Shin Lan's coach reacting to the dive

00:17 Shot of Shin Lan diving

00:29 Close shot of Shin Lan and her coach speaking after a dive

00:31 Shot of Shin Lan diving

00:41 Shot of Shin Lan stepping onto the podium

00:46 Shot of Shin Lan receiving her gold medal

00:51 Close shot of Shin Lan holding up her gold medal

00:53 Shot of the Chinese flag being raised and Shin Lan singing the national anthem

01:00 SOUNDBITE: Shin Lan, Women's 10m Platform Champion (Chinese Language)

“当然我们也为了备战这个也很辛苦。”

Of course, we were also very hard to prepare for this.

01:05 Shot of Shin Lan diving

01:12 SOUNDBITE: Shin Lan, Women's 10m Platform Champion (Chinese Language)

“谢谢，主要是国家支持，父母的支持，还有我们教练的支持。”

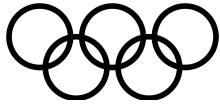
Thanks to our country, my parents and our coaches.

01:20 Shin Lan walking out of the pool

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