

General Review 2018 PyeongChang Olympic Games

PYEONGCHANG - The general review for the PyeongChang 2018 Olympic Winter Games.

- A record equalling 22 different NOCs won a gold medal at the PyeongChang Games (including OAR), equalling the record set in Sochi four years ago.
- A record 30 different NOCs won a medal at the PyeongChang Games (including OAR), breaking the record of 26 NOCs winning a medal which was set in 2006, 2010 and 2014.
- USA won a medal in 11 different sports, a new single Winter Games record among all NOCs.
- Marit BJOERGEN (NOR) broke the all-time record for most medals won at the Olympic Winter Games. She won five medals in PyeongChang, bringing her total to 15 and putting her ahead of biathlete Ole Einar BJOERNDALLEN (NOR, 13 medals).
- In PyeongChang, BJOERGEN won her seventh and eighth gold medal at the Olympic Winter Games, equalling the record set by BJOERNDALLEN and cross-country skier Bjoern DAEHLIE (NOR).
- Norway and Germany won 14 gold medals each, equalling the single Winter Games record set by Canada in 2010 (14).
- Norway won 39 medals at PyeongChang 2018, breaking the record of most medals won by one NOC at a single Winter Games: 37 by USA in 2010.
- Ester LEDECKA (CZE) won the ladies' super-G in Alpine skiing and the ladies' parallel giant slalom in snowboard. She became the third athlete, and first woman, to win gold in two different sports at a single Olympic Winter Games, after Johan GROETTUMSBRATEN (NOR, 1928) and Thorleif HAUG (NOR, 1924) both achieved this feat in Nordic combined and cross-country skiing.
- Jorien TER MORS (NED) won gold in the ladies' 1000m in speed skating (long track) and bronze in the ladies' 3000m relay in short track. TER MORS and LEDECKA are the only women in history to win a medal in two different sports at a single Winter Games.
- Ski jumper Noriaki KASAI (JPN) participated for a record eighth time at the Olympic Winter Games.
- Hungary's men's short track relay team won the NOC its first gold medal at the Olympic Winter Games. Hungary previously won two silver and four bronze medals, all in figure skating and most recently in 1980.
- Alina ZAGITOVA (OAR) became the youngest medallist at PyeongChang 2018, winning silver in the figure skating team event aged 15 years and 270 days. She also won gold in the singles event, making her the youngest Olympic champion at these Games.
- At 44 years and 255 days, Riikka VALILA (FIN) became the oldest medallist at these Olympic Winter Games. She won a bronze medal with Finland in the women's ice hockey tournament.