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Canadian records falling at world championships

TORONTO (September 17, 2004) – Canada's women took seven seconds off the Canadian record in the 4x25m Manikin Relay to place first in the B-Final last night with a time of 1:41.66 at the National Teams World Lifesaving Championship. Setting the new Canadian record were Jennifer Allison (Ontario), Véronique Comtois (Québec), Stephanie Hatt (Ontario), and Hayley John (British Columbia).

In other results:

100m carry with fins

Jeff Arthurs placed 18th in the prelims breaking his Canadian record with a time of 57.42

100m rescue medley

John Eddolls placed 14th in the prelims breaking his Canadian record with a time of 1:11.97

4 x25m manikin relay

John Arthurs, John Eddolls, Dustin Hersee, and Jonathan Howard placed 5th in the A-Final with a time of 1:21.97 eclipsing the previous Canadian National Team record of 1:26:90 (but just shy of the Canadian record held by the Canadian Forces of 1:21.78).

4 x 50m medley relay

John Arthurs, John Eddolls, Dustin Hersee, and Jonathan Howard placed 10th in the prelims in a new Canadian record time of 1:38.90

4 x 50m obstacle relay

Jeff Arthurs, John Eddolls, Dustin Hersee, and Jonathan Howard placed 13th in the finals in a new Canadian record time of 1:48.18.

100m tow with fins

Jonathan Howard placed 1st in the B-Final with a time of 59.69.

Stephanie Hatt placed 2nd in the B-Final with a time of 1:07.94.

Masters party tonight following the conclusion of their division's events. National Teams enjoy a weekend of open water competition, and Interclub Teams prepare for competition starting Monday.

Results are posted at www.rescue2004.com.