

results - DAY 7

NATALIA MOLCHANOVA FREEDIVES 100m!!

We knew she can do this depth in Constant Weight (and she has done it before a year ago, but lost the record due to a judging technicality), but after 3 black outs in Dean's Blue Hole, some people might have wondered if Natalia would leave Vertical Blue empty-handed. Today Natalia donned her lucky yellow suit (the new red one was too thin it seems) and finally made it official for the books, with a dive time of 3:42. The indomitable Russian once again has all the female records in competitive freediving.

This was the 28th freediving world record set in Dean's Blue Hole.

Other than this historic dive, it was a day for early turns at Vertical Blue. The only exceptions were another pair of national records for Chile's Simon and Macarena, and a confident dive to 106m CWT from Walter Steyn, which means he now ranks 9th in the world in both this discipline and CNF.

You can see more photos and dive profiles from the event at the Vertical Blue Facebook page [here](#).

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Athlete	Nationality	Discipline	Announced depth	Realised depth	Dive time	Card	Penalties	Points
Macarena Benitez	CHI	FIM	25	25	1:04	✓		25
Niki Roderick	NZL	CNF	55	DNS				
Junko Kitahama	JAP	FIM	60	54	2:33	early	7	47
Jyri Vehmaskoski	FIN	CWT	68	63	2:02	early	6	57
Lena Jovanovic	SRB	CWT	68	34	1:03	early	34	0
Carolina Schrappe	BRA	CWT	71	58	1:33	early	14	44
Walter Steyn	AUS	CWT	106	106	3:34	✓		106
Carla-Sue Hanson	USA	CNF	49	46	2:00	pulling		0
Simon Bennett	CHI	FIM	52	52	2:16	✓		52
Alfredo Romo Hernandez	MEX	CWT	62	DNS				
Igor Liberti	SUI	FIM	73	73	2:57	✓		73
Natalia Molchanova	RUS	CWT	100	100	3:42	✓		100
William Trubridge	NZL	CWT	119	105	3:07	early	15	90
Dave Mullins	NZL	CWT	122	101	2:51	early	22	79

light blue are national records, dark blue are world records

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