



World TKD Championships South Korea

CARLOS Martin: The World Cup today began with individual patterns. The competitors of our team had the following results:

Maximiliano Montiel: He won to the competitor from Puerto Rico and lost against Malaysia. He demonstrated that with hard work he has a promising future.

Ricardo Rodríguez: He won to United Kingdom competitor and lost undeservedly before Japanese after a tie.

Francisco Espeche: He won against Puerto Rico and lost with USA.

Mariano Molina: He lost against Korea competitor.

Alejandro Veyssiere: He won against USA and lost against United Kingdom, in my opinion and most of the audience, this competitor was the best of the event, but the inexperience of the referees granted him only the Silver medal.

Christian Oriolani: He won to the Korean competitor and lost against the Argentinean.

I would like to highlight the impressive level in patterns from second to fourth Dan categories.

In the afternoon, team patterns would afford us a new happiness. We eliminate to Italy and we arrive to USA convinced of having won after an excellent execution, but regrettably the umpires level was very below the competitors, and after a tie the judges decided to give the honour of the final to USA. In the final USA won against Japan, and the umpires were wrong again. We won a new bronze medal for Spain.

The team sparring against Netherlands was for them 3 to 1 and after two more matches against Russia and Ireland, they beat to Italy (One more time the judges was wrong).

Tomorrow breaking competition.

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