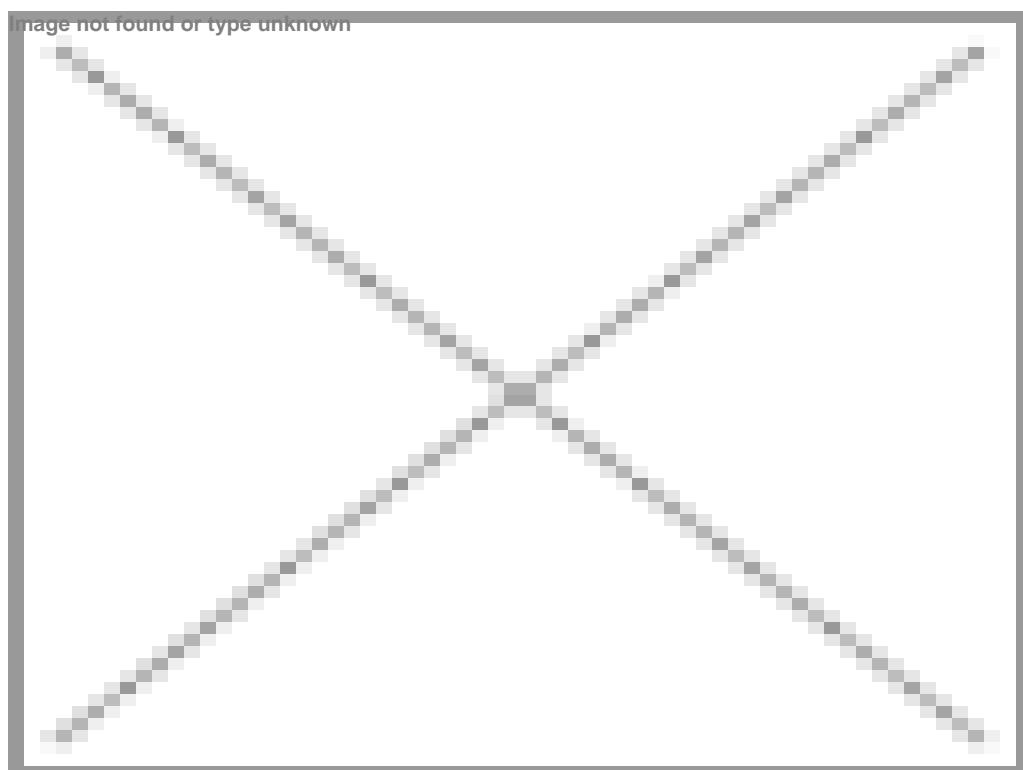


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POLAND HOLD NATIONAL RANKING COMPETITION & TRIATHLE IN DRZONKÓW



**THIS WEEKEND SAW THE POLISH
NATIONAL RANKING COMPETITION
TAKE PLACE IN DRZONKÓW. IT WAS
THIRD SUCH AN EVENT THIS YEAR IN
MODERN PENTATHLON AND THE
SECOND TO HOLD A TRIATHLE EVENT.
THE COMPETITIONS WERE WON BY
REMIGIUSZ GOLIS AND PAULA**

MARKOWSKA IN PENTATHLON RESPECTIVELY AS PIOTR DZIURSKI AND AGNIESZKA SKOWYRSKA TOOK THE TRIATHLE CROWNS.

(Words by Wojciech Nowakowski)

The men's pentathlon competition started with swimming where the fastest was Remigiusz Golis whose time of 1:54.38 saw him go top of the leaderboard after the first event. Second place went to Micha? Gralewski who was 2.25 secs slower than Golis, while in third came Przemys?aw Kryczka, 8.81 secs behind Golis.

In fencing, the winner was Szymon Sta?kiewicz, who won 36 out of 42 bouts, five more than Micha? Radzanowski and seven more than ?ukasz Olszak and Bartosz Hoffmann who were tied in third. In the overall classification the lead was kept by Golis, with Olszak second and Hoffmann third.

In riding Przemys?aw Kryczka was the only one who achieved the maximum result of 300 points. At the top of the classification after three events were however athletes who got 7 penalty points with Golis keeping his lead, whilst Micha? Gralewski went up to second position as Krzysztof Kuruc found himself in third place.

Kryczka however achieved the best result of the combined event (11:33.45) which gave him first place in the Junior category, 4 secs ahead of Gralewski. Both however lost in the overall classification to Remigiusz Golis, who crossed the finish line six seconds before Kryczka.

MEN FULL RESULTS

The women's competition began with fencing. The winner was Paula Markowska who won 35 out of 45 bouts. Second place with 33 victories went to Marta Kobecka, while in the third position Natalia Ko?uchowska and Katarzyna Jankowska shared position after both claimed 30 wins on the pistes.

In swimming the best time (2:15.82) was achieved by Marta Makowska. Marta Kobecka was 3.77 secs slower in second while in third came Paula Markowska . In the overall classification Markowska, was ahead of Kobecka and Makowska in second and third respectively.

In the riding, two athletes, Natalia Ko?uchowska and Martyna Jankowiak, achieved the maximum result of 300 points. After three events the lead was taken by Kobecka, who leapfrogged Markowska.

Paula Markowska however came back to first position after the combined event as she crossed the finish line 71 seconds before Marta Kobecka. Third place went to Marta Makowska, the best in the Youth A category, who lost 127 seconds to the winner.

WOMEN RESULTS

In the boys' triathle competition the winner was Piotr Dziurski, while Pawe? D?browski was second and Damian Ko?odziej was third.

The Girls' competition was won by Agnieszka Skowyriska, ahead of Natalia Dominiak and Patrycja Markowicz.

BOYS' RESULTS - GIRLS' RESULTS