FEDERATION MONEGASQUE **ATHLETISME**

2019 featured lots of great performances during the course of our two main events.

First, MONACO RUN on 16 and 17 February

- 3 new events on the programme (in addition to the Pink Ribbon Walk):
 - 1,000 metre races on the Saturday
 - o 10K City Trail on the Sunday
 - o two 5K races featuring international athletes.

In the men's event, Franco-Swiss athlete **Julien Wanders** beat the world record for this distance on the road, with a time of 13 minutes and 29 seconds, while **Sifan Hassan**, from the Netherlands, achieved the same feat in the women's event, with a new world record of 14 minutes and 44 seconds.

Then HERCULIS EBS on 11 and 12 July

The women's triple jump event was held at the port on Thursday evening and won by **Yulimar Rojas**, who cleared a height of 14m98. The rest of the competition was held the following day in a packed Louis II Stadium. It was a fantastic evening of athletics.

There was some magical middle-distance running, with **Sifan Hassan**, from the Netherlands, setting a new mile world record of 4:12.33 and passing the 1,500m mark at 3:55.30.

An exceptional men's 800m saw Nigel Amos finish in 1:41.89, the best time since 2012, and the competition featured five top performances of the year:

- Sydney McLaughlin, 400m hurdles, 53.32
- Nijel Amos, 800m
- Soufiane El Bakkali, 3,000m steeplechase, 8:04.82
- Piotr Lisek, pole vault, 6m02, with Mondo DUPLANTIS and Thiago BRAZ clearing 5m92

And not forgetting the duel fought in the triple jump, where **Christian Taylor** (17.87) outperformed **Will CLAYE** (17.75).

Also worth noting were the win by **Justin Gatlin** (9.91) over **Noah Lyles** (9.92) and the outstanding performance by **Kendra Harrison** in the 100m hurdles (12.43).

2020

MONACO RUN will be held on 15 and 16 February, and the 34th **HERCULIS EBS** MEETING on Friday 10 July, under the new **WANDA DIAMOND LEAGUE** format.

We would like to thank all of our commercial partners for their assistance in the successful hosting of this competition, especially **EBS** and **NIKE**, as well as our institutional partners: the **Government of Monaco, Monaco City Hall** and the **Louis II Stadium**. We are also grateful to the audience at the Louis II Stadium for their passion and readiness to cheer on the athletes' achievements so enthusiastically.



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Tickets for the general public will go on sale in December, but hospitality packages are already available for purchase, including, for the first time at the meeting, the exclusive Loges des Légendes private boxes.