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apan topped the medals table at the Tokyo Olympics after they claimed a stunning home advantage on the opening day of competition.
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Momiji, born on 15th May 2008, is an Olympic gold medallist.

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ustralia's Ariake Arena hosted the Olympic skateboarding competition, which was opened by American skater Carissa Moore, who has been lauded for her freestyle moves.

The 13-year-old's winning run featured a series of tricks that included a reverse 5-0, a 3-0, a 900 and a 50-50 on the quarter-pipe.

Moore's run was met with cheers and applause from the crowd, who were thrilled to see such a young athlete display如此 impressive skills.

American skater Carissa Moore, who has been lauded for her freestyle moves, also impressed in the opening heat.

She was one of the top performers and is expected to challenge for the medal in the final.

In addition to skateboarding, Japan also took home a gold medal in judo, with its female judoka, Ayumi Uekusa, defeating her opponent from Canada in a thrilling final.

The host nation finished the day with a total of eight medals, including four golds, three silvers, and one bronze.

Britain's Tom Daley and his partner Matty Lee claimed gold in the synchronized 10-meter platform diving event, setting a new Olympic record.

Daley, 27, and Lee, 26, outscored their nearest rivals by more than 20 points, with a score of 148.24.

The British divers, who have been training together since 2012, drew on their experience and youthful determination to claim gold in front of a packed crowd at the Aquatics Centre.

Their performance, which included a combination of acrobatics and precision, was a triumph for both the divers and the nation.

Daley, who won a silver medal at the 2016 Rio Games, said after the victory: "I've waited a long time for this, and I'm so happy to have done it "With Matty, we are a team, we are together, and we will always be together."Lee added: "This is a dream come true for us. We've been working hard for this moment for years, and today it finally happened.

In swimming, American swimmer Katie Ledecky claimed her third straight Olympic gold in the 800-meter freestyle.

Ledecky, 24, won the event with a time of 15:25.16, becoming the first woman to win the same individual Olympic swimming title three times.

She overcame expectations and broke the world record, which had stood for 38 years.

Ledecky is a five-time Olympic gold medalist, having won gold in the 400-meter freestyle at the 2012 and 2016 Games and in the 800-meter freestyle at the 2012, 2016, and 2020 Games.

Ledecky's victory was a fitting end to a illustrious Olympic career, during which she set numerous records in the sport.

In track and field, American fencer Tommy Laso won the men's individual foil event, beating his French counterpart, Fabrice Houdart, in a thrilling final.

The 18-year-old Laso, who is currently ranked fourth in the world, showcased his talent and skill, earning the gold medal in front of a packed crowd at the Nippon Budokan.

Laso's win was a significant moment in his career, as he has been a rising star in the sport.

His victory was met with cheers and applause from the crowd, who were thrilled to see such a young athlete take home Olympic gold.

Today's medal haul is a testament to the host nation's strong performance at the Games.

With a total of eight medals, including four golds, three silvers, and one bronze, Japan has demonstrated its ability to compete at the highest level in a variety of sports.

Spain also had a strong day, with a gold medal in men's basketball and a bronze in men's hockey.

The Spanish team defeated France in the basketball final, cementing their status as one of the tournament's top performers.

In hockey, Spain's men's team avenged their loss to South Korea in the quarter-finals, winning the bronze medal with a 5-2 victory.

The team's performance was a highlight of the hockey competition, as they faced tough competition from the likes of South Korea and England.

With a total of six medals, Spain is the third-highest medal winner of the Olympic Games so far, behind Japan and China.

Other notable performances included a gold medal in women's football for Australia, who defeated Brazil 2-1 in the final.

In athletics, Russian gymnast Aliya Mustafina won the vault, adding to her already impressive collection of medals.

Mustafina, 28, has won a total of four Olympic medals, including two golds.

Her victory was a fitting end to a illustrious career, during which she set numerous records in the sport.

In boxing, Russian boxing duo Denis Shafikov and Andrei Kudryavtsev won gold in the men's featherweight and lightweight divisions, respectively.

The duo's performance was a testament to their skill and dedication, as they have been training together for years.

In tennis, Japan's Kei Nishikori and the United States' Taylor Fritz won the men's doubles title, while Russia's Andrey Rublev and Norway's Casper Ruud won the men's singles.

In archery, South Korea's Kim Yeon-Ok won the women's individual archery title, adding to her already impressive collection of medals.

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