

## London 2012 Olympic Games - Final Wrap



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With the London 2012 Olympic Games drawing to a close, read our final wrap of the Gymnastics results.

Josh Jefferis started Australia's Olympic Games competition. After finishing 27th, Jefferis became eligible for the All-Around Final with countries only allowed two representatives each in the top 24 standings. Whilst Jefferis didn't secure a medal, he now holds the title of Australia's best Men's Artistic Gymnastics All Around Olympic Games result ever, placing 19th in the All Around Individual Final.

During the Women's Qualification Round, Larrissa Miller competed tremendously well on the Uneven Bars. Miller had the most difficult routine of the Australian gymnasts and completed a well executed routine with a great dismount.

Congratulations also to Emily Little and Ashleigh Brennan who competed in the Women's Individual All Around Final at the London 2012 Olympic Games, placing in 15th and 20th respectively. Little improved her qualifying score on all apparatus and lifted her overall ranking significantly. Brennan also improved on her total qualification score as well as her individual apparatus scores on both Uneven Bars and Beam.

Lauren Mitchell achieved the highest ever individual result for an Australian Women's Artistic Gymnast at the Olympic Games, finishing 5th in the Women's Floor final. Mitchell's routine was judged to have the second highest difficulty score, second only to gold medallist Alexandra Raisman. Mitchell managed to land all of her tumbling lines which had been causing her trouble in the lead up to the event and was only 0.066 away from a bronze medal.

Two-time Olympian, Georgia Bonora was the fifth member of Australia's Women's Gymnastics Team and competed strongly on Uneven Bars and Beam during the Qualification Round, unfortunately having a very uncharacteristic fall in her Beam routine.

Blake Gaudry, Australia's sole Men's Trampoline competitor at the London 2012 Olympic Games, achieved a personal best and Olympic record for the highest degree of difficulty as well as the second highest Time of Flight score for his set routine. Gaudry placed 13th with a total score of 84.255

Janine Murray finished her Olympic Games competition on a high, with her best apparatus score moving her up two places on the leaderboard during the second day of the qualification round. Murray performed a beautiful Ribbon routine, achieving a score of 25.0 which placed her 19th for this apparatus. Finishing in 22nd position, Murray was the second placed wildcard in the Individual All-Around competition.

Every gymnast who competed at the London 2012 Olympic Games should be proud of their achievements and will now be forever known as an Olympian!