

Newsletter

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OVERALL RANKING : EGYPT CONSOLIDATES ITS LEADERSHIP !

A difference of 29 medals separates Egypt, leader of the 12th RAG competitions' overall ranking from South Africa, second in the classification. Egypt is now holding 66 medals, including 21 gold, 27 silver and 18 bronze, while South Africa won 37 medals (17 gold, 14 silver, 6 bronze).

Algeria, which has lost the second position yesterday, continues to fight to recover it

but still without much success, knowing that South Africa is ahead with only only a difference of one medal. Up to now, Algeria has won 36 medals (10 gold, 9 silver, 17 bronze). Morocco, too, continues to struggle in order to improve its ranking being three bronze medals only away from the third place.

RANKING			GOLD MEDAL	SILVER MEDAL	BRONZE MEDAL	TOTAL
1		EGYPTE	21	27	18	66
2		SOUTH AFRICA	17	14	6	37
3		ALGERIA	10	9	17	36
4		MOROCCO	10	9	14	33
5		TUNISIA	8	10	12	30
6		IVORY COAST	3	2	5	10
7		NAMIBIA	2	1	1	4
8		GABON	2	0	3	5
9		NIGER	2	0	1	3





U20 FOOTBALL : BURKINA FASO AND NIGERIA REACH THE SEMI-FINALS

End of suspense for group A of the 2019 All-Africa Games football competition. In U-20 men, Burkina Faso and Nigeria qualify for the semi-finals after the Atlas Lion Cubs draw against Nigerian Super Eaglets. A draw not easy to digest for the host country team since it was quite qualified until the 92nd minute of the match, when Emeka equalized for Nigeria. Abba (13th) and Moutaraji (60) pushed the Atlas Lion Cubs to the lead twice while Ibrahim had already equalized in 45th minute. Thus, the final classification of group A: Burkina Faso 7 points, Nigeria 5, Morocco 4, South Africa 0.

Fortunately, Moroccans will be able to console themselves thanks to the qualification of their U20 women. The Lionesses dominated Mali with the score of 4-1, and so got the qualifying ticket to the semi-finals with the perfect score of 9 points. For its part, Algeria also qualified by winning against Equatorial Guinea 1-0. Women's Group A final ranking: Morocco 9 points, Algeria 6, Mali 3, Equatorial Guinea 0.





TEAM JUMPING COMPETITION : AND THE WINNERS ARE...

On Thursday in Rabat, Morocco won during the team jumping event in the equestrian sport of the 12th edition of the All-Africa Games. Thus, Morocco grabs its 8th gold medal. The Moroccan riders scored 1.84 points at the Dar Es Salam Equestrian Sports and Tbourida Complex ahead of Egypt's silver medalist with 3.23 points and Algeria's bronze medalist with 60.97 points.

It was the opportunity for the Vice-President of the Equestrian Sports African Confederation, the Algerian

Fahima Sebiane to welcome the "outstanding" level of organization of the African Games hosted by the Kingdom, making a vibrant tribute to the Moroccan organization team that she considers "extremely performing". "We need to make permanent the organization of championships and meetings at the African level to promote horse riding in the continent," said Sebiane, who also holds the position of vice-president of the Algerian Equestrian Federation.

