



# USSPEEDSKATING EVENT COVERAGE

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## Day 1 Highlights from the ISU's World Cup Speed Skating in Calgary

The ISU's World Cup Speed Skating circuit began today at the Calgary Olympic Oval. The US Speedskating team saw one person make the podium on the first day of racing. **Brittany Bowe** (Ocala, Fla.) grabbed a bronze medal in the first of the two 500m that will be skated this weekend in a personal best time of 37.22.

You can watch on-demand races from all ISU World Cup races on [icenetwork](http://icenetwork.com).

### Highlights from Day 1 (Nov. 13)

- **Sugar Todd** skated a 38.15 in the Women's 500m (1) B Division, .01 off her personal best (Oct. 16, 2015 in Salt Lake City).
- **Mitch Whitmore** skated a season-best 34.57 in the Men's 500m (1) B Division.
- Bowe and **Heather Bergsma** finished 3-4 in the Women's 500m (1) A Division...Bowe skated a personal best 37.22 for the bronze...Bergsma skated a season best 37.29.

### Quote from Long Track Sprint Team Head Coach Matt Kooreman

- "It was a solid start to the season for Team USA. I was very pleased by a personal best and bronze medal from Brittany [Bowe], as well as two strong performances from Mitch [Whitmore] and Sugar [Todd]. The coming weeks and months should be an exciting time for our team."

All results can be viewed [here](#).

The second day of the World Cup Speed Skating in Calgary will consist of the 1000m, Team Pursuit and Team Sprint. Racing is slated to begin at 9:30 a.m. local time.

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