Day 5 Men's Water Polo: Spain-Croatia, Hungary-Italy semifinals

Match 31, 08:00, KOREA 17 NEW ZEALAND 16 in penalty shootout (FT: 12-12. Pens: 5-4)
Match 32, 09.30, BRAZIL v KAZAKHSTAN

Rafael Real (BRA) — Extra man

Match 40, 11:00, CANADA v KAZAKHSTAN

Dejan Savic (SRB) — Head Coach

Match 38, 18:30, ITALY 7 GREECE 6

Daeyong Gwon (KOR) — Two goals

Aleksandar Ivovic (MNE) — Three goals

Match 32, 09.30, KAZAKHSTAN 8 BRAZIL 9

Tamas Sedlmayer (HUN) — Goal scorer

Donn Stewart (RSA)

Match 41, 14:00, GREECE v RUSSIA

Reigning champion Croatia was pushed all the way by Germany before breaking a last-quarter deadlock to win 10-8. Maro Jokovic thought that was not desirable and he fired in two quick goals to bring up his third of the match and 10

Match 38, 18:30, ITALY 7 GREECE 6

On finishing the championships with two wins: "I feel really good because for me the important point is to play the Pan... to three good wins to go to the Olympic Games. We start to feel good after matches and it's good to finish with winning."

Russell McKinnon, FINA Media Committee

Dejan Savic (SRB) — Head Coach

Quarters: 3-3, 2-2, 4-5, 3-2


Match 32, 09.30, BRAZIL v KAZAKHSTAN

BRAZIL:

"That was very tough. I think a small loss of concentration cost us some goals, but it showed us very positive signs to... a very smart way of conveying defence into attacks. All in all, it was a very nice game, very friendly game to play."

On the non-call of penalty on Joe Kayes in the final minute while in front of the goal: "The same situation occurred... was a team effort and the game was so close. We began so well and then they started to score. They have great shooters."

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"I wasn't worried about the Ws and the Ls but two Ws was nice (referring to wins and losses). Every game we made... Our aim is the Pan Ams. We had national championships and only finished on June 16. I didn't get the guys until the 18... of a such a high level and test the defenders is amazing." He is the only player on the team to hail from Chicago.

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Match 33, 11:00, MONTENEGRO 14 JAPAN 7


Match 37, 17:00, HUNGARY 10 AUSTRALIA 9

Strahinja Rasovic (SRB) — Four goals

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