

This was another day of speed in the Winter Olympics at Cortina --- and there was a world and Olympic record time, as a result of the 500-metres skating. It's the first time Russia has entered for the Winter Olympics --- and it's a Russian victory, scored by Eugeniv Grischin.

Now the Men's Cross Country --- a new event in the Olympic Winter Programme --- over a distance of 30 kilometres.

This was a win for Finland --- a Gold Medal; and rousing congratulations for V. ~~Hakulinen~~ Hakulinen.

Women's Cross Country --- 10 kilometres. Another win for Russia and a Gold Medal for Ljuborj Kozyreva.

Two - Man Bobs --- and there were some dangerous thrills on a course made tricky by changeable weather.

First and second places were gained by teams from Italy.