The Olympics Gauntlet

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The Olympics are the world's preeminent international sporting events. Each time it is held it occurs in a different host nation where athletes compete for personal glory, glory for their country, and wealth. While not paid by the International Olympic Committee, athletes will be paid varying amounts by their home nation. Some might not receive anything, but champions often receive a nice bonus. That's not to mention potential sponsorships for those who win gold medals.

The Olympics come in two flavors: the Summer Olympics, which hosts events like Gymnastics and Swimming; and the Winter Olympics, which hosts events like Figure Skating and Ski Jumping. These two Olympic games alternate so that one version will be held every two years. This means that there is a four year gap for each time the Summer Olympics is held, but only a two year gap between the Summer and Winter Olympics.

Of course, this only describes what the modern Olympics are like. The Olympics originated in Ancient Greece around 776 BC and were religious and athletic festivals held every four years at the sanctuary of Zeus in Olympia, Greece.



The gauntlet begins with you at the opening ceremony for the Olympics. You may choose the setting where you will begin and the event you are participating in but will be here for the full course of the Olympics regardless. This will last 16 days for a Modern Olympics setting and 5 days for an Ancient Olympics setting. Your goal is to win a medal or a sacred olive wreath if you

chose the Ancient Greek setting. If you fail to achieve this recognition or die, then you fail the gauntlet and must proceed to your next Jump without any of the rewards, or the perks and items you purchased here. Be warned, the Ancient Greeks didn't give awards for second place, so expect things to be a bit more difficult there.

As this is a gauntlet, you will be competing with only your body mod and you will have to make do with your **+0 Choice Points.**

Please keep in mind that if you have boosted your body mod with anything supernatural, such displays of power will have you disqualified for cheating with performance enhancers so be careful. The gauntlet will end after the Olympics rewards ceremony or the optional celebration party if you choose to stay a bit longer. Good luck.

Setting



Choose which ever setting you desire:

1. **Modern Winter Olympics**
2. **Modern Summer Olympics**
3. **Ancient Greek Olympics** (+200 CP)

Location

If you chose Ancient Greek Olympics, then you will start at Olympia, Greece, at the Sanctuary of Zeus. If you chose Modern Winter Olympics or Modern Summer Olympics, you may choose where the games will be held.

Origin

You may choose your age and gender as you please. You may also choose which events you wish to compete in. Choose at least one event, but you can choose as many as you wish as long as they don't cause a scheduling conflict. See the notes for a list of events.

JumpDoc/Supplement Mode

You may choose to turn this Gauntlet into a standalone JumpDoc or a Supplement and combine it with any Jump you wish. This will provide you with a **+1000 CP** stipend to be used only on this document and, if a Supplement, bring the Olympics into your primary Jump with you being chosen as an Olympic competitor for whichever events you wish. Doing this will also forfeit any Gauntlet rewards. You must compete in the Olympics or you will forfeit all purchases made with this CP. Winning is no longer necessary in JumpDoc or Supplement Mode to keep your purchases.

You may import any version of the Olympics you wish as long as it makes sense. For example, if you import the Ancient Greek Olympics into a world without Greece, you may style it in a

different manner and host it at a different location. As long as the events make sense for the Jump you are importing it into then feel free to alter things as you see fit. Doing this in a supernatural world can allow supernatural games to join the Olympic events.

Drawbacks

Drawbacks cannot be purchased multiple times unless it is stated otherwise.

Nancy Kerrigan (+200 CP)

You have an Olympic rival who sees you as a threat and will stop at nothing to make sure you don't win. Expect escalating attempts of sabotage that will culminate in an assassination attempt before your final performance. Doesn't have to be Nancy Kerrigan.

Faulty equipment (+200 CP)

Something is wrong with the equipment you will be using. If you are a pole vaulter, the pole may be overly rigid and can't give you the lift you need. If you are a track runner, your shoes might be worn down and have a hole in the sole that will make your run painful. You can choose what is wrong, but it must be something that will be difficult to overcome. There also must be something wrong in every event you participate in.

Toxic Fans (+200 CP)

For some reason you became a sensation before the games even began. Unfortunately you drew the wrong kind of attention. Expect stalkers who will try to slip you aphrodisiacs that would show up on drug tests and get you disqualified or lock you in the locker room to force you to listen to them profess their love while you miss the event you signed up for.

Toxic Haters (+200 CP)

It looks like you gained some infamy before the games began. Expect subtle forms of sabotage like laxatives in your drinking water, itching powder in your underwear, or grease on the horizontal bar.

Bad Weather (+200 CP)

Depending on the location, this could take the form of rain, a snowstorm, or a sandstorm. If you are participating in an indoor event then the AC will either be dead, making you feel like you are performing in a sauna, or it will be stuck so high that it will feel like an ice box.

Cheating Cheaters (+200 CP)

It seems like your competitors are all doping to boost their performance. Unfortunately they will get away with it, but if you do the same you will be caught immediately.

Unlikable (+200 CP)

You just give off bad vibes that will cause the audience to dislike you and any potential teammates to resent working with you. The judges will remain professional, but you will be booed and cajoled whenever you perform. Hope you aren't distracted easily.

Injured (+200 CP)

You have a minor injury that will make performing extremely painful. You can tough it out, but it will be difficult and unpleasant.

Tough Judge (+200/400/800 CP)

For some reason one of the judges just doesn't like you. The absolute best you could get out of them is a 9 out of 10 and that's only if you give the best performance they have ever

seen. For 400 CP, that will now become half of the judges and for 800 CP all of the judges will look down on you.

Perks

Perks can be purchased multiple times for an additive increase.

Olympic Swagger (Free)

You can wear any outfit and make it look good. You have the confidence and flair to wear nothing but a speedo and look great doing it. You could even pull off going fully nude like in the Ancient Greek Olympics. Of course this doesn't exempt you from any public decency laws.

Champion Level Confidence (-100 CP)

You have the courage and confidence to stand in front of a crowd of millions or a live broadcast to billions and not miss a beat. You will not flag under pressure and perform at your best no matter what.

Performance Artist (-100 CP)

Beyond skill, many events require artistry to impress the judges. With this you have a natural artistic flair that you can add to any performance and will always impress.

Likable (-100 CP)

The audience loves you and the judges favor you. This doesn't grant you an automatic win, but you will find that judges tend to score you a bit more favorably than your competitors and the audience will cheer for you a bit louder. This carries over into your personal interactions making people more prone to give you the benefit of the doubt and have favorable impressions of you.

When The Stars Align (-100/200 CP)

Whether it is random chance or a twist of fate, things seem to favor you more often than not. You must have been born under a lucky star because in matters of chance you tend to be the winner. In athletic events, this could show itself by you grabbing or being assigned the best equipment by pure chance. Your pole vault will be a bit springier, your running shoes will have a bit of bounce to boost your speed, your swimming outfit will be more hydrophobic, etc. For 200 CP you will gain a toggleable bad luck element that will target your opponents. This could manifest itself by causing them to trip at the start of an event or be distracted by a loud noise or animal at the wrong moment.

Olympic Athlete (-100/200/300 CP)

Choose any Olympic event to gain an "average" Olympic level skill in. For 200 CP you have the skill to contend for a medal. For 300 CP you are the best, competing at the level of Michael Phelps in his prime swimming in the 200-meter butterfly event. You can purchase this multiple times to gain skill in multiple events.

Items

Items may be taken more than once unless otherwise indicated or free. Any items with special effects are guaranteed to not cause accusations of cheating in any sporting event or competition.

Olympic Uniform (Free)

A standard uniform for every event you signed up to compete in. These uniforms are tear resistant and will clean and repair themselves automatically.

Olympic Video (Free)

A video showing the entire course of the Olympics you participated in. It contains a highlight reel of all of your performances.

Olympic Competitor Room and Board (-0/100 CP)

A standard hotel room in a hotel with a professional level gym and swimming pool. This is a private room with room and board already paid for with free room service included. This is free for the duration of this gauntlet or the Jump you attached this to as a supplement. You must pay 100 CP if you wish to keep this.

Super Sneakers (-100 CP)

Weightless sneakers that perfectly form to and support your feet with maximum comfort, breathability, and shock absorption. Comes in any style you wish. Self repairs and cleans itself.

Hydrophobic Swimwear (-100 CP)

Swimwear that perfectly and comfortably fits your form and is completely hydrophobic. This means it completely negates water resistance in the areas it covers. It is slightly insulated to keep your body temperature comfortable and is weightless. Comes in any style you wish and with an optional swimming cap. Self repairs and cleans itself.

Aerodynamic Uniform (-100 CP)

An aerodynamic uniform that completely negates the effect of wind resistance by eliminating drag. It is slightly insulated to keep your body temperature comfortable and is weightless. Can take the form of anything from a track suit to a gymnastics leotard and comes in any style you wish. Self repairs and cleans itself.

Drag-Inducing Uniform (-100 CP)

A drag-inducing uniform that has a high wind resistance to allow for hang time in events like ski-jumping. It is insulated to keep your body temperature comfortable and is weightless. Can take any form or style you wish. Self repairs and cleans itself.

Companions

Import Companion (-100 CP)

You can import all your companions, and they can take drawbacks that do not modify the world and purchase perks and items with the CP gained.

Rewards

Only received if you did not use Supplement Mode. Your mission was to receive a gold medal, silver medal, bronze medal, or a sacred olive wreath as an Olympic Champion and not die. Did you succeed?

Failure

You lose all of the perks and items purchased in this gauntlet. You can keep the Olympic Video item as a consolation prize.

Success

1. You get to keep all of the perks and items purchased in this gauntlet.
2. For proving yourself as an Olympic Champion you can apply three perks purchased from this gauntlet to your bodymod. Something like the 300 CP purchase of “Olympic Athlete” or the 200 CP purchase of “When The Stars Align” only counts as a single perk. If you purchased the 300 CP perk “Olympic Athlete” three times for three different events, then you can apply that to your body mod to make your body mod world class in those three events.
3. After the Awards Ceremony there is an optional week-long celebration that you can attend in the city that hosts your Olympic events. As a champion you will be set up in a luxury 5 star hotel with all amenities paid for. There will be parties every night that you are invited to and all of the bars and clubs will give you VIP treatment for free. You will have an invisible champion halo during this time period that will keep you safe and prevent the negative side effects of any drugs or alcohol you indulge in from affecting you. This means no accidental injury or death, no tabloids ruining your day, and no hangovers or overdoses.

Ending



So the Olympics are over. It has been a wonderful celebration of unity, peace, and sport that hopefully brought foreign nations together in harmony. Whether you are a champion or simply a world-class athlete, life must go on. But your next steps are yours to decide.

Go Home: It’s time to retire and head back to your world.
Settle Down: Maybe I can get on the cover of a cereal box if I stick around.
Continue On: World-class isn’t my limit. Time to aim for multiversal-class!

Notes

This Gauntlet was created by wolfsrun (reddit name: wo1fsrun)

The Olympics are an internationally recognized event that have had various sports added to or removed from its schedule over the years. Due to this a list of events will be provided below to

take place in this gauntlet, however if you have a favored event that is not listed feel free to add it as long as it makes sense in your setting. You can give these events a supernatural spin if you use this as a supplement to a Jump where the supernatural exists openly or remove events that don't make sense in the Jump you have supplemented.

Modern Summer Olympics

1. Archery
2. Artistic Gymnastics
3. Artistic Swimming
4. Athletics (Track & Field)
5. Badminton
6. Baseball(men)/Softball(women)
7. Basketball
8. Basketball 3x3
9. Beach Volleyball
10. Boxing
11. Breaking (Breakdancing)
12. Canoe Slalom
13. Canoe Sprint
14. Cricket
15. Cycling BMX Freestyle
16. Cycling BMX Racing
17. Cycling Mountain Bike
18. Cycling Road
19. Cycling Track
20. Diving
21. Equestrian (Dressage, Eventing, and Jumping)
22. Fencing
23. Flag Football (American Football variant)
24. Football (a.k.a. Soccer)
25. Golf
26. Handball
27. Hockey
28. Judo
29. Karate
30. Lacrosse
31. Marathon Swimming
32. Modern Pentathlon
33. Rhythmic Gymnastics
34. Rowing
35. Rugby Sevens
36. Sailing
37. Shooting
38. Skateboarding

39. Sport Climbing
40. Squash
41. Surfing
42. Swimming
43. Table Tennis
44. Taekwondo
45. Tennis
46. Trampoline Gymnastics
47. Triathlon
48. Volleyball
49. Water Polo
50. Weight Lifting
51. Wrestling

Modern Winter Olympics

1. Alpine Skiing
2. Biathlon
3. Bobsleigh
4. Cross-Country Skiing
5. Curling
6. Figure Skating
7. Freestyle Skiing
8. Ice Hockey
9. Luge
10. Nordic Combined
11. Short Track Speed Skating
12. Skeleton
13. Ski Jumping
14. Ski Mountaineering
15. Snowboarding
16. Speed Skating

Ancient Greek Olympics

1. Boxing
2. Chariot Racing
3. Discus
4. Horseback Racing
5. Javelin
6. Long Jump
7. Pankration
8. Running
9. Wrestling

Changelog

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