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The International Classical Dance Competition has just been held in Bologna - "Yuri Continues" details of this appear in the Gazette but not the results as this only took place on Sunday.

The stadium was full (approximately 3,000 people watching), and many past World Champs giving exhibitions with all proceeds going to Charity in Boliva. An added bonus was when the wife of Pavarotti came and sat with us to watch the whole performance which she enjoyed very much

Our own Dance Champions Nick Loader and Carina Storkey were invited to take part in this Classical Dance Competition, along with 11 other couples, and I am delighted to report they came 4th. They skated the best I have seen them skate and it was a real pleasure to see as they were in a "high class" competition, with two World Champion couples take part, two European Champion couples taking part and many others – results as follows – **Well done Nick and Carina – we are very proud of you.**

1. Marco and Emanuela Bornati World Champions 2002 and 2007
2. Enrica & Gabriene Gasparini Senior European Champions 2006
3. Melissa de Candido/Mirco Pontello World Champions 2005/6
4. **Nick Loader/Carina Storkey**
5. Arianna Bertoni/Andrea Cassanelli Italy
6. Azzurra Spina/Marco Brogi 2nd Senior Europeans 2007
7. Chiara Alberini/Alessandro Spigai Italy
8. Serena Bidoli/Daniel Morandin Junior European Champions 2006
9. Anna Remondini/Alessandro Piva Junior World Champs 2005/6
Senior European Champs 2007
10. Ayeleenn Morales/Oscar Molins Spanish Champions
11. Priscella Brunet/Adrien Vignon French Champions
12. Tiziana Cattozzo/Fabrizio Benini 3rd Senior Europeans 2006

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