

Jenny Jones Xgames 14 GOLD

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Jenny Jones holds on to the X Games slope-style title she won last year with a convincing victory in Aspen

Jenny became the first Briton to win consecutive gold medals at the X Games in Aspen when she retained her Slope-style title.

The 29-year old from Bristol (yes where I am from) is now Britain's most successful snow sport athlete, although she remains virtually unknown in the main.

In slope-style, riders navigate a course that is pitted with rails, bumps and jumps and are judged on the difficulty and execution of their tricks.

â€œI can't believe it, I'm so stoked to have won,â€• she said.

â€œThis time all the top girls were in it, the weather was great and even my folks came over from the UK to watch.â€•

Despite a swollen knee, picked up during the qualifiers, Jenny held off challenges of pre-race favourites Jamie Anderson and Janna Meyen-Weatherby, who were both absent when she won last year.

<http://video.mpora.com/watch/KuPHMEaqB>