



Judith de Nijs, Honor Swimmer, Netherlands, 1964



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She crossed the English Channel in 1969 and won many professional marathon races over both men and women, including the 1964 49.8 km Lake Ontario swim in Canada, the 1965 30.5 km Lake Ohrid race in 8 hours and 5 minutes in Macedonia, the 1965 32 km Capri-Naples 7 hours and 4 minutes and 8 hours and 35 minutes (1967) in Italy, the 1965 40 km Alexandria race in the Suez Canal in 10 hours and 24 minutes in Egypt, the 1966 32 km Lac St-Jean in 8 hours and 38 minutes in Canada, the 1967 16 km Hamilton race in 4 hours and 45 minutes in Canada, the 1968 24-hour La Tuque Relay in Canada, and the 1968 Canalswim Cape Rennes, France to Dover, England in 12 hours and 15 minutes.

She is an inductee in the International Swimming Hall of Fame (2014).

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Dutch Translation

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Ze stak Het Kanaal (Nauw van Calais) over in 1969 en won vele professionele marathon races over zowel mannen als vrouwen, waaronder de 1964 49,8 km Lake Ontario wedstrijd in Canada, de 1965 30,5 km Ohrid Meer race in 8 uur en 5 minuten in Macedonië, de 1965 32 km Capri-Naples in 7 uur en 4 minuten en 8 uur en 35 minuten (1967) in Italië, de 1965 40 km Alexandrium race in het Suezkanaal in 10 uur en 24 minuten in Egypte, de 1966 32 km Lac St-Jean in 8 uur en 38 minuten in Canada, de 1967 10 mijl Hamilton race in 4 uur en 45 minuten in Canada, de 1968 24-uurs La Tuque Relay in Canada, en de 1968 Canalswim Cape Rennes, Frankrijk naar Dover, Engeland in 12 uur en 15 minuten.

Ze is in 2014 een opgenomen in de International Swimming Hall of Fame.