

Evolution of the Winter Olympic Torch

People from all walks of life carry the Olympic Torch for 200m, to convey a message that embodies the exalted ideals of the Olympic movement

1952



Oslo
Norway

1956



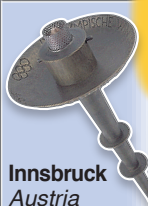
Cortina d'Ampezzo
Italy

1960



Squaw Valley
U.S.

1964



Innsbruck
Austria

1968



Grenoble
France

1972



Sapporo
Japan

1976



Innsbruck
Austria

1980



Lake Placid
U.S.

1984



Sarajevo
Yugoslavia*

1988



Calgary
Canada

1992



Albertville
France

1994



Lillehammer
Norway

1998



Nagano
Japan

2002



Salt Lake City
U.S.

2006



Turin
Italy

2010



Vancouver
Canada

2014

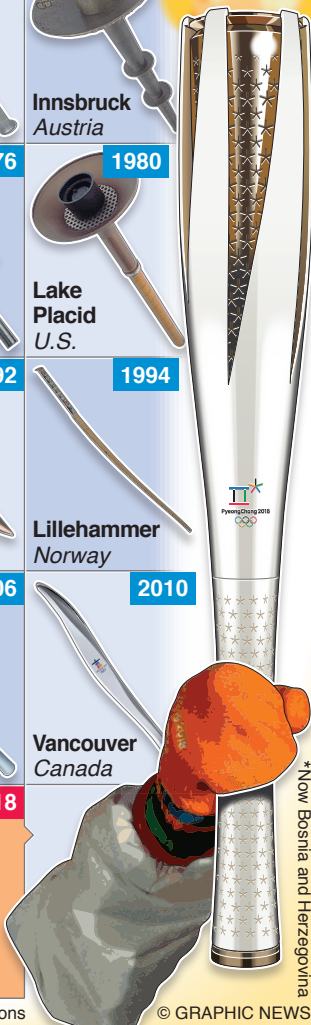


Sochi
Russia

PyeongChang
South Korea

2018

Torch represents Earth's five continents through repeated use of star motifs, which also resemble consonant of second syllable of Korean character for PyeongChang



*Now Bosnia and Herzegovina