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From Heritage Academy, “Happy Autumn” to our global school family!

We have much to be proud of when we tally the many recent academic and golf accomplishments of our remarkable students. At school they are growing in self-awareness, ingenuity, relationship building, and collaborative learning. Project-based learning, critical and creative thinking, synchronized education, and peer collaboration inspire full engagement in class activities and provide students diversity in demonstrating mastery. We witness flourishing talents, student-teacher rapport, and increased responsibility for learning. Each day we celebrate more students surpassing personal bests in their courses and on the golf links.

Congratulations to senior Felix Van Kleef, who has committed to play golf for the University of Nevada-Las Vegas. Our November “NCAA Letter of Intent Signing Ceremony” will recognize Felix and six other Class of ‘19 seniors who have made NCAA commitments to date. Fall semester is such an exciting time on campus as we assist in finalizing the optimal college match for our talented scholar-athletes.

Several other fall activities complement students’ golf training and competitions. Student “community service” leaders will be volunteering for the Island Rec Pumpkin Patch Children’s Festival in October. Student of the Month assemblies, Spirit Days, and NHS Pizza Days highlight the last Wednesday of each month. Classes are enjoying advocacy groups, guest speakers, college rep visits, and field trips. National Honor Society members are starting fundraising for Hilton Head Heroes. Indeed, action and impact describe our busy Heritage/IJGA students this fall!



Best regards,
Gloria Shoemaker and the
Heritage Academy staff

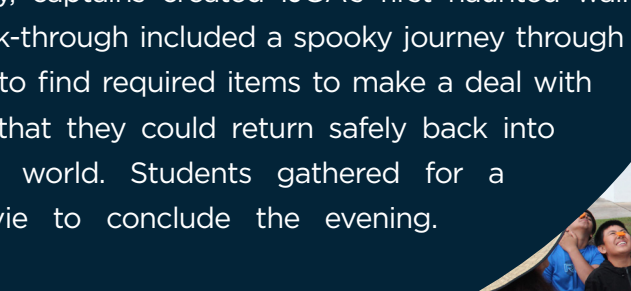


HALLOWEEN

FALL

FESTIVAL

On Saturday, October 27, the IJGA community gathered to celebrate the coming fall season with a grand feast followed by festive activities and a spooky haunted walk-through. The event was conceived and organized by the 2018-2019 IJGA student captains who worked tirelessly in an effort to celebrate with the community. Students took part in activities including football toss, pie eating contest, piñata, relay races and bobbing for apples. Additionally, captains created IJGA's first haunted walk-through. The walk-through included a spooky journey through the afterworld to find required items to make a deal with a guide so that they could return safely back into the real world. Students gathered for a movie to conclude the evening.





LIFE LESSONS: WHAT YOU PUT IN — IS WHAT YOU GET OUT

By IJGA Director of Mental Performance/Character Mentor Skylar Jewell

Imagine you wake up one morning, and to your delight, you receive a note and an envelope containing \$864. WOW! It's your lucky day. You jump out of bed and ask, "Is this for real?" Mind racing into where you are going to spend this money and how it is going to work to benefit you.

With the initial excitement passing, you remember the note attached to the letter. Upon opening the note, you confirm that not only is this money real, but you will be receiving \$864 each day for the rest of your life. You break into your happy dance!

What an opportunity you have before you.

As you re-read the letter, you see a small portion you missed the first time which reads that you must spend the full \$864 each day or the remaining balance will be returned at the end of the day.

What would you do with the money? How would you spend this renewing resource? Many would initially quench their thirst for their favorite shoes, clothes, electronics. Some may

then turn to food and experiences for their enjoyment. At some point, maybe you would even consider sharing some with your family and friends. I'd bet that you would be very strategic with this money and aware just how you would spend it each day.

This would certainly be an incredibly fortunate opportunity. However, what if I told you that the same opportunity has



already been offered to you? Most people believe this is an offer too good to be true. But the opportunity is there for you, every day.

At IJGA, we challenge our captains and work to develop character and leadership in ways that provide every opportunity for our students to realize this same opportunity. We focus first on building a strong sense of self-leadership and self-awareness which allows our students to become more empowered rather than dependent.

These skills allow students to grow and develop as independent leaders, ready to apply their skills into college and develop into the leaders of tomorrow.

Allow me to share a glimpse of this opportunity with you. First take a moment and think of the last thing you ate - maybe a sandwich, cookie, salad, pizza, soup. For clarity, pretend you just crafted and ate a salad with lettuce, carrots, arugula, chickpeas, sliced almonds and as you crafted away instead of sprinkling in your favorite dressing you weren't paying attention and accidentally put in plain mayonnaise. You packed it away for later. Upon opening it and taking your first bite, you realize the lesson ... what you put in to what you do — is what you get out.

In this example lies the key to unlocking your \$864/day dilemma. Your time is one of the most valuable possessions. Knowing this, if you were to receive one penny for each second in a day, you would receive 86,400 pennies — which equates to \$864. You have found your opportunity. Just like the salad, if you are not careful with what you do with your time, you may end up getting exactly what you put in to it.

Those who find the most success are able to pick and choose, remaining cognizant of what they put in and how they use their time in order to reap the greatest return for that time in the future. Your time is like a bank, if you don't give it interest, it will fail to grow into providing more opportunities for tomorrow.



This is not an easy lesson, but one that has significant value. Take this with you and join our challenge to identify the top five areas you are spending your time (*\$864) and consider the quality you are putting in to it (rated 1-10). Maybe there are a few areas you can reinvest to provide the gains you seek in the future.



All in, all your time is up to you ... so in all meanings, spend it wisely!



TOP FINISHES

Hurricane Junior Golf Tour Elite Series at Orange Lake Resort

IJGA students participated in the Hurricane Junior Golf Tour Elite Series held at Orange Lake Resort on The Legends, Kissimmee, Florida, October 13 & 14.

Congratulations to Kota Murata on his win!



Boys Division

1st-place: Kotara Murata - scores of 74 + 69 -- 143

Tied 6th: Erik Fogel - scores of 67 + 81 -- 148

Tied 8th: Beng Keat Lim - scores of 77 + 72 -- 149

Hurricane Junior Golf Tour at Hilton Head Lakes

IJGA students competed in the Hurricane Junior Golf Tour Hilton Head Junior Open held at The Golf Club at Hilton Head Lakes, October 20-21.

Congratulations to Alex Lamarca on taking second-place at the Hurricane Junior Golf Tour held at Hilton Head Lakes, Felix van Kleef for taking fourth-place and Eugene Kang for place fifth in his age division. Alex also had a hole-in-one of the 13th hole during his second round.



Congrats to all!

Boys 16 - 18 Division

2nd-place: Alex Lamarca

- scores of 73-71 --144

4th-place: Felix van Kleef -

scores of 73-73--146

Boys 11 - 13 Division

5th-place: Eugene Kang

- scores of 87-78--165



AJGA Billy Horschel at Eagle Harbor Golf Club

IJGA student Alex Lamarca claimed 5th position in the AJGA Billy Horschel tournament at Eagle Harbor Golf Club, Fleming Island, Florida, October 5 - 8.

Tied 5th: Alex Lamarca - scores of 71 + 68 + 69 for a total of 23 Stableford Points

Down the Stretch with Jonathan Yarwood



What are your top five favorite golf courses that you've ever played?

The course I grew up on, North Shore Golf Club. Not a great course, but spent my childhood there pretty much, so it holds many great memories. St. Andrews — of course!, North Berwick is one of my favorites in Scotland, Gullane is just stunning on a summer evening and Spyglass in California is gorgeous.

Which courses are on your bucket list?

As a player, Augusta and all the British Open venues. As a coach, not many as I have coached at most of them! That's the funniest thing, I traveled the world coaching at my dream courses at tournaments like the Masters, US Open etc., but didn't actually play them!

What's one of your most memorable rounds?

As a player, my first 65 at sixteen years old. As a coach, the last round of the 2005 US Open as I coached the winner Michael Campbell, and he beat Tiger coming down the stretch!

How many "hole-in-ones" have you had? Tell us about them.

One. As a fifteen year old, I found a ball, hit it and holed in one. Then picked it out of the hole and saw that it had a crack in it. Never used it again.



Outside of golf, what do you like to do during your "down" time?

Being with my dog Minnie, walking on the beach, nature and wildlife, cars, world politics and the BBC news — which I watch every evening broadcast from London.

What's your favorite "bad/junk" food?

Been on a strict diet for 6 months and lost 22 lbs. My guilty pleasure occasionally is vanilla ice cream with hot fudge sauce, a small one!

Favorite place you've ever visited?

I've lived in Ireland, New Zealand, England and the US. I've been around the world on tour many times, seeing some great countries and cultures. I love many places for many reasons. New Zealand is stunning, Sydney is fun, New York is crazy, Beijing busy, Thailand hot, Sweden interesting, Italy is cool, but of all the places I've been, I love going back to London. There is so much going on and it has the food I grew up with!

List three things your co-workers probably don't know about you...

1. I am a US citizen.
2. I am not as miserable as I sometimes look.
3. I wish I could speak Italian and Spanish.



FOLLOWING ALUMNI CONGRATULATIONS ALL AROUND!



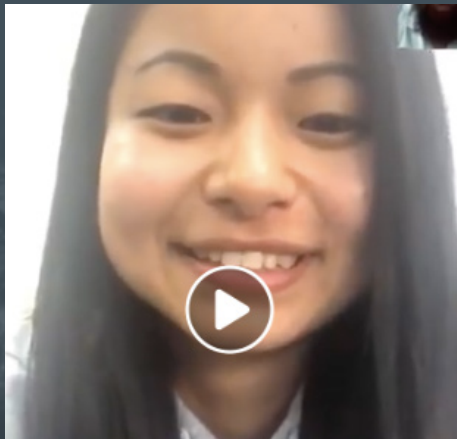
MIND PUANGCHAROEN

IJGA Alumni Mind Puangcharoen, Class of 2015, and Wingate University junior, won the 16th annual Flagler Fall Slam on the first playoff hole at the Marsh Creek Country Club, October 22 & 23, with back-to-back pars of 72-72 during the 36-hole event.



SHISO GO & GEUNTAE KIM

The East Tennessee State University (ETSU) Bucs captured the Bank of Tennessee Intercollegiate title. The Bucs were led by IJGA alumni and ETSU sophomore Shiso Go (Class of 2017) who finished runner-up at 14-under-par 202. The Bucs took the trophy, finishing with a team score of 32-under par 832 at the Blackhorn Club. IJGA alumni and senior at ETSU Geuntae Kim (Class of 2015) tied for tenth-place at 8-under par 208.



FIONA KHAING, CLASS OF 2018

Catch-up with Fiona Khaing, freshman at Western Michigan University, playing on the Women's Golf Team, Interviewed by Shawn Mehring, Director of Strength and Conditioning. Find out what she loves about her college experience.



WHAT DRIVES YOU?



Navyug Rungta

In order to know what someone needs, you first have to know what they want. The reason they get up in the morning. And stay awake at night. That flame that ignited them to start the game. And keeps them playing. When it'd be easier to quit. Some call it passion. We call it drive. Which leads to the question... What Drives You?



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