

THE CHAMPION

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Welcome

2016 got off to another great start. Everyone is focused on what they have come here to do - achieve their dreams. You can feel it in the air at every practice and in every class room. You can feel purpose, focus and desire everywhere. Students are used to their routines and progress is being made with each passing day. Tournament season has begun so, tune in and see what's next.....

CMA World of Sports



Wow, what a group of athletes we have this year! This could be one of our best years ever. Everyone eager and ready to do what it takes to get in shape in preparation for the competitive season. Athletes have prepared by following their sports "periodization" plans so that they can peak for the winter season, and the training has been great.



NEW PROGRAM— We have added Soccer to our arsenal of sports at the academy. Our first soccer player ever, 18 year old George Hajjar from Brazil, here for a semester to train before going to university. George is working with Thomas Anderson from University Sports Program (USP—our college placement partner), and looks to start university in January if all goes well. Good luck George.

Academics



Starting our 4th year, CMA Prep is continually striving to develop the next generation of student athletes. Not only delivering excellence on the courts, course and field, but in the classroom *everyday*.



With new infrastructure, teachers, and an innovative Odysseyware curriculum, the only way to go for CMA Prep is up. We are so excited about the 2016-2017 academic year and the students that will make it great.

Feedback has been phenomenal so far, with more teachers our blended curriculum is challenging the students like never before.

And for our offsite students at Morningside Academy we've come to expect excellence and the students are thriving. See what Paul Humburg (International Program Director) has to say.....

"This school year we have 18 students from CMA attending Morningside, representing twelve countries. Our Japanese quintet leads in the cavalcade of countries. We are also delighted to host our first students from Turkmenistan, Great Britain, and the Czech Republic.

Our CMA 12th graders at Morningside are headlined by the golfing trio of Sachin Kumar, Daisuke Nakano, and Yurika Taneda, all gifted golfers and even better persons! Sachin has verbally committed to Virginia Commonwealth University, and Yurika is being recruited by at least five Division I universities, while Daisuke is also looking at a good golf scholarship.

Christmas Vacation Planning: The last final exam will be December 20, 2016. Morningside starts the second semester of the school year January 4, 2017."

Thank you, parents, for allowing our administration and faculty to get to know your children and invest in their lives!

Student Life



New roommates, more languages, more friends to be made. Life is movement and we never stop at CMA. Between getting up early at 5:45am to head to the gym for our tennis players to get muscled up 3 time per week, eating right at the buffet, training hard, going to school, and getting enough sleep to be able to do it all over again day after day, our students are clearly committed. There is never a slow moment, we are always moving and working to be the best that can be and we are right there to help them.

Upcoming Event Should Know About

- December — The Winter Formal. A "dress-up" event for all, to acknowledge the hard work that the students have displayed in the first semester of this school year.
- HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO ALL**



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Newsletter Spotlight

They Came, They Saw, They Conquered!!

That's how the press release read for CMA's four junior golfers that qualified in a mostly adult field for the USGA's National 4 Ball Championships in May 2017.

To have only one team qualify for next year's event would be a significant accomplishment, but to have both teams make the final four is unheard of....

Scoring 64 and 65 the teams of Sachin Kumar/Fletcher Wunderlich and Fred Biondi/Daisuke Nakano respectively pushed each other further than they could have done individually.

Congratulations guys!!!!



Events in Nov./Dec.

- Golf:** The Optimist 11/5-11/7
- Tennis:** ITF G5 Peru 11/7-11/13
- Tennis:** ITF G3 Israel 11/7-11/13
- Tennis:** USTA 12U-Lake Worth, FL 11/12-11/13
- Tennis:** ITF GA—Mexico 11/14-11/21
- Tennis:** ITF G5 Ecuador—11/14—11/21
- Academics:** Thanksgiving Break—11/21 to 11/22/7
- Tennis:** ITF G1 Yucatan 11/21-11/27
- Volleyball:** NVL Thanksgiving Camp 11/21-11/26
- Tennis:** ITF G1 Eddie Herr International—Florida 11/28-12/4
- Academics:** IRSC Exams—12/5—12/8
- Tennis:** ITF GA Orange Bowl ITF GA 12/5-12/11
- Tennis:** USTA Jr. Orange Bowl—12/11-12/20
- Academics:** CMA Exams 12/12-12/16
- Student Services:** Winter Formal Dance—12/16
- Academics:** Christmas Break 12/19-1/8
- Volleyball:** NVL Christmas Camp 12/21-12/23

Contact your Sport Director for further information about our calendar of events in November and December.

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