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Sorry it's been so long since the last one of these. No excuses, I just didn't get it done. I will do my best to be better the rest of this season (thru the end of May) and in future years. I last left you after the Bellevue match and we were 5-0 at the time.

These young men continued their winning ways with a 1-stroke victory over district rival Issaquah, a shellacking of Interlake and a hard fought win over last year's nemesis Sammamish. Then we got our wakeup call with an overtime loss to Mercer Island at Twin Rivers Golf Course. Losing is never fun but may have been what we needed to refocus and be able to accomplish what we have to this date. We finished up the regular season with must wins over Juanita and Lake Washington and as League Champions.

Finally, we entered our league tournament as favorites and stood up to the pressure and succeeded. All 6 golfers Ben Graham, Chase McIntosh, Luke Hall, Collin Fletcher, Alex Wilsey and Luke Frey played well and Junior Ben Graham shared medalist honors with a 1-under par 71. We finished with a 12-stroke victory over our nearest competitor with Ben Graham and Chase McIntosh being named 1st Team All-KingCo. The depth of this team was the difference and what will hopefully help us capture something we left in Spokane last May. As much as we wanted to do well in our league, these kids know that bigger fish are yet to be fried. They have the talent, determination and belief to get that done.

Our best accomplishment this season in my book was having these guys be named the winner of the Sportsmanship Award. Winning and playing well is all well and good and important but how you're perceived and the way that you treat the people around you is what makes the lasting impression. These guys live that every day.

Next up is the Seamount/District Tournament at Riverbend Golf Course on October 24. Our top 10 golfers will be participating for berths in the state tournament or possibly a 2nd chance tournament in May that could lead to a state tournament berth. Those playing on the 24th will be Ben Graham, Chase McIntosh, Luke Hall, Collin Fletcher, Alex Wilsey, Luke Frey, Cole Sherman, Jake Smith, Ryan McNeil and Nick Tredway.

9-21 v Issaquah
@ Snoqualmie Falls
Liberty – 183
Issaquah – 184

Hall	35
Graham	36
McIntosh	36
Fletcher	38
Wilsey	38
McNeil	43
Frey	43
Cour	44
Sherman	45
Tredway	45

9-24 v Interlake
@ Tam O'Shanter
Liberty – 202
Interlake – 243

McIntosh	39
Graham	40
Fletcher	40
Wilsey	41
Frey	42
Smith	48
Cour	48
McNeil	49
Sherman	49

9-28 v Sammamish
@ Maplewood
Liberty – 183
Sammamish – 190

McIntosh	33
Graham	36
Fletcher	36
Hall	37
Wilsey	41
Sherman	43
Frey	44
Smith	48
McNeil	49
Cour	51



10-1 v Mercer Island
@ Twin Rivers
Liberty – 187
Mercer Island – 187
lost in tie-breaker

McIntosh	34
Graham	35
Fletcher	39
Frey	39
Hall	40
Smith	40
Sherman	40
Wilsey	44
Tredway	46
McNeil	48

10-5 v Juanita
@ Maplewood
Liberty – 186
Juanita – 198

Graham	36
Fletcher	36
Hall	37
McIntosh	38
Wilsey	39
Frey	44
Sherman	48
Cour	48
Smith	49
McNeil	50

10-8 v Lake Wa
@ Bellevue Muni
Liberty – 191
Lake Wa – 198

McIntosh	33
Graham	34
Hall	41
Fletcher	41
Wilsey	42
Frey	42
Sherman	43
Smith	44
McNeil	45
Tredway	47

10-12 KingCo Tournament
@ Snohomish
Liberty – 384

Bellevue 396 - Mercer Island 397
Lake Wa 403 - Juanita 404
Sammamish 404 - Interlake 445

1st - Graham	71 Co-Medalist
10th Hall	76
13th McIntosh	78
17th Fletcher	79
18th Wilsey	80
34th Frey	88

Coach Larson and I are very pleased with how the season has developed so far and continue to pinch ourselves (not each other ☺) with the good fortune we've found. We are also very pleased with the 4 golfers that at this point are done for this season. Chase Cour, Blake McAllister, Jackson Malich and Andrew Chappelle all made great strides this season and will be counted on next year to continue to improve and contribute in our matches. We believe that they will. All For Now - Coach Kinsley