

To Whom it may concern

Ref: Joe McCandless

Joe has been playing on my Junior Tour for a few years and has not only shown real commitment to the tour but has taken the opportunities offered to him to improve his golf game considerably. Over this time, I have seen him develop into a very capable young man who has matured physically and mentally whilst improving his golf game. Joe has won several events on my tour and made the grand final on 2 occasions by finishing high up on the OOM. This has shown consistency in results and commitment to attendance, Joe has also played in several WAGR events/Joint Rock/Faldo series events and travelled with us around the UK and abroad.

Joe is a charismatic young man both on the golf course and off and is a real pleasure to be around. On occasions he has played with much younger players and this has given him an opportunity to show his leadership skills alongside him being able to guide and motivate others.

Joe understands his golf swing well and understands the technical side to improve his swing, he also has a huge amount of natural ability. I like the fact he is interested in this side and is willing to learn so he can improve and develop his game further.

I've known Joe's parents for many years and they support him in the best way possible. Kate has an excellent understanding of the game and Adam, Joe's father is a PGA professional who coached me as a junior and guided me into Professional Golf. He also supported me by coaching and caddying for me in my early years on the European Tour.

I am 100% assured Joe will continue to work hard and that studying in the USA is the right option for him. He is very driven to succeed whilst recognising the hard work needed to support his personal goals.

I wish him all the luck in the future.

Thanks

Robert Rock