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Gladys Coia, Esq.

President, Greater Miami Shores Chamber of Commerce



The Greater Miami Shores Chamber of Commerce held its first ever golf tournament on April 20. This event brought neighbors, business colleagues and civic and community leaders together for a great day of golf and overall fun at the Miami Shores Country Club. It was a perfect day to be on the course, the weather was beautiful, and food, drinks (and Jell-O shots) abounded! If you missed out this year don't worry, just make sure to join us for next year's tournament.

We would like to thank all the sponsors and the golfers who made this tournament a success; I want to personally thank all the volunteers who came out and helped. It was a long day, from the set-up, registration and lunch through the dinner, raffle and auction, and I am forever grateful

for your time, energy, and smiling faces. I also want to thank the golf committee members, Neil Kodsi, Dennis Kleiman, Jayson Yao and Jonas Shields for committing their time, energy and enthusiasm to making this event a reality. And finally, to the Chamber's Executive Director, Megan Gerstel, for putting it all together. This was genuinely a team effort.

On a different note, the Chamber is planning its "Back to Business" campaign to bring together businesses for networking opportunities. If you are interested in sponsoring a breakfast, lunch or early evening mixer to promote your business interests, please contact Megan Gerstel at the Chamber office.

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On April 20, 2018 the Greater Miami Shores Chamber of Commerce was joined by community leaders, business colleagues, residents and neighbors, for our first annual golf tournament at the Miami Shores Country Club. We began with registration, lunch and a putting contest, and the golfers teed off at 1pm. With 2 bars and a snack shack on the course, as well as a roving Jello-0 shot/beverage cart, any

inkling of hunger, or thirst, was kept far at bay!

The Chamber would like to thank all of our sponsors and golfers for making our first tournament such an amazing and fun filled day. To the golf committee, Gladys Coia, Dennis Kleinman, Neil Kodsi, Jonas Shields, and Jason Yao (AKA "The Foursome Whisperer") - Thank you, for all the early morning meetings, thousands of emails, and all the time and effort you put into

making this tournament a success. Last, but definitely not least, we want to thank our volunteers, you put in a very long day, kept smiles on your faces, and made it an all around great experience for everyone involved.

Thank you to our Volunteers:
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With fantastic multi-level outdoor entertainment areas, it's easy to appreciate the home's views of the waterway and distant Miami Beach Skyline. The large lot allows for all the elements you want in a backyard, including notable features such as a generous grassy area, stone paver deck, outdoor kitchen, pergola, pool, and shaded sitting area. The wide seawall also has an enlarged boat dock and lift for direct boat access to the home.

The grand family room has volume ceilings, and a custom wood media center built-in and work station. The living room has a wet-bar and fridge to conveniently serve your guests. Both the formal sitting area and adjacent dining room have striking views of the outdoor patio and aqua blue bay that is synonymous with Miami waterfront living. The additional dining room and seating area doubles as a home theater with custom blackout window coverings. Outfitted for a professional chef, the kitchen boasts substantial cabinet storage, a sizable prepping island, gas cooking, and a roomy see-through refrigerator for all your cooking essentials.

The master suite is located upstairs and features an extra-large bedroom, his & her walk-in closets, private exit to an outdoor terrace, marble bathroom with jacuzzi tub, and a modern glass shower enclosure. All additional bedrooms are outfitted with en-suite bathrooms. Other notable features of the home include a dedicated laundry room, 2-car garage, full back-up generator system, exercise room, and built-in sauna. Magnificent home in the historic family neighborhood of Miami Shores Village.

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ART MATTERS

Mindy Solomon, the Upper Eastside gallery, nearby to the Shores, has a spacious exhibition space to effectively showcase expressive, art with an impact. Just down the road on NE Second Ave., there's plenty of free parking. The Gallery's open noon to five Tuesday-Saturdays. A pioneer in 2015 migrating from Wynwood to Little River leading the way for a burgeoning new arts enclave now proliferating with other galleries and affordable studio spaces.

Mindy Solomon, the name sake and creative curator, is an educated, arts professional and instructor.

Not instructing 'how to' create art, but how to appreciate it. She also makes the learning fun. More about her later.

The Gallery's exhibits include 2-dimensional paintings, sculptures and ceramics. She encourages young, new collectors to start with the ceramics, both affordable and decorative, to their homes. As they discover their favored styles, mediums, colors and textures, additional collecting increases organically with their appreciation. Solomon's gallery includes ceramic pieces at an affordable \$250 and she offers payment plans with no interest, encouraging the novice collector. The positioning of a painting juxtaposed w/a ceramic piece creating an arts-conversation in a room is displayed in the space, as a model for home display.



Photo Credit: Zach Balber Photography

Buying art you love makes your home a more pleasurable experience each and every day.

Mindy Solomon, both the Gallery and curator, represents 20 National and International artists. They originate from Australia, New Zealand, Korea, California, Los Angeles, New York, South Florida as well as other parts of the US. Solomon explains there is a language of art communicating by visual interpretation as well as perspective and balance. With a master's Degree in fine arts, and psychology training Solomon volunteers with art therapy classes for people with sensitive, emotional issues. Her volunteer work with the New World School of the Arts, encourages young, emerging artists as she curates their show each year. She suggests this student exhibition is an excellent way for enthusiastic new collectors to begin their journey with affordable and exciting new talents' works.

Beginning June through July, the gallery will feature a ceramics exclusive exhibit. Solomon is the only representative you'll meet at the gallery, explaining why she selected each artist and how



you can appreciate their works. The gallery, cooperating with five others host a 'Progressive brunch' the last Sunday of every month. The locations span both the Little River and Little Haiti arts collective.

Mindy Solomon Gallery, 8397 NE Second Ave., Little River, just about 10 minutes from our neighborhoods with a free parking lot on the north side. Be prepared to be WOWED! I was.

To call, (786) 953-6917. However, no appointments are necessary, drop by and meet Mindy. She'll introduce you to a wonderful world of Contemporary Art.



GREATER MIAMI SHORES SCHOOLS REPORT

The Greater Miami Shores Chamber of Commerce welcomes submissions for this column by all schools that are Chamber members, whether public or private. To find out about submitting information on behalf of your favorite school, please contact the Chamber at 305-754-5466.

CUSHMAN

Reading Celebration at Cushman

The Cushman School's 11th annual Reading Round-Up took place on April 13th. Each year, this event invites authors and parents to celebrate the joy and importance of reading with its students. Dressed in their western attire, small groups relax on blankets in the shade of the campus foliage to enjoy a morning of good books. Published authors, motivational speakers and parents also deliver larger presentations on relevant global topics. This year, Cushman was thrilled to welcome back Mr. Kentrell Martin, author of the Shelly's Adventures series, and his co-author, Allison Martin. New this year, Cushman welcomed Ms. Eugenia Chu, author of Brandon Makes a Jaio Zi, whose book incorporates Chinese language and culture. Cushman's very own Primary School teacher, Mrs. Ann Gorman, presented her newly published book, Mrs. Whisk's Kindergarten Adventure, and Cushman parent, Sallie Anne Rodriguez, delighted the fourth and fifth grades with her novel, *Windshift*.

Despite the varying authors and topics discussed, the common focus of each year's Reading Round-Up event is how reading unites even the most diverse

individuals, and how reading can help students attain their goals.

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State testing is underway and students are giving 100% effort as they work to show us what they have learned this year. We thank Ms. Santiago for her coordination efforts as we experience a smooth process.

Saturday Academic Workshops saw seven middle school students with perfect attendance. They each received a Kindle Fire for their dedication. DCS had over 120 students attend over 3 months this semester and thank them for their dedication to learning. Thanks to our EESAC committee for sponsoring these workshops.

Seniors attended the Grad Bash last month at Universal Studios. The Jr. Sr. Prom will be held later in May as DCS continues to celebrate the Class of 2018 with events to mark their matriculation to post-secondary education. This class has received over 155 college acceptances to date and will celebrate with College Acceptance Day on May 22nd. Seniors' last day of school will be on June 1st at the conclusion of their Honors and Awards program. Commencement Exercises will be held at Barry University's Broad Auditorium on

Sunday, June 10th at 2pm.

DCS Athletics continues to need support for athletics and has a fundraising campaign to assist with all expenses for athletes and programming. Donations can be specified to support a sport or an athlete. If you are interested in supporting DCS Hawks, go to the website and make your donation today! <https://www.classy.org/campaign/DCS-Athletic-Department/c163658>

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MIAMI COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL

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Miami Country Day School's Upper School Drama Department will be performing Shrek: The Musical on May 1, 2, and 3 in the school's John Davies Theater

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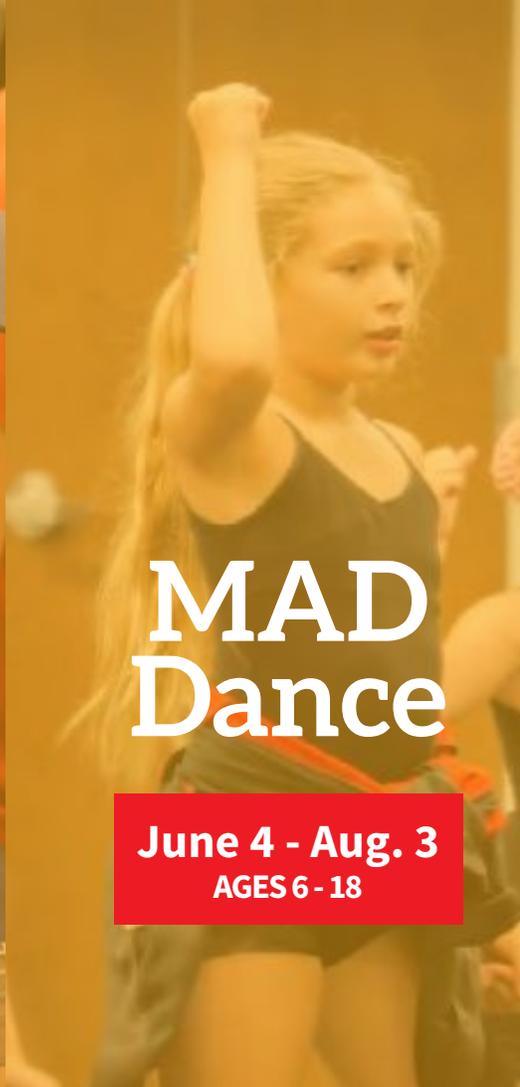

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1822 Dixianna St. \$2,000,000

This 13 unit MIMO hotel is located on a huge 20,953 sf lot ready for development. It is being managed as a rental complex.



8541 Arboretum Ln. \$789,000

In Miami's Upper East Side sits Casa Bianca, a new private gated community. Carina model: 3BR/3BA, 2,460 sq ft.



JUST LISTED!

1800 NE 114 St. #2001 \$349,000

Beautiful bayview from this 1,950 sf 2BD, 3 full bathrooms condo on the 20th floor. Large remodeled kitchen with new wood cabinets & more.



JUST SOLD!

893 NE 96 St. \$1,090,000

Magnificent! Remodeled Art Deco estate. Main house is a 3BR/2.5BA with 1BR/1BA guest cottage, 2 car garage, pool & huge lot.



COMMERCIAL

530 NW 29 St. \$2,900,000

Fantastic Wynwood Art and Fashion District Space for Lease. Flexible zoning for offices, warehouse, light manufacturing.



7930 East Dr. #1605 \$849,000

Breathtaking views of Biscayne Bay & Miami from this 3BR/3.5BA, 2,700+ sqft North Bay Village residence. 20 ft ceilings & tons of natural lighting.



JUST SOLD!

60 NW 37 Ave #CU1 \$375,000

Amazing opportunity to own a 3,328 sq ft commercial space on the street level new luxury condominium building at Flagler and NW 37 Ave.



736 NE 74 St. \$579,000

Dripping in charm, this adorable Belle Meade cottage is over 1,600 sf plus a garage and 3 bonus rooms. This 2 1/2 has 3 family rooms!



COMMERCIAL

13291 SW 192 St. \$900,000

Rare to market, Tropical Treescapes is a profitable, 5 acre boutique working farm, located less than 2 miles from the Turnpike.



195 NW 91 St. \$499,000

Grand Miami Shores style ranch on a 13K+ sf corner lot in Miami Shores. This charming 2,715 sq ft home features a brand new roof, 3BR/2.5BA.



160 NE 43 St. \$995,000

Dripping in charm & in the best location in the Design District, this exquisite old Spanish has been completely remodeled & is ready for its new owner.



JUST SOLD!

690 NE 118 St. \$343,000

Adorable pre-war charmer located on one of Biscayne Park's loveliest streets. This 2BR/1BA gem is on a large 8,625 sf corner lot.



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99 NW 54 St. \$160,000

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1024 Ocean Dr #A207 \$269,000

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UNDER CONTRACT!

30 NE 104 St. \$995,000

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461 NE 53 St. \$789,000

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JUST SOLD!

7400 NE 8 Ave. \$650,000

Dripping in charm! This pre-war Belle Meade home has 3BR/2BA and 2 family rooms. Built in the Art Deco style is Meade at its finest!



11 Island Ave. #1412 \$1,199,000

Attention boaters - This exquisitely remodeled 1,917 sf 2/2.5 has amazing panoramic views from every room and includes a private dock !!!



JUST LISTED!

463 NE 55 Ter. \$995,000

Rare to market, this exquisite Art-Deco masterpiece, designed by Kiehnel & Elliot, and built in 1935 by Gunn & Goll, will melt your heart !



1040 Biscayne Blvd. #4202 \$1,695,000

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UNDER CONTRACT!

3023 Prairie Ave. \$1,099,000

GLAMOROUS ALFRED PARKER MASTERPIECE!!! This gorgeous MIMO home has 3 bedrooms plus office, 3 full bathrooms, vaulted ceilings and pool.



JUST SOLD!

780 NE 69 St #408 \$180,000

Beautifully remodeled 1Br/1.5BA condo home w/ 32 ft long balcony. This flawless unit has a rich wood kitchen w/ granite counters & more.



UNDER CONTRACT!

8634 NE 10 Ave. \$375,000

Adorable 2BR/1BA Shorecrest cottage. This old Spanish gem has a great room with a large fireplace and tile floors, and updated kitchen.



410 NE 53 St. \$595,000

Adorable Morningside cottage. This cute 2/1 is 1,450 sf living space on a huge 8,250 sf lot. Has rich oak wood floors, vaulted ceilings & remodeled kitchen.



3015 NE Quayside Ln. #8 \$549,000

GORGEOUS POND & FOUNTAIN VIEWS from this spacious 2 story townhouse with a 2 car garage.



1000 NE 72 Ter. \$1,129,000

This 3,146 sf 3BR/3.5BA home designed by architect Robert Fitch Smith is located on a 21K sf triple lot. One of BelleMeade's greats.



JUST LISTED!

1105 NE 116 St. \$529,000

Charming remodeled 3BR/2BA with a pool and 2 car covered carport. This MIMO style home has beautiful polished terrazzo floors, white remodeled kitchen.



UNDER CONTRACT!

460 NE 50 Ter. \$1,249,000

Beautifully remodeled MIMO gem located in gated Morningside. A spacious 3,307 sf, pool home has huge 2 car garage.



JUST LISTED!

780 NE 69 St #1606 \$189,000

BREATHTAKING PANORAMIC VIEWS OF THE BAY AND BEACHES from this 1BR/1.5BA condo in the popular Palm Bay Yacht Club.



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In this two-part workshop, Registered Marriage and Family Therapist Intern, Guillermo Cancio-Bello, will explore how the family in which you grew up impacts the way you think and behave now, no matter the stage of life in which you find yourself. We will discuss the general patterns people develop from their past that can become problematic in present relationships, whether those relationships are familial, romantic, professional, or friendships, as well as what it takes to turn those unhelpful patterns into opportunities for growth. Saturdays, May 5th & 19th: 11am

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You are invited to attend nutritionist Jenny Patrizia's launch of her new book *JUICY LIFE : A Guide to Healthy Living through Juicing*. Thursday, May 17th at 6:30pm.

Teens and Tweens Movie Night at the Library!
Come join us to watch THE GREATEST SHOWMAN, an original musical inspired by the life of P.T. Barnum, starring Hugh Jackman. Barnum was a visionary who rose from nothing to create the "Greatest Show on Earth," a celebration of his larger-than-life imagination that captivated audiences around the globe! (Fox Movies- Rated PG) Thursday, May 31st, 5:30-8pm, for ages 11 - 17. Popcorn and soda included!

HEIDI HEWES

The Heidi Hewes Chapter of the Woman's Cancer Association of the University of Miami is based in Miami Shores, and is dedicated to increasing wellness in the community through raising funds for cancer research, support, education, and service. The next meeting will be Wednesday, May 2nd at 7pm. For more information, please email heidiheweswca@gmail.com.

Heidi Hewes is collecting donations

for the Bargain Box. Located at 1350 West Flagler, the Bargain Box is a resale thrift shop open 6-days a week offering outstanding values to the community while profiting the Woman's Cancer Association of the University of Miami. Everyone is invited to shop at the Bargain Box and to make tax-deductible donations of items they can no longer use - gently worn clothing, home furnishings, linens, glassware, accessories, art work, luggage, jewelry, etc. Visit the WCA Thrift store, open Monday-Saturday, 10am to 5pm. Please call Jackie Butler at 305-633-8068, ext 107 or Bill Tenney at 305-308-4639 for questions and FREE pick up. Heidi Hewes thanks donors Martha Stobs, Maria Neria, Rev. Diane Shoaf, Miami Shores Women's Club, Robin Hechler, Lorraine Souto, Tom Harrington, Barbara Poe, and Leah Levy.

THE MIAMI ART LEAGUE

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MIAMI COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL

The John Davies Cultural Arts

Series will welcome actor Nicholas Richberg on May 23 in the school's Center for the Arts at 7pm. Nicholas is a 1996 graduate of Miami Country Day School and has appeared in film, television, radio, as well as headlined venues across the nation. His performance at MCDS is titled: "Finding Home: Songs I Love and Stuff I've Learned."

#ItsOgreTime

Don't miss Miami Country Day's All Star cast in the school's first ever performance of Shrek: The Musical

on May 1, 2, and 3 at 7pm in the school's state-of-the-art John Davies Theater in the Center for the Arts. "I'm A Believer" that Country Day's Upper School thespians are saving their best performance for last. Please join "Friends" from the MCDS and Miami Shores community for a performance that will make you shout "Hallelujah, I'm On My Way!" to the Center for the Arts (on May 1, 2, and 3). All shows 7pm, Free admission. For more information about the John Davies Cultural Arts Series or other upcoming events visit miamicountryday.org or email events@miamicountryday.org.

MIAMI THEATER CENTER Presents JAZZY ASH AND THE LEAPING LIZARDS!

Miami Theater Center (MTC) is proud to present the South Florida premiere of Jazzy Ash and the Leaping Lizards, New Orleans first jazz band made especially for kids on May 19th at 11am. For Tickets

visit www.mtcmiami.org
\$5 (kids under 14), \$10 (adults)
Join Miami Theater Center at our home in Miami Shores for Jazzy Ash's songs that celebrate the magic of movement, with a lot of sugar and sass thrown in, New Orleans – style. Singing song from their album, "Bon Voyage" featuring gypsy jazz, zydeco, swing, blues, and Dixieland, The Jazzy Ash band of teaching musicians adds various horns, banjo, accordion, guitar and drums to the jaunty sounds of each song. This concert will encourage kids and their grown-ups to celebrate the music of New Orleans as part of the American folk music heritage. KindieMusicDC says, "You might think you've wandered into a kids-only jazzy club in a hidden New Orleans side street."

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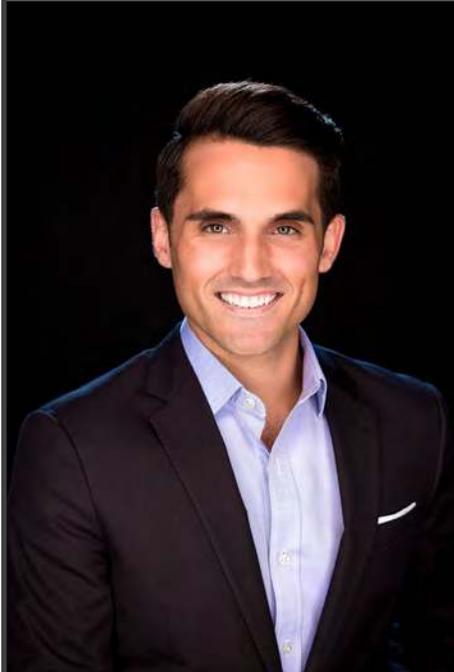
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in the Center for the Arts. All performances begin at 7pm. Free admission.

Miami Country Day School's Contemporary Music Ensemble (CME) will perform "The Big Show" in the John Davies Theater in the school's Center for the Arts on May 24 and 25 at 7pm.

For more information about the John Davies Cultural Arts Series or other upcoming events visit miamicountryday.org or email events@miamicountryday.org.

MIAMI SHORES ELEMENTARY

is proud to announce that as part of the STEM program, the MSE Robotics Team participated at the Youth Fair competition held on Saturday, March 24th. The team was awarded 2nd place ribbons. Participating students: Stan Dubernard, Owen Rogers, Logan Kelly, Jimmy Baptiste, Rayan Guelida, Reahana Joseph, Camila Thomas, Christiane Berthin and Azalea Schneider. A special thank you to Mrs. Carpenter for her dedication to the team!

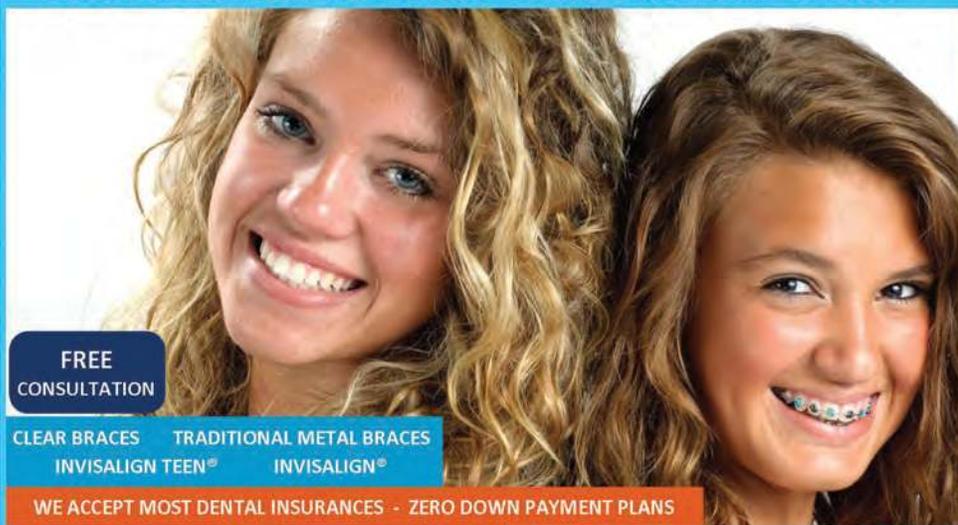
The MSE Chess team also participated at the Title I 2018 Chess Championship held on Saturday, April 14th at Miami Jackson Senior High. The K-1 Division won 3rd place and K-5 Division won 4th place. Participating students K-1: Oliver Novack, (also won 4th place individually), Patricio Rodriguez Jeudy, Luna Martins-Aleixo, Stenio D'Haiti and Elijah Volmy. K-5: Sienna Corredor, Phatazia Blanchard, Malik Volmy, Reahana Joseph and Sabellah D'Haiti. A special thank you to Ms. Echevarria for her dedication to the team!

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friends who supported the St. Rose of Lima School Fun Run. This year's Fun Run theme was CASTLE QUEST! On their quest to regain Bravemore Castle, students learned all about the "SIX VIRTUES of a TRUE HERO" ...FOCUS, SELF-AWARENESS, RESPECT, TRUSTWORTHINESS, CREATIVITY, and being a LIFE-LEARNER.

Aside from the Fun Run, over fifteen new initiatives focusing on kindness, service and peace have been initiated at St. Rose of Lima this school year. Multiple grade levels are regularly participating in a 28-day Kindness Challenge, spiritual retreats, service clubs/activities, and so much more! It's inspiring to witness the youth engaged in random acts of kindness for their classmates, teachers, families, and the magnificent City of Miami Shores!

Congratulations to Joelle Asante, Carolina Baboun, Daniella Baboun, Angelina Cambo, Emma Coronado, Rocco Garcia, Cassidy Meltz, Amanda Pena, Bruna Pereira, Emma Quintane, and Lilliana Randazzo for recently being inducted into the St. Rose of Lima chapter of the National Junior Honor Society. These students have earned at least a 3.75 cumulative average in their core classes during the past year and have proven to exemplify the qualities of a NJHS member: service, character, leadership and citizenship.

On May 11th, SRL will be hosting the 29th annual St. Rose of Lima School Golf Tournament. Last year, the event was enjoyed by over 100 golfers and monies from the fundraiser were raised to support our academic and athletic programs. For details on how you can get involved with the tournament and all other great initiatives at St. Rose of Lima, please don't hesitate to contact the school office.

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"The wind is tossing the lilacs,

The new leaves laugh in the sun,

And the petals fall on the orchard wall,

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