



Kendall Jackson

JUNIOR GOLF SPOTLIGHT

Grade: 10th
Handicap: 5
Favorite Club: Driver

Meet Kendall Jackson, the first Lady Oiler to advance to the 6-A class state championship. She also made the varsity golf team as a freshman and broke the girls scoring record of 78. That's right, Kendall's personal best is a 74 which she nailed at the Texas Junior Golf Tour. Kendall is also a BGG Clemson Summer Scholar. She was selected from an applicant pool of 30 junior golfers from across the country to participate in this special program.

She is currently working on her short game, "...because the green is where your strokes really count", she says.

MORE ABOUT KENDALL

Career Aspirations: Shooting under par, Playing D1 Golf, Participating in 2020 Olympics

Role Model(s): Parents

Most Proud Moment: Accomplishing all 6 goals Freshman yr. - make golf team, varsity, be #1 golfer on the team, earn letterman jacket, break girls record of 78

iPhone or Android: iPhone

Wants to meet: Michelle Obama

Spirit Animal: Dolphin because they are fun, lovable, peaceful and intelligent

Dream foursome: Kendall, Barack Obama, Tiger Woods and Stephen Curry

JUNIOR GOLF EVENTS

AJGA 2018 Schedule

Peggy Kirk Bell TOUR

Drive Chip Putt

US Kids Golf



*Get to know
Kendall Jackson;
Pearland, TX.*



BGG Clemson Summer Scholars 2018

TIFF TALKS

BY TIFFANY FITZGERALD



When I started BGG, I had a vision of a community of professional African American women. Those women have daughters, grand-daughters and nieces who should be experience the benefits of golf too.

To meet the needs of our Jr. Golfers we started with BGG Clemson Summer Scholars. Through the partnership with Clemson University I've been able to meet several very talented junior golfers. BGG also has a Premium Membership for you, we plan to include you in our local events as well.

What I've learned from growing BGG is that even when you have a plan you have to be flexible and adjust or change course as necessary. Adding junior golfers is a perfect addition.

Welcome to BGG!

SUMMER SCHOLARS

2018 Clemson Camp

2018 marked the second year of the BGG Clemson Summer Scholars program, which was created to introduce historically underrepresented girls to careers in the golf industry. Only 13, of the 30, applicants were selected to participate in the week-long experience.

Golfers from all over the United States had the opportunity to create a shared experience around their love of golf. The girls participated in a business case study of a struggling

golf course and they were able to play some of the area's nicest golf courses. Each golfer received hands-on instruction to help lower her handicap and got to practice with the Putt Lab, Trac Man and V1 to get a full learning experience.

One of the highlights of the experience is getting to know what it feels like to be a Clemson student - living in the dorms, eating in the cafeteria, and extra curricular activities like swimming and bowling. Applications will open Jan 2019 for the next BGG Summer Scholars experience. Please plan to apply. That means keeping your grades up and getting that handicap down.



CAREER CORNER

Maulana Dotch, PGA

Head Golf Pro, Cedar Crest Golf Club - Dallas, TX. & BGG Clemson Summer Scholars Instructor

Maulana Dotch is the first African American woman in Texas and 2nd African American woman in the U.S. to earn her Class A, PGA Membership. She also played on the Symetra Tour after graduating from Bethune Cookman University, an HBCU

in Daytona Beach, FL where she became a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, INC. She created the Maulana Dotch Ladies Pro-AM and The Maulana Dotch Golf Classic to bring awareness to the importance of kids playing golf, and the opportunities that golf can provide. Proceeds from the events create scholarships for graduating junior golfers in the Dallas Metro. Maulana is also one of the instructors in the BGG Clemson Summer Scholar Program.