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To Whom It May Concern:

You may have heard that Prince George has its own World Championship athlete. Geoffrey Martinson – born and raised in Prince George - recently placed 22<sup>nd</sup> overall in the 1500 meter race in the World Track and Field Championship held August 2011 in Daegu, South Korea.

This summer Geoff also ran the 7<sup>th</sup> fastest all time Canadian 1500 meter time.

Geoffrey's next goal is to become a Canadian Olympian and attend the 2012 Olympics to be held in London, England.

His family, friends, and the local Track and Field club are very proud of his accomplishments and dedication to becoming an Olympian; we are showing support by raising money through a Pub Night on October 22<sup>nd</sup> at Alfredos' Pub, Prince George - which Geoff will be attending.

***We will be holding a silent auction and we are looking for any donation you may be able to make for the auction.***

Your donation will be helping this young man, Geoffrey Martinson, to represent not only Prince George but also all of Canada as a future Olympian.

Your support would be greatly appreciated.

All donations will be recognized on a thank you card at the event and in a thank you advertisement in the local newspaper.

And of course everyone is welcome to attend the Pub Night fundraiser.

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Silent auction items can be dropped off at 406 N. Ogilvie Street.