



Michelle Gordon is an outstanding human being and a wonderful teacher of Taekwondo, but more importantly understands the importance of supporting and building life skills that allow our youth to follow their dreams and realize that excellence is a habit. As you have been with Ms. Gordon for a while now I am sure I do not need to tell you of her character and the many skills she brings in relationship building and trust with her students and you the parents. She has created an outstanding program that is well respected. Her students live the right way of Taekwondo and from my observation have grown and are growing into thinking and caring leaders with the internal strength to stand for what is right from a human perspective in a world with so much need.

I have been teaching Taekwondo for some forty plus years nationally and internationally. I am proud to say that I think Ms. Gordon is within the top five percent of individuals any where who really understands the value of teaching Taekwondo rightly and the impact of developing soft skills for success in life.

As always we are faced with options (we only have to have the capacity it see them) in life. Many of these options will change our lives and the lives of our children. I would like to suggest to you that more than anything most of what we do is about building capacity. This is a process we must learn and understand in order to have options to grow beyond what we see as our limits and change our life. Ms. Gordon is a really good teacher and more than that a good person. She is and always will be an outstanding role model and teacher for our children. She has my full support.

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