

REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF S. 3307, HEALTHY, HUNGER-FREE KIDS ACT OF 2010

Mr. PERLMUTTER, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 111-665) on the resolution (H. Res. 1742) providing for consideration of the bill (S. 3307) to reauthorize child nutrition programs, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the Chair will postpone further proceedings today on motions to suspend the rules on which a recorded vote or the yeas and nays are ordered, or on which the vote incurs objection under clause 6 of rule XX.

Record votes on postponed questions will be taken later.

HONORING GOLF LEGEND JUAN ANTONIO "CHI CHI" RODRIGUEZ

Ms. WOOLSEY. Mr. Speaker, I move to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution (H. Res. 1430) honoring and saluting golf legend Juan Antonio "Chi Chi" Rodriguez for his commitment to Latino youth programs of the Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The text of the resolution is as follows:

H. RES. 1430

Whereas Juan Antonio "Chi Chi" Rodriguez taught himself how to play golf;

Whereas Rodriguez' strive for perfection, along with his uncompromising sportsmanship, resulted in a lifetime 38 professional wins, including 8 PGA Tour wins and 22 Senior PGA Tour wins;

Whereas Rodriguez was the first Puerto Rican inducted into the World Golf Hall of Fame and was elected to the World Humanitarian Sports Hall of Fame in 1994;

Whereas the Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute (CHCI), a Latino youth leadership development and educational organization in the United States, honored Rodriguez with the CHCI Service Award for his ongoing commitment to providing opportunities for Latino youth to succeed;

Whereas Rodriguez is a supporter of CHCI's Fiesta de Golf Scholarship Challenge, and helped raise more than \$824,000 for CHCI's Scholarship Awards Program the past three years;

Whereas Rodriguez' efforts resulted in financial support for more than 430 scholarships over the past three years to help Latino youth to attend institutions of higher education;

Whereas Rodriguez remains active with his own Chi Chi Rodriguez Youth Foundation, which funds the Chi Chi Rodriguez Academy, whose mission is to assist at-risk children by improving their self-esteem, character, work ethic, social adjustment, and academic performance, using the golf course as a living classroom;

Whereas Rodriguez has helped raise more than \$4 million for his youth foundation,

which annually brings 600 children from Latino and non-Latino low-income families or broken homes to a municipal golf course to learn responsibility and discipline by working at the various jobs in golf;

Whereas the Chi Chi Rodriguez Academy's program is based on love and respect, one that builds confidence, instills discipline and provides positive educational experiences; and

Whereas the Chi Chi Rodriguez Youth Foundation has earned a number of awards, including the National Golf Foundation Award for the Best Youth Program in the United States in 1986, the Pinellas County Sports Salute XVIII for working with youth in 1990, the 758th Point of Light in 1992, the Gannett Company's USA Weekend Most Valuable Athlete Award in 1983, based on an athlete's contribution, caring and commitment off the field, and the Robie Award for Humanitarianism, presented by the Jackie Robinson Foundation in 1996: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the House of Representatives—

(1) honors and salutes Juan Antonio "Chi Chi" Rodriguez for his contributions to the successful programs of the Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute for Latino youth and his lifelong leadership in shaping the lives of at-risk youth who benefit from the generosity and devotion of the Chi Chi Rodriguez Youth Foundation; and

(2) directs the Clerk of the House of Representatives to make available an enrolled copy of this resolution to the Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute and to the Chi Chi Rodriguez Youth Foundation.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to the rule, the gentlewoman from California (Ms. WOOLSEY) and the gentleman from Tennessee (Mr. ROE) each will control 20 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from California.

GENERAL LEAVE

Ms. WOOLSEY. Mr. Speaker, I request 5 legislative days during which Members may revise and extend and insert extraneous material on House Resolution 1430 into the RECORD.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentlewoman from California?

There was no objection.

Ms. WOOLSEY. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, I rise today in support of House Resolution 1430, which honors and salutes golf legend Juan Antonio Rodriguez, widely known as Chi Chi Rodriguez, for his commitment to the Latino Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute, or CHCI. Mr. Rodriguez is an extraordinarily accomplished golfer. With 38 professional wins, including eight PGA Tour and 22 Senior PGA Tour victories, it is no surprise that he was inducted in 1992 into the World Golf Hall of Fame, the first Puerto Rican ever to earn this honor.

Chi Chi Rodriguez worked hard for his success and has never forgotten his roots in Puerto Rico, where he worked for a dollar a day cutting sugar cane. Using his surroundings to teach himself the game of golf, he used a tree branch as a golf club and a metal can as a golf ball.

Chi Chi Rodriguez has worked as tirelessly off the course as well as on it

through his dedicated support of youth and their educational aspirations. Over the past 3 years, he has raised over \$824,000 for CHCI's Scholarship Awards Program to assist Latino youths in their pursuit of higher education. These efforts have resulted in financial support for more than 430 scholarships. Moreover, Mr. Rodriguez continues to contribute to his own Chi Chi Rodriguez Youth Foundation, which funds the Chi Chi Rodriguez Academy.

The Chi Chi Rodriguez Academy assists at-risk children by improving their self-esteem, character, work ethic, social adjustment, and academic performance, using the golf course as a living classroom. Mr. RODRIGUEZ has raised more than \$4 million for his academy, which every year brings 600 children from low-income families or broken homes to a golf course to learn responsibility and discipline through the game of golf.

Chi Chi Rodriguez's work for CHCI and his foundation have been recognized numerous times, including an induction into the World Humanitarian Sports Hall of Fame in 1994 and receiving the Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute renowned Service Award in the year 2010.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in supporting this resolution to honor and salute golf legend Juan Antonio "Chi Chi" Rodriguez for his commitment to Latino youth programs of the Congressional Hispanic Caucus.

I reserve the balance of my time.

Mr. ROE of Tennessee. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself as much time as I may consume.

Chi Chi Rodriguez was born into a poor family in Puerto Rico, and by the time he was 9 years old he was proficient at golf. And in 1947, at the age of 12, he scored a remarkable 67, which I do many times, but I haven't completed 18 holes of golf at that time.

Rodriguez turned professional in 1960. In 1963, at age 28, he won the Denver Open, which he considers as his favorite win. In total, he won eight titles on the PGA Tour between 1963 and 1979. And Rodriguez became eligible to play on the Senior Tour, now known as the Champions Tour, in 1985, and did so for many years with great success, accumulating 22 tournament victories between 1986 and 1993. He was the first player on the Senior PGA Tour to win the same event in three consecutive years, and he set a Tour record with eight consecutive birdies en route to a win in the 1987 Silver Classic.

In 1989, he was voted the Bobby Jones Award, the highest honor given by the United States Golf Association, in recognition of distinguished sportsmanship in golf. In 1991, he lost an 18-hole playoff to the legendary Jack Nicklaus in the U.S. Senior Open. In 1992, Chi Chi Rodriguez was inducted into the World Golf Hall of Fame, the first Puerto Rican so honored.

Rodriguez considers a brief encounter with Mother Teresa as the greatest moment in his life. This event inspired