



Florida Dairy Farmers Sports Awards
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Julian Suri, Lindy Duncan Named Florida Dairy Farmers 2008 Golfers-of-the-Year

GAINESVILLE (Jan. 23) – Julian Suri of Jacksonville Bartram Trail High School and Lindy Duncan Plantation American Heritage were named the 2008 Florida Dairy Farmers Golfers-of-the-Year following a final round of balloting by a statewide panel of high school golf coaches.

Suri, who was earlier named Class 2A Boys' Golfer-of-the-Year after winning the 2A state title with a two-day score of 142, finished ahead of Class 1A Player-of-the-Year Zach Balit, (Sarasota Out-of-Door Academy) for the award honoring the top boys' golfer in the state.

Duncan was named the Class 1A Girls' Golfer-of-the-year after winning the 1A state title with a two-day score of 135. She finished ahead of Class 2A Player-of-the-Year Madison Pressel (Boca Raton Spanish River) for the state's top girls' honor.

"Florida's dairy farmers congratulate Julian and Lindy for a job well done and we salute them with a milk toast," said Matt Lussier, a Gainesville area dairy farmer. We take a lot of pride in watching winners such as Julian and Lindy represent our industry and this award in such a positive manner and we wish them continued success."

The Florida Dairy Farmers Sports Awards Program exemplifies Dairy Farmers Inc.'s commitment to the state's youth. While honoring the state's top athletes, coaches and scholars in all 24 FHSAA-sanctioned sports for the 17th consecutive year, the program also emphasizes to young people the importance of keeping dairy products a primary part of their diet in their overall nutrition plan.