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The Young Icons

Episode #1004

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Featuring: **Kendall Holinger – Figure Skater**
Perry Chin – Film Critic
Larissa Peltola – Human Rights Activist
Dylan Bocanegra – Artist
Alec Loorz – Environmental Activist

General Synopsis for Episode #1004

In this episode, committed and talented ‘young icons’ share their stories of success. The guests open up the personal side of their journey and what made them decide to pursue their goals. Thirteen-year-old figure skater **Kendall Holinger** shares how she does not let a life threatening food allergy stop her from pursuing her goals and raising awareness for her disease. She states, “Instead of focusing on what I can’t do or can’t have or eat, I focus on what I can do, the positive side of things.” **Perry Chin** is the youngest credentialed film critic. He appreciates the lessons he has learned from writing over 50 movie reviews using his own 1 - 5 starfish rating system. As a Young Ambassador for Peace Kids **Larissa Peltola** wants other young people to realize how they can make a positive impact in making the world a better place. She knows that working together makes a difference. Inspired by former Vice President Al Gore on global warming, **Alec Loorz** started a nonprofit group called Kids vs. Global Warming to help teens learn what to do to lead the green revolution. He shares, “Only you can save energy, your actions matters the most.”

Observation and Conclusion

In episode #1004, teens will relate to high achievers who are the same age as role models by giving them hope to achieve success. As a young icon and through his art, **Dylan Bocanegra** wants to instill in others to do what they love and great things will happen. This episode of *The Young Icons* delivers an educational and informational message that supports current social, intellectual and emotional aspects of children ages 13 and up. Attributes and advice emphasized by guests instill a grounded balance of priorities, commitment, and perseverance children can apply to their lives.

Sincerely,



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