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Night golf becomes a thing in South Korea

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THE ARTICLE

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The rise of the popularity of golf in South Korea shows no sign of abating. The country is now the world's third largest market for golf, and Korean golfers spend more per capita on golf equipment and apparel than people in any other country. A new phenomenon is taking off in Korea to reflect the ever-increasing popularity for the game. Golf clubs are opening after dark to allow more people to play the game. The concept has been dubbed "white night" golf. It allows Korea's avid golfers more opportunities to get their clubs out. It can be difficult to secure a round of golf in Korea. There is a scarcity of courses in metropolitan areas. The capital city of Seoul has just one course and is limited to use by military personnel.

There are as many as 117 golf courses of 18 holes or more that currently offer night games. White night golf may result in South Korea's golfers achieving more success on the international stage, especially in the women's game. The SeoulSisters website states that: "As of last week, 32 of the top 100 players in the women's world rankings, including 4 of the top 10, were from South Korea." A Korean woman has won at least one golf major every season since 2010. Korea's legendary Pak Se-ri won the 1998 US Open aged 20 in her rookie season. She may have been a white night trailblazer. It is reported her father made her practice her swing near cemeteries at night to toughen her up.

Sources: <https://seoulsisters.freeforums.net/thread/2927/night-golf-over-south-korea>
<https://www.straitstimes.com/sport/golf/golf-the-secret-behind-the-endless-dominance-of-south-koreas-women>
<https://destinationgolf.travel/world-golf-report-confirms-prominence-of-japan-and-korea/>

WARM-UPS

1. GOLF: Students walk around the class and talk to other students about golf. Change partners often and share your findings.

2. CHAT: In pairs / groups, talk about these topics or words from the article. What will the article say about them? What can you say about these words and your life?

popularity / market / golf / equipment / apparel / popularity / club / metropolitan / golf courses / holes / international / world rankings / major / season / swing

Have a chat about the topics you liked. Change topics and partners frequently.

3. NIGHT GOLF: Students A **strongly** believe playing golf at night is better than playing golf during the day; Students B **strongly** believe the opposite. Change partners again and talk about your conversations.

4. NIGHT SPORTS: What are the pros and cons of playing these sports at night? Complete this table with your partner(s). Change partners often and share what you wrote.

	Pros	Cons
Golf		
Formula One		
Football		
Marathon		
Sailing		
Archery		

5. POPULARITY: Spend one minute writing down all of the different words you associate with the word "popularity". Share your words with your partner(s) and talk about them. Together, put the words into different categories.

6. SPORTS: Rank these with your partner. Put the best sports at the top. Change partners often and share your rankings.

- Golf
- Formula One
- Football
- Karate
- Tennis
- Darts
- Marathon
- Basketball

VOCABULARY MATCHING

Paragraph 1

- | | |
|---------------|--|
| 1. abating | a. For each person. |
| 2. per capita | b. Gave an unofficial name or nickname to someone or something. |
| 3. apparel | c. Relating to or characteristic of soldiers or armed forces. |
| 4. dubbed | d. Clothing. |
| 5. avid | e. The state of being in short supply; shortage. |
| 6. scarcity | f. Causing to become smaller or less intense. |
| 7. military | g. Having or showing a keen interest in or enthusiasm for something. |

Paragraph 2

- | | |
|-----------------|---|
| 8. course | h. Successfully bringing about or reach a desired objective, level, or result by effort, skill, or courage. |
| 9. achieving | i. A position in a scale of achievement or status; a classification. |
| 10. ranking | j. A burial ground; a graveyard. |
| 11. legendary | k. A member of an athletic team or a sports player in his or her first full season in that sport. |
| 12. rookie | l. Remarkable enough to be famous; very well known. |
| 13. trailblazer | m. An area of land set aside and prepared for racing, golf, or another sport. |
| 14. cemetery | n. A pioneer; an innovator. |

BEFORE READING / LISTENING

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/2106/210623-night-golf.html>

1. TRUE / FALSE: Read the headline. Guess if a-h below are true (T) or false (F).

1. The popularity of golf in South Korea is falling. **T / F**
2. South Korea is the second largest global market for golf. **T / F**
3. Korean golfers spend more on golf clothing than other golfers. **T / F**
4. There are only three gold courses in Seoul. **T / F**
5. There are over 110 golf courses in South Korea offering night golf. **T / F**
6. Four of the world's top ten women golfers are South Korean. **T / F**
7. A South Korean woman won a golf major every year for 10 years. **T / F**
8. South Korea's legendary Pak Se-ri won her first major at the age of 19. **T / F**

2. SYNONYM MATCH: (The words in **bold** are from the news article.)

- | | |
|-----------------------|--------------------|
| 1. abating | a. pioneer |
| 2. per capita | b. nicknamed |
| 3. phenomenon | c. standings |
| 4. dubbed | d. occurrence |
| 5. scarcity | e. harden |
| 6. achieving | f. famous |
| 7. rankings | g. decreasing |
| 8. legendary | h. shortage |
| 9. trailblazer | i. attaining |
| 10. toughen | j. for each person |

3. PHRASE MATCH: (Sometimes more than one choice is possible.)

- | | |
|--|------------------------|
| 1. The rise of the | a. of 18 holes or more |
| 2. shows no sign of | b. personnel |
| 3. The concept has been dubbed | c. season |
| 4. a scarcity of courses in | d. rankings |
| 5. military | e. abating |
| 6. There are as many as 117 golf courses | f. up |
| 7. players in the women's world | g. metropolitan areas |
| 8. in her rookie | h. trailblazer |
| 9. She may have been a white night | i. popularity of golf |
| 10. toughen her | j. "white night" golf |

GAP FILL

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/2106/210623-night-golf.html>

The rise of the (1) _____ of golf in South Korea shows no sign of abating. The country is now the world's third largest (2) _____ for golf, and Korean golfers spend more per (3) _____ on golf equipment and apparel than people in any other country. A new phenomenon is taking off in Korea to (4) _____ the ever-increasing popularity for the game. Golf clubs are opening after dark to allow more people to play the game. The concept has been (5) _____ "white night" golf. It allows Korea's (6) _____ golfers more opportunities to get their clubs out. It can be difficult to secure a round of golf in Korea. There is a (7) _____ of courses in metropolitan areas. The capital city of Seoul has just one course and is (8) _____ to use by military personnel.

reflect
avid
popularity
limited
capita
market
scarcity
dubbed

There are as many as 117 golf courses of 18 holes or more that (9) _____ offer night games. White night golf may (10) _____ in South Korea's golfers achieving more success on the international stage, especially in the women's game. The SeoulSisters website (11) _____ that: "As of last week, 32 of the top 100 players in the women's world (12) _____, including 4 of the top 10, were from South Korea." A Korean woman has won at least one golf major every (13) _____ since 2010. Korea's (14) _____ Pak Se-ri won the 1998 US Open aged 20 in her rookie season. She may have been a white night (15) _____. It is reported her father made her practice her swing near cemeteries at night to (16) _____ her up.

legendary
result
toughen
rankings
currently
trailblazer
season
states

LISTENING – Guess the answers. Listen to check.

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/2106/210623-night-golf.html>

- 1) The rise of the popularity of golf in South Korea shows no _____
 - a. sign of a baiting
 - b. sign of a bathing
 - c. sign of a biting
 - d. sign of abating
- 2) third largest market for golf, and Korean golfers spend _____
 - a. more per capital
 - b. mope a capital
 - c. more perk a pita
 - d. more per capita
- 3) The concept has been _____
 - a. daubed "white night"
 - b. dubbed "white night"
 - c. dabbed "white night"
 - d. dibbed "white night"
- 4) more opportunities to get their clubs out. It can be difficult to secure a _____
 - a. round doff golf
 - b. round of golf
 - c. rounds of golf
 - d. rowdy golf
- 5) capital city of Seoul has just one course and is limited to use _____
 - a. of military personnel
 - b. by militia tree person knoll
 - c. by militarily person kneel
 - d. by military person knell
- 6) are as many as 117 golf courses of 18 holes or more that currently _____
 - a. offer night game
 - b. offers night games
 - c. offer night games
 - d. coffer night games
- 7) As of last week, 32 of the top 100 players in the women's _____
 - a. weird rankings
 - b. word rankings
 - c. worldly rankings
 - d. world rankings
- 8) Korea's legendary Pak Se-ri won the 1998 US Open aged 20 in _____
 - a. her cookie season
 - b. her rookie season
 - c. her bookie season
 - d. her talkie season
- 9) She may have been a white _____
 - a. night trial blazer
 - b. night trill blazer
 - c. night trail blazer
 - d. night thrill blazer
- 10) made her practice her swing near cemeteries at night to _____
 - a. roughen her up
 - b. buffer her up
 - c. coven her up
 - d. toughen her up

LISTENING – Listen and fill in the gaps

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COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/2106/210623-night-golf.html>

1. What does the popularity of golf in South Korea show no signs of?
2. What do South Koreans spend more on per capita than other golfers?
3. What does white night golf allow golfers to get out more often?
4. What does the article say it can be difficult to secure in Korea?
5. Who are the only people who can use the golf course in Seoul?
6. How many golf courses offer 18 or more holes?
7. Where does the article say South Korean golfers might achieve success?
8. How many South Korean women are in the world's top ten?
9. At what age did Pak Se-ri win the US Open?
10. What did Pak Se-ri's father want her to practice?

MULTIPLE CHOICE - QUIZ

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/2106/210623-night-golf.html>

- 1) What does the popularity of golf in South Korea show no signs of?
 - a) getting cheaper
 - b) attracting younger players
 - c) abating
 - d) improving
- 2) What do South Koreans spend more on per capita than other golfers?
 - a) golf equipment and apparel
 - b) watching golf
 - c) golf club membership
 - d) green fees
- 3) What does white night golf allow golfers to get out more often?
 - a) night vision glasses
 - b) their torches
 - c) fluorescent clothes
 - d) their clubs
- 4) What does the article say it can be difficult to secure in Korea?
 - a) golf club membership
 - b) a round of golf
 - c) a tournament
 - d) a loan
- 5) Who are the only people who can use the golf course in Seoul?
 - a) rich people
 - b) politicians
 - c) military personnel
 - d) those with a golf handicap of 10 or less
- 6) How many golf courses offer 18 or more holes?
 - a) 32
 - b) 117
 - c) 18
 - d) 118
- 7) Where does the article say South Korean golfers could achieve success?
 - a) in amateur tournaments
 - b) in Asia
 - c) at the US Open
 - d) on the international stage
- 8) How many South Korean women are in the world's top ten?
 - a) three
 - b) four
 - c) six
 - d) five
- 9) At what age did Pak Se-ri win the US Open?
 - a) 20
 - b) 19
 - c) 18
 - d) 21
- 10) What did Pak Se-ri's father want her to practice?
 - a) putting
 - b) maths
 - c) swimming
 - d) her swing

ROLE PLAY

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/2106/210623-night-golf.html>

Role A – Golf

You think golf is the best sport. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their sports. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): football, tennis or basketball.

Role B – Football

You think football is the best sport. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their sports. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): golf, tennis or basketball.

Role C – Tennis

You think tennis is the best sport. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their sports. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): football, golf or basketball.

Role D – Basketball

You think basketball is the best sport. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their sports. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): football, tennis or golf.

AFTER READING / LISTENING

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/2106/210623-night-golf.html>

1. WORD SEARCH: Look in your dictionary / computer to find collocates, other meanings, information, synonyms ... for the words 'night' and 'golf'.

night	golf

- Share your findings with your partners.
- Make questions using the words you found.
- Ask your partner / group your questions.

2. ARTICLE QUESTIONS: Look back at the article and write down some questions you would like to ask the class about the text.

- Share your questions with other classmates / groups.
- Ask your partner / group your questions.

3. GAP FILL: In pairs / groups, compare your answers to this exercise. Check your answers. Talk about the words from the activity. Were they new, interesting, worth learning...?

4. VOCABULARY: Circle any words you do not understand. In groups, pool unknown words and use dictionaries to find their meanings.

5. TEST EACH OTHER: Look at the words below. With your partner, try to recall how they were used in the text:

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• rise• market• reflect• allow• difficult• capital	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• many• result• week• since• legendary• swing
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GOLF SURVEY

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/2106/210623-night-golf.html>

Write five GOOD questions about golf in the table. Do this in pairs. Each student must write the questions on his / her own paper.

When you have finished, interview other students. Write down their answers.

	STUDENT 1 _____	STUDENT 2 _____	STUDENT 3 _____
Q.1.			
Q.2.			
Q.3.			
Q.4.			
Q.5.			

- Now return to your original partner and share and talk about what you found out. Change partners often.
- Make mini-presentations to other groups on your findings.

GOLF DISCUSSION

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

1. What did you think when you read the headline?
2. What images are in your mind when you hear the word 'night'?
3. What do you think of golf?
4. Why is golf so popular?
5. What are the benefits of playing golf?
6. What do you think of the idea of night golf?
7. What other sports can be played at night?
8. What equipment and apparel do you need to play golf?
9. What are golf courses like in your country?
10. What else could golf clubs do to increase playing opportunities?

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GOLF DISCUSSION

STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

11. Did you like reading this article? Why/not?
12. What do you think of when you hear the word 'golf'?
13. What do you think about what you read?
14. Is golf a sport, game or pastime?
15. What damage do golf courses do to the environment?
16. Are golf stars good role models?
17. Why do you think South Korea's women are so good at golf?
18. Who is your favourite golf player, and why?
19. Should all schoolchildren play golf?
20. What questions would you like to ask a golf club CEO?

DISCUSSION (Write your own questions)

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

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DISCUSSION (Write your own questions)

STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

LANGUAGE - CLOZE

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Put the correct words from the table below in the above article.

- | | | | | |
|-----|----------------|------------------|------------------|----------------|
| 1. | (a) debating | (b) rebating | (c) baiting | (d) abating |
| 2. | (a) cap it all | (b) capital | (c) cap pit tall | (d) capita |
| 3. | (a) shine | (b) reflect | (c) starburst | (d) ray |
| 4. | (a) daubed | (b) dibbed | (c) dubbed | (d) dabbed |
| 5. | (a) square | (b) circle | (c) round | (d) oval |
| 6. | (a) limited | (b) incorporated | (c) liability | (d) juxtaposed |
| 7. | (a) at | (b) in | (c) of | (d) to |
| 8. | (a) stage | (b) platform | (c) dais | (d) phase |
| 9. | (a) by | (b) of | (c) at | (d) on |
| 10. | (a) lest | (b) lost | (c) least | (d) lust |
| 11. | (a) cookie | (b) bookie | (c) rookie | (d) talkie |
| 12. | (a) down | (b) about | (c) over | (d) up |

SPELLING

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Paragraph 1

1. the pulopaityr of golf
2. spend more per cpaati
3. golf equipment and lpearpa
4. The concept has been udebbd "white night" golf
5. There is a iyatcsrc of courses
6. use by miltryia personnel

Paragraph 2

7. ihgvnciae more success
8. world rnikangs
9. Korea's ygednlrea Pak Se-ri
10. in her korieo season
11. She may have been a white night taiabrllzer
12. near smeetcieer at night

PUT THE TEXT BACK TOGETHER

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Number these lines in the correct order.

- () dubbed "white night" golf. It allows Korea's avid golfers more opportunities to get their
- () in the women's game. The SeoulSisters website states that: "As of last week, 32 of the top 100 players in the women's world
- () father made her practice her swing near cemeteries at night to toughen her up.
- () clubs out. It can be difficult to secure a round of golf in Korea. There is a scarcity
- (**1**) The rise of the popularity of golf in South Korea shows no sign of abating. The country is now the world's third
- () games. White night golf may result in South Korea's golfers achieving more success on the international stage, especially
- () There are as many as 117 golf courses of 18 holes or more that currently offer night
- () apparel than people in any other country. A new phenomenon is taking off in Korea to reflect the ever-
- () rankings, including 4 of the top 10, were from South Korea." A Korean woman has won at
- () aged 20 in her rookie season. She may have been a white night trailblazer. It is reported her
- () of courses in metropolitan areas. The capital city of Seoul has just one course and is limited to use by military personnel.
- () least one golf major every season since 2010. Korea's legendary Pak Se-ri won the 1998 US Open
- () increasing popularity of the game. Golf clubs are opening after dark to allow more people to play the game. The concept has been
- () largest market for golf, and Korean golfers spend more per capita on golf equipment and

PUT THE WORDS IN THE RIGHT ORDER

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/2106/210623-night-golf.html>

1. golf in popularity The in Korea . rise of
2. world's the Now third market for golf . largest
3. is off Korea . A in new taking phenomenon
4. people play . allow after Opening to to dark
5. clubs get out . their to More opportunities
6. as are There many 117 golf courses . as
7. success the stage . Golfers international achieving on more
8. woman at one . won has least Korean A
9. a have may She white been night trailblazer .
10. made father swing . practice her Her her

CIRCLE THE CORRECT WORD (20 PAIRS)

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/2106/210623-night-golf.html>

The rise of the *popular* / *popularity* of golf in South Korea shows no sign of abating. The country is now the world's third largest *bazaar* / *market* for golf, and Korean golfers spend more *per capita* / *capital* on golf equipment and apparel than people in any other country. A new phenomenon is *teeing* / *taking* off in Korea to reflect the ever-increasing popularity for the game. Golf clubs are opening after dark to allow more people to play the game. The *contract* / *concept* has been *dubbed* / *daubed* "white night" golf. It allows Korea's *void* / *avid* golfers more opportunities to get their clubs out. It can be difficult to secure a *square* / *round* of golf in Korea. There is a *scarcity* / *security* of courses in metropolitan areas. The capital city of Seoul has just one course and is limited to use by *militia* / *military* personnel.

There are as many as 117 golf *causes* / *courses* of 18 holes or more that currently offer night games. White night golf may result *on* / *in* South Korea's golfers achieving more success *on* / *in* the international stage, especially in the women's game. The SeoulSisters website states that: "*Has* / *As* of last week, 32 of the top 100 players in the women's world *ramblings* / *rankings*, including 4 of the top 10, were from South Korea." A Korean woman has won at *last* / *least* one golf major every season since 2010. Korea's legendary Pak Se-ri won the 1998 US Open aged 20 in her *cookie* / *rookie* season. She may have been a white night *trailblazer* / *blazer*. It is reported her father *made* / *took* her practice her swing near cemeteries at night to toughen her *down* / *up*.

Talk about the connection between each pair of words in italics, and why the correct word is correct.

INSERT THE VOWELS (a, e, i, o, u)

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The r_se _f the p_p_l_r_ty _f g_lf _n S__th K_re_ sh_ws n_ s_gn _f _b_t_ng. The c__ntry _s n_w the w_rld's th_rd l_rgest m_rket f_r g_lf, _nd K_re_n g_lfers spend m_re per c_p_t_ _n g_lf eq__pment _nd _pp_rel th_n pe_ple _n _ny _ther c__ntry. _ new phen_men_n _s t_k_ng _ff _n K_re_ t_ reflect the ever-_ncre_s_ng p_p_l_r_ty f_r the g_me. G_lf cl_bs _re _pen_ng _fter d_rk t_ _ll_w m_re pe_ple t_ pl_y the g_me. The c_ncept h_s been d_bbed "wh_te n_gh_t" g_lf. _t _ll_ws K_re_'s _v_d g_lfers m_re _pp_rtn_t_es t_ get the_r cl_bs __t. _t c_n be d_ff_c_lt t_ sec_re _ r__nd _f g_lf _n K_re_. There _s _ sc_rc_ty _f c__rses _n metr_p_l_t_n _re_s. The c_p_t_l c_ty _f Se__l h_s j_st _ne c__rse _nd _s l_m_ted t_ _se by m_l_t_ry pers_nnel.

There _re _s m_ny _s 117 g_lf c__rses _f 18 h_les _r m_re th_t c_rrently _ffer n_gh_t g_mes. Wh_te n_gh_t g_lf m_y res_lt _n S__th K_re_'s g_lfers _ch_ev_ng m_re s_ccess _n the _ntern_t__n_l st_ge, espec__lly _n the w_men's g_me. The Se__lS_sters webs_te st_tes th_t: "_s _f l_st week, 32 _f the t_p 100 pl_yers _n the w_men's w_rld r_nk_ngs, _ncl_d_ng 4 _f the t_p 10, were fr_m S__th K_re_." _ K_re_n w_m_n h_s w_n _t le_st _ne g_lf m_j_r every se_s_n s_nce 2010. K_re_'s legend_ry P_k Se-r_ w_n the 1998 _S _pen _ged 20 _n her r__k_e se_s_n. She m_y h_ve been _ wh_te n_gh_t tr__bl_zer. _t _s rep_rted her f_ther m_de her pr_ct_ce her sw_ng ne_r cemeter_es _t n_gh_t t_ t__ghen her _p.

PUNCTUATE THE TEXT AND ADD CAPITALS

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the rise of the popularity of golf in south korea shows no sign of abating the country is now the worlds third largest market for golf and korean golfers spend more per capita on golf equipment and apparel than people in any other country a new phenomenon is taking off in korea to reflect the everincreasing popularity for the game golf clubs are opening after dark to allow more people to play the game the concept has been dubbed white night golf it allows koreas avid golfers more opportunities to get their clubs out it can be difficult to secure a round of golf in korea there is a scarcity of courses in metropolitan areas the capital city of seoul has just one course and is limited to use by military personnel

there are as many as 117 golf courses of 18 holes or more that currently offer night games white night golf may result in south koreas golfers achieving more success on the international stage especially in the womens game the seoulsisters website states that as of last week 32 of the top 100 players in the womens world rankings including 4 of the top 10 were from south korea a korean woman has won at least one golf major every season since 2010 koreas legendary pak seri won the 1998 us open aged 20 in her rookie season she may have been a white night trailblazer it is reported her father made her practice her swing near cemeteries at night to toughen her up

PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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HOMework

1. VOCABULARY EXTENSION: Choose several of the words from the text. Use a dictionary or Google's search field (or another search engine) to build up more associations / collocations of each word.

2. INTERNET: Search the Internet and find out more about this news story. Share what you discover with your partner(s) in the next lesson.

3. GOLF: Make a poster about golf. Show your work to your classmates in the next lesson. Did you all have similar things?

4. 24 HOURS: Write a magazine article about making all sports facilities available 24 hours a day. Include imaginary interviews with people who are for and against this.

Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Write down any new words and expressions you hear from your partner(s).

5. WHAT HAPPENED NEXT? Write a newspaper article about the next stage in this news story. Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Give each other feedback on your articles.

6. LETTER: Write a letter to an expert on golf. Ask him/her three questions about golf. Give him/her three of your ideas. Read your letter to your partner(s) in your next lesson. Your partner(s) will answer your questions.

ANSWERS

VOCABULARY (p.4)

1. f 2. a 3. d 4. b 5. g 6. e 7. c
8. m 9. h 10. i 11. l 12. k 13. n 14. j

TRUE / FALSE (p.5)

- 1 F 2 F 3 T 4 F 5 T 6 T 7 T 8 F

SYNONYM MATCH (p.5)

1. g	2. j	3. d	4. b	5. h
6. i	7. c	8. f	9. a	10. e

COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS (p.9)

- Abating
- Golf equipment and apparel
- Their clubs
- A round of golf
- Military personnel
- 117
- On the international stage
- Four
- Twenty
- Her swing

WORDS IN THE RIGHT ORDER (p.19)

- The rise in popularity of golf in Korea.
- Now the world's third largest market for golf.
- A new phenomenon is taking off in Korea.
- Opening after dark to allow people to play.
- More opportunities to get their clubs out.
- There are as many as 117 golf courses.
- Golfers achieving more success on the international stage.
- A Korean woman has won at least one.
- She may have been a white night trailblazer.
- Her father made her practice her swing.

MULTIPLE CHOICE - QUIZ (p.10)

1. c 2. a 3. d 4. b 5. c 6. b 7. d 8. b 9. a 10. d

ALL OTHER EXERCISES

Please check for yourself by looking at the Article on page 2.
(It's good for your English ;-)