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To whom it may concern:

It is my pleasure to write this letter of recommendation on behalf of Dr. Jerry Haigh. From our first contact to our last interaction Jerry has poured forth a vast amount of interesting, informative, educational and entertaining stories. His stories are not just anecdotal. The story's Dr. Jerry Haigh tells have a practical use for the audience and asks them to participate during and if so desired, after his presentation.

What becomes evidently clear during the course of Jerry's offering is the vast amount of experiences that he has chronicled in his diverse life experiences. His willingness to continue to learn from those experiences and share them with his audiences in a thought provoking and action oriented way demonstrates his love of the inhabitants of this planet.

I was able to watch Dr. Haigh present about his time spent as a wildlife veterinarian to 240 fourteen year old spectators. Students this age live in world of extremes; love/hate, always/never, best/worst... Following the presentation I observed conversations with the most skeptical of students as they were talking about the stories heard from Dr. Haigh and how it changed their perspective about the difficulties and successes of people that live much differently than they do. That is the work of a master story teller.

An important aspect that accompanied his presentation was the intriguing visual pictures and short film clips. These pictures were worth a thousand words as they accompanied the stories and placed context to time, place and human/animal interaction. There are instances of literal safari ants in the pants, giving a rhino an enema and watching fish feed directly out of the anus of a hippo as it excreted. The adults and kids in the audience roared with laughter and a better appreciation of the interesting nature of our world.

Please consider Dr. Jerry Haigh for the upcoming storytelling tour. He will enrich the lives of the audience in an informative and entertaining manner!

Sincerely,

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