

The 19th Hole with...

Damon Di Giorgio

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What are you drinking?

Presidente. It's a Dominican beer. *Me gusta Presidente!*

What's your dog's name?

That's "Pinki," with an 'i.' She is half-Chihuahua, half-Yorkie. I've had her five years this month.

Tell me something cool about "Pinki."

She's a certified therapy dog. We visit people with Alzheimer's. We spend time with people making them happy. I don't think too many superintendents have dogs that are certified therapy dogs.

How often do you get back to your place in the Dominican Republic?

Two or three times a year, mostly in the

winter. I miss it every day. I have a picture of the D.R. in my office. It's definitely where my heart is.



Where's the first place you go when you're back in the D.R.?

Soles. It's a chill-out bar on the beach. It's about 100 steps from my place. It's totally "Norm" from *Cheers* when I go there. The cook in the back comes out and gives me a hug when I walk in.

What was the last thing you bought online?

I bought my work shoes online from Cabela's. They're brown, waterproof, low-cut shoes. Good for working outside but classy enough you can go to meetings in them.



Who is cooking dinner and who is doing the dishes? I'm getting Chinese tonight, so there are no dishes. Everything goes right in the trash.

Do you always eat out? Absolutely. You work so much — I've been here for 14 hours today — the last thing I want to do is go home and cook.

There has to be something you like to cook? I have no desire to ever cook. I only use the microwave.

What game show would you like to be on?

The Price is Right. We watch that at lunch. You don't have to be extremely smart, and people can help you — you can look into the crowd, someone can tell you what to say. Plus, the awesome models.

Where do you like to go after work?

Brandywine Brewing Co., because they allow my dog there and they give her water. She can sit right beside me. They give her a huge bowl of water, big enough that she could probably swim in there. They put ice in it and everything.

Damon, thank you, you're off the hot seat.

So I can go get my Chinese now?

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