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March 24, 2009 Chicago, IL 14 year-old Gregory English represented the United States at the 36th Tae Kwon Do Annual Dutch Open. In his first international competition Gregory defeated Croatia and the Netherlands, losing to Spain in the quarter finals. Gregory is being groomed to win a spot on the 2016 Tae Kwon Do Olympic Team and is in strong support of Chicago's bid to host the games here.

Gregory stated, "I did my best and I learned a lot from this experience. I do not see my loss at the Dutch Open as a failure, I see it as an opportunity for me to grow and learn. It makes me want the gold medal more and train even harder. I will not win every time – and that's okay. Failures and losses are a part of every successful person's history and this just one of mine."

In addition to Gregory representing the United States at 14 years-old, he is also the President of Kicking 4 Kids a student development product of International High Achievers. Kicking 4 Kids offers training and development to students in grades K-12th in the areas of character development and life skills (e.g. time management and responsible independence). Kicking 4 Kids takes successful young athletes who do well in school – particularly math, science and reading – and pays them to speak to and conduct training workshops to other students all over the world.

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