Next Selection Test: Exam 3

IMO camp, Oundle School

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Problem 7 Find all injective functions $f: \mathbb{N} \longrightarrow \mathbb{N}$ such that, for each n,

$$f(f(n)) \le \frac{n + f(n)}{2}$$
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Note that a function $g: A \longrightarrow B$ is injective iff whenever f(x) = f(y), then x = y.

Problem 8 Let ABCD be a parallelogram but not a rhombus. Let E be the foot of the perpendicular from B to AC. The line through E which is perpendicular to BD intersects BC at F and AB at G.

Show that EF = EG if, and only if, ABCD is a rectangle.

Problem 9 Find all positive integers n for which there are distinct integers a_1, a_2, \ldots, a_n such that

 $\frac{1}{a_1} + \frac{2}{a_2} + \dots + \frac{n}{a_n} = \frac{a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n}{2}.$

Time allowed: 4 hours 30 minutes