



Devon Prep Basketball 2023-2024

SPONSORSHIP

Opportunities





The Devon Prep Basketball Sponsorship Program, managed by The Friends of Devon Prep Basketball, is an opportunity to provide support to our highly-ranked basketball teams that include players in 6th through 12th grades across six teams.

Devon Prep is a private, Catholic, college prep school focused on the holistic development of young men encompassing the spirit, mind and body. The High School and JV teams compete in the renowned Philadelphia Catholic League. The Devon Prep Tide won the 3A PA State Championship in 2022 and made it to the Elite 8 in 2023.

While the teams work hard at improving their basketball skills all year long, they also strive to be positive influences in our communities. The basketball teams participate in service activities through the year like Coaches vs Cancer, walks and runs to support the American Cancer Society and assembling holiday baskets for Partners in Outreach. The boys also coach at various youth clinics and camps to help develop younger players. Support from sponsors actually provide scholarships for inner-city youth to participate in these youth development activities.

With a strong Devon Prep alumni network and fan base, along with the intense competition and spirit in the Philadelphia Catholic League, thousands of people come to the Tide's gym and follow our social media. Our audience will be your audience and your company's name will be seen by people throughout the Philadelphia region and beyond. In addition to the PCL and teams around the Philadelphia suburbs, our schedule includes teams from Reading, Pittsburgh, New York, New Jersey, Maryland and Virginia.





































Your support will go a long way in providing a positive experience for the Devon Prep Tide basketball players as well as the Devon Prep student body as a whole. Just watch our student section - affectionately known as The Pit - during home games. The environment is electric and the school spirit is contagious.

Follow us on our socials and see where your company will be highlighted. Most PCL games are sold out and you will have exposure in our digital program with thousands of downloads throughout the season. We invite you to be a part of the excitement of Devon Prep Basketball and appreciate your consideration to support us.



Sponsorship Levels

2023-2024 SEASON

	SWISH	ALLEY OOP	AND 1	SLAM DUNK	ABOVE THE RIM	BLUE/GOLD*
	\$150	\$250	\$500	\$750	\$1,000	\$4,000
1/10 PAGE AD IN DIGITAL GAME PROGRAM & LISTING IN BANQUET PROGRAM						
LISTED ON DPBALL WEBSITE						
SOCIAL MEDIA SHOUTOUTS						
VERBAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AT A HOME GAME						
ROTATING DIGITAL AD AT SCORING TABLE FOR HOME GAMES						
SIGNAGE AT SNACK BOOTH						
SPONSOR OF HALFTIME EVENT AT ONE HOME GAME						
BANNER FOR 1 YEAR						

*Blue/Gold sponsors will receive a customized promotional package with additional recognition including as a Banquet Sponsor



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Sponsorship Form

2023-2024

Please e-mail completed form and logo to Friends of Devon Prep Basketball (friendsofdpball@yahoo.com) with DP Bball Sponsor as subject. Thank you!

Name of Sponsor: _____

Contact Name: _____

Contact Email: _____

Contact Phone: _____

Amount of Sponsorship: _____

Devon Prep Bball Contact: _____

Date Payment Sent/Made: _____

Date Logo Sent: _____

Discount/Coupon Offered: _____

(ex. 10% off total purchase)



Sponsors can submit payment via the QR code or by sending a check made out to Devon Preparatory School to:
Friends of Devon Prep Basketball
Devon Preparatory School
363 North Valley Forge Road
Devon, PA 19333



When paying online,
please select Annual Fund other
and include the note:
DP Basketball
2023-2024 season

Thank you very much for supporting
Devon Prep Basketball for the
2023-2024 season

ROLL TIDE!



DEVON PREP & THE PCL



Devon Prep's journey to the Philadelphia Catholic League [PCL] was fueled by Coach Fisher's desire for Devon Prep student-athletes to strive to get better every day. What better place to do that than in the historic and highly competitive PCL that is right in Devon Prep's back yard.

The tip-off to the Philadelphia Catholic League happened in 1920 when Monsignor Bonner threw up the ball for the opening tap in the first league game played between St. Joe's Prep and Roman Catholic [called Catholic High at the time]. The other teams in the PCL that first year were Villanova Prep [later called Malvern Prep and a PCL member until 1923] and West Catholic. The St. Joe's Prep loss to Roman in that first game was their only loss of the season on their way to the first Philadelphia Catholic League Championship with a 7-1 record.

Over the years teams moved in and out of the PCL – including Salesianum [who lost to SJP in a 22-21 playoff barnburner in 1923], Trenton Cathedral and Camden Catholic. The Philadelphia teams of North Catholic, St. Tommy More, Cardinal Dougherty, Kennedy-Kendrick and Bishop McDevitt were also members of the PCL at various times. Devon Prep joined the PCL for the 2018-2019 basketball season. Prior to that time, the PCL had not expanded since Lansdale Catholic joined in 2012. Current basketball teams who participate in the Philadelphia Catholic League are Archbishop Carroll, Archbishop Ryan, Archbishop Wood, Bonner and Prendie, Cardinal O'Hara, Conwell-Egan, Devon Prep, Father Judge, Lansdale Catholic, LaSalle College, Neumann-Goretti, Roman Catholic, St. Joseph's Prep and West Catholic.

The PCL championship game is played at the Palestra - the historic arena referred to as "the Cathedral of College Basketball" - on the campus of the University of Pennsylvania. As of 2022, 47 PCL players have made their way to the NBA. Among them are names familiar to those in the Philadelphia area and beyond: Marc Jackson, Paul Arizin, Tom Gola, Derrick Jones, Collin Gillespie and Jalen Duren. Big 5 Legends Phil Martelli, Jack Ramsay and Speedy Morris paced the sidelines coaching their PCL teams aiming to make it to the Palestra. The basketball talent that is drawn to the PCL has earned the league the reputation of being one of the toughest high school basketball leagues in the country.