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# MEDIA GUIDE

**DBU**  
BASKETBALL

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# THIS IS DBU BASKETBALL



# ERA OF DOMINANCE



Over a nine-year stretch dating back to the 2015-2016 season, the DBU Men's Basketball team has punched their ticket to the NCAA Tournament seven times and won a combined four conference titles, including a pair of both regular-season and tournament championships in the Heartland Conference. The Patriots' recent run includes six trips to the NCAA postseason in the last seven years, advancing to the NCAA South Central Regional Semifinals twice during that span.

During the past nine seasons, DBU boasts an overall record of 193-84 (.697) and has gone 117-49 (.705) versus conference opponents. DBU has also compiled a 105-23 (.820) mark at the Burg Center over those nine years.

The Patriots' dominant run beginning in 2016 saw DBU clinch the Heartland Conference Tournament Championship. In one of the all-time great games in Patriot Basketball history, DBU overcame a six-point deficit with 42 seconds remaining in the title game against UA Fort Smith to send the contest into

overtime. DBU would eventually close out the Lions in an 89-83 victory to claim the program's first Heartland Conference Tournament title.

Following a 35-point and 14-rebound performance in the championship game, Patrick Burke was named the tournament's Most Valuable Player.

By clinching the league's automatic berth to the NCAA Tournament, DBU entered the South Central Regional as the No. 7 seed. It marked the Patriots' second trip to the NCAA postseason in school history.

One year later, DBU staked claim to their first-ever regular-season title, finishing the year as co-champions of the Heartland Conference and earning the top seed at the Heartland Conference Tournament. DBU finished the season with a 24-12 mark, matching the 2008-2009 team for the most wins in a season.



# ERA OF DOMINANCE



The Patriots were led by a trio of All-Heartland Conference performers, including Patrick Burke, who ranked second in the nation in field goal percentage. Julian Miranda was tabbed the league's Freshman of the Year and finished the season with a team-best 147 assists, while senior Myles Johnson finished his career as the program's second-all-time leading scorer. Patriots' head coach, Blake Flickner, was named the Heartland Conference Coach of the Year.

In the 2017-2018 season, DBU defended their regular-season title while winning the Heartland Conference Tournament title. Following a school-record 26 wins, the Patriots earned the No. 6 seed in the South Central Regional Tournament. DBU also finished the year with a perfect 15-0 record at home, including an upset win over then-ranked No. 6 UT Permian Basin.

Following DBU's win over Oklahoma Christian in the Heartland Conference Tournament Championship, Patrick Burke was named the tournament's Most Valuable Player for the second time in his career.

At the season's end, Chandler Jacobs became the fifth player

in school history named the Heartland Conference's Freshman of the Year. Patrick Burke also earned First Team All-Conference honors, as he finished his career as a three-time All-Conference selection.

The 2018-2019 season saw the Patriots advance to the NCAA postseason for the third in four years.

DBU also reached the Heartland Conference Tournament Championship game for the fourth consecutive year before eventually falling to then-ranked No. 9 St. Edward's. As the Patriots entered the NCAA Tournament, DBU boasted its highest seed in school history, entering the South Central Regional as the No. 5 seed.

During the 2018-2019 season, DBU also extended its home win streak at the Burg Center to 37 games, the longest streak in the nation at any level, before eventually falling to St. Edward's on February 23.

In 2019-2020, DBU transitioned to the Lone Star Conference, where the Patriots finished the regular season with a 21-9 record. After reaching the Quarterfinals of the LSC Tournament,



# ERA OF DOMINANCE



DBU earned their third straight trip to the NCAA postseason, where the Patriots were tabbed the No. 7 seed in the South Central Region. Before their First Round matchup versus conference foe St. Edward's, the NCAA Tournament was canceled due to the COVID-19 global pandemic.

Following the 2019-2020 season, Carter Brown was named the Lone Star Conference Defensive Player of the Year and finished his career as the school's all-time leader in steals with 233.

The 2020-2021 campaign saw the Patriots win the LSC's North Division and upset No. 3 West Texas A&M in Canyon, Texas, during the regular season, snapping the Buffs' 45-game home win streak. The Patriots returned to the postseason, becoming one of just 10 teams in the nation to advance to the NCAA Tournament each of the last four years. DBU defeated Southern Arkansas in the South Central Regional and advanced to the Regional Semifinals for the second time in program history.

Chandler Jacobs was tabbed LSC's Defensive Player of the Year and an NABC All-American after finishing his career as the program's all-time leading scorer with 1,919 points. First-year standout Ricky Lujan was named the LSC's Freshman of the Year.

In DBU's third season in the LSC during 2021-2022, the Patriots went 17-12 overall and posted a 10-5 mark in conference play. Highlighting DBU's season was a win over No. 4 Colorado Mesa in the season opener and an upset of top-ranked Lubbock Christian on the road. The Patriots reached the NCAA postseason for the fifth consecutive year, where they fell just short of upsetting No. 22 Black Hills State, who eventually reached the NCAA Final Four.

After missing the postseason for the first time in five years, the Patriots returned to the NCAA Tournament during the 2023-2024 season. DBU clinched the LSC East Division with a 13-1 record versus divisional opponents. The Patriots were led by Cameron Kahn, who was tabbed an Honorable Mention All-American by the D2CCA. Kahn ranked third in the LSC in scoring, averaging 19.5 points per game. DBU defeated No. 23 Colorado School of Mines in the Quarterfinals of the South Central Regional Tournament and reached the Regional Semifinals for the third time in program history.

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8 TRIPS TO THE NCAA DIVISION II TOURNAMENT



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2011 NCCAA NATIONAL CHAMPIONS



# ALL-AMERICANS

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## CHANDLER JACOBS

*NABC All-American (2020-21)*

*D2CCA Honorable Mention*

*All-American (2020-21)*

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## CAMERON KAHN

*D2CCA Honorable Mention*

*All-American (2023-24)*

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# ALL-CONFERENCE PLAYERS

## BRAXTON ADAMSON



2010-11 2nd Team  
All-Heartland Conference  
2009-10 Honorable Mention  
All-Heartland Conference  
2008-09 2nd Team  
All-Heartland Conference  
2007-08 Heartland  
Conference Freshman  
of the Year

## BRYAN BAUMANN



2009-10 2nd  
Team All-Heartland  
Conference  
2008-09 Honorable  
Mention All-Heartland  
Conference

## CARTER BROWN

2019-20 Lone Star  
Conference Defensive  
Player of  
the Year  
2019-20 2nd Team  
All-LSC



## PATRICK BURKE

2017-18 1st Team  
All-Heartland Conference  
2016-17 1st Team  
All-Heartland Conference  
2015-16 Honorable  
Mention All-Heartland  
Conference



## ISAAC BULLARD

2021-22 LSC  
All-Freshman  
Team



## DWIGHT COLEMAN

2006-07 2nd Team  
All-Heartland Conference



## TA'JAY DUNLAP

2023-24 3rd  
Team All-LSC  
2022-23 3rd  
Team All-LSC



## DENG DUT

2023-24  
Honorable  
Mention All-LSC



## NICK FOX

2012-13 1st Team  
All-Heartland Conference  
2011-12 1st Team  
All-Heartland Conference  
2010-11 1st Team  
All-Heartland Conference  
2010-11 Heartland  
Conference Newcomer  
of the Year



# ALL-CONFERENCE PLAYERS

## TREVOR FRANK



2023-24 LSC  
Sixth Man of  
the Year

2023-24 LSC  
All-Freshman  
Team

## AUSTIN GARNER



2021-22  
LSC Sixth Man  
of the Year

## EDDIE GLOVIAK



2008-09  
Honorable  
Mention  
All-Heartland  
Conference



## JT HARRIS

2018-19 Honorable  
Mention All-Heartland  
Conference

## WILLIAM HEATHER

2020-21 Honorable  
Mention All-LSC



## CARSON HUGHES

2021-22 Honorable  
Mention All-LSC

2020-21 2nd  
Team All-LSC



## CHANDLER JACOBS

2020-21 LSC Defensive  
Player of the Year  
2020-21 1st Team All-LSC  
2019-20 1st Team All-LSC  
2018-19 1st Team  
All-Heartland Conference  
2017-18 Heartland  
Conference Freshman  
of the Year  
2017-18 2nd Team  
All-Heartland Conference



## MYLES JOHNSON

2016-17 Honorable  
Mention All-Heartland  
Conference  
2014-15 2nd Team  
All-Heartland  
Conference



## CAMERON KAHN

2023-24  
1st Team All-LSC  
2022-23  
1st Team  
All-LSC  
2021-22  
1st Team All-LSC



# ALL-CONFERENCE PLAYERS

## SHELBY LEWIS



2008-09 2nd Team  
All-Heartland Conference  
2007-08 Heartland  
Conference Defensive  
Player of the Year  
2007-08 Honorable  
Mention All-Heartland  
Conference

## SHANNON LILLY



2015-16  
Honorable Mention  
All-Heartland  
Conference

## RICKY LUJAN



2023-24  
2nd Team All-LSC  
2022-23  
3rd Team All-LSC  
2021-21  
2nd Team All-LSC  
2020-21  
LSC Freshman  
of the Year  
2020-21 First Team All-LSC

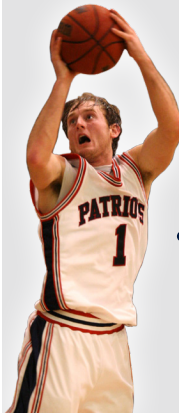
## JORDAN MCGOWEN

2011-12 1st Team  
All-Heartland Conference  
2010-11 Honorable  
Mention All-Heartland  
Conference  
2009-10 1st Team  
All-Heartland Conference  
2008-09 Heartland  
Conference Freshman of  
the Year



## NICK MICHELS

2007-08 2nd  
Team All-Heartland  
Conference  
2006-07 2nd  
Team All-Heartland  
Conference



## JOEY MILLER

2015-16  
Heartland  
Conference  
Newcomer  
of the Year  
2015-16 1st Team  
All-Heartland  
Conference



## JULIAN MIRANDA

2021-22  
3rd Team All-LSC  
2016-17 Heartland  
Conference Freshman  
of the Year



## MANNY MONTANO

2007-08 Honorable  
Mention All-Heartland  
Conference



## JONATHAN PERRY

2013-14 2nd Team  
All-Heartland Conference  
2012-13 Heartland  
Conference Freshman  
of the Year  
2012-13 Honorable  
Mention All-Heartland  
Conference



# ALL-CONFERENCE PLAYERS

**BOY VAN VLIET**

*2017-18  
Honorable Mention  
All-Heartland  
Conference*

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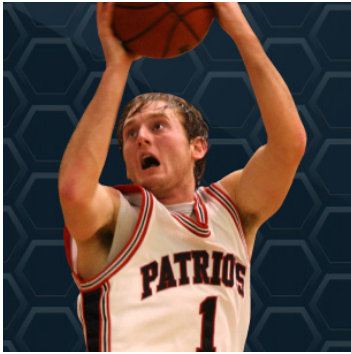
**JALEN WHITE**

*2020-21  
Honorable  
Mention All-LSC*

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# PATRIOTS IN THE PROS

**Nick Michaels**

2008 Athletes in Action (US Tour)  
2009 SC Bayer, Germany  
2010 EWE Baskets, Germany

**Dwight Coleman**

2008-2010 Dallas Vandals  
2010 NBL Nanchung Tigers, China  
2011 Salon Vilpas, Finland  
2012-13 Oulu YNNI, Finland

**Nick Fox**

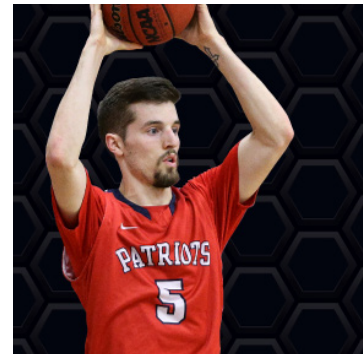
2013-14 Randers Cimbria, Denmark  
2014-15 Leyma Basquet, Coruna, Spain  
2015-16 Albacete Basket, Spain

**Remy Ndiaye**

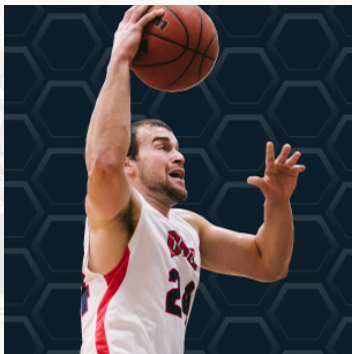
2014-15 Espoir, Rwanda

**Ishmael Awange**

2014-2016 Vipers, Dubai

**Joey Miller**

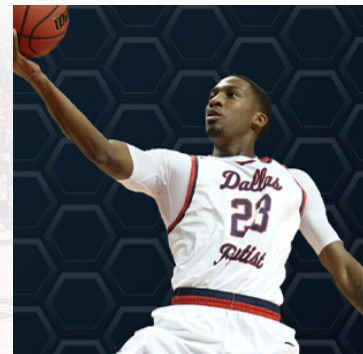
2016-2017 Fiorenjuola Serie C Gold, Italy  
2017 Westchester Knicks  
2019 Ringwood Hawks (NBL 1), Australia

**Jonathan Perry**

2016 Athletes in Action (US Tour)  
2017-18 Adelaide Warriors, Australia

**Boy van Vliet**

2018-19 Den Helder Suns,  
Netherlands  
2019-Present Den Bosch Heroes,  
Netherlands

**Tim Simmons**

2018 Santa Ana, El Salvador  
2019-2020 CDS Quilicura Basket, Chile  
2022 Jaguars de La Uam, Nicaragua  
2023-Present MC El Brasil Santa Ana,  
El Salvador

# PATRIOTS IN THE PROS



**Patrick Burke**

2019 Goldfield Giants, Australia  
2019-2021 Theview  
Copenhagen, Denmark



**Chandler Jacobs**

2022-2024 Bueno Arenas  
Albacete, Spain  
2024-Present Melilla Ciudad del  
Deporte, Spain



**Alex Holcombe**

2022 KK Pljevlja, Montenegro  
2023 BC Tobol, Kazakhstan  
2024 SW Slammer, Australia  
2024-Present Al Sulaibikhaht, Kuwait



**Julian Miranda**

2023 Portos Reynosa, Mexico





The DBU Men's Basketball team has been awarded the Team Academic Excellence Award from the National Association of Basketball Coaches (NABC) in nine out of the last 12 years. Created by the NABC Committee on Academics, the award recognizes outstanding academic achievement by a team with a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or better.

In order to earn a NABC Team Academic Excellence Award, institutions in the NCAA, NAIA and NJCAA must count the grade point averages of all men's student-athletes who competed during the season.

"I am so proud of our team and the work they did in the classroom again this year," DBU Head

Basketball Coach Blake Flickner said following the NABC's announcement. "This is such a prestigious award from the NABC. It speaks to the hard work our students have put in the classroom. It's not easy to be a college athlete, with all of the travel and time commitments. However, the opportunity to receive a quality education at a place like Dallas Baptist University is too important to not maximize. Some athletes look for just the minimum to stay eligible, and others really want to learn and pursue excellence. That is why the Team Academic Excellence award means so much."

# GLOBAL SPORTS MISSION INITIATIVE

## ABOUT GLOBAL SPORTS MISSION INITIATIVE

The Dallas Baptist University Patriot Athletic Department launched the Global Sports Mission Initiative in 2007 to allow DBU student-athletes the opportunity to share the love of Christ, while using their God-given athletics talents and gifts to minister and spread the Word of God abroad. The Global Sports Mission Initiative was created as a vision by Patriot Athletics and the DBU Global Missions Department and has included trips to Guatemala, Peru, Dominican Republic, South Korea, England, Brazil, Chile, Liberia, Scotland, Israel, China, Honduras, Curacao, Spain, and Cuba, with plans for more trips in the near future.

Since the beginning of DBU's Global Sports Mission Initiative, the Patriot Athletic Department and its student-athletes have been involved in 21 mission trips abroad and many local mission opportunities. The student-athletes, faculty, and staff that have been involved in DBU's Global Sports Mission Initiative have learned that when you serve and when you give, you receive a blessing in return. What started out as one mission trip for student-athletes has blossomed to an established program of sport missions with more than 200 student-athletes participating in global missions work.

"The Global Sports Mission Initiative provides our student-athletes the trip of a lifetime where they can glorify God through their love and service, and their God-given talents,"

stated Matt Duce, Dallas Baptist University's Director of Athletics.

NCAA rules prohibit teams from traveling and competing on a foreign tour more than once every four years, which has worked out perfectly for DBU, with the Athletic Department scheduling six trips over four years, and then starting the cycle of trips again among the athletic teams.

Besides these international mission trips, DBU student-athletes have been involved in many local opportunities to be servant leaders to those around them.



## Global Sports Mission Initiative Trips

**Costa Rica in 2024**  
*Volleyball & Women's Soccer*

**Dominican Republic in 2023**  
*Baseball*

**Spain in 2022**  
*Men's Basketball*

**Cuba in August 2019**  
*Baseball*

**Peru in June 2019**  
*Cross Country/Track & Field*

**Israel in August 2018**  
*Tennis*

**Spain in July 2018**  
*Men's Soccer*

**Spain in October 2017**  
*Men's Basketball/Cheerleading*

**England in May 2017**  
*Women's Soccer*

**Chile in March 2017**  
*Volleyball*

**London in January 2017**  
*Patriettes*

**Israel in May 2015**  
*Cross Country/Track*

**Curacao in October 2015**  
*Baseball*

**Brazil in June 2014**  
*Men's Soccer*

**Chile in October 2014**  
*Men's and Women's Tennis*

**Scotland in October 2014**  
*Men's and Women's Golf*

**Chile in October 2013**  
*Men's Basketball*

**Liberia in May 2013**  
*Women's Soccer*

**China in March 2013**  
*Women's Volleyball*

**London in January 2013**  
*Patriettes*

**The Dominican Republic in October 2011**  
*Baseball*

**Brazil in May 2011**  
*Cross Country/Track*

**Honduras in May 2011**  
*Athletic Department  
(All student-athletes)*

**The United Kingdom in July 2010 Patriot**  
*Men's and Women's Golf*

**Northern England in May 2010**  
*Men's and Women's Tennis*

**South Korea in October 2009**  
*Men's Basketball Team and Cheerleading Squad*

**Peru in March 2009**  
*Women's Volleyball and Soccer*

**Guatemala in October 2007**  
*Baseball*

# COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

## ONE KEY ELEMENT OF THE DBU MEN'S BASKETBALL TEAM IS THE WORK THEY DO WITHIN THE COMMUNITY.

Built on the principles of "Servant Leadership," the DBU Athletics program seeks to serve the needs of others and share the love of Christ through service opportunities.

Through the years, the DBU Men's Basketball team has helped to meet the needs of the Dallas community through their work at various organizations such as Brother Bill's Helping Hand, Buckner International, Clay Academy, Cornerstone Baptist Church, Goodwill Industries, HEB's Feast of Sharing, and the North Texas Food Bank.

"It has been a real blessing for our team to be involved with various opportunities within our Dallas community to serve. Whether it's reading books with elementary school kids, or feeding the homeless, it is a great chance for us to give back and to practice serving. Our desire is for our student-athletes to leave here with a heart for other people. It is awesome to be used by God to be a blessing to others, and we gain so much from the experience as well." – DBU head basketball coach Blake Flickner.



# FACILITIES - THE BURG CENTER



## THE BURG CENTER

The Burg Center was renovated in 2005 to welcome Men's Basketball to DBU's Athletic Program and advance the DBU Athletic Program's vision to be "Champions for Christ." Renovations included a redesigned gym floor in 2016, three state-of-the-art scoreboards, basketball goals with LED lights and shot clocks, coaches' offices, home and visitor locker rooms, sound system, public restrooms, concessions, ticket booth, and almost 600 more seats added on the east side to bring the total seating capacity to 1,600. Most recently, an LED video board with 2.1 million pixels was added to the Burg Center prior to the start of the 2022-23 season, adding to the gameday experience



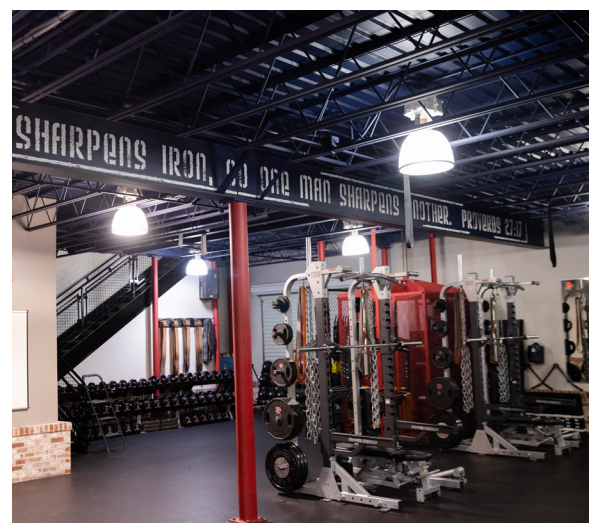
# FACILITIES - ATHLETIC TRAINING CENTER

## ATHLETIC TRAINING CENTER (ATC)

Dallas Baptist University Athletics opened the DBU Athletic Training Center in March 2013, for all Patriot student-athletes.

The Athletic Training Center occupies a two-level building, which has been renovated to house this new physical development facility solely dedicated to our Patriot student-athletes. The existing two-story, 5,000 square foot building is the new home of strength training and physical conditioning for Patriot student-athletes that offers top of the line Hammer Strength weight equipment, Life Fitness Cardio area, Kieser Air Compression Machines, Iron Grip Dumbbells and Plates, plyometric training area, and a separate sound system for upstairs and downstairs.

The primary feature of this facility is a weight training area with free weights designed specifically for intercollegiate student athletes. With state-of-the-art athletic training equipment in this remodeled facility, student-athletes will have the ability to enhance their performance to reach heightened levels of physical development, strength, and core fitness to ensure maximum competitiveness as they represent DBU Patriot Athletics on the field, court, and track.



# CAMPUS

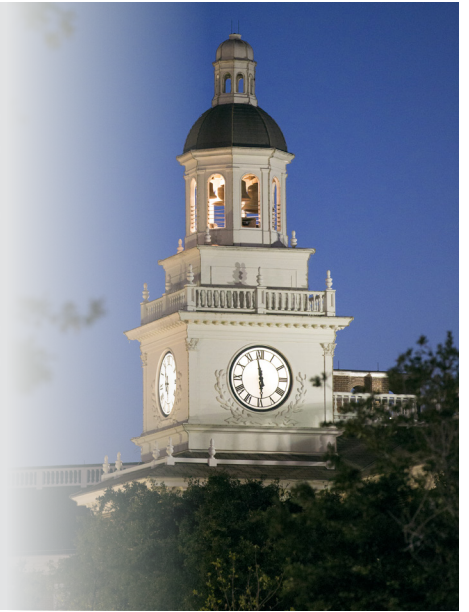


# DALLAS BAPTIST UNIVERSITY

## MAJESTIC CAMPUS

Located in Southwest Dallas and overlooking Mountain Creek Lake, the DBU main campus is well known for its beautiful, rural setting. The physical characteristics of the campus leaves an impression born of an early American Colonial-style architecture nestled within a majestic and varied landscape. More than the University's lakeside, hill country setting, DBU's beauty is inspired by a vision for a distinctly Christian institution of higher education that welcomes all those who come to learn, grow, and be transformed on University Hill.

The University's 292-acre main campus is one of only two official arboretums in Dallas as identified by the National Public Gardens Association, and has been named a Tree Campus USA by the Arbor Day Foundation every year since 2010, yet it is located only 13 miles from downtown Dallas and 19 miles from downtown Fort Worth. This thriving metropolitan locale provides students a wide range of opportunities for growth academically, socially, physically, professionally, and spiritually. The academic program offers options for rigorous scholastic engagement at the undergraduate and graduate level, and is coupled with opportunities for community service, social development, cultural enrichment, and spiritual development.



# DFW METROPLEX...BIG CITY LIVING

## BIG CITY LIVING

Located in the heart of the Dallas/ Fort Worth Metroplex, Dallas Baptist University provides the best of both worlds—students enjoy a beautiful campus home in the midst of a vibrant metropolitan area. Dallas has been called the “International Gateway” for commerce, because it is home to over 5,000 corporate headquarters and is considered by many to be the cultural and commercial center of the southwest United States.

Dallas/Fort Worth also boasts numerous professional sports teams such as the Dallas Cowboys, Dallas Mavericks, Dallas Stars, Texas Rangers, FC Dallas, Frisco RoughRiders, and Texas Legends.

AT&T STADIUM



TEXAS MOTOR SPEEDWAY



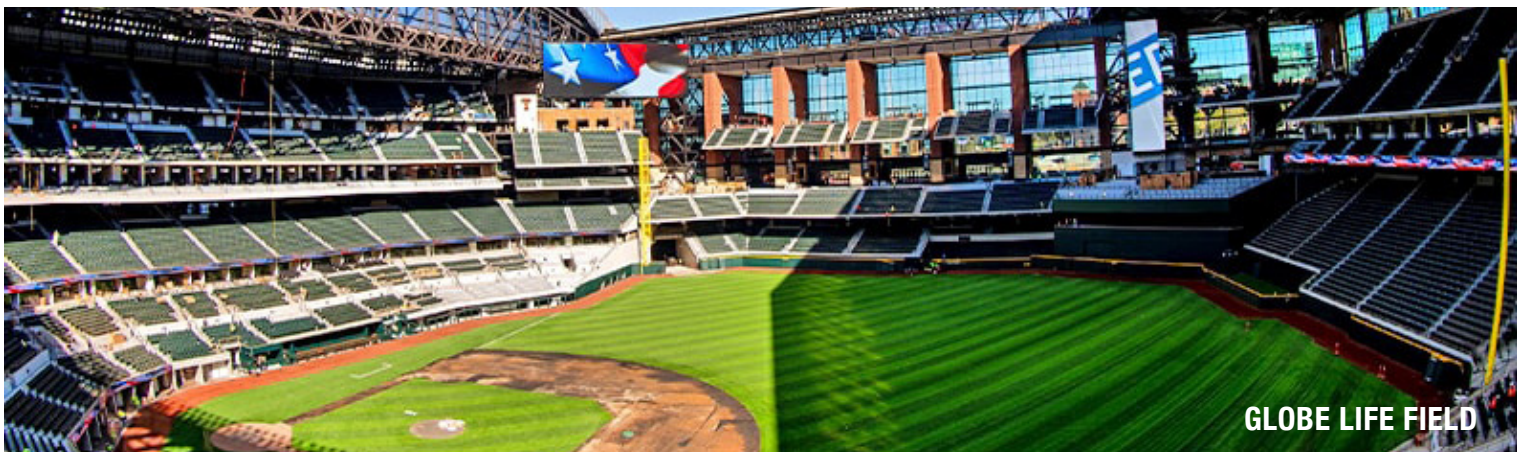
DOWNTOWN DALLAS



AMERICAN AIRLINES CENTER



GLOBE LIFE FIELD



## HOTELS

Hilton Garden Inn  
Dallas Arlington South  
521 E I20  
Arlington, TX 76018  
(817)557-8233

Holiday Inn Express  
4112 S Carrier Pkwy  
Grand Prairie, TX 75052



## DINING

Spring Creek BBQ  
4108 South Carrier Prkwy.  
Grand Prairie, TX 75052  
(972) 264-7725

Cheddar's  
4106 S. Carrier Pkwy.  
Grand Prairie, TX 75052  
(972) 264-0794

Chili's  
412 Westchase Dr.  
Grand Prairie, TX 75052  
(972) 642-0006

Outlaws BBQ  
2334 S Belt Line Rd.  
Grand Prairie, TX 75051  
(972) 263-6063

## FAST FOOD

Chick-fil-A  
3970 S Carrier Pkwy.  
Grand Prairie, TX 75052  
(972) 264-3100

Boston Market  
404 Westchase Dr.  
Grand Prairie, TX 75052  
(972) 262-3325



Chipotle  
4095 S Carrier Pkwy., Ste 200  
Grand Prairie, TX 75052  
(972) 400-4243

McDonald's  
308 Westchase Dr.  
Grand Prairie, TX 75052  
(972) 237-5616  
Taco Cabana  
3930 S. Carrier Pkwy.  
Grand Prairie, TX 75052  
(972) 642-7556

Whataburger  
3845 S Carrier Pkwy.  
Grand Prairie, TX 75052  
(972) 237-7941

## SHOPPING

Arlington Highlands –  
Shopping & Restaurants  
I-20 at Matlock Rd. & Center St.  
Arlington, TX

Galleria Dallas  
13350 Dallas Pkwy.  
Dallas, TX 75240  
(972) 702-7100

North Park Mall  
8687 North Central Expy.  
Dallas, TX 75225  
(214) 363-7441

The Parks at Arlington  
3811 South Cooper St.  
Arlington, TX 76015  
(817) 467-0200

## SPORTS

AT&T Cowboys Stadium  
One AT&T Way  
Arlington, TX 76011  
Tours: 1 (800) 745-3000

American Airlines Center  
2500 Victory Ave.  
Dallas, TX 75219  
(214) 222-3687

Globe Life Field  
734 Stadium Dr.  
Arlington, TX 76011  
(817)533-1972



## MUSEUMS

Dallas Museum of Art  
1717 North Harwood  
Dallas, TX 75201  
(214) 922-1200

Dallas World Aquarium  
1801 North Griffin St.  
Dallas, TX 75202  
(214) 720 2224

John F. Kennedy –  
The Sixth Floor Museum  
411 Elm Street  
Dallas, TX 75202  
(214) 747-6660



# MEET THE PATRIOTS



# HEAD COACH DR. BLAKE FLICKNER



Dr. Blake Flickner is in his 19th season as the Head Basketball Coach at DBU. In 18 years at the helm for the Patriots, Flickner boasts a record of 346-211 and has guided DBU to the NCAA Division II Tournament eight times, including seven of the last nine years. During Flickner's tenure at DBU, the Patriots have won two Lone Star Conference Division titles, a pair of Heartland Conference regular-season titles and two Heartland Tournament championships. Flickner is also a two-time Heartland Conference Coach of the Year, claiming the league's top coaching honors in 2009 and 2017.

Flickner's teams have produced two All-Americans and 79 All-Conference selections, including 15 players who have garnered First Team All-Conference honors. His Patriots have also seen six players named the Conference Freshman of the Year (5 Heartland & 1 Lone Star), three Defensive Player of the Year award winners (1 Heartland & 2 Lone Star), two LSC Sixth Man of the Year, and a pair of Heartland Conference Newcomers of the Year. Under Flickner's direction, DBU has also produced 13 players who have continued their basketball careers professionally overseas.

## YEAR-BY-YEAR

The Patriots are coming off a 2023-24 season in which they advanced to the NCAA Tournament as the No. 4 seed in the South Central Regional. DBU finished the regular season with a 25-6 record and won the LSC East Division title with an 18-4 record in league play. The Patriots were led by Cameron Kahn, who became the second All-American in program history after ranking third in the LSC in scoring, averaging 19.5 points per game. DBU notched an 86-73 win over No. 13 Colorado School of Mines in the Quarterfinals of the South Central Regional and reached the Semifinals for the third time in school history.

In 2022, DBU advanced to the NCAA Tournament for the fifth straight season and finished the year with a 17-12 record. The Patriots went 10-5 in Lone Star Conference play and finished in third place in the league standings. DBU opened the season with a win over No. 4 Colorado Mesa at the Burg Center and punctuated their year with a 75-73 road win over a Lubbock Christian team that was ranked No. 1 in the nation. The Patriots concluded their season with a loss to No. 22 Black Hills State, who eventually reached the Final Four.

The Patriots posted a 17-5 overall record and reached the NCAA Tournament during the COVID abbreviated 2020-21 season. With a win over Southern Arkansas in the South Central Regional, DBU reached the Regional Semifinals for the second time in school history. On January 9, the Patriots took down the No. 3 ranked team in the nation to end West Texas A&M's nation-leading home-court winning streak. It was the fourth season in a row DBU had defeated a team ranked in the Top 10. The Patriots also continued their dominance at the Burg Center, posting an 11-0 record on their home court and have gone 75-11 at the Burg since the start of the 2015-2016 season. DBU finished the 2020-21 season ranked No. 16 in the NABC's Top 25 and posted their highest ranking in school history when they were ranked No. 9 by the D2SIDA poll on January 26.

In DBU's first season in the Lone Star Conference in 2019-20, Flickner coached the Patriots to a 21-9 overall record and earned the No. 7 seed in the NCAA South Central Regional. Unfortunately, the COVID-19 pandemic forced the NCAA to cancel the national tournament. DBU's 21 wins marked the fifth consecutive season of 20 wins or more for the program and propelled the Patriots into the NCAA Tournament for the third straight year.

In 2018-19, Flickner guided the Patriots to a 23-11 record and a trip to the NCAA South Central Regional Tournament, where they earned the No. 5 seed, marking the highest seed tournament bid in school history.

The 2017-18 season saw the Patriots finish with the most wins in program history with a record of 26-6, as DBU won the Heartland Conference regular season championship for the second straight year and the Heartland Conference Tournament championship for the second time over a three-year stretch. DBU also returned to the NCAA Tournament for the third time in program history, where they punched their ticket to the South Central Regional Tournament as the No. 6 seed. The Patriots spent

most of the 2017-18 campaign ranked in the Top 25, including a final ranking of No. 16 in the nation according to the NABC Coach's Poll.

In 2016-17, Flickner was selected as the Heartland Conference Coach of the Year after DBU clinched their first-ever regular-season league title. Flickner was also tabbed the NCCAA Central Region Coach of the Year at season's end.

The Patriots finished the 2015-16 campaign in the NCAA Division II National Tournament, where they fell to the No. 2 seeded team in the region, after winning the Heartland Conference Tournament championship.

In 2011, the Patriots won a National Championship in the NCCAA (National Christian College Athletic Association).



In 2008-09, Flickner guided DBU to the program's first-ever trip to the NCAA Tournament in just his third season at the helm. The Patriots defeated Central Oklahoma in their first-round game of the South Central Regional Tournament to advance to the Regional Semifinals.

Flickner's teams are known for their great effort and selfless play. The up-tempo style is exciting for fans and players alike and has consistently made them one

of the highest-scoring teams in the nation, as well as one of the top assist teams in the country. Under Flickner's direction, the Patriots have ranked in the top 25 nationally in 62 statistical categories during the past 18 years.

Coach Flickner's teams have also excelled in the classroom as they are consistently at or near the top of their Conference for the highest team GPA. During Flickner's tenure at DBU, his teams have won five Heartland Conference awards for the highest team GPA in the league and have received the NABC Team Academic Excellence award on nine occasions. 100% of all players who have attended DBU out of high school and completed their eligibility have graduated. Many have also gone on to receive Master's level degrees, or higher, while three former Patriots have earned their Juris Doctor degree from top law schools.

Flickner came to DBU from the U.S. Naval Academy where he served as an assistant coach for the Midshipmen from 2003-05. Before his stint at Navy, Flickner served two years as Director of Basketball Operations or Administrative Assistant Coach for Coach Dale Layer at Colorado State University. While there, the Rams made their first trip to the NCAA tournament in thirteen years after winning the Mountain West Conference Tournament.

Before his time at Colorado State, Flickner worked as the assistant coach at Eastfield College (1998-01) in Mesquite, Texas. During his three-year stay, he helped recruit and develop two All-Americans and led Eastfield College to a share of the 2001 Metro Athletic Conference Championship.

A native of Garland, Texas, Flickner graduated from Garland High School and played at Eastfield College. A point guard for Eastfield College from 1993-95, Flickner helped the Harvesters to win the 1994 Metro Athletic Conference title. An outstanding student, Flickner was named a Distinguished NJCAA Academic All-American.

He continued his education at the University of Kansas, serving as a student manager from 1996-98 and assuming the head manager position in his senior campaign. Flickner graduated with distinction from Kansas in May of 1998 with a degree in business administration. He earned his Master of Arts in Christian education at Dallas Theological Seminary in May of 2001, graduating with honors. In addition, he was awarded a Doctor of Education degree from DBU in Educational Leadership (Ed.D) in December of 2016.



Blake and his wife Mary reside in Duncanville, Texas, with their son Isaiah, daughter Ruth, and son Malachi. They are members of Duncanville's First Baptist Church, where they serve as Journey Group leaders. Blake also serves as the board vice-chairman for UME Preparatory Academy in Dallas.

# ASSISTANT COACH RYAN GLENNEY



Ryan Glenney is in his ninth season as an Assistant Coach and Recruiting Coordinator for the DBU Men's Basketball team. During his eight seasons with the Patriots, DBU has advanced to the NCAA Tournament six times, won two Lone Star Conference Division titles, a pair of Heartland Conference regular-season titles, clinched the Heartland Conference Tournament Championship in 2018,

and posted a 107-75 record. Glenney has also recruited and helped develop two All-Americans at DBU in Chandler Jacobs and Cameron Kahn.

In 2019, Glenney was named the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches Small College Assistant Coach of the Year. As one of the top developers of talent, Glenney has recruited and developed 24 All-Conference performers, including one All-American, as well as three players who were named the conference's Freshman of the Year, a pair of Lone Star Conference Defensive Players of the Year, and one LSC Sixth Man of the Year.

Glenney brings 15 years of college coaching experience, recruiting, advising, and leading college basketball players at the NCAA and NJCAA Division I levels. Before arriving at DBU, Glenney was the top assistant coach at North Platte Community College in North Platte, Nebraska, and also had coaching stints at Jacksonville College and Western Texas College.

While at North Platte, Glenney worked for Coach Kevin O'Connor, who has a tremendous history of excellence and success. He was involved with player development, scouting, academic supervision, and camps there.

Before his stint with North Platte, Ryan served at Jacksonville College (NJCAA) in Jacksonville, Texas, where he worked under Coach Jody Bailey. Prior to Jacksonville, Glenney was the recruiting coordinator for head coach Larren Silver at Western Texas College.

Glenney has been in charge of recruiting players, leading individual workouts, scouting opponents, and supervising academics at each stop. He has signed or coached players from all over the United States and internationally.

Glenney began his coaching career at Iowa State University, serving as a student assistant under current Creighton University Coach Greg McDermott. After graduating from Iowa

State, he joined the Dallas Baptist University staff as a Graduate Assistant Coach. During his previous tenure at DBU, Glenney assisted with recruiting and academic supervision and was a member of the 2011 NCCAA National Championship team.

Glenney serves as the recruiting coordinator at Dallas Baptist University and has many other duties, including scheduling, assisting with academic monitoring, on-the-floor coaching responsibilities, and scouting.

Glenney has a B.A. in Community Sport and Recreation from Iowa State University (2009) and an M.A. in Kinesiology from Dallas Baptist University (2011). Ryan and his wife Amanda, herself a DBU grad, have been married for 12 years. They have a daughter named Harper and a son named Isaiah.



# GRADUATE ASSISTANTS & TRAINING STAFF



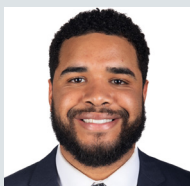
Graduate Assistant Coach  
Parris Massey

Parris Massey is entering his first season as a Graduate Assistant Coach for the DBU Men's Basketball program. Massey joins the program after serving as a Sergeant for the Suffolk County Sheriff's Department in Boston, Massachusetts, for six years. Before this, Massey worked as a Social Worker, first in Nampa, Idaho, for a year and later in Boston for four years.

Massey graduated from the University of Massachusetts-Lowell in 2014, earning a bachelor's degree in psychology and writing while playing basketball for head coach Greg Herenda from the 2011-12 season to the 2012-13 season before playing for head coach Pat Duquette for the 2013-14 season. Massey prided himself on his impact on defense during his playing career, leading the UMass-Lowell Riverhawks in blocks for two of his three seasons at the University and being one of the top shot blockers in the America East Conference during the 2013-14 season. Before his time at UMass-Lowell, Massey was a member of Sacred Heart University's basketball team, where he had been red-shirted due to an injury.

A native of Boston, Massachusetts, Massey was a standout three-sport athlete in high school, participating in basketball, football, and track & field, all under coach Barry Robinson at The Boston English High School. Massey also played AAU basketball for head coach Pete Washington in the YABC basketball system.

Massey is pursuing a Master's in Sports Management at Dallas Baptist University.



Graduate Assistant Coach  
Caleb Young

Caleb Young is in his second season as Graduate Assistant Coach for DBU Men's Basketball. Young came to the Patriots from Hardin-Simmons University, where he served as Assistant Coach for two seasons.

At Hardin-Simmons, Young served as a Student Assistant Coach for Men's Basketball for three seasons before being promoted into the full-time Assistant role before his senior year. During the 2020-21 season, Young was named the TABC Small College Student Assistant of the Year after being nominated by his Head Coach Matt Brackett. During his five-year tenure, Young assisted in all assets of the program, with his primary responsibilities being recruiting, scouting reports, and community service coordination. Young was part of two conference tournament finalist teams at HSU, qualifying for the ASC tournament all five seasons.

Young earned his Bachelor's degree in Kinesiology, Fitness and Recreation and is pursuing a Master's in Sports Management. Young is a Dallas native, born and raised in DeSoto.



Assistant Athletic Trainer  
Jackson McQueen

Jackson McQueen is in his third year at Dallas Baptist University and serves as an Assistant Athletic Trainer for the Men's Basketball and Men's Golf teams. This is Jackson's first year as a full-time athletic trainer after completing his graduate assistantship at DBU, where he served both men's soccer and men's lacrosse for the past two years.

Jackson graduated from Grand Canyon University in 2022 with a Bachelor of Science in Athletic Training. While at GCU, Jackson served as an Athletic Training Student at two Phoenix area high schools, USL Championship side Phoenix Rising, multiple MLB

Spring Training camps, and the Lopes' Men's Soccer and Basketball teams. In 2024, he completed his Master of Arts in Educational Ministry Leadership from DBU. While studying for his Master's Degree, Jackson completed a Graduate Assistantship as an Athletic Trainer with DBU's Men's Soccer and Lacrosse teams.

Jackson is an active member of the National Athletic Trainers' Association and has previously attended the Arizona Athletic Training Association Winter Symposium and the Rocky Mountain Athletic Trainer's Association Clinical Symposium.

Jackson currently lives in Duncanville and attends Watermark Community Church in Dallas, Texas. In his free time, Jackson enjoys fishing and spending time around a table with friends.



Director of Athletic Performance  
Dave Trevino

David Trevino is serving his ninth year as Director of Athletic Performance for Dallas Baptist University. Coach Trevino oversees a team of 5 athletic performance coaches on staff, the 5,000 square foot Athletic Training Center, as well as the general physical preparation for all 12 of DBU's Lone Star Conference sports teams and 4 club sports teams.

Coach Trevino works directly with the Basketball, Women's Soccer, Volleyball and Cheer/STUNT programs. He takes pride in having positive relationships with his athletes and coaches. And understands that working together while navigating the process

of pursuing sport mastery is where success is found.

Prior to joining DBU, Dave served as the assistant director for the University of North Texas Strength and Conditioning Department (2011-2016). During his tenure with UNT he coached, designed and implemented athletic performance programs for football, softball, soccer, men's & women's track and field, men's & women's cross country and the swimming and diving team. Coach Trevino also served as the department's Mentorship Coordinator and as a Kinesiology adjunct instructor. His experience and oversight have proven influential in strengthening the department's internship program and his crossover into academia assisted in developing close relationships with the University's Kinesiology and Psychology Departments.

Dave completed his Master of Science degree in Kinesiology at Texas A&M from August 2007 through December 2009. During his stint with the Aggies, he committed a great deal of time as a graduate student intern with the strength and conditioning department.

Coach Trevino first called Denton home when he began his undergraduate degree at UNT in 2003. He graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Kinesiology from the University of North Texas in 2007.

Coach Trevino calls Midlothian home and lives there with his wife, Brittny and their two children Jesse and Josie. David and Brittny are members at Stonegate Church in Midlothian.



## 2024-2025 DBU MEN'S BASKETBALL ROSTER

#	NAME	POS.	CLASS	HT.	WT.	HOMETOWN / PREVIOUS SCHOOL
0	Xavion Brown	G	R-Jr.	6-3	210	Sacramento, CA (Appalachian State)
1	Drew Calderon	G	R-Jr.	6-5	190	The Woodlands, TX (Austin Peay)
2	Jaden Shelvin	G	R-Jr.	6-3	200	Lafayette, LA (St. Thomas More Catholic HS)
3	Ricky Lujan	G	5-Yr.	6-1	190	Las Cruces, NM (Onate HS)
4	Cameron Kahn	G	5-Yr.	6-6	265	Sulphur Springs, TX (Sulphur Springs HS)
5	Trevor Frank	G	R-So.	6-1	180	Katy, TX (Paetow HS)
7	Jackson McCabe	G	Fr.	6-8	225	Byron Bay, Australia (The Southport School)
10	Wes Bongiorno	G	R-Jr.	6-6	220	Baton Rouge, LA (Florida Southern Univ.)
11	AJ Borden	G	Fr.	6-5	220	Grand Prairie, TX (South Grand Prairie HS)
12	Jerrin Canafax	G	Fr.	5-9	145	Peaster, TX (Peaster HS)
13	Cody Stevens	G	So.	6-3	200	Arlington, TX (Arlington Martin HS)
15	Isaac Bullard	G	R-Sr.	6-4	220	Pflugerville, TX (Army West Point)
22	Daniel Figueira	G	Fr.	6-2	175	Lisbon, Spain (The Academy of Cent. Florida)
23	Junior Goodlet	G	Fr.	6-2	185	Round Rock, TX (Stony Point HS)
24	Braeden Pitts	G	Fr.	6-4	190	Little Elm, TX (iSchool of Lewisville National)
25	Graham Kroll	G	Sr.	6-2	210	Brighton, CO (Faith Christian Academy)
32	Justin Haire	G	Jr.	6-6	200	Sulphur Springs, TX (Sulphur Springs HS)

### DBU COACHING STAFF

#### Head Coach:

Dr. Blake Flickner (19th Season, University of Kansas '98)

#### Assistant Coach/Recruiting Coordinator:

Ryan Glenney (8th Season, Iowa State University, '09)

#### Graduate Assistants:

Caleb Young (2nd Season, Hardin-Simmons University, '22)

Parris Massey (1st Season, University of Massachusetts-Lowell, '14)

#### Pronunciations

0 Xavion Brown (X-Zay-veon)

1 Drew Caldreon (Call-duh-rone)

3 Ricky Lujan (Loo-hahn)

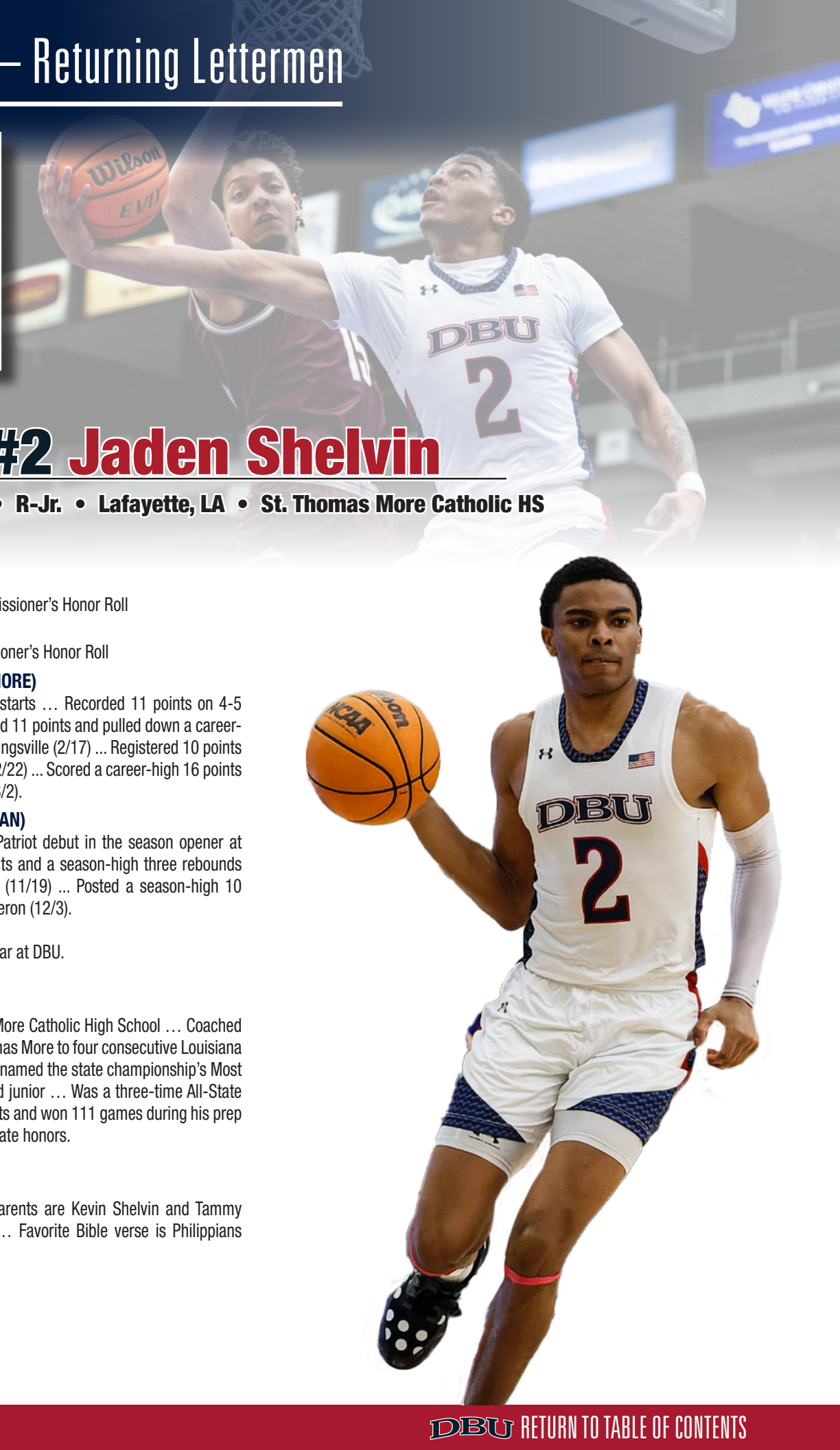
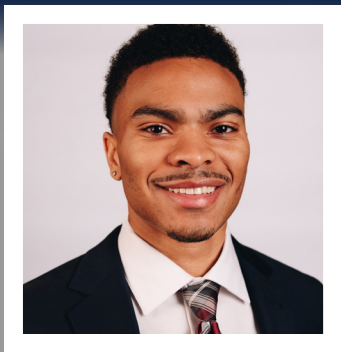
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10 Wes Bongiorno (Bon-jor-knee)

22 Daniel Figueira (Fee-gay-da)

32 Justin Haire (Hair)

# Player Profiles — Returning Lettermen



## **DBU** #2 Jaden Shelvin

**Guard • 6'3" • 200 • R-Jr. • Lafayette, LA • St. Thomas More Catholic HS**

### **CAREER HONORS**

#### **2023-2024:**

Spring Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

#### **2021-2022:**

Fall Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

#### **2023-2024 (REDSHIRT SOPHOMORE)**

Played in 25 games and made six starts ... Recorded 11 points on 4-5 shooting against UAFA (1/4) ... Posted 11 points and pulled down a career-high eight rebounds at Texas A&M Kingsville (2/17) ... Registered 10 points on 4-4 shooting against Angelo St. (2/22) ... Scored a career-high 16 points on 6-11 shooting against UT Tyler (3/2).

#### **2022-2023 (REDSHIRT FRESHMAN)**

Played in 25 games ... Made his Patriot debut in the season opener at Hillsdale (11/5) ... Recorded 6 points and a season-high three rebounds and three assists against Newman (11/19) ... Posted a season-high 10 points on 4-7 shooting against Cameron (12/3).

#### **2021-2022 (FRESHMAN)**

Took a redshirt season in his first year at DBU.

### **HIGH SCHOOL**

Four-year letterman at St. Thomas More Catholic High School ... Coached by Danny Broussard ... Led St. Thomas More to four consecutive Louisiana Division II state titles and was twice named the state championship's Most Valuable Player as a sophomore and junior ... Was a three-time All-State selection ... Scored over 1,000 points and won 111 games during his prep career ... Garnered Academic All-State honors.

### **PERSONAL**

Born on November 19, 2002 ... Parents are Kevin Shelvin and Tammy August ... Majoring in Marketing ... Favorite Bible verse is Philippians 4:13.



## DBU #3 Ricky Lujan

Guard • 6'1" • 190 • Sr. • Las Cruces, NM • Onate HS

### CAREER HONORS

#### 2023-2024:

Second Team All-Lone Star Conference  
Fall Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll  
Spring Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

#### 2022-2023:

Third Team All-Lone Star Conference

#### 2021-2022:

Second Team All-Lone Star Conference

#### 2020-2021:

Lone Star Conference Freshman of the Year  
First Team All-Lone Star Conference  
Lone Star Conference All-Freshman Team  
Lone Star Conference Offensive Player of the Week (Week of Jan. 18)

#### 2023-2024 (SENIOR)

Garnered Second Team All-Lone Star Conference honors ... Ranked 11th in the conference and was second on the team in scoring after averaging 16.0 points per game ... Was tied for the team lead in assists (100) and his 3.3 assists per game ranked 13th in the LSC ... Was also second on the team in steals (53) and his 1.8 steals per game ranked second in the conference ... Posted 29 double-digit performances including a streak of twenty-six straight ... Recorded 25 points against Eastern New Mexico (12/9) ... Posted 17 points and dished out a season-high seven assists against Mississippi College (12/19) ... Scored 23 points on 9-12 shooting at UAFS (2/3) ... Registered 24 points and a career-high seven steals against Angelo St. (2/22) ... Posted a season-high 30 points on 10-15 shooting against Texas A&M International in the LSC Tournament (3/7).

#### 2022-2023 (JUNIOR)

Garnered Third Team All-Lone Star Conference honors ... Ranked 19th in the conference and was second on the team in scoring after averaging 12.7 points per game ... Was second on the team in assists (90) and his 3.1 assists per game ranked 10th in the LSC ... Posted 22 double-digit performances including a streak of twelve straight ... Dished out a career-high nine assists at Oklahoma Christian (1/1) ... Registered 22 points at Texas A&M International (1/14) ... Recorded 12 points and a season-high six rebounds at St. Edwards (2/6) ... Posted a season-high 26 points against UT Tyler (2/23).

#### 2021-2022 (SOPHOMORE)

Garnered Second Team All-Lone Star Conference honors ... Ranked 23rd in the conference and led the team in scoring after averaging 12.8 points per game ... Was second on the team in assists (80) and his 3.0 assists per game ranked

18th in the LSC ... Posted 17 double-digit performances including a streak of eight straight games to end the season ... Set a career-high in steals (5) versus Henderson State (12/20) ... Scored a season-best 23 points at Texas A&M-Kingsville (2/19) ... Dished out a career-high seven assists against Midwestern State in the LSC Tournament (3/3).

#### 2020-2021 (FRESHMAN)

Named the Lone Star Conference Freshman of the Year, making him the sixth player from DBU to be named the conference's Freshman of the Year in school history ... Also tabbed a First Team All-LSC selection and named to the LSC's All-Freshman Team ... Ranked 10th in the LSC in scoring after averaging 16.2 points per game and also posted the league's ninth-highest field goal percentage (.477) ... Totaled the 10th-most minutes played (665) in the league ... His 53 assists were 18th-most in the LSC and his 2.7 assists per game was tied for the 23rd highest average in the league ... Totaled 26 steals and averaged 1.3 steals per game, both of which ranked 15th-best in the LSC ... Set season-highs in points (31) and made three-pointers (7) in a win over Cameron (1/2) ... Two days later registered a season-high four steals against Cameron (1/4) ... Scored 27 points on a season-high 11 made field goals at UT Permian Basin (1/29) ... Recorded a season-high five assists in a win over Midwestern State in the quarterfinals of the LSC Tournament (3/2).

#### HIGH SCHOOL

Four-year letterman at Onate High School ... Coached by Michael Nanez ... Earned First Team All-State honors after averaging 20 points per game as a senior ... One of 10 candidates selected for the New Mexico Mr. Basketball Award in 2020 ... Was a two-time First Team All-District selection ... Helped lead Onate to the state tournament in three out of his four years during his prep career ... Competed in the summers for D1 Ambassadors.

#### PERSONAL

Born on November 19, 2001 ... Parents are Joaquin Lujan and Maria Rios ... Majoring in Business Management ... Favorite Bible verse is Joshua 1:9.



# Player Profiles — Returning Lettermen



## **DBU** #4 **Cameron Kahn**

**Guard • 6'6" • 265 • Sr. • Sulphur Springs, TX • Sulphur Springs HS**

### **CAREER HONORS**

#### **2023-2024:**

D2CCA Honorable Mention All-American  
D2CCA First Team All-South Central Region  
First Team NABC All-District  
First Team All-Lone Star Conference

Dave Campbell's Non-DI Men's Basketball All-Texas Defensive Team  
Lone Star Conference Defensive Player of the Week (Week of Nov. 21)  
Lone Star Conference Defensive Player of the Week (Week of Jan. 22)  
Lone Star Conference Offensive Player of the Week (Week of Mar. 4)

#### **2022-2023:**

First Team All-Lone Star Conference

#### **2021-2022:**

First Team All-Lone Star Conference  
Second Team NABC All-District  
Lone Star Conference Offensive Player of the Week (Week of Jan. 10)

#### **2023-2024 (SENIOR)**

Garnered First Team All-Lone Star Conference honors for the third straight season and was tabbed a First Team NABC All-District selection and a D2CAA All-American ... Started all 31 games ... Led the Patriots in total rebounds (195) and rebounds per game (6.3) ranking tenth in the Lone Star Conference ... Led the team in scoring for the second straight year (19.5 ppg) and ranked third in the LSC ... His .586 field goal percentage also led the team and ranked second in the conference ... Registered 30 double-digit performances on the season including five double-doubles ... Posted 17 points and a career-high 16 rebounds against Southwestern Oklahoma (11/18) ... Recorded 19 points and 13 rebounds at Midwestern St. (11/30) ... Scored a career-high 32 points and pulled down nine rebounds against Mississippi College (12/19) ... Posted 28 points and 11 rebounds against Texas A&M Kingsville (1/18) ... Recorded 17 points and 10 rebounds against St. Mary's (2/10) ... Named the LSC Offensive Player of the Week after scoring 29 points at UT Tyler (2/29) and followed with a 20-point performance against UT Tyler (3/2).

#### **2022-2023 (JUNIOR)**

Garnered First Team All-Lone Star Conference honors for the second straight season ... Started all 31 games ... Led the Patriots in total rebounds (198) and rebounds per game (6.4) ranking seventh in the Lone Star Conference ... Led the team in scoring (14.0 ppg) and ranked 13th in the LSC ... His .540 field goal percentage also led the team and ranked third in the conference ... Registered 21 double-digit performances on the season including five double-doubles ...

Recorded 22 points and 11 rebounds at UAFS (12/30) ... Posted 22 points and 13 rebounds against West Texas A&M (1/19) ... Registered 12 points and a career-high 14 rebounds against UAFS (1/28) ... Recorded a career-high 29 points and pulled down eight rebounds at UT Tyler (2/25).

#### **2021-2022 (SOPHOMORE)**

Earned First Team All-Lone Star Conference honors and was tabbed a Second Team NABC All-District selection ... Saw action in all 29 games and made 20 starts ... Led the Patriots in total rebounds (151) ... Ranked second on the team in both scoring (12.4 ppg) and rebounds (5.2 rpg) ... His 5.2 rebounds per game ranked 20th-best in the LSC ... Registered 17 double-digit performances on the season ... Recorded his first career double-double with 16 points and matched a career-high with 10 rebounds versus East Central (11/17) ... Named the LSC Offensive Player of the Week after scoring a career-best 28 points at UT Permian Basin (1/13) and followed with a 22-point performance at Angelo State (1/15).

#### **2020-2021 (FRESHMAN)**

Played in 22 games as a freshman ... Finished the year third on the team in scoring with 231 points and his 10.5 points per game was also third-best on the team ... Posted the team's second-highest field goal percentage (.605) ... Led the team in offensive rebounds (40) ... Made his Patriot debut in the season opener versus then-ranked No. 17 Angelo State and scored six points and grabbed four rebounds ... Pulled down a season-high 10 rebounds against Cameron (1/2) ... Registered a season-high eight field goals, going 8-of-12 from the field, and scored 20 points versus Southwestern Adventist (2/12) ... Scored a season-high 27 points and went 13-for-17 from the free throw line in a win over Western New Mexico (2/27).

#### **HIGH SCHOOL**

Three-year letterman at Sulphur Springs High School ... Coached by Clark Cipoletta ... Earned All-State and First Team All-District honors during his prep career ... Was also named the District's Offensive MVP in 2020 ... Helped lead Sulphur Springs to their school's first-ever State Tournament appearance when they reached the Class 5A semifinals his junior season ... Competed in the summers for Texas Impact 4:13.

#### **PERSONAL**

Born on August 19, 2002 ... Parents are Mollie Shepard and lawana Hohenberger ... Majoring in Sports Management ... Favorite Bible verse is John 3:16.



# Player Profiles — Returning Lettermen



## **DBU** #5 Trevor Frank

**Guard • 6'1" • 180 • R-So. • Katy, TX • Paetow HS**

### **CAREER HONORS**

#### **2023-2024:**

Lone Star Conference Sixth Man of the Year  
Lone Star Conference All-Freshman Team  
Fall Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll  
Spring Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

#### **2023-2024 (REDSHIRT FRESHMAN)**

Named the Lone Star Conference's Sixth Man of the Year ... Also named to the Lone Star Conference All-Freshman Team ... Played in all 31 games, and made one start ... Finished the season fourth on the team in scoring (10.1 ppg) ... Led the team in made three-pointers ... His 59 three-pointers were 13th most in the Lone Star Conference ... Recorded 52 steals, which was third most on team and fourth most in the Lone Star Conference ... Scored a season-best 25 points on 9-14 shooting against Western New Mexico (12/7) ... Posted 16 points and recorded three steals against Texas A&M Kingsville (1/18) ... Recorded 19 points and a season-best six steals at West Texas A&M (1/25) ... Scored 12 points and pulled down a season-best five rebounds at UAFS (2/3) ... Recorded 17 points on 6-9 shooting against St. Mary's (2/10).

#### **2022-2023 (FRESHMAN)**

Took a redshirt season in his first year at DBU.

#### **HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered all four years at Paetow High School ... Coached by Mike Niemi ... Earned Class 5A All-State honors following his senior season ... Also named the District's Most Valuable Player as a senior ... Was a three-time First Team All-District selection and garnered All-Region honors twice during his prep career ... Competed in the summers for Texas Takeovers.

#### **PERSONAL**

Born on January 3, 2004 ... Parents are Sterling Frank and Therese Pommier ... Majoring in Business Marketing ... Favorite Bible verse is Philippians 4:13.



# Player Profiles — Returning Lettermen



## **DBU** #13 **Cody Stevens**

**Guard • 6'3" • 220 • So. • Arlington, TX • Arlington Martin HS**

### **CAREER HONORS**

#### **2023-2024:**

Fall Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll  
Spring Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

#### **2023-2024 (FRESHMAN)**

Played in all 31 games in his first season at DBU ... Was third on the team in made three pointers (34) ... Made his Patriot debut in the season opener against Colorado Mesa (11/10) ... Posted 11 points on 4-6 shooting against Colorado Christian (11/11) ... Recorded a season-high 16 points and went 4-6 from three point range in a win at St. Mary's (1/11).

### **HIGH SCHOOL**

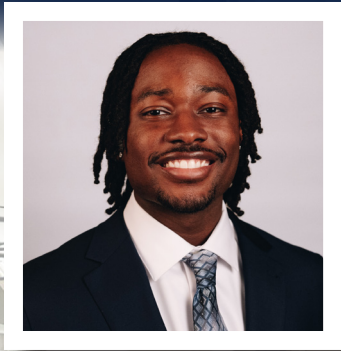
Lettered all four years at Arlington Martin High School ... Coached by John Osborn ... Was a two-time All-District selection ... Helped to lead Martin to the Class 6A Regional Quarterfinals as a senior and a trip to the Regional Finals as a junior ... Also named an Academic All-State and Academic All-District selection during his prep career ... Competed in the summers for Team Grrr.

### **PERSONAL**

Born on December 15, 2004 ... Parents are Gregory Stevens and Christy Hannigan ... Majoring in Kinesiology ... Favorite Bible verse is Isaiah 41:10.



# Player Profiles — Returning Lettermen



## **DBU** #15 Isaac Bullard

**Guard • 6'4" • 220 • R-Sr. • Pflugerville, TX • Army West Point**

### **CAREER HONORS**

#### **2023-2024:**

NABC Honors Court

Fall Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

Spring Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

#### **2021-2022:**

Lone Star Conference All-Freshman Team

Fall Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

#### **2023-2024 (REDSHIRT JUNIOR)**

Played in all 31 games, making two starts... Scored 12 points and recorded a season-best three assists against Colorado Christian (11/11) ... Posted 15 points on 5-9 shooting against Western New Mexico (12/7) ... Recorded a career-high 18 points and pulled down a season-best seven rebounds against Eastern New Mexico (12/9) ... Posted 10 points and recorded seven rebounds at Southern Nazarene (12/14) ... Scored 11 points on 4-6 shooting against UAFS (1/4).

#### **2022-2023 (REDSHIRT SOPHOMORE)**

Played in 30 games ... Scored 12 points and recorded a season-best four assists against Dallas Christian (12/7) ... Recorded a season-high 15 points against St. Edward's (1/7) ... Scored 11 points and registered a season-high nine rebounds in a win over Oklahoma Christian (1/26).

#### **2021-2022 (REDSHIRT FRESHMAN)**

Named to the Lone Star Conference All-Freshman Team ... Played in all 29 games, making five starts ... Made his first career start in the season opener and helped lift DBU to a win over No. 4 Colorado Mesa (11/12) after scoring four points and pulling down a season-best six rebounds ... Scored a season-high 12 points against East Central (11/17).

#### **2020-2021 (FRESHMAN - ARMY WEST POINT)**

Did not appear in any games.

### **HIGH SCHOOL**

Four-year letterman at Hendrickson High School ... Coached by Dustin White ... Was a four-time All-District selection during his prep career ... Competed in the summers for THP Elite.

### **PERSONAL**

Born on February 15, 2001 ... Parents are Bobby Bullard and Sabrina Bell ... Majoring in Communications ... Favorite Bible verse is Jeremiah 29:11.



# Player Profiles — Returning Lettermen



## **DBU** #25 **Graham Kroll**

**Guard • 6'2" • 210 • Sr. • Brighton, CO • Faith Christian Academy**

### **CAREER HONORS**

#### **2023-2024:**

NABC Honors Court

Fall Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

Spring Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

#### **2022-2023:**

Lone Star Conference All-Athletic Performance Team

Fall Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

Spring Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

#### **2021-2022:**

Fall Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

Spring Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

#### **2023-2024 (JUNIOR)**

Saw action in 15 games ... Scored a season-high six points against East Central (11/22) ... Posted five points on 2-4 shooting at UT Tyler (2/29).

#### **2022-2023 (SOPHOMORE)**

Saw action in 10 games ... Scored a career-high 11 points against Dallas Christian (12/7) going 3-6 from three point range.

#### **2021-2022 (FRESHMAN)**

Saw action in six games ... Made his Patriot debut against Colorado Christian (11/13) in the season opener ... Scored a season-high six points versus Southwestern Oklahoma (12/18).

### **HIGH SCHOOL**

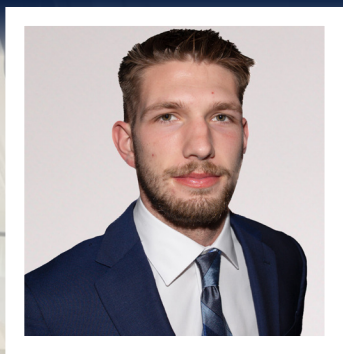
Four-year letterman at Faith Christian Academy ... Coached by Abram Ziemer ... Named a Class 3A All-State selection in the state of Colorado following his senior season ... Guided Faith Christian to the playoffs all four years of his career ... Was also a three-year lettermen in football ... Competed in the summers for Colorado Chaos.

### **PERSONAL**

Born on March 29, 2002 ... Parents are Alan and Trisha Kroll ... Majoring in Math and Computer Science ... Favorite Bible verse is Joshua 1:9.



# Player Profiles — Returning Lettermen



## DBU #32 Justin Haire

Guard • 6'6" • 200 • Jr. • Sulphur Springs, TX • Sulphur Springs HS

### CAREER HONORS

#### 2023-2024:

Spring Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

#### 2022-2023:

Fall Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

Spring Lone Star Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll

#### 2023-2024 (SOPHOMORE)

Played in all 31 games ... Led the team in blocked shots (18) ... Scored 10 points and recorded five rebounds against Western New Mexico (12/7) ... Posted 10 points and went 7 for 7 from the free throw line at St. Mary's (1/11) ... Pulled down a season-high eight rebounds at UAFA (2/3) ... Recorded 12 points and set a career-high with three blocked shots against UT Tyler (3/2).

#### 2022-2023 (FRESHMAN)

Played in 29 games in his first season at DBU ... Made his Patriot debut with nine minutes of action off the bench against Nova Southeastern (11/8) ... Posted season highs in both points (13) and rebounds (16) against Dallas Christian (12/7) ... Recorded 11 points at Western New Mexico (12/15) going 4-6 from the field.

#### HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered all four years at Sulphur Springs High School ... Coached by Brandon Shaver ... Earned District MVP honors as a senior and was tabbed the District's Offensive MVP as a junior ... Was a two-time All-Region selection during his prep career ... Also a three-time Academic All-District selection ... Competed in the summers for Beast Up.

#### PERSONAL

Born on October 29, 2003 ... Parents are Jason and Traci Haire ... Majoring in Business Management ... Favorite Bible verse is Exodus 15:2.



# Player Profiles — Newcomers



**Xavion Brown**  
Guard 6'3" 210 R-Jr. **DBU**  
Sacramento, CA  
Appalachian State **0**

#### 2023-2024 (REDSHIRT JUNIOR - APPALACHIAN STATE)

Played in 33 games, and made 27 starts ... Was third on the team in assists (77) ... Posted 12 points and pulled down a career-high 16 rebounds against Central Penn (12/5) ... Registered 8 points on 4-4 shooting against James Madison (1/27) ... Dished out a season-high six assists at Georgia St. (2/1).

#### 2022-2023 (REDSHIRT SOPHOMORE - APPALACHIAN STATE)

Played in 32 games, and made 13 starts ... Averaged 4.8 points per game ... Was second on the team in assists (75) and steals (29) ... Scored a career-high 13 points on 6-6 shooting against Warren Wilson (11/7) ... Registered 10 points and dished out a career-high six assists at Old Dominion (1/21) ... Scored 8 points and pulled down a season high eight rebounds against Georgia St. (1/26) ... Posted 12 points on 6-7 shooting against James Madison (2/4).

#### 2021-2022 (SOPHOMORE - APPALACHIAN STATE)

Saw action in six games ... Registered 8 points and pulled down six rebounds against William Peace (11/15) ... Scored 6 points on 3-3 shooting against Charlotte (11/18).

#### 2020-2021 (FRESHMAN - APPALACHIAN STATE)

Played in 16 games, and made one start ... Posted 5 points and pulled down four rebounds against Carver (11/27) ... Scored 8 points and pulled down six rebounds at Georgia Southern (2/27).

#### HIGH SCHOOL

Three-year letterman at Sheldon High School ... Coached by Joey Rollings, Joey Fuca, and Rob Cameron ... Named the Co-Delta Player of the Year and helped Sheldon win the Delta League Title during his senior year ... Competed in the summers for Lakeshow.

#### PERSONAL

Born on January 18, 2002 ... Mother is Kim Mays ... Majoring in Kinesiology.



**Drew Calderon**  
Guard 6'5" 190 R-Jr. **DBU**  
The Woodlands, TX  
Austin Peay **1**

#### 2023-2024 (JUNIOR)

Took a medical redshirt in his first season at DBU.

#### 2022-2023 (SOPHOMORE - AUSTIN PEAY)

Played in 18 games, making two starts ... Scored a season-high 19 points on a career-best six three-pointers against Kentucky Christian (12/6) ... Went 3-for-4 from three-point range in a 16-point outing against Liberty (2/2) ... Started his final two appearances of the season, scoring 10 points and tallying two assists, two steals and two blocks at North Alabama (2/9) and scoring six points in 31 minutes at Central Arkansas (2/11).

#### 2021-2022 (FRESHMAN - AUSTIN PEAY)

Appeared in all 29 games, making 10 starts ... Averaged 4.6 points per game and ranked second on the team with 33 three-pointers ... Shot 31.2 percent from the field and 31.7 percent from behind the three-point line ... Registered three double-digit scoring performances including one 20-point game ... Notched a career-high 20 points on 8-of-10 shooting from the field with four three-pointers against Belmont (2/7) ... Totaled 15 points, going 5-of-9 from behind the three-point line against No. 21 Murray State (2/17).

#### HIGH SCHOOL

Three-year letterman at College Park High School ... Coached by Clifton McNeely ... Was a 1000-point scorer and the District 13-6A Offensive Player of the year after averaging 15.9 points ... Named to the Houston Chronicle's Greater Houston Third Team and was a Guy V. Lewis Houston Player of the Year nominee ... Also garnered Class 6A All-Region honors and was two-time All-District selection ... Earned Academic All-State recognition by the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches

#### PERSONAL

Born on February 4, 2003 ... Parents are Jon and Dawna Calderon ... Majoring in Finance.



**Jackson McCabe**  
Guard 6'8" 225 Fr. **DBU**  
Byron Bay, Australia  
The Southport School **7**

#### HIGH SCHOOL

Two-year letterman at The Southport School ... Coached by Anthony Petrie ... Led Southport to an Australian School National Championship during his senior season and was named the Defensive Player of the Tournament ... Was also named to the Academic Dean's list during his prep career ... Competed in the summers for the Gold Coast Rollers.

#### PERSONAL

Born on March 14, 2006 ... Parents are Mike and Natalie McCabe ... Majoring in Business Management.



**Wes Bongiorno**  
Guard 6'6" 220 R-Jr. **DBU**  
Baton Rouge, LA  
Florida Southern University **10**

#### 2023-2024 (REDSHIRT JUNIOR - FLORIDA SOUTHERN)

Saw action in seven games ... Pulled down a season-high seven rebounds against Catawba (11/24).

#### 2022-2023 (REDSHIRT SOPHOMORE - FLORIDA SOUTHERN)

Played in 26 games, and made 13 starts ... Averaged 7.5 points per game ... Led the team in steals (32) ... Scored in double figures in twelve games ... Scored a career-high 18 points on 6-10 shooting against Flagler (11/5) ... Registered a career-high four steals against Wisconsin-Parkside (11/26) ... Posted 16 points and pulled down eight rebounds against Eckerd (11/30) ... Recorded 10 points and pulled down a season-high nine rebounds at Barry (12/3) ... Scored 16 points on 7-7 shooting against Post (12/17).

#### 2021-2022 (REDSHIRT FRESHMAN - FLORIDA SOUTHERN)

Played in 21 games, and made 14 starts ... Averaged 6.0 points per game ... Pulled down a career-high 13 rebounds against Saint Leo (1/12) ... Posted a season-high 14 points and registered 11 rebounds at Rollins (2/2).

#### 2020-2021 (FRESHMAN - FLORIDA SOUTHERN)

Saw action in nine games ... Posted 14 points on 5-7 shooting against Palm Beach Atlantic (2/20).

#### HIGH SCHOOL

Two-year letterman at LSU Laboratory School ... Also played for Hargrave Military Academy after graduation ... Coached by Titus Randle ... Competed in the summers for Louisiana Future.

#### PERSONAL

Born on November 27, 2000 ... Parents are Kevin and Sara Bongiorno ... Majoring in Business.



**AJ Borden**  
Guard 6'5" 220 Fr. **DBU**  
Grand Prairie, TX  
South Grand Prairie HS **11**

#### HIGH SCHOOL

Three-year letterman at South Grand Prairie High School ... Coached by Brandon Bennett ... Received First Team All-District honors and was named the District Defensive MVP during his prep career ... Was also named a team captain after averaging 10 points per game during his junior year ... Competed in the summers for Team Family Ties.

#### PERSONAL

Born on December 24, 2005 ... Parents are Augustine Borden and Vivian Eiland ... Majoring in Sports Management ... Favorite Bible verse is Proverbs 3:5.

# Player Profiles — Newcomers



**Jerrin Canafax**  
Guard 5'9" 145 Fr.  
Peaster, TX  
Peaster HS

**DBU**  
**12**

## HIGH SCHOOL

Four-year letterman at Peaster High School ... Coached by Stan Short ... Earned District 8 and Parker County MVP honors after averaging 17.7 points per game during his senior year ... Was also named to the TABC 3A All-Region and Academic All-State teams ... Helped lead Peaster to the third round of the Texas Class 3A playoffs during his senior year.

## PERSONAL

Born on August 10, 2005 ... Parents are Jeremy and Amari Canafax ... Majoring in Finance ... Favorite Bible verse is Hebrews 12:11.



**Junior Goodlet**  
Guard 6'2" 185 Fr.  
Round Rock, TX  
Stony Point HS

**DBU**  
**23**

## HIGH SCHOOL

Four-year letterman at Stony Point High School ... Coached by Antoine Thompson ... Received First Team All-District and First Team All-Region honors during his prep career ... Was named a team captain during his senior year and led Stony Point to their first ever State Championship game appearance and a 38-2 overall record while averaging 10.9 points per game ... Competed in the summers for Team ASAK.

## PERSONAL

Born on April 19, 2005 ... Parents are Macharold and Sharia Goodlet ... Majoring in Kinesiology ... Favorite Bible verse is Jeremiah 29:11.



**Daniel Figueira**  
Guard 6'2" 175 Fr.  
Lisbon, Portugal  
The Academy  
of Central Florida

**DBU**  
**22**

## HIGH SCHOOL

One-year letterman at Sunrise Christian Academy ... Coached by Chris Chaney ... Averaged 14.3 points per game during his prep career and received HCAA All-State honors ... Competed in the summers for Academy of Central Florida and Estoril Basket Club.

## PERSONAL

Born on March 28, 2005 ... Parents are Pedro and Christianne Figueira ... Majoring in Business ... Favorite Bible verse is Habakkuk 3:17-19.



**Braeden Pitts**  
Guard 6'4" 190 Fr.  
Little Elm, TX  
iSchool of Lewisville  
National

**DBU**  
**24**

## HIGH SCHOOL

Four-year letterman at iSchool of Lewisville National ... Coached by Brian Nwelu ... Averaged 13 points per game during his junior season ... Competed in the summers for Team BMM.

## PERSONAL

Born on December 20, 2004 ... Parents are Benjamin and Gwendolyn Pitts ... Majoring in Sports Management ... Favorite Bible verse is Philippians 4:13.

# 2024-2025 SCHEDULE

Date	Time	At	Opponent	Location
<i>November 1, 2024 (Friday)</i>	<i>5 P.M.</i>	<i>Neutral</i>	<i>Western Oregon</i>	<i>Langley, BC</i>
<i>November 2, 2024 (Saturday)</i>	<i>12:30 P.M.</i>	<i>Neutral</i>	<i>Saint Martin's</i>	<i>Langley, BC</i>
<i>November 3, 2024 (Sunday)</i>	<i>5 P.M.</i>	<i>Neutral</i>	<i>Simon Fraser</i>	<i>Langley, BC</i>
November 8, 2024 (Friday)	2 P.M.	Away	Colorado Christian	Lakewood, CO
<i>November 9, 2024 (Saturday)</i>	<i>12 P.M.</i>	<i>Neutral</i>	<i>Colorado Mesa</i>	<i>Lakewood, CO</i>
<b>November 16, 2024 (Saturday)</b>	<b>2 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Arkansas Tech</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
<b>November 23, 2024 (Saturday)</b>	<b>6:30 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Mississippi College</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
<b>November 29, 2024 (Friday)</b>	<b>5 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Oklahoma Baptist</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
<b>November 30, 2024 (Saturday)</b>	<b>3 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Southern Nazarene</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
<b>December 4, 2024 (Wednesday)</b>	<b>7 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Midwestern State</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
<b>December 6, 2024 (Friday)</b>	<b>7 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Lubbock Christian</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
December 12, 2024 (Thursday)	7 P.M.	Away	UT Tyler	Tyler, TX
December 17, 2024 (Tuesday)	8:30 P.M.	Away	Western New Mexico	Silver City, NM
December 19, 2024 (Thursday)	3 P.M.	Away	Sul Ross State	Alpine, TX
January 3, 2025 (Friday)	7:30 P.M.	Away	Cameron	Lawton, OK
January 5, 2025 (Sunday)	3 P.M.	Away	Oklahoma Christian	Oklahoma City, OK
<b>January 9, 2025 (Thursday)</b>	<b>7 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>St. Mary's</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
<b>January 11, 2025 (Saturday)</b>	<b>2 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>St. Edward's</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
January 16, 2025 (Thursday)	7:30 P.M.	Away	Texas A&M-Kingsville	Kingsville, TX
January 18, 2025 (Saturday)	3 P.M.	Away	Texas A&M International	Laredo, TX
<b>January 23, 2025 (Thursday)</b>	<b>7 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>West Texas A&amp;M</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
<b>January 25, 2025 (Saturday)</b>	<b>2 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Eastern New Mexico</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
<b>January 30, 2025 (Thursday)</b>	<b>7 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Oklahoma Christian</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
<b>February 1, 2025 (Saturday)</b>	<b>2 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Cameron</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
February 6, 2025 (Thursday)	7:30 P.M.	Away	St. Edward's	Austin, TX
February 8, 2025 (Saturday)	3 P.M.	Away	St. Mary's	San Antonio, TX
<b>February 13, 2025 (Thursday)</b>	<b>7 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Texas A&amp;M International</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
<b>February 15, 2025 (Saturday)</b>	<b>2 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Texas A&amp;M-Kingsville</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
February 20, 2025 (Thursday)	7:30 P.M.	Away	Angelo State	San Angelo, TX
February 22, 2025 (Saturday)	3 P.M.	Away	UT Permian Basin	Odessa, TX
<b>February 27, 2025 (Thursday)</b>	<b>7 P.M.</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>UT Tyler</b>	<b>Dallas, TX</b>
March 7, 2025 (Friday)	TBA	Neutral	Lone Star Conference Tournament	Frisco, TX

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## THE PATRIOT BROADCASTING NETWORK

The Patriot Broadcasting Network enters its 13th season of covering DBU Basketball and will be featured this year on FloCollege. The broadcast team of Reagan Ratcliff and Patriot legend Jordan McGowen bring all the live play-by-play action to Patriots' Basketball fans with a live video broadcast of all 15 DBU home games.

DBU Basketball coverage begins 15 minutes before each game with the Patriots' Countdown to Tip-Off, hosted by Ryan Wilson. Sideline reporter Alexis DeLaGarza also joins this year's broadcast crew, providing features on Patriot players throughout the season and spotlighting the top games across the Lone Star Conference.

Ratcliff began his sports broadcasting career in college at Baylor University, where he served as the Sports Director for KWBU in 1997. Following graduation, Ratcliff was named the Director of Broadcasting for the Oakland Athletics Short-Season A Team in Medford, Oregon. In 2000, Ratcliff returned to Waco, Texas, where he called Baylor Baseball for the next two seasons. Ratcliff would eventually transition from broadcasting to coaching at the high school ranks for eight years before returning to the broadcast booth with DBU in 2012.

McGowen enters his second season as the color analyst for DBU Basketball. A four-year letterman from 2009-2012, McGowen was a key part of DBU's first team to reach the NCAA Tournament as a freshman in 2009. That year, Jordan was named the Heartland Conference Freshman of the Year and went on to become a three-time All-Heartland Conference selection. McGowen ranks fourth all-time in scoring at DBU with 1,808 points, and his 824 rebounds are the most in school history.

This year, the Patriot Broadcasting Network will continue its work with the Horner Communications Department and its video production of DBU Basketball. Along with their efforts, Dallas Baptist University provides fans with one of the nation's finest video productions of college basketball.

# FLOCOLLEGE

# PATRIOT SPIRIT



## NCAA COMPLIANCE: ASK BEFORE YOU ACT!

This brief NCAA rules education is aimed at outlining basic rules to help potential student-athletes, parents, alumni, and boosters better understand the regulations that they must abide by in regards to DBU Patriot Athletics. Dallas Baptist University is committed to recruiting and conducting our athletic program with the highest level of integrity. If you have questions about NCAA rules or regulations, contact DBU compliance staff at [patriotcompliance@dbu.edu](mailto:patriotcompliance@dbu.edu), or review information on our web site ([dbupatriots.com](http://dbupatriots.com)).

### Are You an Alumni or Booster?

The NCAA definition of a "representative of athletics interest" generally encompasses most individuals who regularly attend DBU sporting events (reminder-once a representative, always a representative). Specifically, an alumni/booster or "representative of athletics interests" is any individual, independent agency, corporate entity, or other organization that is presently or has ever:

- Participated in promoting the institution's athletic program (such as buying season tickets to sporting events).
- Assisted in providing benefits (such as a summer employment) to enrolled student-athletes.
- Assisted or been requested by the department of athletics staff to assist in the recruitment of prospective student athletes.
- Attended Dallas Baptist University.
- Contributed to the DBU Department of Athletics.
- Participated or been a member a DBU Athletics Program.
- Been otherwise involved in the DBU Athletics Program.

### Ask Before You Act

- Prospective student-athletes may ...
- Identify outstanding potential student-athletes in your area and forward information, such as newspaper articles, to the coach of that sport at Dallas Baptist.
- Continue to establish friendships with friends and neighbors, even those with prospect-aged children. However contact for recruiting purposes is still prohibited.
- Attend, on your own initiative, events such as games and banquets where prospective student-athletes are present as long as you do not contact the prospects(s) or their family for recruiting purposes.
- Answer a call from a prospective student-athlete (you may not initiate the call) regarding only Dallas Baptist University in general, but not about Patriot Athletics. Please promptly inform the Dallas Baptist compliance staff or the appropriate DBU Coach should this situation arise.
- Make donations to a high school if it is located in your community, the donation is not made at the request of Dallas Baptist or DBU coaches, and the funds are distributed through established channels and not directed towards a specific student-athlete.

### Current student-athletes may ...

- Continue to come out and support student-athletes at DBU athletic events.

- Provide summer employment to student-athletes, but only if you contact the DBU Office of Compliance ([patriotcompliance@dbu.edu](mailto:patriotcompliance@dbu.edu)) first, and the student-athlete is compensated for work actually performed at a rate commensurate with the going rate in the locality for similar services.

### What Every Alumni/Booster Should Know

- Extra Benefit-Any special arrangement by a DBU employee, booster, or alumni to provide a prospective or enrolled student-athlete or their families and friends with a benefit not permitted by NCAA legislation. *Examples of prohibited benefits include (but are not limited to):*
  - Arranging employment for family and friends of the student-athlete.
  - Free or reduced housing agreements.
  - Gifts of money, awards, food/drinks, or other tangible items.
  - Loans of money or automobiles.
  - Professional services without charge or at a discount.
  - Promises of employment or loans following college graduation.
  - Providing transportation for the student-athlete or their friends and family.
  - Use of ATM, credit or other types of gift cards
- Institutional Control-A central principle of the NCAA bylaws. Institutional control requires that Dallas Baptist University conducts its intercollegiate athletics program in compliance with NCAA rules and regulations. This includes alumni/booster activities.
- Prospective Student-Athletes-A student, regardless of their athletic ability, who has started classes for the seventh grade or any student enrolled at another two or four-year institution.
- Recruiting-Any solicitation of a prospect or a prospect's family by DBU coaches or representatives of athletic interest for the purposes of securing the prospective student-athlete's ultimate enrollment and participation in athletics at DBU. Only designated DBU Athletics Department staff members may recruit.
- Student-Athlete-A student whose enrollment was solicited by a member of the DBU Athletic Department staff or other representative or athletics interest with a goal of the student's ultimate participation in Dallas Baptist intercollegiate athletics. Student-athletes are not just those who were recruited or receive athletic scholarships, they are also those who participate in intercollegiate athletics.

### Activities that will harm Prospective Student-Athletes

You may not ...

- Contact (including phone calls, texts, and e-mail) or interact with a prospective student-athlete or their family for the purpose of persuading them to attend Dallas Baptist.
- Contact coaches, guidance counselors, or other

school administrators in order to gain information on prospective student-athletes.

- Make contact with a prospective student-athlete or the prospect's family during official or unofficial visits.
- Provide any other extra benefits to prospective student-athlete, family, friends or their coaches.
- Provide prospective student-athletes or their family and friends with transportation or financial assistance.

### Activities that will harm Prospective Student-Athletes

You may not ...

- Generally provide benefits that are not available to other members of the Dallas Baptist student body.
- Provide extra benefits to student-athletes or their family and friends.

*Examples of prohibited benefits include (but not limited to):*

- Gifts of money, awards, food/drinks, or other tangible items.
- Free or reduced housing agreements.
- Loans of money or automobiles.
- Occasional meals.
- Professional services without charge or at a discount.
- Promises of employment or loans following college graduation.
- Providing transportation for the student-athlete or their friends and family.
- Sending student-athletes items to be autographed and returned or using autographed items to raise funds for high schools.
- Use of ATM, credit or other types of gift cards.
- Use the name or image of a current student-athlete to advertise, recommend, or promote products or services.

### Consequences

*Violations of these NCAA, Heartland Conference, and University policies can result in severe penalties, including:*

- Disassociation-Dallas Baptist University may permanently disassociate itself with an athletic booster. You could lose the privilege of purchasing season tickets or any other DBU athletic-related benefit deemed inappropriate.
- Harm to the Enrolled Student-Athlete-violations can also result in the enrolled student-athlete or entire team being unable to compete for Dallas Baptist University.

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*PATRIOT BASKETBALL*



As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another. – Proverbs 27:17

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