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1st Annual Basketball Tournament 2024

INTRODUCTION

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The Dominique Paul Foundation, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, is excited to announce the first annual L.A. County #GANGBANGINGISSTUPID Basketball Tournament. This event aims to connect L.A. County's youth through sports, fostering early relationship-building as a protective factor against future violence. Our goal is to create a community-led and community-driven approach to public safety, bringing together various segments of society to support and uplift our young people.



ABOUT

THE DOMINIQUE PAUL FOUNDATION

Dominique Menion Paul, born on August 24, 1994, in Los Angeles, California, was raised as his mother's only child and the youngest sibling. He embraced his faith early, influenced by his grandmothers, and regularly attended church alone. Dominique attended various private schools and met his eternal love at Westchester High. He completed his education at Long Beach City Adult School and became a firefighter with the Los Angeles County Fire Department, earning certifications in forklift operation and construction. Known for his infectious smile and charming personality, "Domo" loved spending time with family and friends, participating in sports, and especially enjoyed boxing. In his memory, The Dominique Paul Foundation was established to continue his spirit of community and love. Dominique's joyful spirit and love for life will forever remain in our hearts.

TOURNAMENT DETAILS

Event Dates: August 23rd - August 25th,
2024

Locations: Various venues across Los
Angeles County

Participants:

16 teams of 8, 9, and 10-year-olds

16 teams of 11, 12, and 13-year-olds

Team Composition: 10 players per team,
totaling 160 participants in each age
group.



CURRENT SPONSORSHIP

The Dominique Paul Foundation is proud to sponsor 160 kids for the tournament. We are reaching out to community members, businesses, and organizations to support the remaining participants and cover additional event costs.

SPONSORSHIP & SUPPORT OPPORTUNITIES

We are seeking donations and support in the following areas:

- Basketball Courts: Access to local basketball courts for practices and games.
- Advertisement: Radio and television advertising to promote the event.
- Uniforms: Team uniforms for all participants.
- Referees: Professional referees to officiate the games.
- School Materials: Educational supplies for participants.
- General Donations: Any financial or in-kind contributions to support the event.

Registration and Costs

- Child Registration Fee: \$50 per child
- Sponsorship: If you cannot sponsor a child, submit their name and we will find a sponsor.

PRIZE DETAILS

Cash Prizes:

- 8, 9, and 10-year-olds: \$3,000 cash prize for the winning team
- 11, 12, and 13-year-olds: \$3,000 cash prize for the winning team

Consolation Prizes: Additional prizes for participants

- The cash prize will increase as we achieve our goal of 16 teams per age group.

Additional Components

- Health Screenings: Physicals for participants to ensure they are fit to play.
- Educational Workshops:
 - Anger Management: Techniques and strategies for managing emotions.
 - Emotional Awareness: Understanding and articulating feelings.
 - Anti-Bullying: Promoting kindness and respect, and addressing bullying.

CALL TO ACTION

We invite celebrities, elected officials, faith-based communities, and everyone in L.A. County to contribute to this significant event. Your support will ensure a successful tournament and a positive impact on our youth.

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

1. Community Sponsor - \$1,000

Logo Placement: Logo on the official website.

Recognition: Acknowledgement during the closing ceremony.

Certificate of Appreciation: Presented during the closing ceremony.

2. Team Sponsor - \$500

Sponsor a Team: Sponsor logo on the team's uniforms.

Recognition: Acknowledgement during the team's games.

Logo Placement: Logo on the official website.

Certificate of Appreciation: Presented during the closing ceremony.

3. Child Sponsor - \$50

Sponsor a Child: Support an individual child's participation in the tournament.

Additional Components

The tournament will also feature educational and developmental workshops and services to support the holistic growth of our participants:

1. Anger Management Workshops: Providing techniques and strategies to help children manage and express their emotions healthily.
2. Emotional Awareness Sessions: Teaching kids to understand and articulate their feelings, fostering emotional intelligence.
3. Anti-Bullying Programs: Promoting kindness, respect, and strategies to prevent and address bullying.
4. Health Screenings for Physicals: Ensuring participants are in good health and physically prepared for the tournament.

IN-KIND SPONSORSHIP

We also welcome in-kind sponsorships for goods and services, including:

- **Equipment:** Basketballs, uniforms, and sports gear.
- **Food and Beverages:** Snacks and drinks for participants and volunteers.
- **Services:** Printing, promotional materials, and transportation.

In-kind sponsors will receive recognition based on the estimated value of their contribution, with benefits aligned with the above sponsorship levels.

Contact Information for Sponsorship Inquiries

For more information on sponsorship opportunities or to become a sponsor, please contact:

The Dominique Paul Foundation:

- **Website:** thedominiquepaulfoundation.org/
- **Email:** dstanpaul@gmail.com
- **Phone:** 628-888-9147

The Dominique Paul Foundation appreciates your support and partnership in making the "#GANGBANGINGISSTUPID Basketball Tournament" a memorable and impactful event for our community. Together, we can make a difference.

OBJECTIVES

1. Youth Engagement: Provide a platform for young people to engage in positive activities and build meaningful relationships.
2. Violence Prevention: Use sports as a tool to foster teamwork, discipline, and respect, reducing the likelihood of future violence.
3. Community Involvement: Encourage participation from various community sectors to create a unified front in promoting public safety and youth development.

CONTACT US

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The Dominique Paul Foundation:

- Website: thedomoniquepaulfoundation.org
- Name: Dante Paul
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Conclusion

Let's make our own August madness and show the strength of L.A. County's community spirit. All proceeds from registration and donations will be used towards the event, including cash prizes and insurance for the kids playing. Thank you for your support and for helping us create a safe and positive environment for our youth.

Sincerely,

The Dominique Paul Foundation

THANK YOU, AND WE LOOK FORWARD TO
WORKING WITH YOU.