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Atlantic Prep Athletic Conference Welcomes Devon Preparatory School as Sixth Member for 2026-27 Season

Philadelphia, PA – April 30, 2026 – The Atlantic Prep Athletic Conference (APAC), the Philadelphia area’s first pure scholastic ice hockey conference, is pleased to announce that Devon Preparatory School of Devon, PA will join the league as its sixth member beginning with the 2026-27 season.

Founded in 2017, the APAC was established to create a dedicated scholastic ice hockey model that allows student-athletes to compete at a high level while benefiting from strong academics, longstanding traditions, and natural rivalries among premier independent schools in the region.

“We are pleased to announce the addition of Devon Preparatory School to the APAC,” said Steve Mackell, Chairman of the Atlantic Prep Athletic Conference. “Devon Prep brings a strong hockey program and excellent academic reputation to our league. We are excited to welcome them as our newest member and look forward to the competitive matchups they will bring to the ice starting in the 2026-27 season.”

Matt Fabrizio, Head Coach at Devon Preparatory School, added: “Devon Prep is humbled to join the APAC for the 2026-27 season. We look forward to upholding the values and traditions established by some of the best hockey programs in the entire state.”

Devon Preparatory School will begin APAC hockey competition in the 2026-27 season, joining the following current member schools:

- **La Salle College High School**
- **Holy Ghost Preparatory School**
- **Malvern Preparatory School**
- **St. Joseph’s Preparatory School**
- **The Hun School**

About the Atlantic Prep Athletic Conference (APAC) Founded in 2017, the Atlantic Prep Athletic Conference is the first pure scholastic ice hockey conference in the Philadelphia area. The APAC provides a competitive platform where student-athletes can thrive in both academics and hockey by competing against like-minded independent preparatory schools in a conference dedicated exclusively to high school ice hockey.

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