

January 1, 2023



Dear Community Partner,

Daughters At Play, Inc. is a non-profit organization, founded in 2016, whose mission is to empower, educate, inspire and promote young women to achieve higher goals. It is our vision to have different girls' sports leagues and also traveling competitive teams.

Daughters At Play, Inc. (DAP) first began its girls basketball league under the umbrella of Armed N Dangerous Athletics LLC in the Spring of 2016 and has successfully completed eight (8) seasons and would begin its ninth season of recreational league for ages 4-17 in the Spring of 2020, however, due to the effects of COVID-19, and lack of facilities, we have been unable to have another basketball recreational league. We are focused on teaching and training girls in the fundamentals of basketball with an emphasis on preparing them for the next level of play in high school and beyond. We currently have over 100 talented young ladies participating in travel basketball program, and exemplify this talent both academically and athletically. We started our girls basketball travel team in 2017 in order to play in the AAU travel circuit. What began as one team, grew to three teams in 2018, and the 2022 season, we ended with nine (9) teams. In the 2020-21 season, we added three (3) volleyball travel teams in addition to basketball, and for the 2022 season, we grew to 6 volleyball travel teams. It is our goal to begin a local volleyball league to help teach fundamentals. We also added a travel soccer team for the younger girls in 2022.

By competing in high profile tournaments, located in cities throughout the state of Florida, and throughout the country during NCAA Live Periods, our teams gain valuable exposure to college coaches and recruiters, thus making scholarship opportunities available to our players. We value the importance of education on and off the court, service and appreciation for the community, and our team philosophy will embody these elements of emphasis.

As a non-profit youth organization, we rely on support from dedicated companies and people such as you. We appreciate any type of contribution to our program either monetary, or goods and services. Funds are used to pay for equipment, practice facilities, tournament fees, uniforms and related items, and traveling expenses.

We are reaching out to the community for support in our endeavor for the young ladies that will be participating on our teams. Given today's economic times, and family budget constraints, we are in need of your help! We invite you to join us as a **SPONSOR**. Sponsorship is a vital part of keeping our programs affordable to the community while offering high quality service.

Enclosed you will find a sponsorship form with details on how you can support this great youth program in our community. We appreciate your help and thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

*Teddy Spikes*

Teddy Spikes  
President and Founder  
Daughters At Play, Inc.

# Daughters At Play, Inc. Sponsorship and Donation Form

*"By contributing today, you will help us build for tomorrow."*



Daughters at Play, Inc. (DAP) would like to thank you for your interest and help in sponsoring our Travel AAU Girls Travel Basketball, Soccer and/or Volleyball team(s). There are a few different ways you can show your support for these young ladies and their efforts to represent the Florida Gulf Coast on a competitive level. We are a non-profit organization, and your donations are tax deductible.

## What's in it for you and your business?

- Show your commitment and continual support of your local area and community.
- Help to bridge the gap between local businesses, the community and its patrons.
- Demonstrate your willingness to invest in today's youth.
- Take advantage of the opportunity to market your Company's products and/or services.

Name of Business/Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Sponsorship Levels

### **Sapphire - \$10,000 & above**

- Company logo on T-shirts & website
- Special recognition on Social Media pages
- Appreciation plaque with Sponsorship level
- Sponsor one team: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Emerald - \$7,500**

- Sponsor multiple teams for 3 tournaments
- Company logo on T-shirts & website
- Special recognition on Social Media pages
- Appreciation plaque with Sponsorship level

### **Ruby - \$5,000**

- Sponsor uniforms for up to 5 teams
- Company logo on T-shirts & website
- Special recognition on Social Media pages
- Appreciation plaque with Sponsorship level

### **Diamond - \$2,500**

- Sponsor gear for players (shirts, bags, etc)
- Company logo on T-shirts & website
- Special recognition on Social Media pages
- Appreciation plaque with Sponsorship level

### **Other**

- Any donation amount, goods or services donated

### **Platinum - \$1,000**

- Company logo on T-shirts & website
- Special recognition on Social Media pages
- Appreciation plaque with Sponsorship level
- Sponsor one player: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Gold - \$750**

- Sponsor one (1) team for 2 tournaments
- Company logo on T-shirts
- Special recognition on Social Media pages
- Appreciation plaque with Sponsorship level

### **Silver - \$500**

- Sponsor one (1) team for 1 tournament
- Company logo on T-shirts
- Special recognition on Social Media pages

### **Bronze - \$300**

- Partial Sponsor of one (1) player
  - Special recognition on Social Media pages
- Player Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Black - \$100**

- Special recognition on Social Media pages

## **Payment Information**

Please make all checks out to **Daughters At Play, Inc.** You can mail your payment to:

Daughters At Play, Inc.

PO Box 495331

Port Charlotte, FL 33949-5331

If there is a specific area you would like your business to sponsor, please contact Teddy Spikes at (941) 249-1116 or Danielle Griffiths at (941) 661-9790. Your donations can also help with Equipment & Facility Rental for practices.