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HIGH SCHOOL LEVEL TRYOUTS

Tryouts for the Storm will be conducted in early September and in early March. Tryouts are open to players entering the eighth through eleventh grades. Players interested in trying out should register on line at www.californiastorm.org. Click on the tryout link.



Justine Hartman (Brea-Olinda High, 2011 ESPN Top Ten, UCLA Commit)



Chelsea Gray (Parade Magazine National Player of the Year, McDonald's All-American)

ALUMNI

Storm alumni include active WNBA players Alana Beard and Iciss Tillis (both first round draft picks out of Duke University) as well as dozens of current and former NCAA Division I stars. Storm players in the classes of 2008, 2009, and 2010 who are currently playing or committed to Division One schools include:



Class of 2008

Alyssia Brewer	University of Tennessee
Alex Carbonel	St. Mary's University
Amber Coatney	St. Mary's University
Michelle Jenkins	University of Southern California
Shawna Kuehu	University of Hawaii
Casey Morris	Texas Tech

Class of 2009

Brittany Conger	University of San Diego
Ari Dale	Fordham University
Julianne Downs	Belmont University
Brenna Heater	University of California Berkley
Simone Lutu	CSU Fullerton
Shelby Smith	St. Joseph's University
Vicky Tagalicod	University of Southern California

Class of 2010

Janae Coffee	Long Beach State University
Savannah Erskine	University of San Francisco
Lily Feder	University of San Diego
Crystal Goodwin	Emory University
Chelsea Gray	Duke University
Brittany Hale	Hawaii Pacific
Sydney Haydel	University of Hawaii
Jalei Kinder	Fresno State University
Briana Orlich	Columbia University
Tyona Outland	Cal State Bakersfield
Cassie Pappas	University of Pennsylvania
Sage Romberg	Washington State University
Jasmine Ruttledge	New Mexico State University
Nicole Santucci	Columbia University
Molly Schlemmer	Cal Poly San Luis Obispo
Leslie Schotz	Trinity College
Savannah Smith	Abilene Christian University
Melissa Sweat	San Diego State University



The incredible Class of 2008 included, left to right, Casey Morris (Texas Tech); Alyssia Brewer (Tennessee); Michelle Jenkins (USC) and Shawna Kuehu (University of Hawaii).



Chelsea Gray
(Duke University)

ABOUT THE STORM

Founded in 1997, The California Storm is one of 20 elite Nike-sponsored club basketball programs in the United States and for the past four years has been one of just 16 teams in America to receive an automatic bid to the Nike Nationals in North Augusta, South Carolina.

The Storm's directors and coaches are dedicated to developing collegiate level basketball players through comprehensive training and high caliber competition.

TEAM TAURASI

The Storm became the first girls' basketball club in history to be affiliated with a professional athlete, as the Storm's most elite travel team became TEAM TAURASI, sponsored by four time WNBA All-Star, two time Championship MVP and two time U.S. Olympian Diana Taurasi of the Phoenix Mercury. Team Taurasi assumes the role of the Storm's most competitive team and represents the club at Nike Nationals.

MISSION STATEMENT

The purpose of the California Storm is to develop fundamentally complete players who will be prepared to succeed at the highest high school varsity level and for elite players to be able to contribute immediately at the collegiate level.

In a time when many clubs have no criteria for choosing coaches, the Storm maintains the highest standards of integrity for our staff members. These standards are evident in all of our coaches' appearance and demeanor, and in the ways they interact with our athletes and college coaches.

Storm coaches are experienced, knowledgeable and have the ability to correctly teach and develop young athletes. Significantly, Storm coaches offer their time not for personal or financial gain, but for the benefit of the student-athletes.

Throughout the training process your daughter will be encouraged, valued, and respected, and her welfare and success will always be a primary concern.



Keani Albanez (Buena, 2011
ESPN Hoop Guriz Top 100)



Sage Romberg (McKinleyville, CA;
Washington St. University)

SCHEDULE

The Storm competes in the most competitive club basketball events in the country. Depending on level and age group, tournaments include:

- The Boo Williams Invitational; Hampton, VA
- The Summer Showcase; Chicago, IL
- The Oasis Invitational; Phoenix, AZ
- Nike Nationals; North Augusta, SC

Events are chosen to provide maximum competitiveness and exposure for your child in a safe environment.

EXPOSURE

Storm coaches and administrators are well respected by college coaches and have developed relationships with coaches from virtually every major NCAA Division I College and University in the nation.

RECRUITING ASSISTANCE

Our coaches work tirelessly with and for you to find for your daughter the best collegiate opportunity and situation for her future.

COST

Although Storm teams typically play a more extensive and varied schedule, the club is generally less expensive than competing organizations. Families only pay for what is associated with their athlete's travel and expenses. A deposit is required for roster placement and the balance of the season's cost can be made in monthly payments.

ADMINISTRATION

The Storm is administered by the Westside Basketball Club, one of California's oldest and most respected youth basketball organizations. WBC is a not for profit (501c3) organization dedicated to providing opportunity and exposure for young athletes. All finances are conducted through WBC and monitored and approved by our Board of Directors. Parents' financial obligations are clearly explained and accurately invoiced.

HS TRAVELTEAMS AND AGE GROUPS

17U TeamTaurasi	
17U Cal Storm Elite	15U Cal Storm Elite
17U Cal Storm Black	15U Cal Storm Black
17U Cal Storm Blue	15U Cal Storm Blue
17U Cal Storm Gray	15U Cal Storm Gray

PLAYER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Our premier basketball program is unmatched in offering year-round training focused on proper decision making in game like situations, individual offensive skill development, strength, speed, and agility training.



Shawna Kuehu
(University of Hawaii)

YOUTH BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

The California Storm Youth Basketball Season runs from October through July and includes monthly tournaments.

YOUTH TRAVEL TEAMS AND AGE GROUPS

13U Cal Storm
12U Cal Storm
11U Cal Storm
10U Cal Storm

PRACTICES

Our program is dedicated to preparing our young athletes to compete at their highest level by teaching fundamental offensive and defensive skills that are integral to properly transitioning to the high school varsity and collegiate levels. Practices are held in the Los Angeles County area.

YOUTH TRYOUTS

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Justine Hartman (2011)
at USA Basketball Trials



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