



2025 Fall Kernersville Parks and Recreation Adult Basketball Post-Season Write-Up East Division

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The East Division had fiery matchups all the way throughout the season, starting with Beat the Odds. Led by Raymond Xu, Beat the Odds (formerly known as Why We Still Hoop) put up a **KPRD Basketball Single Game Record** with 128 points to start the season. The last time a team put up 120+ points was in the 2018 Fall season, when Team Truth put up 121 points in the semi-final tournament game. Beat the Odds dominated the rest of the season as well, finishing with an unblemished 8-0 regular season record.

Four new teams joined the East Division this season. These teams include St. Leo The Great, Goon Squad, Legacy, and Triad City Hoopers. St. Leo, captained by Father Christian Goduti, finished with a 4 win to 4 loss record, defeating all the teams that finished below them and lost to all the teams that finished above them. Trevion McCollum, spearhead of the Goon Squad, led the “The Goonies” to a 5-3 record. A rough mid-season stretch saw the team drop three of five games, but as the movie classic reminds us, “Goonies never say die.” The Goon Squad closed the regular season on a winning streak, carrying momentum into the postseason.

Legacy, powered by Christopher Davis, found themselves in several close matches throughout the season. Though they only came away with one win on the regular season, they gave teams like St. Leo and Flow Ducks a run for their money. Legacy came up just short in both of those games by a combined four points. Triad City Hoopers were welcomed as newbies this season as well. Michael Bates and bunch improved throughout the season, showcasing their best game in the post-season tournament. They fell short of an upset, losing by nine points to Team Ballers out of the West Division.

Old foes collided in the East Division as well. Returning teams to the KPRD Basketball league include Dream Team, Harambe, Flow Ducks, and Dem Boyz. Austin Bell took charge for Dream Team, starting off hot, they took three wins in four games. These early season wins helped them land the #3 seed in the Silver tournament. Harambe made a return to the league for the first time since the 2024 Winter season. Jesse Stimac, commander of Harambe, led his team to an impressive 7-1 record. Their only loss on the season was to the undefeated Beat the Odds team. Harambe finished the regular season on a 4-game win streak.

Flow Ducks, propelled by John McGraw, held onto a late 4th quarter lead in week five of the season. This nail-biter of a game came down to the last moments of the matchup against Legacy. Flow Ducks were fouled with seconds left, giving them an opportunity to ice the game, which they did. This late game clutch gave them their first win on the season. Another close game in week five includes Dem Boyz. The narrow 1-point victory over Goon Squad landed them the #3 seed overall in the Gold tournament. Kenny Jenkins and squad have been long time member of the KPRD Basketball league.

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2025 Fall- Basketball League Schedule

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Standings	W	L	GP
Beat the Odds	8	0	8
Harambe	7	1	8
Dem Boyz	5	3	8
Goon Squad	5	3	8
St. Leo	4	4	8
Dream Team	3	5	8
Flow Ducks	2	6	8
Legacy	1	7	8
Triad City	1	7	8

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Date	Time	Location	Team	Score	vs.	Team	Score
19-Sep	6:30	B	Beat the Odds	128	vs.	St. Leo	65
	7:30	B	Harambe	71	vs.	Triad City	28
	8:30	B	Dream Team	57	vs.	Legacy	39
	7:30	1	Flow Ducks	28	vs.	Goon Squad	66
26-Sep	6:30	B	Harambe	58	vs.	Goon Squad	43
	7:30	B	St. Leo	53	vs.	Dem Boyz	74
	8:30	B	Dream Team	74	vs.	Flow Ducks	55
	7:30	1	Beat the Odds	90	vs.	Legacy	60
3-Oct	6:30	B	Harambe	74	vs.	Dream Team	67
	7:30	B	St. Leo	56	vs.	Legacy	54
	8:30	B	Beat the Odds	88	vs.	Flow Ducks	45
	7:30	1	Dem Boyz	0	vs.	Triad City	2
10-Oct	6:30	B	Triad City	39	vs.	Goon Squad	96
	7:30	B	Beat the Odds	60	vs.	Harambe	57
	8:30	B	Legacy	49	vs.	Dem Boyz	82
	7:30	1	St. Leo	50	vs.	Flow Ducks	37
17-Oct	6:30	B	Legacy	26	vs.	Flow Ducks	28
	7:30	B	Dem Boyz	47	vs.	Goon Squad	46
	8:30	B	St. Leo	38	vs.	Harambe	68
	7:30	1	Triad City	25	vs.	Dream Team	70
24-Oct	6:30	B	Goon Squad	65	vs.	Dream Team	43
	7:30	B	Flow Ducks	59	vs.	Dem Boyz	92
	8:30	B	Legacy	55	vs.	Harambe	81
	7:30	1	Triad City	28	vs.	Beat the Odds	81
5-Dec	6:30	B	Flow Ducks	56	vs.	Harambe	78
	7:30	B	Goon Squad	58	vs.	Beat the Odds	77
	8:30	B	Dem Boyz	67	vs.	Dream Team	57
	7:30	1	Triad City	22	vs.	St. Leo	54
14-Nov	6:30	B	Dream Team	57	vs.	Beat the Odds	85
	7:30	B	Legacy	51	vs.	Triad City	31
	8:30	B	Goon Squad	74	vs.	St. Leo	55
	7:30	1	Harambe	66	vs.	Dem Boyz	52
21-Nov	6:30	B	Flow Ducks	52	vs.	Triad City	30
	7:30	B	Dream Team	66	vs.	St. Leo	70
	8:30	B	Dem Boyz	64	vs.	Beat the Odds	75
	7:30	1	Goon Squad	78	vs.	Legacy	36



2025 Fall Kernersville Parks and Recreation Adult Basketball Post-Season Write-Up West Division

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Two teams who dominated their way through the West Division were The Lakers and Team Cash. These squads are no strangers, as they both have been long-time members of the league. Rashad Branch and squad bested the Lakers in their regular season matchup in a close game, allowing them to start the season 1-0. Eric Fisher, captain of the Lakers, took the loss on the chin. They rampaged their way through the rest of the season, finishing with a 7-1 record. Cash also won the rest of their games in the regular season.

A couple new comers to the league include 50 Shades of Buckets and Wolfpack. Abraham Al-Jaouni led 50 Shades to a respectable 4 win to 4 loss record. Their four losses were by a combined 21 points, never losing by more than eight in a single match. This close-game nature carried them well in the playoffs. The Wolfpack, led by Jackson Raftelis, put up a team-best 66 points in the last week of the regular season against Cash. The Wolfpack played several close games throughout the year, even in the playoffs they were within a 6-point game to make it to the second round.

Two other new teams to the league include Ballers and Crossteam. Team Ballers, led by Neil Cummings, faced off against Crossteam in the first week of the season. Ballers, who fell short in their matchup, bounced back a few weeks later after defeating Wolfpack. Crossteam, captained by Tyshawn Stadler, won another game in the 1st half of the season, finding themselves with 2 wins and 2 losses halfway through the year.

Three squads who competed well against each other all season include Team Underdogs, Prolific, and Jones Elite. Team Underdogs, championed by Mylick Elliott, came out of the gate on fire, winning five games in a row. They knocked off Jones Elite in that stretch. Kendall Jones, leader of Jones Elite, found themselves down early in the season. They fought back and collected three wins in the back half of the season. Prolific, showcased by Malcom Dahl, had a similar situation to Jones Elite. After starting the season 1-3, they tallied four wins straight to end the regular season.

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Team Underdogs	5	3	8
Prolific	5	3	8
50 Shades of Buckets	4	4	8
Jones Elite	3	5	8
Crossteam	2	6	8
Ballers	1	7	8
Wolfpack	1	7	8

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19-Sep	6:30	A	Team Underdogs	49	vs.	Wolfpack	38
	7:30	A	Crossteam	74	vs.	Ballers	58
	8:30	A	Lakers	50	vs.	Cash	55
	6:30	1	50 Shades of Buckets	51	vs.	Prolific	53
26-Sep	6:30	A	Team Underdogs	51	vs.	Crossteam	39
	7:30	A	Jones Elite	60	vs.	50 Shades of Buckets	71
	8:30	A	Wolfpack	49	vs.	Lakers	69
	6:30	1	Cash	69	vs.	Prolific	60
3-Oct	6:30	A	Lakers	69	vs.	Ballers	52
	7:30	A	Wolfpack	2	vs.	Prolific	0
	8:30	A	Jones Elite	48	vs.	Team Underdogs	65
	6:30	1	Cash	71	vs.	Crossteam	44
10-Oct	6:30	A	Ballers	52	vs.	50 Shades of Buckets	56
	7:30	A	Cash	65	vs.	Jones Elite	52
	8:30	A	Prolific	51	vs.	Lakers	63
	6:30	1	Wolfpack	37	vs.	Crossteam	60
17-Oct	6:30	A	Prolific	70	vs.	Crossteam	50
	7:30	A	Lakers	75	vs.	50 Shades of Buckets	67
	8:30	A	Wolfpack	60	vs.	Jones Elite	64
	6:30	1	Ballers	48	vs.	Team Underdogs	70
24-Oct	6:30	A	50 Shades of Buckets	53	vs.	Team Underdogs	61
	7:30	A	Crossteam	47	vs.	Lakers	65
	8:30	A	Prolific	73	vs.	Jones Elite	67
	6:30	1	Ballers	67	vs.	Cash	101
5-Dec	6:30	A	Ballers	56	vs.	Wolfpack	41
	7:30	A	50 Shades of Buckets	51	vs.	Cash	54
	8:30	A	Crossteam	48	vs.	Jones Elite	60
	6:30	1	Lakers	74	vs.	Team Underdogs	48
14-Nov	6:30	A	Team Underdogs	72	vs.	Cash	83
	7:30	A	Jones Elite	72	vs.	Lakers	84
	8:30	A	50 Shades of Buckets	76	vs.	Wolfpack	54
	6:30	1	Prolific	79	vs.	Ballers	69
21-Nov	6:30	A	Cash	97	vs.	Wolfpack	66
	7:30	A	Jones Elite	62	vs.	Ballers	43
	8:30	A	Team Underdogs	0	vs.	Prolific	2
	6:30	1	Crossteam	47	vs.	50 Shades of Buckets	79



2025 Fall Kernersville Parks and Recreation Adult Basketball Post-Season Write-Up Gold Tournament

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Kernersville, N.C. – The Kernersville Parks and Recreation Adult Basketball league split the 2025 Fall Post-Season Tournament into two groups, Gold and Silver. Teams were divided into these groups based off their regular season record. Teams that were in the West and East Division got a chance to hit the reset button in the Post-Season.

Out of the 18 teams KPRD Basketball hosted this fall, 10 of them made the Silver Bracket, 8 of them made the Gold Bracket. For the Gold Bracket, Cash, Lakers, Team Underdogs, and Prolific represented the West Division. Beat the Odds, Harambe, Dem Boyz, and Goon Squad represented the East Division.

The first round of the playoffs offered no surprises, as all the top four teams made it to the Semi-Finals round. #1 seed Beat the Odds was able to defeat the #8 Underdogs by a convincing 17 points. #7 Goon Squad put up a great fight against 5-time-in-a-row league champion #2 Cash. Cash came away with a 9-point win. #6 Dem Boyz gave Harambe a run for their money, taking them down to the wire. Harambe pulled away late in the game to capture a 77-65 victory. #4 Lakers handled business against #5 Prolific, making their presence known with an 18-point win.

#4 Lakers were set to take on #1 Beat the Odds and #3 Harambe was set to take on #2 Cash. This was a highly anticipated final-four showdown, as all of these teams had the passion, personnel, and poise to win the Gold bracket. Lakers and Beat the Odds went into halftime knowing it would come down to who would make the less mistakes in the second half. These squads were neck and neck all the way throughout the game. Several lead changes occurred during the course of this matchup. Ultimately, it was Beat the Odds who just edged out the Lakers 73-70.

#3 Harambe and #2 Cash know each other very well, as they have played against each other in previous seasons. These long-time KPRD foes were set for another intense game. Cash started off slow, and Harambe took advantage, finding themselves up double-digits before the half. After halftime, Cash exploded with points. Making several runs, they were able to capture the lead halfway through the third. Harambe wasn't going down without a fight however. They hit several big 3's and shifted the momentum back in their favor. Now late in the 4th, Cash with a slight lead kept their composure and put the nail in the coffin. They hit a floater to stretch their lead to five points right before time expired. Cash won 62-57.

#1 Beat the Odds vs #2 Cash. Both squads undefeated up until this point in the season. This game is a 3-match, as both these teams have played against each other for the championship three seasons in a row. Cash has bested Beat the Odds in each of their last two season finales.

Beat the Odds came out of the gate on fire, and did not slow down. Taking an early lead, they knew if they kept their foot on the gas, they'd make it out on top. Cash was right on their heels however, matching their fast-paced scoring mentality with tough defense and high-flying offense of their own. Beat the Odds pulled away slightly in the 2nd half, making it tough for Cash to continue the scoring pace. Cash did their best, but in the end, it was Beat the Odds who reigned champ. Final score 65-59.

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8 Team Playoff

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12-Dec	6:30	A	#1 Beat the Odds	76	vs.	#8 Underdogs	49
	6:30	1	#2 Cash	69	vs.	#7 Goon Squad	60
	7:30	A	#3 Harambe	77	vs.	#6 Dem Boys	65
	7:30	1	#4 Lakers	74	vs.	#5 Prolific	56
19-Dec	8:30	1	#1 Beat the Odds	73	vs.	#4 Lakers	70
	9:30	1	#3 Harambe	57	vs.	#2 Cash	62
2-Jan	7:30	1	#1 Beat the Odds	65	vs.	#2 Cash	59

	Standings	W	L	Regular Season Point Differential
1	Beat the Odds	8	0	252
2	Cash	8	0	146
3	Harambe	7	1	154
4	Lakers	7	1	108
5	Prolific	5	3	40
6	Dem Boys	5	3	38 (Won H2H)
7	Goon Squad	5	3	143 (Lost H2H)
8	Underdogs	5	3	31

8 Team Single Elimination Tournament

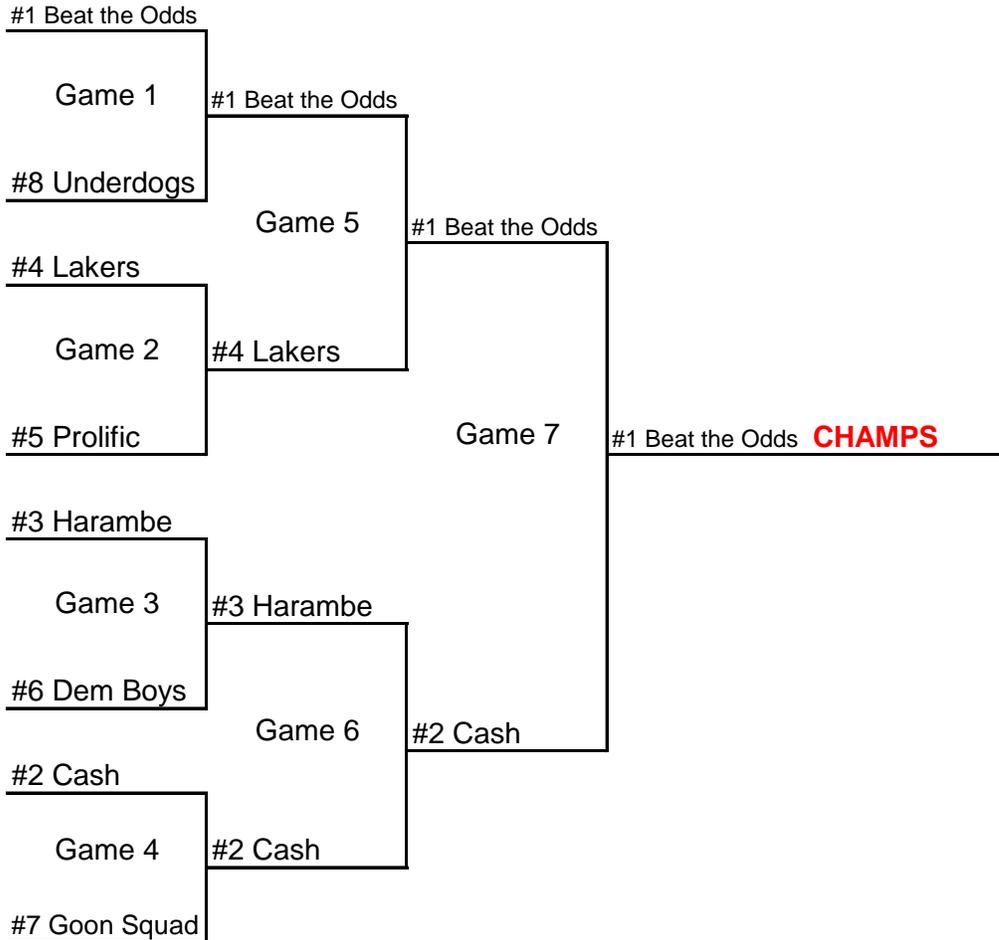
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- #1 Beat the Odds
- #2 Cash
- #3 Harambe
- #4 Lakers
- #5 Prolific
- #6 Dem Boys
- #7 Goon Squad
- #8 Underdogs





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The eight seeded Wolfpack tipped-off against the nine seeded Legacy team to start the tournament. The winner of this game would go on and play the #1 Seed 50 Shades of Buckets. Legacy knocked off the Wolfpack in a six-point game. 50 Shades took care of business against Legacy, and punched their ticket to the Semi-Final round. #4 Jones Elite won in style against #5 Crossteam, finding their way to a 13-point victory. Jones Elite would meet 50 Shades in the Semi-Final game.

The seven seeded Ballers team faced off against the ten seeded Triad City Hoopers. No upset in this round as Ballers defeated Triad City. Ballers then played against the #2 Seed St. Leo. In a high-intensity game, Ballers upset the #2 seed to end their season. #3 Dream Team cruised their way past the #6 Flow Ducks to meet the Ballers in the Semi-Finals.

The Semi-Final round showcased high-level basketball. #1 50 Shades of Buckets took an early lead against #4 Jones Elite. Jones stayed right on their heels though, as they went into halftime down by a small margin. A few missed shots were the difference in this game, as Jones fell short of an upset. 50 Shades won 47 to 39.

The #7 Ballers had high hopes to continue their Cinderella story. Ballers kept the first half close against #3 Dream Team, but “Dreamville” thrived in this matchup. They pulled away in the second-half to make a statement 18-point victory.

The stage was set. A day after the new year, #1 50 Shades taking on #3 Dream Team in a winner-takes-all matchup. Dream Team took advantage of a couple early turnovers by 50 Shades to take a two-possession lead. 50 Shades locked in from that moment, forcing their way to take the lead and keep it. By halftime, it looked grim for Dream Team. 50 Shades kept their foot on the gas. Dream team, finding themselves down by 20+ points in the fourth quarter, started shooting three balls consistently to try to cut into the lead. It was too little too late however, as 50 Shades celebrated as champions at the end of the game. New Year, New Champs.

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	7:30	B	#3 Dream Team	71	vs.	#6 Flow Ducks	61
	8:30	A	#8 Wolfpack	46	vs.	#9 Legacy	52
	8:30	B	#7 Ballers	50	vs.	#10 Triad City	41
	9:30	A	#1 50 Shades	85	vs.	#9 Legacy	43
	9:30	B	#2 St. Leo	74	vs.	#7 Ballers	80
19-Dec	6:30	1	#1 50 Shades	47	vs.	#4 Jones Elite	39
	7:30	1	#7 Ballers	42	vs.	#3 Dream Team	60
2-Jan	6:30	1	#1 50 Shades	73	vs.	#3 Dream Team	35

	Standings	W	L	Regular Season Point Differential
1	50 Shades of Buckets	4	4	48
2	St. Leo the Great	4	4	-102
3	Dream Team	3	5	11
4	Jones Elite	3	5	-24
5	Crossteam	2	6	-82
6	Flow Ducks	2	6	-143
7	Ballers	1	7	-97
8	Wolfpack	1	7	-126
9	Legacy	1	7	-134
10	Triad City	1	7	-270

10 Team Single Elimination Tournament

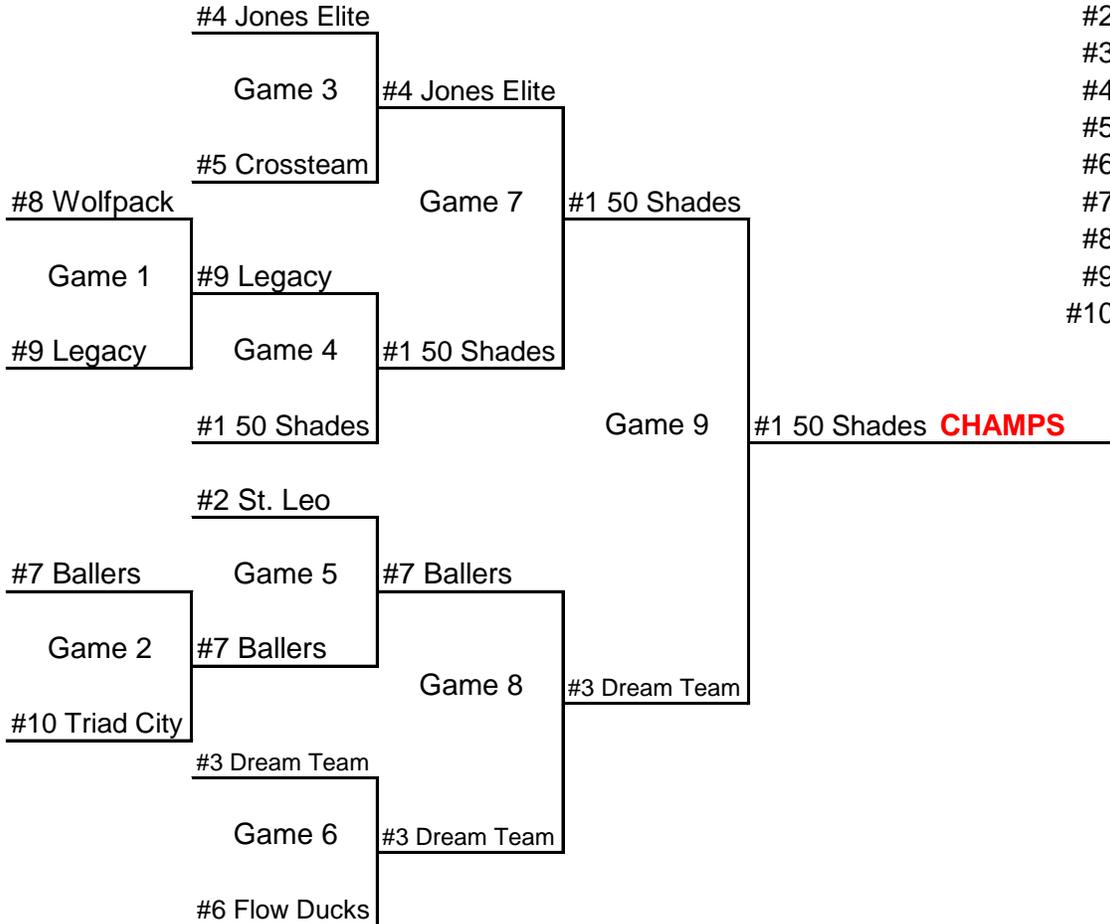
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WINNERS BRACKET



- #1 50 Shades
- #2 St. Leo the Great
- #3 Dream Team
- #4 Jones Elite
- #5 Crossteam
- #6 Flow Ducks
- #7 Ballers
- #8 Wolfpack
- #9 Legacy
- #10 Triad City