OKC AMBASSADORS BASEBALL



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Dear Ambassador Supporter,

My name is Cole Cleveland, and I am the Pastor of Grace Community Baptist Church and the Executive Director of the Oklahoma City Ambassadors. I love sports and the many benefits it provides for young people. I am sure you have noticed how youth athletics is luring thousands of Christian families away from consistent involvement in the local church. The emphasis on athletic development over Christian discipleship is hampering the spiritual development of children and their parents.

The OKC Ambassadors provide a competitive sports alternative that develops players both athletically and spiritually. The Ambassadors are committed to excellence in discipleship and athletics while encouraging families to remain faithful to their local churches. Because of this commitment, the OKC Ambassadors do not play on Sundays and are growing to provide competitive tournaments that serve the community while promoting faithfulness to Christ and His Church.

This spring, we have hosted over two thousand guests at our Saturday-only baseball festivals, viewing each as an opportunity to both share Christ and cultivate a fun and competitive environment for our athletes. Each of the players on our Ambassadors' teams are taught Biblical truth at every practice and have learned how to share the Gospel with their peers and fellow competitors. It is our dream to expand these festivals into an organized and competitive baseball league played at our own complex.

As we begin our 18th year of ministry we are seeking individual and church partnerships to come alongside our ministry with prayer and financial support. We are also looking for families with young athletes who would like to join us on our mission to use baseball as an excuse to make disciples! We would be honored if you would consider giving as we seek to transform the youth sports culture into a discipleship culture that glorifies God. Your regular financial support will help us expand our ministry as we strive to accomplish our mission—using baseball as an excuse to make disciples and share the Gospel. Please prayerfully consider what you might give to help us further our mission. We are asking the Lord to provide 20 churches to commit to a three-year ministry partnership.







WHAT WE DO

For 17 years, we have taken young men for a baseball season and equipped them with the teaching of the Word of God. We focus on discipleship, leadership training, evangelism and athletic excellence. In addition, we serve local churches, host baseball camps for children and play/host high level baseball tournaments.

We are not just simply a pray-before-the-game type of Christian baseball team. We are very intentional with our daily discipleship, Bible studies and accountability. Our goal is to raise up a generation of young men who are ready to stand for Christ no matter what the cultural circumstances might be.



HOW YOU CAN HELP



We need individuals like you to come alongside our mission to help us continue to reach the world with the Gospel through athletics.

Please use the QR Code to become a monthly supporter for the OKC Ambassadors!

OUR MISSION

To disciple young athletes through athletics who will then use their God-given ability to share the gospel with the world around them.

DISCIPLESHIP

The focus of our ministry is discipleship. You will be challenged to study the Word of God daily with your coaches and teammates, memorize Scripture and devote yourself to learning what it means to be an Ambassador for Christ. The goal of discipleship is to train you into what it means to live for Christ as a man of God.

EVANGELISM

As an overflow of our discipleship focus, you will engage with opportunities to share the Gospel! Through hosting baseball camps, speaking at church events or talking with opponents after games, you will have an opportunity to herald the Truth of the Word of God.

BASEBALL

We play high-level baseball and dedicate ourselves to helping all of our Ambassadors find a place to use their talents to the best of their ability to glorify God. We believe that part of stewarding the gifts that God has given to us is striving for excellence in every way -- even on the baseball field.







- 1) Add additional teams and sports which will increase the opportunities for your families to benefit directly from the ministry.
 - 2) Come alongside the local church to disciple young athletes and equip them to share the Gospel.
- 3) Host festivals where the Gospel is shared with thousands of participants.
 - 4) Serve your church by conducting a sports camp or partnering in other ways for the kingdom.



