

The TPA News

The Passing Academy is a private coaching company that makes potential happen

Special Feature

College Exposure

“How Do You Get Recruited?”

Getting a college scholarship is a challenging goal for all of us. Colleges are looking for good statistical seasons, size, speed, strength, character, good grades, etc...

There are so many athletes that get overlooked because of the amount of talent out there. This is another part of the challenge that so many players and parents don't realize until this happens to them. I know because it happened to me.

So, the question is, “How do you get recruited?” Well, you had a great season, you're fast, you're big, you're strong. What else? Answer: You need to market yourself! Talk to your coach, send out your highlight video with bio, speak with a professional college football recruiting service.



Mike Jabaley of Highlight Reels works in this industry and has a 94% scholarship success rate. The

biggest reason that he so successful is because he evaluates on knowing exactly what the college coaches are looking for. His opinion is very well respected among the college coaches.

Highlight Reels LLC has 27 Colleges that they recruit for currently all over the United States!

A real eye opener is to hear Mike explain the art of recruiting from the athlete's view and the college's view to a “T”. It is a process that has many variables; sophomore and junior stats, size, speed, game experience, what type of players needed per the college, and mainly patience.

I wish that I had a service like this when I came out of High School. I would have known what to expect and where I fit into the recruiting ladders.

Quote Of The Month

“Three things can happen when you throw the ball, and two of them are bad.”

Darrell Royal
University of Texas

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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

New Students Signed To The Passing Academy

Hutton Spitler, 2014- QB of Walton High School, has recently signed to The Passing Academy. Our plan with Hutton is to build him from the ground up, with footwork and base being the primary step and then tuning his technique to the perfect form. We expect quick progress from Hutton due to his already noticeable commitment.

Alex Massey, 2019- QB of the Walton Junior Raiders has also signed to TPA's roster. Alex's first session will be our Technique Video Breakdown Session to give us our priorities for Technique Management. “I want to do this!” Alex said with conviction in our first meeting. He seems to understand that the earlier you began focused training that the more time he will have to practice the “right way” to play the tough position of Quarterback.

TPA Hot Recruits

Nicholas Hill QB East Cobb Vikings
Zachary Nichols QB

Community Service

If the thought of wanting to help others has ever crossed your mind, TPA is on the same page. The hardest part seems to be the first step because of these questions that always come up; how do I get involved, who do I call, what type of program would I like be a part of, how much time do I have, etc... So because of the unclear answers to these questions, therefore actually taking action would be less likely to happen.

“Plant a thought, harvest an act, harvest a habit, harvest a character. Plant a character, harvest a destiny.” -*Sacagawea*

So let's plant a thought and get going! Many already are aware of TPA's involvement with The Miracle League. We want to continue that relationship, and also do more.

7pm Tuesday, February 15th at Sports A Rama – we are having a meeting to organize thoughts, ideas, or programs you might already be a part of. Everyone is invited - players, parents, etc.

7pm –Tuesday–February 15th-SportsARama

FREE \$80 Session!
Bring this newsletter in for a FREE Diagnostic Video Session!
For anyone new to TPA



Article Of The Month

Field Smarts

Everyone loves the adrenaline rush one gets from that big hit or long touchdown pass. Those are the moments that we love most and it is the reason people continue to watch and play this great game of football.

Sometimes it seems like there are players who can make big plays consistently. Other players will ask, “How does he play so fast? It's almost as if they know what is going to happen before it actually happens!”

The truth is those players do know what is going to happen before it takes place. The secret behind great players is that it does not have to be extreme athleticism, size, or strength, although those traits are very important. The real secret is the classroom, and not the one in school.

If a player wants to go from good to great they must study hard in the football classroom.

What is the football classroom? It is when a player takes it to the next level with studying play design, offensive and defensive strengths and weakness, film breakdown, understanding match ups, TPA's R.D.R. format, etc...

Bottom line is one must learn the game intellectually so that one can make the decision to execute 2 steps before the average player makes his decision.

This is why an old veteran stays in the game even if he has lost 2 tenths off his forty time.

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