

ADIDAS PHENOM SHOWCASE CAMP

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ADIDAS PHENOM CAMP – HIGH SCHOOL SHOWCASE UNDER CLASSMAN STANDOUTS (9TH GRADE)

Fairfield, CT – March 26, 2011 – For the 5th year in a row the **adidas Phenom Camp** was loaded with some of the top players in CT including players from NY, NJ, VA, MD, PA, FL, MA, RI, VT, and players from the United States, Africa, and Canada.

The **adidas Phenom Camp** under classman standouts were **Levy Gillespie** (Capital Prep – 2014), **Paschal Chukwu** (Trinity Catholic HS – 2015), **Matt Staubi** (NY – 2015), **Erick Dammens-Brower** (Weston HS – 2015), **Larry McKinney** (McMahon HS – 2015), **Ian Gardner** (Norwalk HS – 2015), and **Jonathan Dzurenda** (St. Joseph HS – 2015).



Levy Gillespie impressed coaches with his smooth dribbling abilities and stroke from the perimeter. The 6'3" combo guard distributed to teammates for scores, pushed the ball in transition, and hit from deep behind the arc on multiple occasions.



Paschal Chukwu is a work in progress. The 7'1" C blocked shots and rebounded the ball well under the basket. **Chukwu** finished layups around the basket.

Jonathan Dzurenda (no pic) showed off a nice stroke from mid-range and behind the arc. The 6'1 G/F used shot fakes to get defenders off their feet and either dished the ball to teammates for a score or hit the jump shot.

Erick Dammen-Brower (no pic) was tuff inside against older bigger players. The 6'4 F finished around the basket showing nice touch with a mid-range jump shot.

Larry McKinney (no pic) has good size and strength. The 6'2 G/F finished around the basket and scored in bunches.

Ian Gardner (no pic) is a long and wiry player that attacks the basket slashing his way to the rim. The 6'2 G/F scored in bunches using his speed.

Matt Staubi (no pic) used an array of spin moves to juke defenders and create a better path to the basket or to find an open teammate. The 5'8 G displayed great ball handling abilities and made good decisions in both showcase games.

Note: These were 9th graders that played with the 10-12 graders in the HS Showcase. Other 9th grade articles will be posted from the adidas Phenom Camp for grade 9.