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2010 Kentucky Derby Festival: April 10 – April 30

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BASKETBALL CLASSIC ROSTERS LOADED WITH TALENT

March 22, 2010. Louisville, KY. – The Kentucky Derby Festival is pleased to announce the rosters for the Derby Festival Basketball Classic presented by papajohns.com and Verizon Wireless, to be played Saturday, April 10, at Freedom Hall. The roster includes one McDonald's All-American (Ray McCallum), three University of Louisville recruits, one University of Kentucky signee and one Indiana University recruit. All 22 players scheduled to participate are ranked among the Top 75 nationally by recruiting service Rivals.com. The players will also participate in the Night of Future Stars on Friday, April 9, at Bellarmine University's Knights Hall.

University of Louisville recruits in this year's Basketball Classic include forward Justin Coleman, guard Russ Smith and guard Elisha Justice of 2010 Kentucky high school state champion Shelby Valley. The UK recruit is forward Stacey Poole, Jr.; the IU signee is guard Victor Oladipo. Other highly ranked players include center Dwight Powell (Stanford), guard Ryan Harrow (North Carolina State), guard Trey Zeigler and guard/forward Jordan McRae (Tennessee).

The Derby Festival Basketball Classic is presented by papajohns.com and Verizon Wireless. Contributing sponsors are: adidas, Basketball Academy and 99.7 DJX.

Admission to the Night of Future Stars is free with a ticket to the Basketball Classic. Some of the event's most exciting moments have occurred during the Slam Dunk, 2-on-2 and 3-Point Shooting competitions. There will also be a one-hour autograph-signing session following the event.

ON SALE NOW, Basketball Classic tickets are \$17 and \$12 (includes \$2 KEC facility fee) and are available at TicketMaster locations (www.ticketmaster.com), the Freedom Hall Ticket Office, or by phone (502) 361-3100 or 1-800-745-3000.

First held in 1973, the Derby Festival Basketball Classic presented by papajohns.com and Verizon Wireless is the second-oldest continuously-held high school all-star game in the nation.

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Player	College	Ht/Wt	Position	Team
Anthony Brown #3	Stanford	6'7/180	F	Black
Justin Coleman #21	Louisville	6'5/215	F	Black
Gorgui Dieng #10	Undecided – interest Louisville	6'10/210	C	Black

Ryan Harrow #12	NC State	6'158	G	Black
Tyler Lamb #0	UCLA	6'4/195	G	Black
Nate Lubick #33	Georgetown	6'9/227	F	Black
Russ Smith #24	Louisville	6'2/150	G	Black
Trey Zeigler #32	Undecided	6'5/185	G	Black
Elisha Justice	Louisville	5'11/167	G	Black

Player	College	Ht/Wt	Position	Team
Moses Abraham	Undecided	6'9/235	C	White
Trae Golden #5	Tennessee	6'2/190	G	White
Josh Hairston #15	Duke	6'9/195	F	White
Justin Martin #20	Xavier	6'6/200	F	White
Ray McCallum #3	Undecided	6'2/175	G	White
Jordan McRae #1	Tennessee	6'6/180	G/F	White
Victor Oladipo #23	Indiana	6'5/180	G	White

Stacey Poole, Jr. #2	Kentucky	6'5/200	F	White
Dwight Powell #33	Stanford	6'9/215	C	White
Royce Woolridge	Kansas	6'1/175	G	White

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