

**TRINITY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT-ATHLETE NAMED  
GATORADE NEW HAMPSHIRE BOYS BASKETBALL PLAYER OF THE YEAR**

**CHICAGO** (March 15, 2023) — In its 38<sup>th</sup> year of honoring the nation's best high school athletes, Gatorade today announced **Tyler Bike** of **Trinity High School** is the **2022-23 Gatorade New Hampshire Boys Basketball Player of the Year**. Bike is the second Gatorade New Hampshire Boys Basketball Player of the Year to be chosen from Trinity High School.

The award, which recognizes not only outstanding athletic excellence, but also high standards of academic achievement and exemplary character demonstrated on and off the court, distinguishes Bike as New Hampshire's best high school boys basketball player. Bike joins an elite alumni association of state award-winners in 12 sports, including Chet Holmgren (2020-21, Minnehaha Academy, Minn.), Trae Young (2016-17, Norman North High School, Ok.). Jayson Tatum (2015-16, Chaminade College Preparatory School, Mo.), and Karl-Anthony Towns (2013-14 & 2012-13, St. Joseph High School, N.J.).

The 5-foot-11, 170-pound junior guard led the Pioneers (15-8) to the Division I state championship quarterfinals this past season and scored 39 points in a 93-91, tournament loss to top-seeded Bedford. Bike averaged 25.7 points, 5.5 rebounds, 3.9 assists and 2.5 steals per game and hit 41.4 percent of his 3-point attempts. He was also the leading scorer and a co-captain on Trinity's 2021-22 Division I state championship team.

Bike has volunteered locally in his capacity as a member of the National Honor Society and serves as an ambassador for Trinity's Safe Sports Network. He's also a two-time state champion in soccer. "Bike is the best player in the state in all of public school basketball," said Goffstown head coach Ryan Cowette. "He carried the team and made everyone better. He's an exceptional teammate on both ends of the floor."

Bike has maintained a 3.92 GPA in the classroom. He will begin his senior year of high school this fall.

The [Gatorade Player of the Year](#) program annually recognizes one winner in the District of Columbia and each of the 50 states that sanction high school football, girls volleyball, boys and girls cross country, boys and girls basketball, boys and girls soccer, baseball, softball, and boys and girls track & field, and awards one National Player of the Year in each sport. The selection process is administered by the Gatorade Player of the Year Selection Committee, which leverages experts including coaches, scouts, media and others as sources to help evaluate and determine the state winners in each sport.

Bike joins recent Gatorade New Hampshire Boys Basketball Players of the Year Matas Buzelis (2021-22, Brewster Academy), Alex Karaban (2020-21, New Hampton School), Jordan Geronimo (2019-20, St. Paul's School), and Arie Breakfield (2018-19, Spaulding High School), among the state's list of former award winners.

Being a Gatorade Player of the Year means paying it forward for the next generation. Through Gatorade's Play it Forward initiative, every Player of the Year receives a grant to give to one of Gatorade's social impact partners, supporting Gatorade's ambition to fuel the future of sport. To date, Gatorade Player of the Year winners' grants have totaled more than \$3.5 million across more than 1,300 organizations.

For nearly 40 years, Gatorade has honored high school athletes at the top of their game as teammates, supporting their communities and achieving academic success. From CEOs and coaches to star athletes and community leaders, Gatorade Player of the Year winners showcase the power of sport.

To learn more about the Gatorade Player of the Year program, check out past winners or to nominate student-athletes, visit [playeroftheyear.gatorade.com](http://playeroftheyear.gatorade.com) or follow us on social media on Facebook at [facebook.com/GatoradePOY](https://facebook.com/GatoradePOY), Instagram at [instagram.com/Gatorade](https://instagram.com/Gatorade) and Twitter at [twitter.com/Gatorade](https://twitter.com/Gatorade).

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