Trinity-Pawling School

HOCKEY

Alumni

Phip Waugh '19
Mercyhurst
AHL,Wilkes-Barre

John Gelatt '20
Holy Cross

Stephen Perez '19
Skidmore

Stephen Willey '20
Army West Point

Jack Musa '21
UMass Amherst

Many Trinity-Pawling alumni have succeeded in college and professional athletics. Here are some examples of where players from the last decade have continued as college student-athletes:

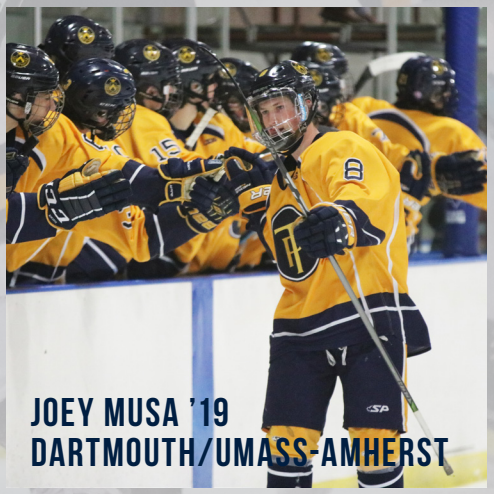
Amherst, Army West Point, Boston University, Bowdoin, Clarkson, UConn, Dartmouth, Holy Cross, UMass-Amherst, UMass-Lowell, Maine, Mercyhurst, Merrimack, Sacred Heart, Skidmore, Wesleyan, and Williams



JARED MANGAN '21
CLARKSON



ETHAN FEHRENBAKER '24
WESLEYAN



JOEY MUSA '19
DARTMOUTH/UMASS-AMHERST

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PHILOSOPHY

We are committed to maintaining our reputation for playing with passion and good sportsmanship. Our coaching staff understands the significance of skill development and promoting good hockey habits. We invite all hockey players to participate in our highly competitive program, which starts in September and includes detailed film sessions, age-appropriate strength and conditioning, and on-ice training.

HISTORY

Trinity-Pawling's hockey traditions date back to 1910, with the rink named in honor of Coach David Tirrell, who led the team from 1950 to 1955. Coach Bill Cooper had a successful 20-year coaching career, during which he won a Housatonic Championship. Coach Brian Foster, class of '79, played on that Housatonic Championship team, served the School for 38 years, and guided the team to another Housatonic Championship in 1990. In 2018, the Pride won the Founders League Championship title under the leadership of current coaches Robert Ferraris '93, Chris Gillman '05, and Kyle Miller '18, who served as a team captain. The 2025 squad earned a spot in the NEPSAC Large School playoffs, achieving impressive milestones that included the NEPSAC Defenseman Scoring Leader, three forwards ranked in the Top 15 for scoring, and two skaters selected for the NEPSAC West Team. Trinity-Pawling players secured five of the 18 positions on the All-Founders League Teams and had the NEHJ Housatonic Conference Skater of the Year.

LEAGUE

The Pride are part of the Founders League and the Housatonic Conference. Our nonconference opponents include Berkshire, Brunswick, Canterbury, Frederick Gunn, Lawrenceville, and Millbrook.

FACULTY

- Head Varsity Coach Robert Ferraris '93 returned to Trinity-Pawling in 2015 after 12 seasons in NCAA Division I Men's Hockey. He also serves as the Director of Alumni Giving and Engagement.

- Assistant Varsity Coach Chris Gillman '05 rejoined the Pride in 2011. Coach Gillman captained the 2009 Western New England University hockey team. He is also the Athletic Director.

- The hockey coaching faculty includes Kyle Miller '18, Todd Hoffman, Connor McPherson, and Phinn Adams '18.

FACILITIES

- Tirrell Rink is the home of Pride Hockey and an iconic NEPSAC arena. Tirrell's barrel vault ceiling is a beautiful wooden structure, accentuated by a new lighting system (2022); under the vault is one of the fastest ice surfaces, made more accessible to the community with a new cooling system (2022). The rink is open and available for all three athletic seasons during the Fall, Winter, and Spring Terms.

- Smith Field House - opened in 2017
- Schreiber Weight Room - renovated in 2014
- Pride Locker Room - renovated in 2024

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