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Georgia Blazers Prep Team to Compete at the National Prep Wheelchair Basketball Tournament at Kennesaw State University

The Georgia Blazers prep team will compete with 13 other teams from across the country at the 2008 National Prep Wheelchair Basketball Tournament Feb. 22-24 at Kennesaw State University. BlazeSports America is hosting the tournament which will bring together over 100 young athletes with physical disabilities in the 13 and under age division of the National Wheelchair Basketball Association to compete for the national championship.

The Georgia Blazers has two standout players this year in the likes of Brent O'Grady (Marietta, Ga.) and Christina Young (Kennesaw, Ga.). Both players have been named to All Tournament teams during the year and take the lead in directing the team on the floor.

Additional members of the Georgia Blazers team include Tyler Granger and Brian Powell of Marietta and Charlie Miller of Flowery Branch, Ga.

The Georgia Blazers, a program of BlazeSports America, began competing in 2002 with both Prep and Varsity teams. Since that time, the Blazers have traveled throughout the southeast and the country competing in the Junior Division Southern Conference.

Throughout the years the Blazers have had some great battles against Southern Conference rivals Charlotte, Nashville and Lakeshore. 2008 will mark the first time the Georgia Blazers Prep team will compete in the National Prep Wheelchair Basketball Tournament.

About BlazeSports America

BlazeSports America advances the lives of youth and adults with physical disability through sport and healthy lifestyles. BlazeSports provides sports training, competitions, summer camps, leadership training, and recreational opportunities for youth and adults with spinal cord injury, spina bifida, cerebral palsy, traumatic brain injury, muscular dystrophy, amputation, visual impairment or blindness as well as other physical disabilities. For more information visit our website at www.blazesports.org

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