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## **Press Release**

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## **Local Nonprofit's Youth Football Outreach Takes Shape**

High Point Tigers prepare for their first ever game versus the Trinity Titans

High Point, NC, September 7, 2016: Elite Performance Sports NC, Inc. (EPSNC), a 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation located based in High Point, NC has been working diligently in preparing for its High Point Tigers Youth Football and Cheer Club's inaugural season this fall. That moment has finally arrived as the High Point Tigers are scheduled to take on the Trinity Titans, this Saturday, September 10, 2016 at Wheatmore High School located at 3678 Finch Farm Road in Trinity, NC. This marks the organization's first game ever and has been a dream come true for its founder and board members. "I have often thought about having my own football organization. Seeing how the members of Garfield Gators (of Pittsburgh, PA) helped raise me and countless others from my community, I always wanted to contribute in the same way." "We (EPSNC) have been blessed to have hosted two free football camps for High Point and surrounding residents and now we are fielding our own team. It is definitely a dream come true." states EPSNC founder and chairman, DeJuan Poston.

EPSNC adopted the Tigers name for its youth sports programs to pay direct homage to the alumni of William Penn High School, who have made countless contributions towards making our city great. "We feel it is important for all of our children to know and understand that the bridges and paths which they cross were built and laid by the sacrifices of those who came before them." says Community Outreach Chair, Tony Graham. "We want everyone to know that we are so much more than just a football and cheer club."

The High Point Tigers play in the Central Carolina Youth Football League (CCYFL), an affiliate of the United Youth Football and Cheer League (UYFL). The league is comprised of 15 teams in Central North Carolina region and field teams in the 6u, 8u, 10u and 12u age classifications. The Tigers will host its home opener on September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016 at Washington Terrace Park in High Point.

EPSNC is still looking for partners to assist with their football and cheer outreach efforts. If you or anyone you know is interested, please contact our community outreach chair, Mr. Tony Graham at 336-355-7052 or epsncyouth@gmail.com. You can also visit the organization's website at www.epsncyouth.com for more information.