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Printscape PONY League World Series Announces Sponsorship Renewals and Key Additions for 2026

WASHINGTON, PA (July 23, 2026) – The world comes to Washington, Pa., Aug. 7-12 for the 2026 Printscape PONY League World Series. World Series Tournaments, Inc. today announced a continued partnership with Printscape as the event's title sponsor and continued partnerships with DICK'S Sporting Goods, CNX, Washington County Tourism Promotion Agency, and the Observer-Reporter.

Printscape, a Southpointe-based printing and graphics company with a second location in Robinson Township, specializes in signage installation, graphics, apparel, promotional items, and amplifying brands not only in the Pittsburgh region, but all throughout North America. With a recent acquisition of Cronmiller Marketing, previously located in Bethel Park but now based out of Printscape's Southpointe location, Printscape is your source for all things branding. Printscape has been a longtime supporter of the World Series, annually printing signage for the event and previously participating as a sponsor.

"We're honored to be part of such a long-standing tradition," said Printscape owner John Dziak. "Supporting our community and creating opportunities for young people has always been important to us. The Printscape PONY League World Series is more than just a baseball tournament. It's an experience that brings people together, inspires young athletes, and creates memories that last a lifetime. We're proud to help continue that legacy."

The World Series is also proud to announce DICK'S Sporting Goods as the presenting sponsor.

"At DICK'S, supporting youth sports is at the heart of what we do," said Mark Rooks, VP of Creative, Sponsorships & Entertainment at DICK'S Sporting Goods. "With this partnership, it's an honor to help create opportunities for these players to grow, compete and be part of something bigger than themselves. We're looking forward to another season of incredible play!"

CNX plans to continue its support of the World Series via its Dream Fields Grant Program, including supporting the event as the official volunteer sponsor, creating the "CNX Dream Team."

"Our volunteer program relies on over 600 local volunteers to host this event in Washington," said Nathan Voytek, president and chairman of World Series Tournaments, Inc. "CNX continues to support local efforts, and our volunteer program is no exception, with CNX helping to provide volunteer shirts, rewards, and other program materials. This event and the volunteers it requires would not be possible without the help of CNX."

The World Series is also proud to continue its partnership with Washington County Tourism Promotion Agency to market Washington County to the world.

“The Printscape PONY League World Series is one of Washington County’s premier annual events and an outstanding opportunity to introduce thousands of visitors to everything our county has to offer,” said Jeff Kotula, president of the Washington County Chamber of Commerce & Tourism Promotion Agency. “It highlights our history, entertainment, and culture while generating \$6.5 million in economic impact for our community and helping to support over 8,600 tourism jobs in Washington County. We are proud to continue supporting this longstanding tradition.”

The World Series is also proud to continue its presenting sponsor partnership with the Observer-Reporter, the literal home of PONY Baseball. PONY Baseball was founded in 1951 in Washington, Pa., by Lew Hays, who at that time was the sports editor for the Washington Reporter. The organization’s founding meetings took place in the O-R’s offices, and the O-R continues to be a partner to the event.

“The Observer-Reporter is the literal home of PONY Baseball, and they have been a foundational partner of ours ever since,” Voytek said. “From covering the games to helping to advertise the event, the World Series would not still be here without them.”

In 2026, Washington County fans have plenty of reasons to be excited given the continued expansion of the Founders League, which now includes nearly every youth baseball league in Washington County. The continued growth of the Founders League resulted in Washington County’s 2023 runner-up finish, a 2024 semi-final appearance, and a 2025 runner-up finish, which brought over 30,000 fans to Historic Lew Hays PONY Field and injected over \$6.5 million into Washington County’s economy.

The 2026 Printscape PONY League World Series will be played at Historic Lew Hays PONY Field in Washington Park from Aug. 7-12. More information and updates will be available on plws.org, as well as World Series social media accounts.

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World Series Tournaments, Inc., a 501C3 nonprofit organization in Washington, Pa., is the host organization for the Printscape PONY League World Series. This all-volunteer organization is responsible for the funding and staffing requirements of the event, along with all other related operational activities. WSTI solicits funding from businesses and individuals to cover the expenses and invites additional volunteers and workers to handle the variety of activities prior to and during the World Series. More information is available at plws.org.