



Prep Sportswear.

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Prep Sportswear Ranks #6 on Puget Sound Business Journal's (PSBJ) Top 100 Fastest Growing Private Companies

SEATTLE, WA, October 20, 2009 – Prep Sportswear, the largest school and team sports marketplace for [high school apparel and merchandise](#), has ranked #6 on *PSBJ's* list of fastest-growing private companies, with double digit revenue growth for the last 60 months. The company has a 2-year revenue growth rate of 465%, producing more than 5,000 unique pieces of customized apparel every week.

Prep Sportswear offers the ability to customize t-shirts, hoodies, sweatshirts, caps and hundreds of other sportswear and apparel items with an individual's sport, activity, class year, number, or name. While maintaining a focus on schools and teams, Prep Sportswear is rapidly growing into the collegiate, corporate, non-profit and recreational sports markets.

"We happen to be a tech company in the sportswear arena," says Chad Hartvigson, CEO of Prep Sportswear. "Our proprietary technology platform gives us the ability to create a single customized t-shirt as easily as a thousand. This makes it easy to take that technology and apply to several new markets that we've identified."

Prep Sportswear launched in 2005 with its first school store, Bellevue Christian School from Bellevue, Washington, and has grown to include individual stores for more than one million schools and teams. Users can find their own online store by searching through the high schools available on the Prep Sportswear site, or create a brand new online store for their school or team and upload custom logos and colors. Schools and teams can also use their online stores as a fundraising tool.

The 2009 Top 100 Companies was revealed at an awards ceremony on October 15, 2009. Private Washington companies were ranked by percentage of change in revenue from 2006 to 2008. To make the list, companies had to have recorded revenue of at least \$500,000 in 2006, and the CEO or chief financial officer had to submit and personally vouch for revenues for the past three years. The *PSBJ's* accounting partner RSM McGladrey Inc. verified the revenue growth percentages by which the companies ranked.

About Prep Sportswear

Prep Sportswear is the leader in the school and team sports marketplace for customized school apparel and merchandise. We've supported more than a million custom web stores, encouraging participants, coaches, students, parents, alumni and fans to create, design and buy personalized products. Prep Sportswear offers more than 1,200 high-quality items from a variety of premium brands, including Nike, Adidas, OGIO, and American Apparel.

The company helps schools, teams, booster clubs, and community service organizations improve fundraising capabilities, increase revenues, and reduce the cost and complexity of managing and marketing apparel and uniform purchasing.

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[Prep Sportswear](#) is privately funded and located in Seattle, WA.

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