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Flying Cows Make Strong Selections at 2025 TBL Draft Combine

Flying Cows Secure Key Talent, Including Second Overall Pick Shaye Carter, to Strengthen Their Lineup.

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The Flying Cows made their presence known at The Basketball League (TBL) 2025 Draft Combine, which took place this past weekend on February 1st and 2nd in Indianapolis. The event provided over 100 hopeful players with an opportunity to showcase their skills in front of team scouts, coaches, and front-office staff.

The Flying Cows came into the combine with high expectations and left with four promising new additions to their training camp roster. With a blend of experience, versatility, and athleticism, these picks are expected to strengthen an already competitive team. The Cows made a strategic move in the first round, securing the second overall pick through a cash considerations trade with the Bakersfield Mustangs. With this pick, they selected Shaye Carter, a 6'8", 210-pound forward from Morris, Illinois. Carter's vision and leadership on the floor would be invaluable as the Cows add depth to their backcourt and frontcourt.

The team's second-round pick, No. 23 overall, was Nebie Tesfa, a 6'6" combo guard from Jacksonville, Florida. Tesfa is a proven playmaker who has experience at South Georgia State Community College and Division II Edward Waters University. His versatility and ability to guard multiple positions would be a key asset to the Cows.

For the 26th overall pick, the Flying Cows selected Denmark Slay II, a 5'11", 185-pound guard from Woodbridge, Virginia. Slay brings a competitive edge, having played at High Point University and Academy of Art University, as well as gaining valuable professional experience with the Virginia Valley Vipers, a division rival.

Finally, the Cows rounded out their draft selections with Terrence Ward, a 6'3", 165-pound guard from Dumfries, Virginia. Ward's basketball journey has taken him from Hargrave Military Academy to several collegiate programs, including Iowa Western Community College, Cape Fear Community College, Garrett Community College, and Park University. His determination and experience would be valuable assets as the Cows continue to build a strong, well-rounded roster.

The Cows are eager to see their four new draft picks at training camp as they fight to earn their spot on the team roster. The 2025 Flying Cows Training Camp will be held from February 17th-20th, with the final roster being announced in the following days.

To stay up to date with everything Flying Cows, please visit our website at goflyingcows.com, where you can also sign up for our weekly newsletter, The Moos Post. You can also follow us on our social platforms @goflyingcows. For any media inquiries or requests leading up to the season please contact chris.jenkins@goflyingcows.com and brie.broderick@goflyingcows.com.

About The Frederick Flying Cows:

The Frederick Flying Cows are a TBL professional basketball team based in Frederick, Maryland. The Flying Cows debuted on March 2, 2024, at The Hood College Athletic Center against the Reading Rebels with a thrilling 113-112 come-from-behind victory, showcasing the electrifying plays and the passionate fan base that would define the franchise in their inaugural season. Immediately proving themselves as a top team, the Cows placed first in the eight-team Atlantic Northeast division and finished their season with a final record of 20-6.

The Frederick Flying Cows seek to become a part of the fabric of the community and a team that will make the people of Frederick proud! The team is dedicated to providing fun, affordable entertainment for all Frederick citizens.

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