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**USTA MIDDLE STATES ANNOUNCES SPONSORSHIP WITH SPORT BUILDERS**

**VALLEY FORGE, Pa.** – USTA Middle States (USTA MS) announced a three-year sponsorship with Sport Builders, making Sport Builders the Official Tennis Court Construction Company of USTA MS. Beginning immediately, Sport Builders will partner with USTA Middle States' Building a Tennis Community initiative, which aims at promoting the growth of tennis facilities, programs and more in the Middle States section.

"Middle States is proud to have Sport Builders as its official Tennis Court Construction Company," said Ben Zislis, Director of Community Development at USTA MS. "In addition to completing countless court projects throughout our section, Sport Builders is also dedicated to USTA Middle States' Building a Tennis Community, and developing the growth of tennis in any way possible."

"Sport Builders is looking forward to the opportunity to work with USTA Middle States," said Matt Jacobs, President of Sport Builders. "We are excited for the chance to partner with such a fine organization with community-oriented goals and initiatives."

Building a Tennis Community provides benefits and customer service to clubs, schools, parks and recreation agencies and other program providers. Through this unique partnership, USTA Middle States creates opportunities for participating facilities to earn support for equipment, uniforms, registration to national training workshops, marketing and more.

**About Sport Builders**

*Sport Builders was officially started by President Matt Jacobs in 2000 and focuses on building, maintaining and resurfacing tennis courts, basketball courts and backyard game pads for clubs, municipalities, schools and private homeowners in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Delaware. One of the fastest-growing sport construction businesses in the region, Sport Builders has completed hundreds of projects throughout the area. For more information on Sport Builders visit [www.sportbuilders.com](http://www.sportbuilders.com).*

**About USTA Middle States**

*The USTA is the official governing body for tennis in the United States. Incorporated in 1924, USTA Middle States (USTA MS) is one of 17 USTA sections encompassing Pennsylvania, Delaware, New Jersey (exclusive of a 35-mile radius around New York City) and northwestern West Virginia. USTA MS is a volunteer-based organization dedicated to carrying out the goals of the national association within its region, particularly with respect to promoting tennis opportunities for juniors and adults of all abilities and all cultural backgrounds.*

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