

MEET THE WOLVES

(Week 4)



It's already week 4 for "Meet the Wolves," and this week we are introducing **Parker Edwards**. Parker, also known as P3 by his teammates, is an 18-year-old senior who plays as a wing/guard for the Wolves. Parker is from Mandeville, Louisiana, and is the son of Brent and Lindsay and the brother to Lucy and Jane Edwards. Parker is a versatile scoring threat as he is deadly from behind the three-point line, but he can also get to the rim with ease. To get to know a little more about Parker, he was asked the following questions:

What is it about basketball that made you want to play in high school?

Parker said that he has been playing and loving basketball for as long as he can remember.

What is your favorite or funniest SPS basketball memory so far?

Parker's favorite memories are scoring his 100th career point against Ponchatoula High, and winning the CYO tournament for the first time is SPS Basketball history.



What are you looking forward to the most for this season? Any goals?

Parker is mostly looking forward to going to Arkansas for the "Rumble on the Ridge" tournament and becoming closer as a team. His personal goals are to win a state championship and score 200 career points.



How do you want your teammates to remember you? P3 would like his teammates to remember him as a great teammate who gave it everything he had every day.

If you could create a signature shoe, what would it be called?

Parker is the first to create a completely original signature shoe as his model is called the, "P3's". The basis behind his shoe is that it will make you be able to shoot extremely well and give you "low-key" hops. We think the "P3's" may have a resembling power like the sneakers featured in the 2002 movie, *Like Mike*. We have a good feeling that if you say, "make me like P3" while lacing the shoes up, you will not only be shooting like Parker, but surprising defenders with poster dunks just to let them know they are in for a long night.

Are you more of a round earth guy, or do you agree with Kyrie Irving that the Earth is flat?

It is good to see we are getting some opposing views on the topic of the shape of our planet Earth. Parker is also falling under the more conventional theory as he stated, "I believe the earth is round. The earth being flat doesn't seem too realistic." He seems very confident in his answer as he gets straight to the point with no room for second guessing. With the trend we have going with mixed opinions, hopefully we will have enough

disagreement to conduct a full-on debate at the end of the year to settle the SPS Basketball dispute!

Who is your favorite member of the Ball family and why? (Lavar, LaMelo, LiAngelo, Lonzo)

Its week 4, and yet again we have another Lonzo Ball fan. Parker is mostly a fan of Lonzo because he says that Lonzo is not overhyped like the other brothers, and is not obnoxious like his father, Lavar Ball. Parker also feels that Lonzo will be a very good player for years to come in the NBA. This may be true as Lonzo just became the youngest player in NBA history to achieve a triple-double this past weekend.

Do you have any plans after high school?

Parker also being a senior, has big decisions to be thinking about as he completes his final year of high-

school. He says he plans to go to college, but is not sure if he wants to continue playing basketball at the collegiate level just yet. Parker said "I may just be an average student. I have one scholarship offer to Southeastern Louisiana University, but I don't plan on committing or making any plans until the time feels right." We wish Parker the best of luck in his final year of high-school and high-school basketball, and hope all these decisions become clearer for him within the next few months!

Is there anything else you want to share about yourself?

Parker modestly said that he just likes to hoop, hang with friends, and be a regular high-school kid.

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