

## **United Petrotrin Football Team**

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Petrotrin and its predecessor companies have long been noted for their support of football in fence-line communities throughout South Trinidad. Petrotrin's involvement in football has not only provided an avenue for players to showcase and develop their talents, it has fostered and strengthened inter-community relationships. Over the years, Company personnel have continued to serve in critical administrative and technical capacities.

Sponsored by the Executive Chairman himself, United Petrotrin Football Team has taken it one step further by entering into the Trinidad and Tobago Professional Football League with a team whose players are drawn from all over our fence-line communities. The Executive Chairman's vision is that community participation is the key; and that creating synergies between Southern communities, promoting positive alternatives to youth delinquency and winning the hearts and minds of our neighbours are as important as winning on the field.

So far the team has played several matches and has met with mixed success. Today we wish them all the best as they pursue their goal of playing football at the highest levels.