

# Golden State Warriors

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*[2022–23 Golden State Warriors season](#)*

[Golden State Warriors logo](#)

**Conference** [Western](#)

**Division** [Pacific](#)

**Founded** 1946

**History**  
**Philadelphia Warriors**  
 1946–1962  
**San Francisco Warriors**  
 1962–1971  
**Golden State Warriors**  
 1971–present<sup>[1][2][3]</sup>

**Arena** [Chase Center](#)

**Location** [San Francisco, California](#)

**Team colors** Royal blue, California golden yellow<sup>[4][5][6]</sup>  


**Main sponsor** [Rakuten](#)<sup>[7]</sup>

**President** [Rick Welts](#)

**General manager** [Bob Myers](#)

**Head coach** [Steve Kerr](#)

**Ownership** Governors [Joe Lacob](#) (majority), [Peter Guber](#)

**Affiliation(s)** [Santa Cruz Warriors](#)

**Championships** 7 ([1947](#), [1956](#), [1975](#), [2015](#), [2017](#), [2018](#), [2022](#))  
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**Conference titles** **Eastern:** 3 ([1947](#), [1948](#), [1956](#))<sup>[8]</sup>  
**Western:** 8 ([1964](#), [1967](#), [1975](#), [2015](#), [2016](#), [2017](#), [2018](#), [2019](#), [2022](#))

**Division titles** 7 ([1975](#), [1976](#), [2015](#), [2016](#), [2017](#), [2018](#), [2019](#))

**Retired numbers** 7 ([6](#), [13](#), [14](#), [16](#), [17](#), [24](#), [42](#))

**Website** [www.nba.com/warriors](http://www.nba.com/warriors)

The **Golden State Warriors** are an American professional [basketball](#) team in the [National Basketball Association](#). They are one of the oldest teams in the NBA. They played in Philadelphia as the **Philadelphia Warriors** from 1946 to 1962, and in San Francisco from 1962 to 1971. Currently, they play in [San Francisco, California](#) at the [Chase Center](#). The Warriors have won seven [NBA championships](#), in 1947, 1956, 1975, 2015, 2017, 2018, and 2022. The Warriors are the third for both the most NBA championships and most Finals appearances; only the [Los Angeles Lakers](#) and [Boston Celtics](#)

have more. Many great basketball players have played or still play for the Warriors, these players are [Joe Fulks](#), [Paul Arizin](#), [Neil Johnston](#), [Tim Hardaway](#), [Wilt Chamberlain](#), [Guy Rodgers](#), [Al Attles](#), [Rick Barry](#), [Nate Thurmond](#), [Chris Mullin](#), [Latrell Sprewell](#), [Stephen Curry](#), [Kevin Durant](#), [Klay Thompson](#), [Draymond Green](#), [Andre Iguodala](#), [Shaun Livingston](#), [Harrison Barnes](#), [Matt Barnes](#), [Zaza Pachulia](#), [Kevon Looney](#), [David West](#), [Andrew Wiggins](#), and [Jordan Poole](#).

In the 2007 NBA playoffs, they pulled off one of the biggest upsets in NBA playoff history by upsetting the [Dallas Mavericks](#), who lost to the [Miami Heat](#) in last year's Finals in six games and finished with 67 wins and 15 losses. The Mavs also had [Dirk Nowitzki](#), who won MVP that year. Before they shocked Dirk's Mavericks, the Warriors had [Baron Davis](#) and they also had 42 wins and 40 losses. They won the series 4-2 in Game 6, but lost to the [Utah Jazz](#) in five games in the second round.

In 2016, the Warriors went back to NBA Finals and met the [Cleveland Cavaliers](#), who they beat the year before in six games, but they became the 11th team to blow a 3-1 series lead and the first to do it in the NBA Finals and lost. Before losing 4-3 to the Cavaliers, they had 73 wins and 9 losses, breaking the 1996 Chicago Bulls' 72-10 record and also becoming the 10th team to overcome a 3-1 series deficit to win the series against the [Oklahoma City Thunder](#). With the addition of Durant, the Warriors would win back-to-back titles against the Cavaliers in 2017 and 2018 (including sweeping the Cavs in the latter) before losing to the [Toronto Raptors](#) in 2019 in six games following injuries to Durant and Klay, ending their chances of a three-peat. Durant then left the Warriors and joined the [Brooklyn Nets](#). After missing the playoffs the next two seasons, the Warriors (with their core at full strength) returned to the 2022 Finals and defeated the [Boston Celtics](#) in six games.

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