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A Winning Tradition

THE FUTURE OF HOCKEY



The Washington Capitals selected defenseman John Carlson in the first round of the 2008 NHL Entry Draft with the 27th overall selection.

Nick Mattson
Anthony Bitetto
Stanislav Galiev
Mike Cichy
Nic Dowd
John Carlson
Corey Fienhage
Garrett Roe
Ben Blood
Brett Bruneteau
Paul Carey
Scott Darling
Brett Bennett
Brent Gwidt
Alex Kangas
Brian Gifford
Sergei Kukushkin

Chicago Blackhawks, 2010
Nashville Predators, 2010
Washington Capitals, 2010
Montreal Canadiens, 2009
Los Angeles Kings, 2009
Washington Capitals, 2008
Buffalo Sabres, 2008
Los Angeles Kings, 2008
Ottawa Senators, 2007
Washington Capitals, 2007
Colorado Avalanche, 2007
Phoenix Coyotes, 2007
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Washington Capitals, 2006
Atlanta Thrashers, 2006
Pittsburgh Penguins, 2004
Dallas Stars, 2004

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Dear Hockey Prospect:

The Indiana Ice has enjoyed a winning tradition in their first six years as a member of the United States Hockey League. Through our focus on excellence on and off the ice, we have established the Ice as the premier Tier 1 Junior organization in North America.

As we enter our seventh season in the league, our resume has included a 2009 Clark Cup Championship, a 2008 East Division regular season championship and semi-finalist appearances in 2007 and 2010 in the Clark Cup Final Four. In addition, Indiana was the 2007-08 USHL Organization of the Year and the following summer saw Ice defenseman John Carlson being drafted in the first round of the 2008 NHL Entry Draft by the Washington Capitals. John is now a full-time member of the Caps at 20 years young.

The USHL has long been known as the number one college preparatory league in the world. In its 33rd season, the USHL produced over 230 NCAA Division One scholarships this year. As a player in the USHL, you will be competing with and against future Division One players. We believe in today's society that the 5-6 year USHL/College Plan is the best option for any young aspiring athlete. Enjoy a once in a lifetime experience in college and work hard to live out your dream of playing in the show one day. Over 80% of our athletes get a four-year degree and starting compensation in the workplace will at least triple with a degree in hand.

The USHL continues to command great respect from the NHL. With NHL scouts at most games players have the opportunity to showcase their skills and develop their game in a league that is highly thought of by the NHL elite. In the 2010 NHL Entry Draft, the USHL had 39 players with league ties selected, including four first round selections in Jack Campbell (Team USA), Jaden Schwartz (Tri-City), Derek Forbort (Team USA) and Jarred Tinordi (Team USA) being picked up by Dallas, St. Louis, Los Angeles and Montreal respectively.

As the 12th largest city in the United States, Indianapolis is the racing capital of the world and home to the Indiana Pacers, Indianapolis Colts, Indianapolis Indians (AAA Baseball) and the Indiana Ice of the USHL. Our sixth season in the USHL was a very special one. Our fans came out in big numbers to experience the exciting brand of hockey our players bring to each game. The Indiana Ice finished first in attendance in 2005-06 and we have been in the top three the past four seasons. The ice also holds the all-time North American Jr. A single game attendance record of 14,892 spectators at Conseco Fieldhouse.

Each individual player's development is one of our primary goals within our organization's mission. Our coaching staff will spend a great deal of time developing our players' skills in practice. The Ice players will develop their bodies athletically through a structured in-season workout program with St. Vincent's Sports Performance Center (www.sportperformance.stvincent.org). We will expect that our players enrolled in school overachieve, and we will provide the support and structure to ensure that. The Indiana Ice employs a full-time certified Equipment Manager and a certified Athletic Trainer. The Ice also employs a bus driver and owns a team Prevost sleeper bus, allowing our athletes to get the proper amount of rest when travelling during the season.

As a member of the Indiana Ice, our players get to experience all of the cultural benefits of our outstanding city, continue to build on their athletic and academic goals and join our mission to bring the Clark Cup Trophy back home to the state of Indiana in 2010/11.

Sincerely yours,

Paul Skjodt
CEO/Governor

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INDIANA ICE TRYOUT CAMPS

June 9-12 2011
August 2011

Indianapolis, IN
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