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"Just Don't Sit There, Play Hockey!"

To Whom It May Concern:

The WCHL was created to enable people with physical disabilities to play a sport they would otherwise be unable to participate in. The WCHL is a non-profit organization that provides youth and adults with the enjoyment of competing in a competitive floor hockey league.

In the span of 10 years our league has grown from 6 players playing pick-up hockey for fun, to a competitive 4 team, 35+ player league, that provides people with disabilities the opportunity to play hockey.

Our league consists of male and female players with various disabilities including Muscular Dystrophy, Spina Bifida and Cerebral Palsy. At the end of each year we have our playoffs and the winning team is awarded the "Wheelers Cup". Among some of the other annual events we hold are: an Awards Banquet, an All-Star game, and a Game on Ice where the players play hockey in their wheelchairs on ice. The WCHL has also competed in three national tournaments in Calgary, Toronto and Minnesota where we played teams from all around the globe including Finland, Germany, Canada, and the USA.

Our league relies on volunteers, family and player support to help continue the league. We have a player's board to decide on rules, teams and game decisions and we have a booster club to help organize fundraising activities and volunteer participation. Many of our most important jobs including referees, statisticians and scorekeepers are done by volunteers, out of the kindness of their hearts.

How You Can Help:

The WCHL relies on fundraising and personal donations.

For the 2008-09 Season we have introduced various Sponsorship Packages. I have included a copy of the Sponsorship Packages we offer. All sponsorships are tax deductible.

If you are interested in taking advantage of one of these sponsorship opportunities please feel free to contact me at:

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I look forward to your response,

Chris Lemieux,
WCHL Commissioner
