

# Member Information

## Enclosed is my gift of:

- Loyalty – \$100 (2 membership cards)
- Gold – \$175 (3 membership cards)
- Coaches' Circle – \$200 (4 membership cards)
- Director's Circle – \$500 (5 membership cards)
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Membership in the 'Jacket Booster Club at the Loyalty level or higher includes the following:

- ✓ 'Jackets Booster Club sponsored events
- ✓ 'Jackets Booster Club decal to show your 'Jackets pride
- ✓ Entry into monthly drawing for 4 Chicago Blackhawks tickets and parking pass
- ✓ Entry into monthly drawing for 5 Chicago Wolves tickets and parking pass
- ✓ Entry into monthly drawing for various hockey equipment

## Name and Address:

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

## Please return this form and your payment to:

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Crystal Lake, IL 60039

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'Jackets Pride!

# 'Jackets Booster Club



## Here's an opportunity to show your support.

'Jackets Pride!

# Dear Friends,

As Firewagon Hockey's Executive Director, I am very proud of our organization and all of its members. I want to thank you all for your continued commitment and support for Yellowjackets Hockey. I am also extremely proud of the job we are doing in developing players, making our programs incredibly fun and rich experiences, and exposing these programs to as many new participants in our surrounding communities as possible.

As we look to the future, our mission is the same—to build a record of success by providing young people a positive athletic experience and instilling values that will help them in school and in life. I personally want to thank the many volunteers who strongly believe in the Yellowjackets mission, as well as the wide range of hockey programs and community services that we offer, for their dedicated efforts. The Yellowjackets family is committed to raising standards and enhancing youth hockey in our community and in the state of Illinois.

We recognize that our family, friends, and community members play a crucial role in achieving our goals. I personally invite you to become a member of the 'Jackets Booster Club. The 'Jackets Booster Club is our premier fund-raising event of the year. You can read in this brochure how your support will impact our athletes.

With your support, we will continue the success we have created with Yellowjackets hockey.

Sincerely,

Keith (Casey) VanDamme  
Executive Director



## Yellowjackets Mission Statement:

The Yellowjackets mission is to provide a foundation for the growth and development of ice hockey in Crystal Lake and the surrounding communities by providing a family-oriented, economical youth ice hockey organization with programs aimed at increased participation, improved skills, and a responsible environment for the conduct of youth ice hockey.

## Yellowjackets Philosophy:

Our primary role as a youth hockey program is to maximize the benefits our members obtain through participation in hockey while, at the same time, minimizing the costs. This statement provides the basis for identifying the specific goals and objectives for our programs, which will highlight the following four areas:

- ✓ Skill (skating, passing, shooting, etc.)
- ✓ Knowledge (rules, strategies, training, and guidelines)
- ✓ Physical fitness (muscular and energy systems)
- ✓ Attitude (personal/social feelings about hockey, self, and others)

## What is the 'Jackets Booster Club?

The 'Jackets Booster Club is the annual fund-raising program for Firewagon Hockey, Inc., which is instrumental in supporting our young athletes. By giving to the 'Jacket Booster Club, you become part of the growing Yellowjackets team. Our members consist of friends, family, community leaders, and businesses. Everyone is invited to participate.

You can choose to designate the level of your gift with the confidence that it will have a great impact on all of our participants.

## How does the 'Jackets Booster Club impact the athletes?

Hockey is an expensive sport, from the cost of ice and equipment, to the cost of referees. We, at Firewagon Hockey, are doing our best to minimize these costs. While all our staff is based on volunteerism, the cost of the sport is still increasing. The fund-raising efforts of the 'Jacket Booster Club will help subsidize these underlying costs to help purchase team equipment and cover necessary expenses.

## How does Yellowjackets Hockey support the community?

We are very proud of our reputation in the surrounding communities. This reputation has been elevated by our support of the Northern Illinois Special Recreation Association, through our annual golf outing; our donations to support the community food pantries; and organizational programs such as Making the Grade; and team, player, and coach recognition on and off the ice.