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Mighty Max scores the Season Opening Goal!



WESTSIDE REC. CENTRE – The UHL is pleased to report that the 2026 season's opening goal was scored by the silent sniper Max Gellata.

Players and fans went crazy after seeing Gellata break in on the right-wing storming past the pylon defensemen to put the puck mid-shelf past the goaltender.

Gellata, who scored 4 goals last season, didn't take long to get on the scoreboard. He had the angles set, drove past all players with determination in his eyes to score that first goal. He did.

Gellata becomes the youngest player in UHL history to score a season opening goal. He was not available for comment as the Pilsner just came out of the cooler.

ENTIRE FAMILY SUSPENDED FOR THE SEASON



UHLPA – Offside Pub and Eatery
In an unprecedented move, the UHLPA, along with the office of The Commish, set the tone early on Draft Night when it was announced that the Entire Patrician family was absent from the Draft.

“Apparently” some were injured, some had to focus on school, and another was overseas. Blah, blah, blah. Well, these poor excuses rubbed the Commish the wrong way on Draft night, so he did the unthinkable; he suspended the entire family from playing this season.

Clearly the Patricians were unavailable for comment as they had better things to do.

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FAMILY TRIOS KNOW HOW TO WIN THE GAME



Calgary, Alberta – When it comes to winning, it doesn't happen by itself. It takes a family to make it happen.

The Shandro's (upper photo) are a family that can always take it to the next level. Tyler Shandro (right) was loving the UHL so much, he brought in his brother Collin (center) and his son Archer (left) to help his team to the next level.

Archer, the young phenomenon, scored his first goal of the season in Game #3 putting him in 37th place on the scoresheet. But the season is young, and Archer will shine. Meanwhile, Tyler and Collin are still searching for their first goal of the season. Even though their team, the Kubie Krushers is last in the new Point System, they are first in goal scoring.



In other news, the Ewanchyna's keep on scoring. Peter (center) is second on the leaderboard with Michael (left) is third with a combine 11 goals on the season. Mark (right) is sitting at 19th overall in scoring, but there is no doubt he wants to catch up to his two son's in scoring, and we know he will turn on the afterburners as the season progresses.

After scoring 4 goals in game #3, Peter announced he will be absent from the roster next week, so this is the chance Mark has been waiting for. A chance to net a few more goals to reduce the gap.

With Michael currently in 3rd place on the leaderboard, he's not using his title as the **UHL Finance Minister** to get his goals, he is scoring at will, so no need to "buy his way to the top", he's earning it by his hard work on the ice.

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LOCAL HOCKEY LEAGUE ANNOUNCES ITS 1st ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT



Calgary, Alberta – The UHL Hockey League Foundation, a Division of UHL Sports & Entertainment, is pleased to announce that they will actually be hosting its 1st Annual Golf Tournament, but this time it is on Friday June 12, 2026 at Wingfield Golf Club.

It's true, the UHL has taken a tremendous leap of faith in announcing this tournament. The UHL has partnered with the Canadian Friends of Hockey in Ukraine ("CFHU") based out of Manitoba to raise funds to help kids in Ukraine get hockey equipment and training they either cannot get or afford. Numerous NHL Alumni will be attending this inaugural event, with many prizes be up for grabs including three... yup, 3 Hole-in-One Contests!!!

Entries are available online at www.uhlhockey.net/registration-form-1
The UHL is all about family and fun, but we are also proud to help others, and this golf tournament will set the pace for many years to come.



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Players of the Game Reap the Rewards



Dressing Room 1 & 3 – The UHL is proud to see all dressing rooms having fun following each game. The Players vote, and the decisions are final.... Each game a players is rewarded with the “Player of the Game” award. From being branded, to receiving a gift from their captains, to chowing down on Chicken Wings, Cabbage Rolls, Pickles, Kolbassa, nothing is too good for these players.

This is what makes the UHL great! Special thanks to the Captains for making this happen!

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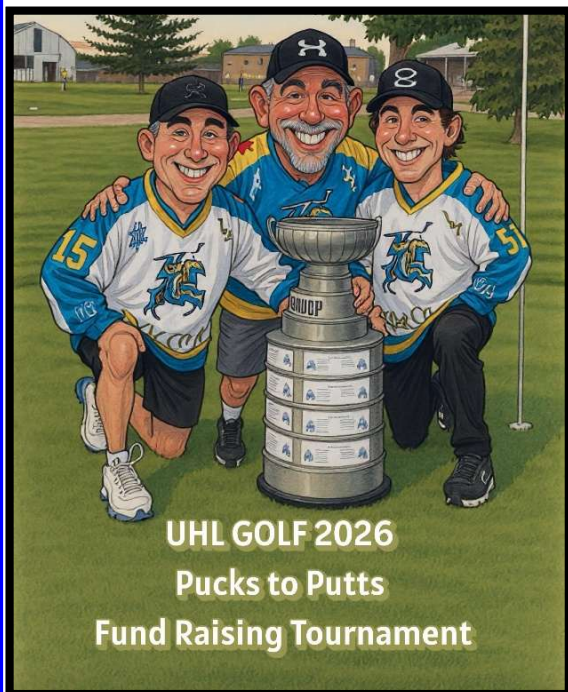
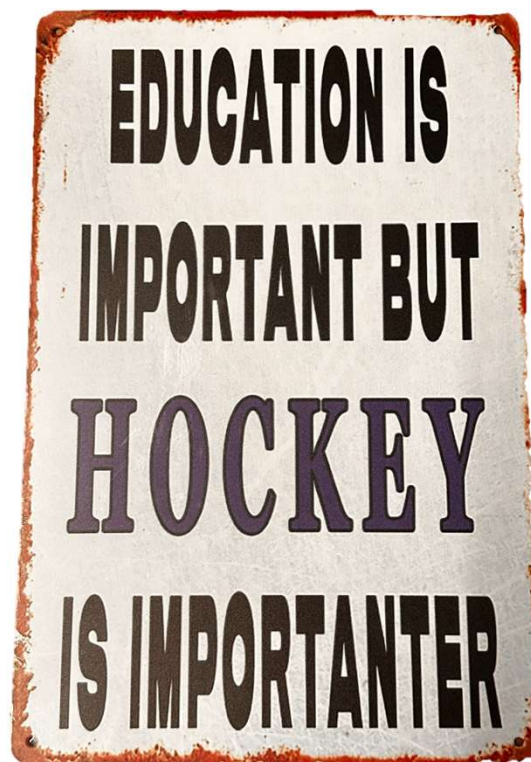
UHL Launches New Skolarships

University of Cossacks - The Commish is pleased to announce the implementation of a new Skolorship program open to all players in da UHL.

This new program will help players ferget about skool, and find there way in hokie development kamps. These kamps have bean kustom designed to edumacate players in the importance of hokee and community, while enhancing their skills on the ice.

Skolarships are available in \$4, \$13, and \$27 increments depending on how mani yeers served in the UHL.

To apli for your Skolorship, go two:
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Fund Raising Tournament

Have you forgotten already?

Sign up today to play in the UHL's 1st Annual Golf Tournament

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Donate: www.uhlhockey.net/donation

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NHL Alumni and Celebrities will be there, so should you!

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UHL takes over Social Media

Silicon Laminate Valley – Calgary-based Hockey League, the UHL, has gone viral! The league launched **Uke-Tube** in early 2024 for all their followers.

Uke-Tube, which is now called a true Ukrainian phenomenon, has gone viral in its first 4 months of online entertainment. Uke-Tube, a **Division of UHL Sports and Entertainment**, creates hockey videos on VHS and Betamax for all viewers to watch their weekly games. Over 17 users have paid the \$3,699 annual fee to watch the entertainment on ice.

The developers of Uke-Tube admitted that the need for viewing coverage is important, but early feedback indicates it must be sped-up to 1.8X normal speed so viewers don't fall asleep.

Developers are now working over 2 hours per month to make this request a reality. The main issue is behind the squirrels running the rotary wheels have been cooperating. They feel they are being treated unfairly.

Developers are now in the Saskatchewan flat-lands interviewing numerous gophers (to replacement the squirrels) as a newly planned upgrade.

FUN is the Name of the UHL Game

Calgary, Alberta – A UHL BLOG was so active with player feedback after Game #2 of the season, it caused 1000's of servers to crash, keyboards melt, and screens to crack.

This rare occurrence has forced the UHL, and the UHLPA, to notify all players of this situation. The Commish was last quoted saying:

- **"Newer players take it too seriously, they don't pass, and they only break into the O-Zone at blazing speeds to try and score". This is a no-no. Nobody needs to prove they are a superstar!**
- **"Players are required to have more FUN this year". Players caught playing too seriously or too aggressively, may be subject to be suspended or receive a fined.**
- **It is strongly recommended that all players stay and hangout more after the games, enjoy a cold one, and chat with their teammates.**

Kaptains have been notified by fax and by mail, and the UHL media representatives say the Commish was not available for comment.



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WE WELCOME ALL THE NEW PLAYERS in 2026



Brandon Mitchell



Jordan Biss



Richard Yacyshen



Andrew Arnold

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Kyle Herbison



Owen Bulych



Collin Shandro



Archer Shandro

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TRUMP AGREES TO SETTLE LAWSUIT FILED BY THE UHL



Washington, DC – The UHL sent its legal team to Washington DC to settle a lawsuit filed against the President of the United States, Donald J. Trump.

Following a 37-month court challenge, Donald Trump finally agreed to settle a \$147 million dollar lawsuit filed by Calgary-based Ukrainian Hockey League (“UHL”) relating to an ill-conceived plan to take control of the UHL, its management, the board, and the Commish’s role.

UHL’s top legal representative, Mike Siroishka, was flown to Washington in the UHL’s private jet on Tuesday to meet with Trump and negotiate a settlement to avoid additional court costs and legal fees. After almost 7 hours behind closed doors, the duo came out to present the deal to media and reporters. Part of the settlement included a 5-year ban on Trump that he cannot contact the UHL for any reason, make hostile takeovers of the League, come within 4, 895 miles of the Commish, and not degrade the UHLPA calling them “his puppets”.

The cash settlement portion of this lawsuit was not disclosed, but in an interview with UHL media, Siroishka stated ***“we were close, but for us to not accept to settle with just over \$63 in cash would make us look weak”***.

Further investigations are now underway.

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UHL Custom Jerseys are Ordered



UHL Marketing Department – The UHL has ordered an additional 36 more custom jerseys, bringing the number of custom UHL jersey ordered up to another high at 388 being made.

Socks have also been ordered and those will be available for purchase for \$35/pair.

All jerseys & socks should be delivered my May 25, 2026.

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Commish's Corner



UHL World Headquarters - Special thanks to the dedicated Captains for all your efforts in making 2026 another fantastic year for the UHL!

From creating trophies, to providing food, to developing a new confusing Point System, to bringing the beer to each, and every game, they have been remarkable!

ANDY, AVREY, MICHAEL, & JOE... you guys are rockstars!

Thanks guys!!! Great job!

RON BURGUNDY NEWS

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UNTIL NEXT TIME UHLers....



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The UHL Commissioner.