

# Supporting Wounded Veterans Through Hockey

**PUCHOG** (Players Using Competition Helping Others Grow) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit enhancing the lives of wounded veterans through hockey, community events, and comprehensive support resources.

## 100% Volunteer-Run. 100% Direct Impact.

Every dollar you donate goes directly to wounded veterans and their families. Zero administrative overhead. Zero executive salaries.

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## 2025 Impact

### 11th Annual Hockey For Heroes Tournament (May 2025)

- 3 divisions, dozens of wounded veterans competing
- Families connected in a veteran-friendly environment
- Built community through shared competition

### Comprehensive Resource Distribution

Connected veterans to:

- \$1M+ in employment and training opportunities
- Free technology certifications (\$2K-\$10K value each)
- Education benefits worth tens of thousands
- Health and wellness programs

### Community Building

Military Family Ice Skate events bring together veteran families who understand military life—extending support beyond the athlete to spouses and children.

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## 2026 Plans

- **Military Family Ice Skate** — December 27, 2025
- **Gun Raffle Fundraiser** — January 10-19, 2026
- **12th Annual Hockey For Heroes** — Spring 2026
- **Quarterly veteran resource newsletters**

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## Your \$100 Donation Funds:

- ✓ Ice time for tournaments and practice
- ✓ Hockey equipment for veterans
- ✓ Family events building community
- ✓ Resources connecting veterans to careers and education

**Your \$100 doesn't just fund ice time—it creates opportunities that can change a veteran's entire trajectory.**

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## Support PUCHOG

**Donate via PayPal:** [paypal.me/PUCHOGorg](https://www.paypal.com/paypalme/PUCHOGorg) (<https://www.paypal.com/paypalme/PUCHOGorg>)

**Donate via Venmo:** [@Puchog](https://venmo.com/u/Puchog) ([@Puchog](https://venmo.com/u/Puchog))

**Gun Raffle:** \$30/ticket, 4 for \$100

**Volunteer:** Event coordination, timekeeping, equipment management

**Spread the Word:** Share with veterans and supporters

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*PUCHOG transforms lives through competition, community, and comprehensive support. Thank you for investing in veterans who've invested everything in serving our country.*