

2021-22

November 20, 2021

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Welcome to the 2021-2022 Boston Bruins Alumni season! As we look back on 2020 we are proud to report the alumni continued to support various charities across New England despite being in the middle of a pandemic. The Bruins have always been known for their grit and determination and the alumni did not disappoint. Knowing they could not play with fans in the stands, the alumni quickly adapted and switched to a New Virtual Game format on our New Bruins Alumni TV!

By switching to a New Virtual Game format, fans who were unable to attend a game in person were able to view a one-hour game show on the New Bruins Alumni TV via our website www.bostonbruinsalumni.com and donate to support their charity. With the support of the team and the community, the alumni continued to play, raising over \$300, 000 for deserving charities!

As we head into a new season, we plan to return to the ice and play in front of fans, however, due to the success of the Virtual Game format, we will continue to air as many games as we can on the New Bruins Alumni TV. We hope you will plan to attend a game or tune in on-line and support your favorite charity!

Alumni games are not the only way the alumni give back. The lifting of restrictions allowed the alumni to participate in various golf fundraisers and player appearances over the summer months and we hope to be able to return to in-game suite visits and hospital visits in the future.

None of this would be possible without the unwavering support the Boston Bruins have provided the Alumni. Since the Alumni was founded back in 1968, the Bruins have supported the Alumni in all our endeavors. We are fortunate to have members of the Bruins family, who were there when it all began, still with us today. For over 50 years, Ed Sandford, our oldest living Alumni member and Bruins Ambassador, John Bucyk have remained involved with the team.

As we look to the future, we hope you will join us when we take to the ice this season! We can't wait to see new fans back in the stands!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rick Middleton", with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Rick Middleton
President, Boston Bruins Alumni



November 20, 2021

Dear Family, Friends, and Boston Bruins Alumni,

As the MDSC All-Stars face-off against the Boston Bruins Alumni for our **17th Annual Hockey Benefit Game**, we are thrilled to see so many of you here supporting the players and our organization. There are a lot of activities going on today: Free skate with players, Action-packed hockey game, Silent Auction and Raffle! We hope you have a chance to participate in all of them!

Whether you are on or off the ice today, your generosity supports the MDSC to continue to be at the forefront in providing parents, educators, individuals with Down syndrome, health care professionals, and the community-at-large with accurate information, networking opportunities, and advocacy for and about Down syndrome.

Special thanks to Rick Middleton, Bob Sweeney, and the Boston Bruins Alumni for your steadfast support over the years. Your partnership continues to impact over 5,000 children and adults with Down syndrome living in Massachusetts.

Thank you for being our #1 fan and best wishes for a happy Thanksgiving and holiday season!

Warm regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Maureen Gallagher'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Maureen Gallagher
Executive Director



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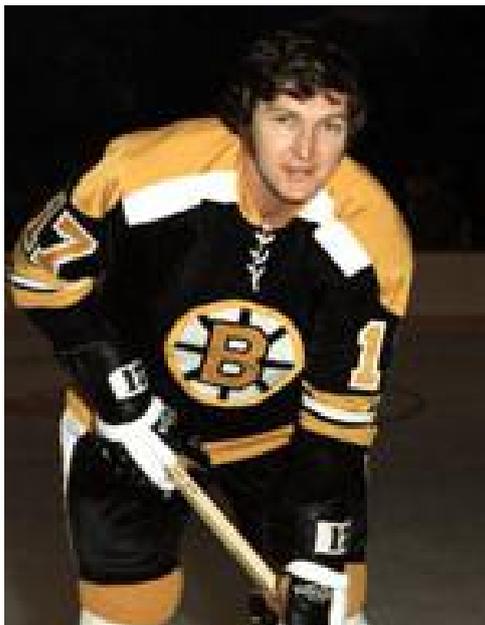
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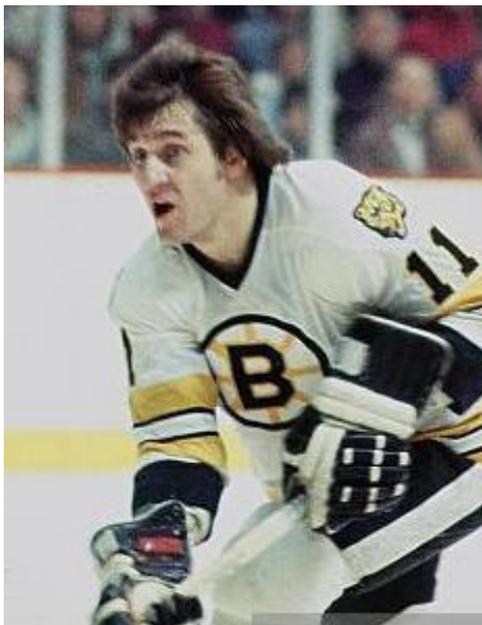
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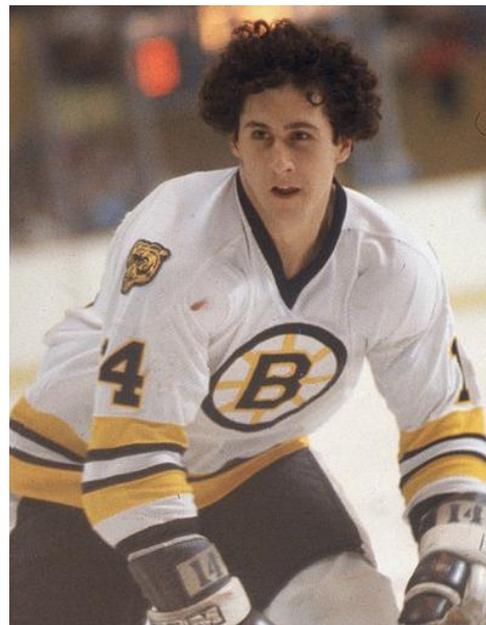
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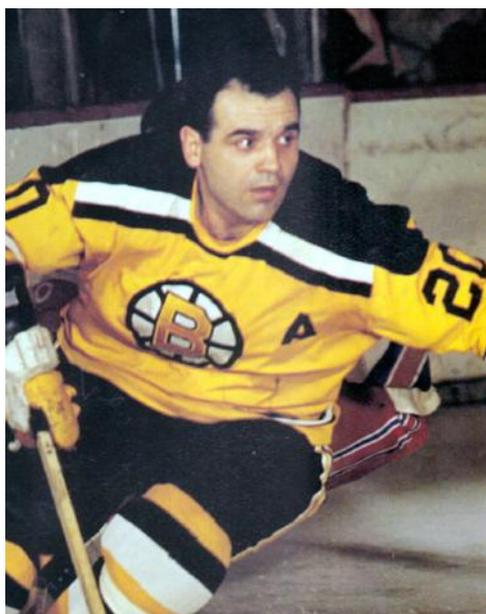
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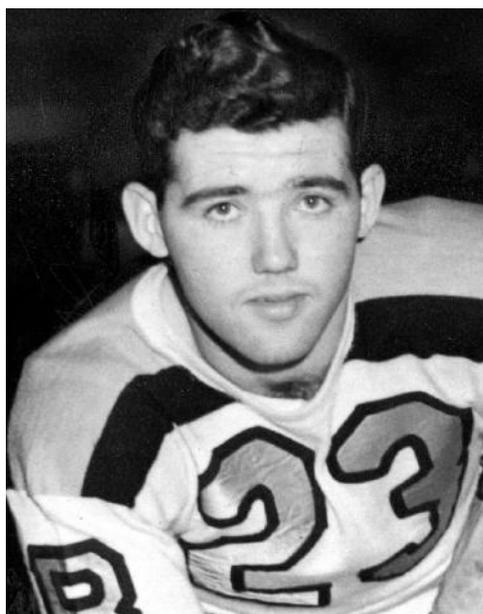
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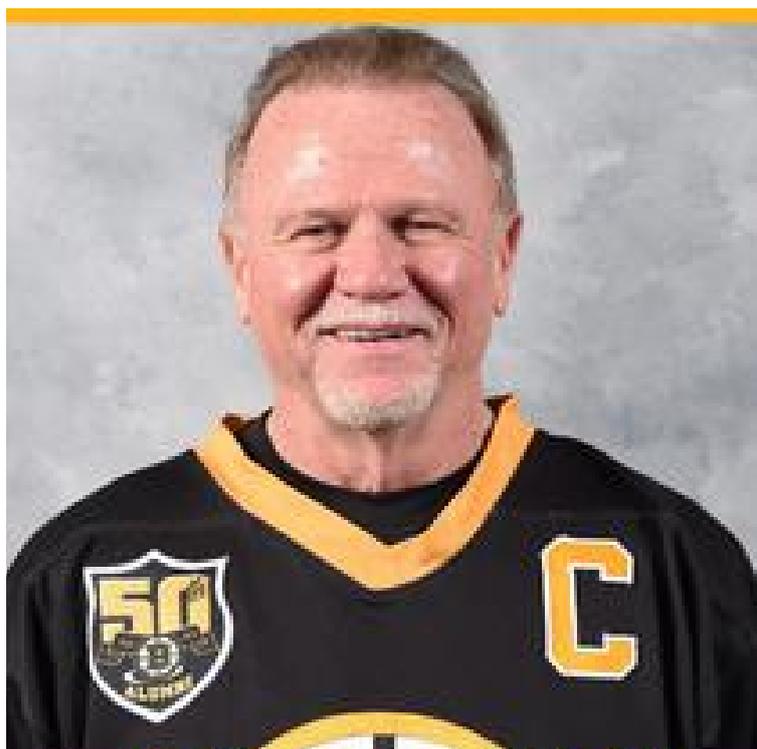


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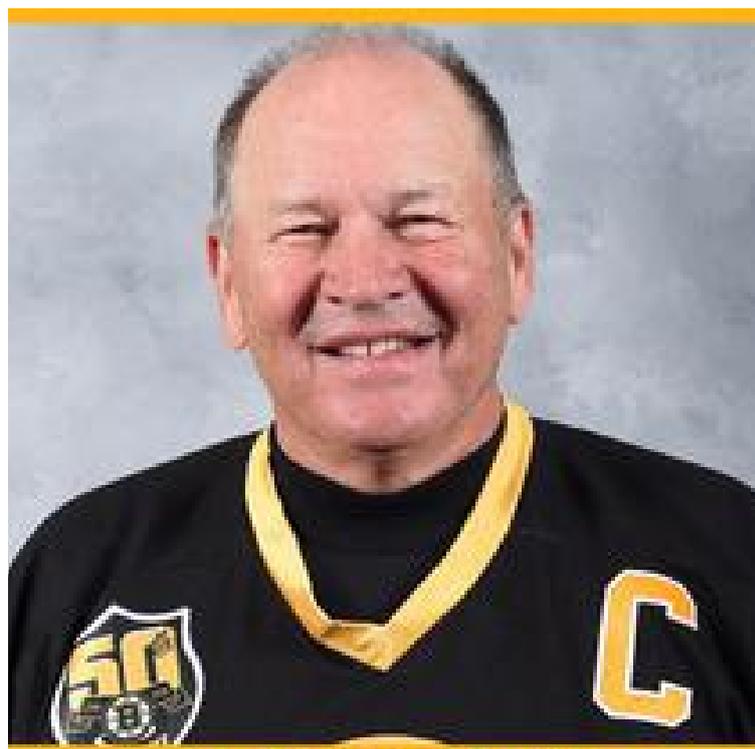
In the last year we have lost six members of the Bruins Alumni family. Each served the Bruins well in a variety of capacities and they are all badly missed.

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BOSTON BRUINS ALUMNI TEAM
2021-22 season



RICK MIDDLETON
1976-1988



TOM SONGIN
1978-1981



MARK MOWERS
2006-2007



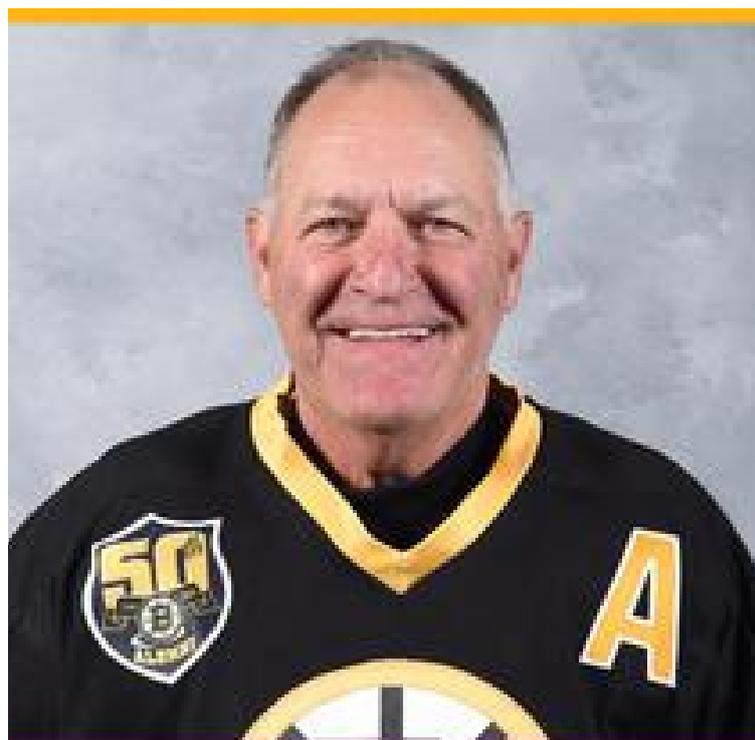
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1986-1992

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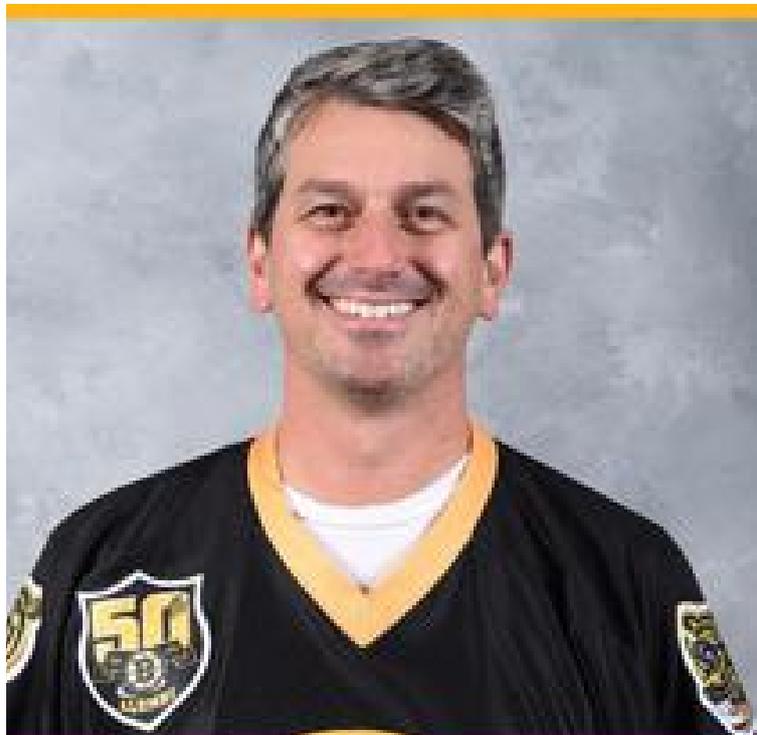
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2021-22 season



SHAWN MILLER
Son of Bobby Miller



REJEAN LEMELIN
1987-1993



ANDREW RAYCROFT
2000-2006



BOBBY CARPENTER
1988-1992

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BOSTON BRUINS ALUMNI TEAM
2021-22 season



STEVE LEACH
1991-1996



BRUCE CROWDER
1981-1984



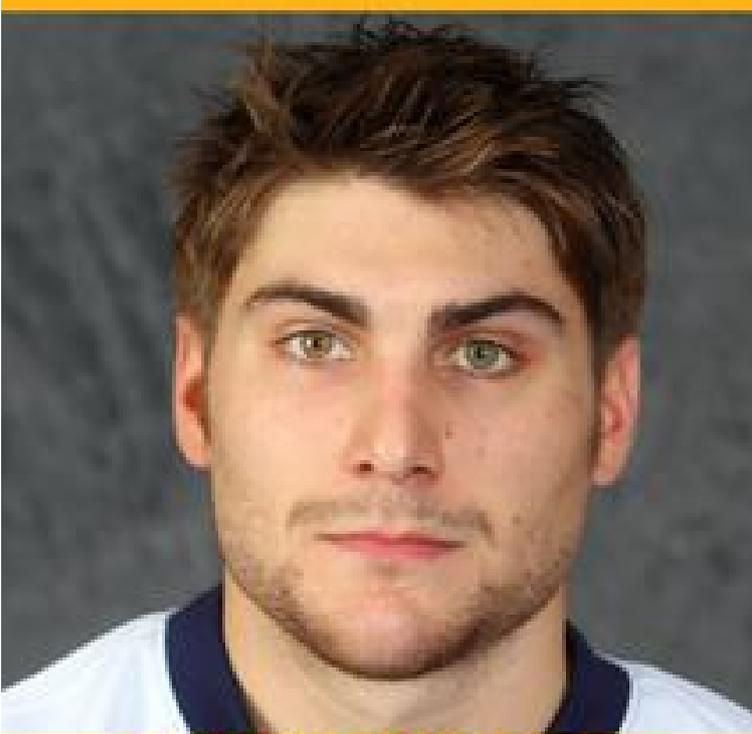
DAVE SHAW
1992-1995



DAVID A. JENSEN
1988-1990

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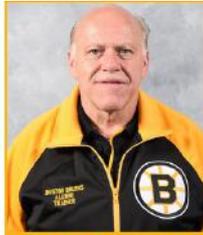
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HONORARY ALUMNI



MIKE SANDFORD
Son of Ed Sandford



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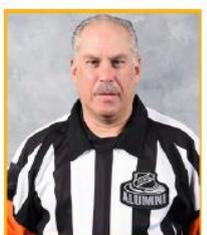
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Alumni Game Announcer



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Mike Foley
Alumni Trainer/Equipment MGR



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Alumni Game Referee



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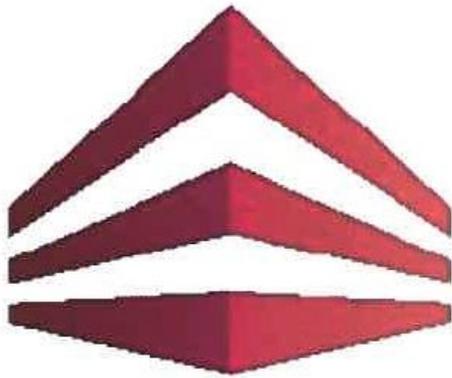


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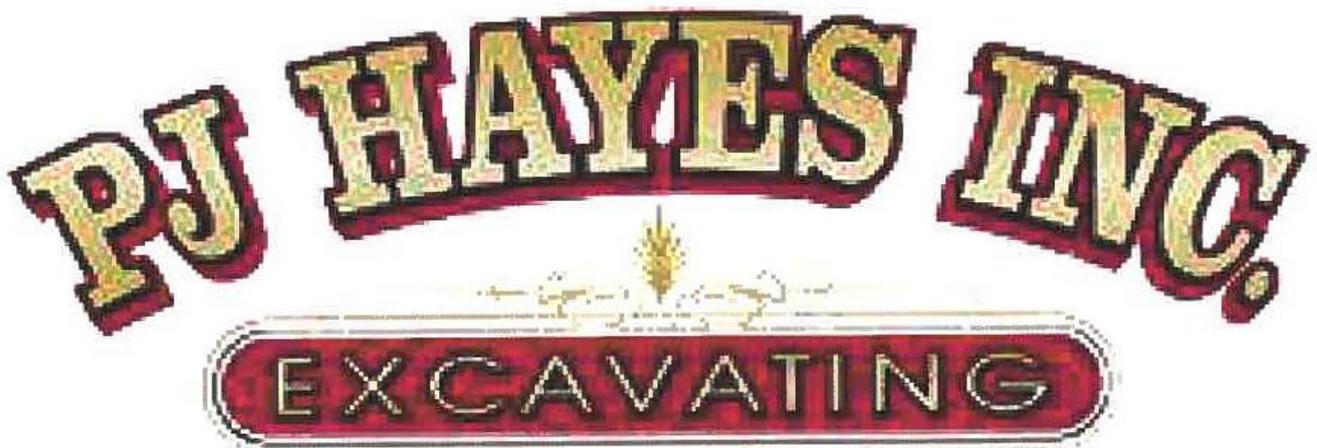
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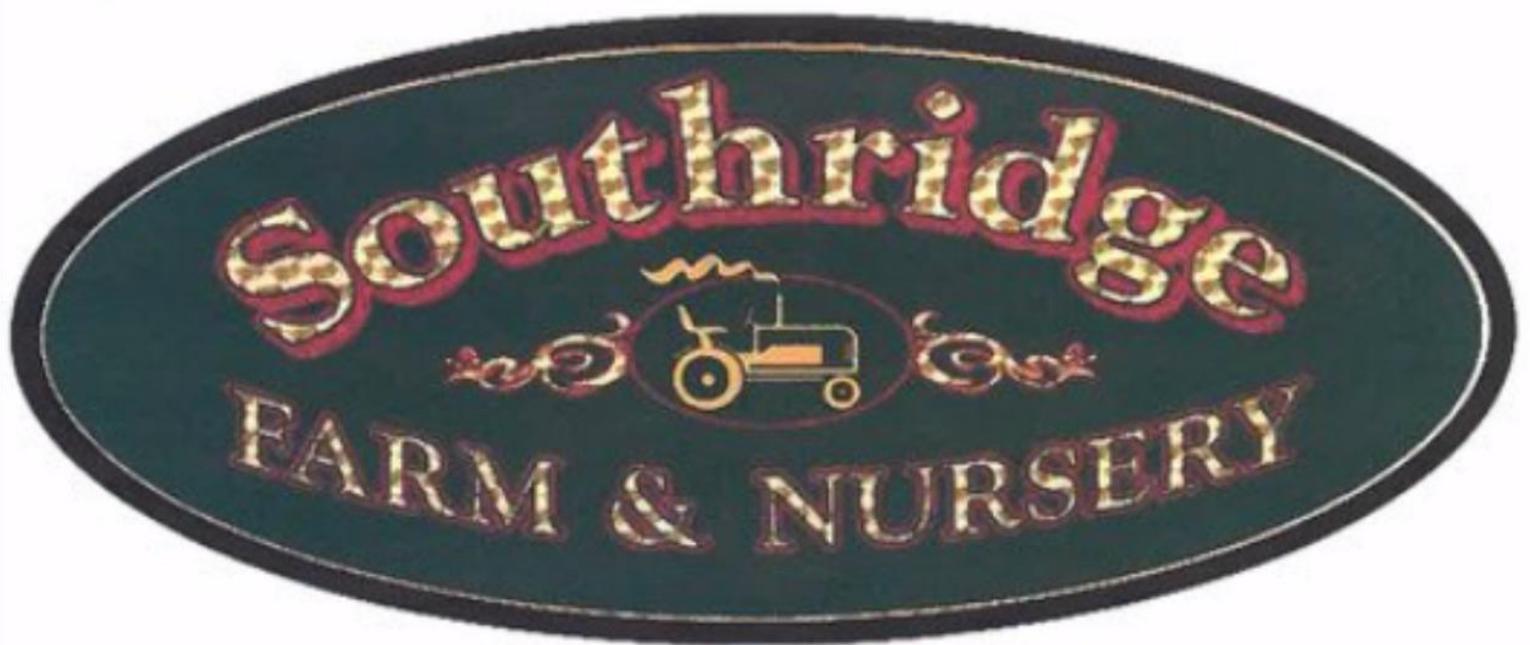
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Boston Bruins Alumni 2021-22 Roster

#14	Goalie	Shawn Miller	Son of Bobby Miller
#1	Forward	Reggie Lemelin	15 years in NHL; 6 years with Boston Bruins
#1	Forward	Andrew Raycroft	11 NHL seasons; 6 with Boston Bruins
#11	Forward	Bobby Carpenter	18 NHL seasons; 4 with Boston Bruins
#16	Forward	Rick Middleton	14 years in NHL; 12 with Boston Bruins
#17	Forward	Tom Songin	Boston College; 3 years with Boston Bruins
#18	Forward	Mark Mowers	7 NHL seasons; 1 with Boston Bruins
#20	Forward	Bob Sweeney	10 years in NHL; 6 with Boston Bruins
#27	Forward	Steve Leach	15 NHL seasons; 5 with Boston Bruins
#32	Forward	Bruce Crowder	4 years in NHL; 3 with Boston Bruins
#34	Defense	Dave Shaw	16 NHL seasons; 3 with Boston Bruins
#44	Forward	Dave Jensen	4 NHL seasons; 1984 Olympic team
#78	Forward	Ryan Bourque	Son of Ray Bourque
#78	Forward	Mike Sandford	Son of Ed Sandford

Bob Cormier
John Horrigan
Don Garcia

Mark Willand
Ned Costantino
Alex Bezanson

Mike Foley
Frank Walker



MDSC All Stars

2021-22 Roster

Chris Kearney - #2 (Skating in honor of his son, Ethan!)

Jim Kinchla - #8 (Skating in honor of his son, Daniel!)

Peter Tardif - #12 (Skating in honor of his son, Shawn!)

Jamie Hintlian - #16 (Long-term veteran MDSC All-Star (Jamie has been skating since the MDSC started this benefit), skating for his son James!)

Ben O'Donnell - #18 (Ben is skating in honor of his son, Calvin!)

Tim Carter - #19 (Skating in honor of his son, Braeden!)

Bill O'Donnell - #29 (Skating in honor of his grandson, Calvin!)

Peter Sylvestre - #31 (Skating for his best buddy, his son Paul who is 18 years old. He is known as the mayor of his high school, works at Market Basket and enjoys performing and meeting new people!)

Tairou Komyerov - #36 (Second time skating in the MDSC hockey Benefit!)

Ryan Baker #44 (of Hopkinton, Long time friend of the MDSC - skating for Marie Gadbois.
Joey Campagna - #63 - MDSC All Star Coach A 15-year veteran skating for his brother, Danny! Joey has been a top fundraiser for the MDSC for many years!)

Dr. Errol Mortimer - #99 (MDSC Hockey Committee Member and long-time champion of the MDSC!)

Nick Cavanna - #617 (Skating his seventh year as an MDSC All-Star in honor of his brother, Liam "The Fist Bump Kid" Fitzgerald and all the kids and young adults with Down Syndrome.)

MDSC GOALIE -- Jack Blair (Jack is playing for his buddy Liam, the one and only fist bump kid.)



Welcome to MDSC'S 2021 Annual Hockey Benefit Auction! Third Floor of Warriors Rink on Day of Game

This year the auction is taking place in three different ways:

- ONE DAY on-site (auction items and raffle)
- ONLINE through YOT.ME
- ON LINE through Charity Buzz

ONE DAY ONLY INFORMATION

There will be a curated number of items that are being auctioned off at the game on November 20th during the game. For these items there will be bid sheets for you to place bids on day of game.

ONLINE through Yot.me INFORMATION

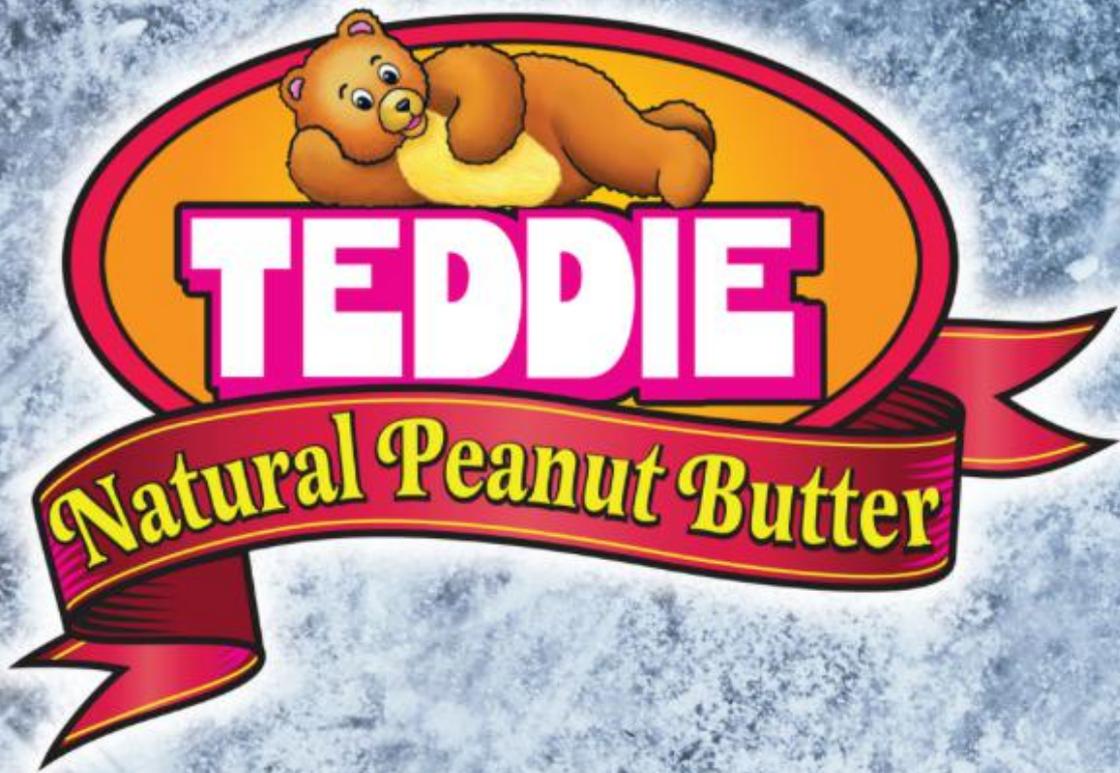
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- The online Yotme auction opens November 18th and will runs through November 30th.
- Once you have placed a bid, you will receive updates from Yot.Me if someone places a higher bid and also, notification if you are the winning bid. You can continue bidding from your home until the auction closes.

ONLINE through CHARITY BUZZ

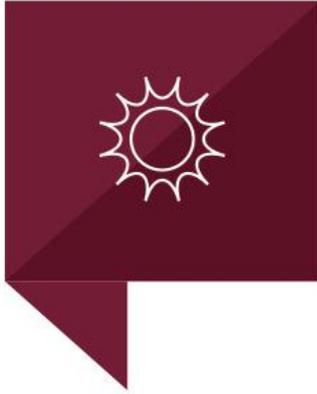
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- The Charity Buzz auction opens Thursday, November 18th and will run through November 30th.



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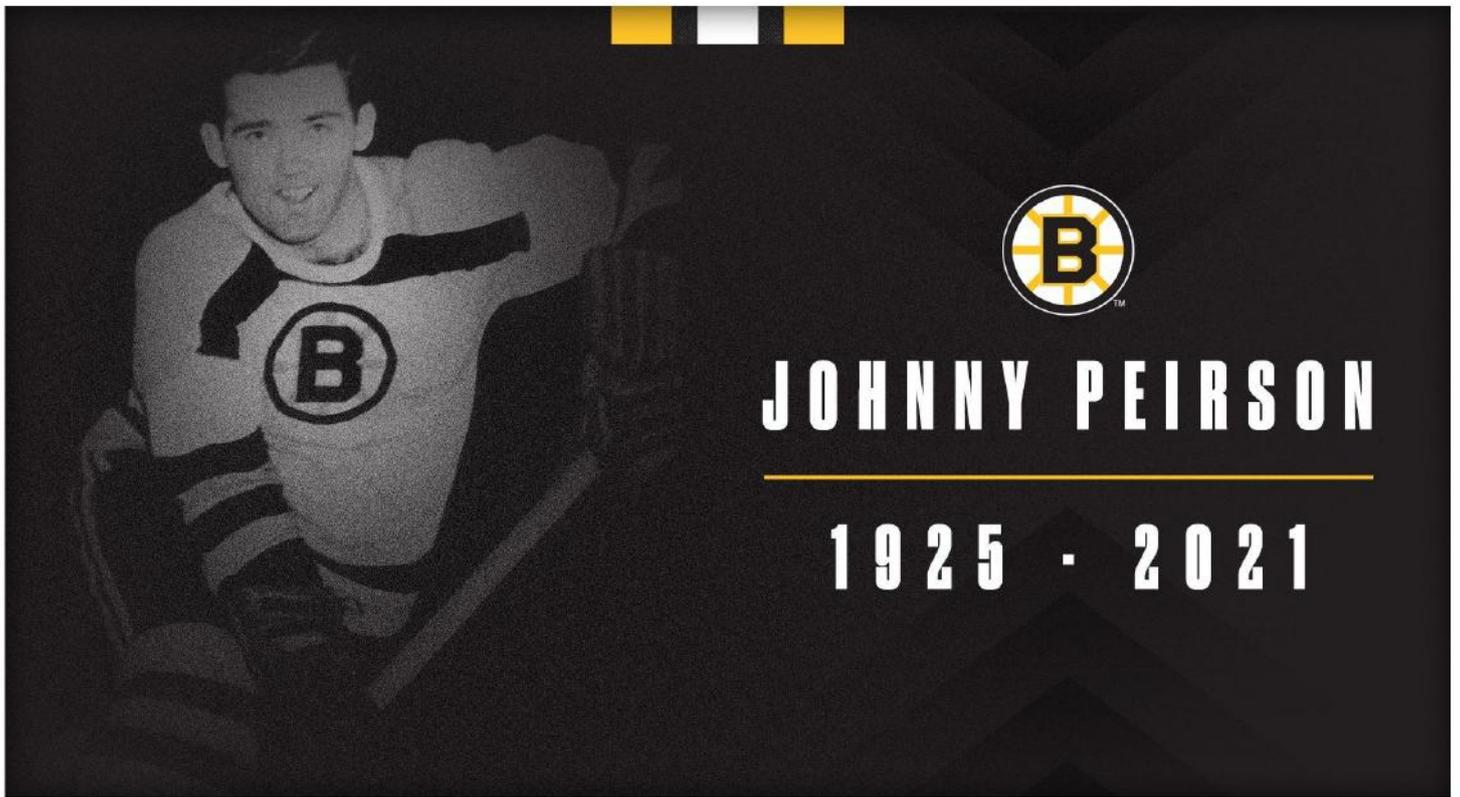


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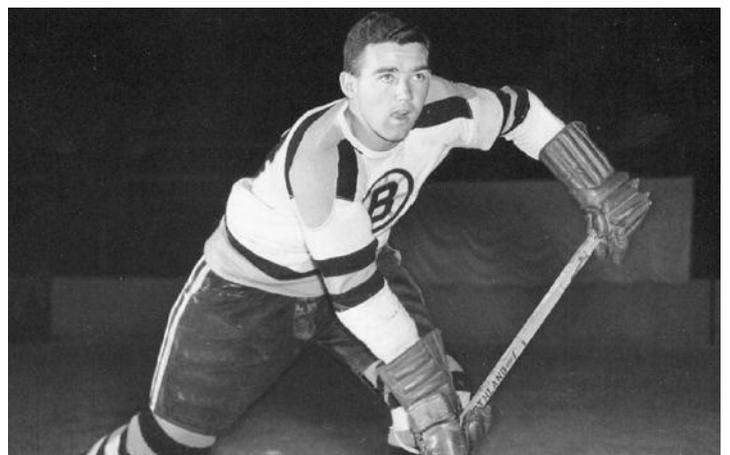




Former Boston Bruin and Respected Broadcaster John "Johnny" Peirson, died April 16, 2021, at the age of 95 at his home in Wayland, Massachusetts, surrounded in his last days by his family

Signed by the Boston Bruins in 1946, John played right wing for the Bruins' farm team, the Hershey Bears, and then 11 years with the Boston Bruins and was a member of the "Muscle Line." He was a talented goal-scorer, scoring 20 or more goals four times, and played in the NHL All Star game twice.

After his retirement from hockey, John became a well-known and respected broadcaster and color analyst for the Bruins, working alongside Fred Cusick for many years. John had a keen eye, and a deep understanding of the game, and his breakdown of play between periods, known as "Peirson's Pointers," was a favorite among the Boston fans. John retired from broadcasting in 1995.



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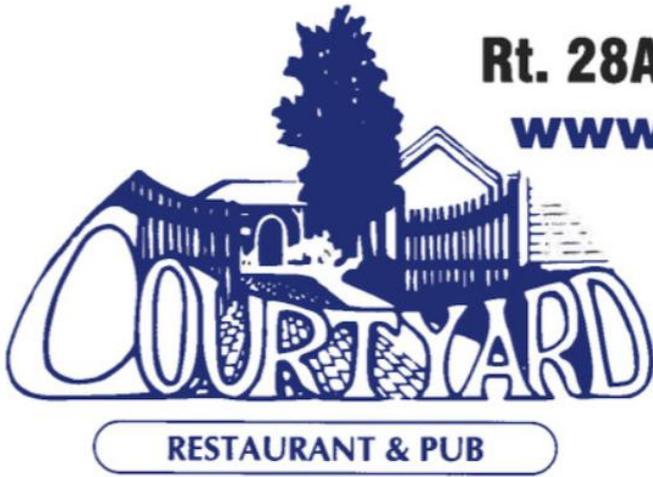
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Welcome to the Alumni: Adam McQuaid



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Friday, September 24, 2021 at 7:00pm	Canton Ice House, Canton, MA	AJ Quetta Fund
Saturday, October 23, 2021 at 2:00pm	Warrior Ice Arena, Brighton, MA	Light the Night with Team Salesforce
Saturday, November 20, 2021 at 3:10pm	Warrior Ice Arena, Brighton, MA	Mass. Down Syndrome Congress
Sunday, November 21, 2021 at 11:30am	The Bog, Kingston, MA	Great Blizzard Special Hockey
Saturday, December 4, 2021 at 2:00pm	Warrior Ice Arena, Brighton, MA	Warrior for Life
Saturday, December 18, 2021 at 2:00pm	Providence College, Providence, RI	Matt Light Foundation
Sunday, January 16, 2022 at 2:00pm	Warrior Ice Arena, Brighton, MA	South Shore Technical Alumni
Saturday, January 22, 2022 at 2:00pm	Warrior Ice Arena, Brighton, MA	Penalty Box Foundation
Sunday, January 30, 2022 at 2:00pm	Skate 3, Tyngsboro, MA	Tom Smith Foundation
Sunday, February 6, 2022 at 3:00pm	Everett Arena, Concord, NH	Stephen Cmar ROTC Scholarship Fund
Saturday, February 12, 2022 at 5:00pm	Essex Sports Center, Middleton, MA	Caiden's Crusaders Pediatric Cancer
Saturday, March 5, 2022 at 1:30pm	The Rinks at Exeter, Exeter, NH	Friends of Exeter Recreation
Sunday, March 6, 2022 at 12:00pm	Pop Whalen Ice Arena, Wolfboro, NH	Kingswood Boys & Girls Ice Hockey
Saturday, March 12, 2022 at 1:00pm	Larsen Rink Winthrop, MA	Boston Bruins Found. Children's Hosp.
Saturday, March 19, 2022 at 3:00pm	Dover Ice Arena, Dover, NH	Vouchers for Veterans
Saturday, March 26, 2022 at 1:00pm	Amelia Park Arena, Westfield, MA	Westfield Youth Hockey
Sunday, March 27, 2022 at 1:00pm	Peter Foote Mem. Rink, No. Adams, MA	Northern Berkshire Youth Hockey
Saturday, April 2, 2022 at 2:00pm	Veterans Memorial Rink, Haverhill, MA	Haverhill Police Relief Association
Sunday, April 3, 2022 at 1:00pm	Pilgrim Arena, Hingham, MA	Great Blizzard Special Hockey
Saturday, April 9, 2022 at 1:00pm	Rockland Skating Rink, Rockland, MA	HUG Foundation
Sunday, April 10, 2022 at 2:00pm	Warrior Ice Arena, Brighton, MA	Dana Farber Cancer Institute
Saturday, April 23, 2022 at 1:00pm	The Bog, Kingston, MA	Pembroke YH-Birolini/Hickey Schol. Fund

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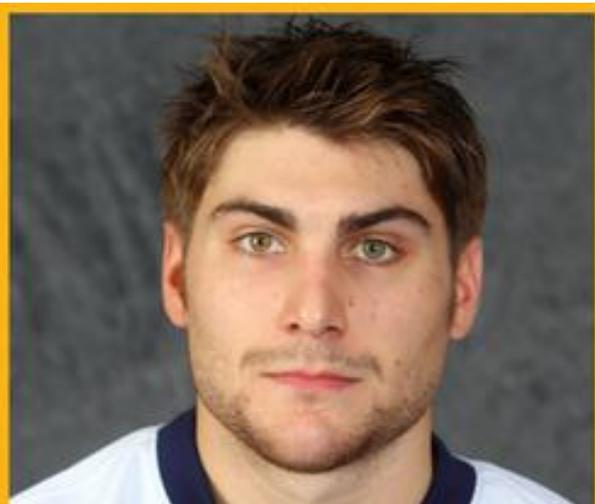
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Visit www.bostonbruinsalumni.com to confirm game times and find links to our Facebook and Twitter sites.

To schedule a Boston Bruins Alumni hockey game, visit www.bostonbruinsalumni.com to submit your request.

Alumni members are also available for corporate events, speaking engagements, autograph signings, etc.

Please contact Karen Wonoski at 617-624-1932 or Rick Middleton at nifty6teen@yahoo.com



RYAN BOURQUE
HONORARY ALUMNI

Welcome to the Alumni!

Ryan Bourque is the son of Hockey Hall of Fame defenseman Ray Bourque and the brother of former NHL forward Chris Bourque. He was a 3rd round draft choice (80th overall) by the New York Rangers in the 2009 NHL Entry Draft. He has won four medals in International Ice Hockey Federation (IIHF) playing for the United States – a gold and a bronze medal in World Under 18 Ice Hockey Championship and a gold and a bronze medal in the World Junior Ice Hockey Championships.



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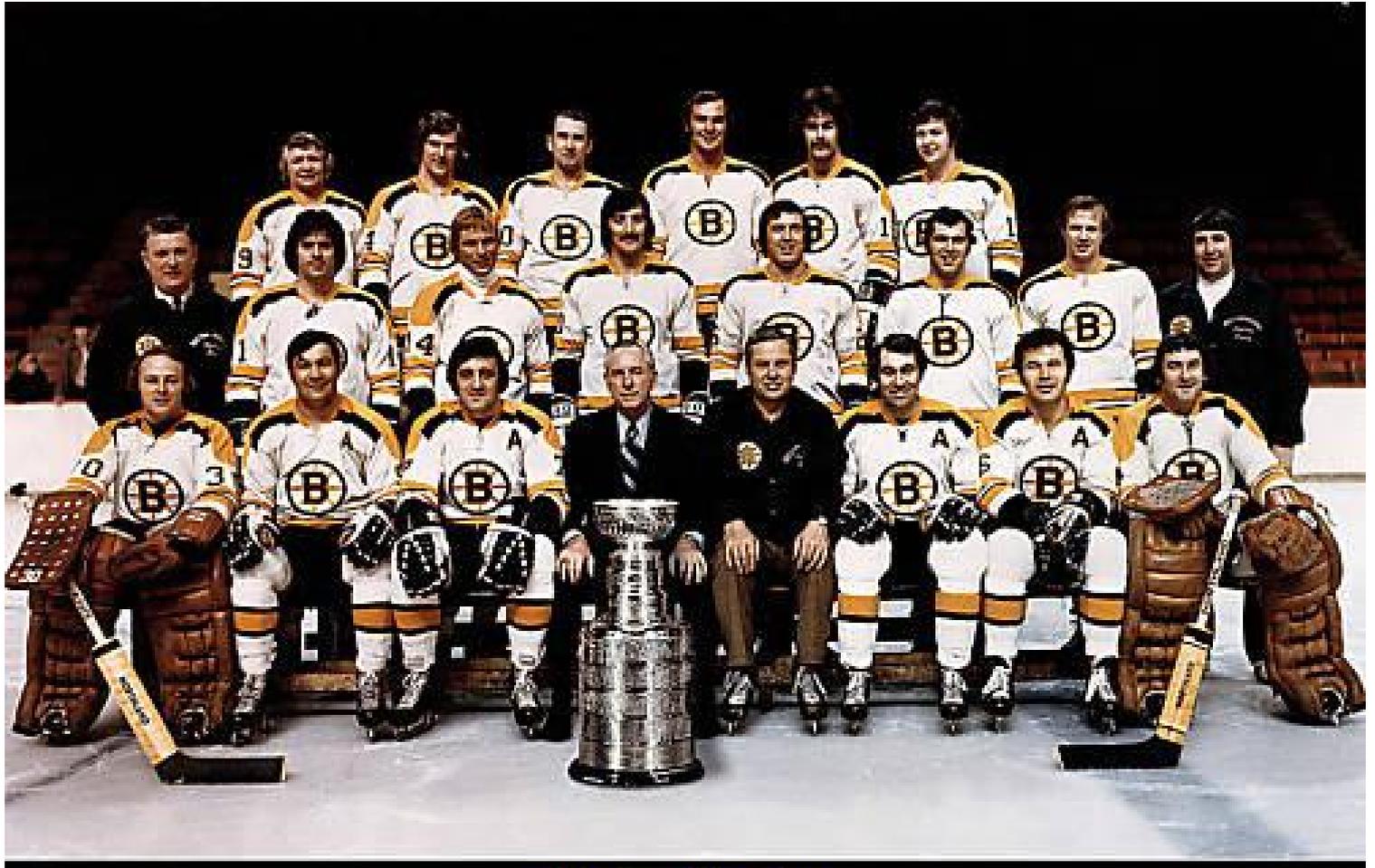
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1972 Stanley Cup Playoffs

Stanley Cup Quarterfinals vs Toronto Maple Leafs: 4-1 (Home: 2-1; Road: 2-0)

Stanley Cup Semifinals vs St. Louis Blues: 4-0 (Home: 2-0; Road: 2-0)

Stanley Cup Finals vs New York Rangers: 4-2 (Home: 2-1; Road: 2-1)

