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(Stratford, ON): Area Hockey All-Stars “Get in the Way”

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Huron Perth All-Star Hockey Games are set to spotlight the best in high school hockey, as players from nine local secondary schools strut their stuff in support of United Way. Terry McCutcheon from Stratford Central Secondary School who spearheaded the inaugural game last winter has drafted Conveners, Heather Strano and Brad Thompson to help organize this year’s event.

“Hosting events that not only benefit United Way financially but also build community spirit is a thrill for our staff and volunteers. The All-Star Hockey Game provides our youth – either as fans, volunteers or players - a venue in which to support their community in a fun and meaningful way,” comments Ellen Balmain, Executive Director of the United Way of Perth County.

Huron United Way ED, Kimberly Payne agrees, “Partnering with our area schools provides a great opportunity for both United Ways to engage future volunteers and donors.”

Cheer on your favourite players as Perth County All-Stars square off against their rivals from Huron County. Fans of all ages will have two opportunities to enjoy some great hockey at a great price while “making a difference” in their community.

**Girls’ Game:** Monday, March 5, 2007  
8:30 p.m. at Hensall Arena, Hensall  
Opening Face-off by Randy Stanlake, Huron United Way Board Chair

**Boys’ Game:** Wednesday, March 7, 2007  
8:30 p.m. at Dufferin Arena, Stratford  
Opening Face-off by Helga Barenberg, Acting Board President, United Way of Perth County

Admission cost will be \$2 for students and \$3 for adults with the proceeds going to United Way of Perth County and Huron United Way.

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For more information please call Norma Reese at United Way 519-271-7730.

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