

McKenzie County Hockey Club

Sponsorship Opportunities

2025–2026 On-ice and Dasherboard Sponsorship Opportunities

Dear Community Partner,

The McKenzie County Hockey Club (MCHC) invites you to be part of a season that goes far beyond the game of hockey. It's a season built on youth development, community pride, and the continued legacy of regional engagement. Your sponsorship does more than promote your brand—it positions you as a champion of opportunity, leadership, and local impact.

As one of North Dakota's premier athletic venues, the Rough Rider Center boasts two ice rinks with stadium seating and elevated viewing—designed to host high-energy events and attract thousands of guests throughout the year. Over 220 youth athletes are expected to participate this season, and families, fans, and visitors from across the Midwest and Canada will attend our exciting lineup of tournaments and showcases.

One of the highlights of our calendar is the **Watford City Winter Classic Series**, featuring 11 tournaments held across six weekends from November through March. These events bring in more than 5,000 spectators and 150 teams from three Canadian provinces and five U.S. states, creating a vibrant cross-border experience that energizes our community and generates lasting memories.

We are also proud to host the **NAHL War in Watford Weekends**, where top-level junior hockey comes to our doorstep. The Bismarck Bobcats and Minot Minotauros compete in front of passionate fans from across North Dakota over three weekends filled with intense action and local hospitality. Beyond these showcase events, our rinks bustle daily with state tournaments, figure skating and curling competitions, youth practices, camps, and home games—all of which create an ongoing platform for sponsorship visibility and engagement. Every event is also **live-streamed** on our streaming platform and viewed by thousands of fans.

Your business's presence on our **dasher boards**, which are $8' \times 3'$ adhesive vinyl displays positioned along the perimeter of both rinks, will be seen repeatedly throughout these experiences. These placements deliver over **3,000 hours of advertising exposure annually**—making your support both high-impact and incredibly cost-effective. Whether during Winter Classic matchup or a weeknight youth practice, your message is embedded in the very culture of our ice sports community.

Exceptional Value Across All Sponsorship Levels

Whether you're supporting Hansen Rink or Community Rink, every sponsorship tier offers premium visibility at an unbeatable hourly rate:

| Tier | Rink | Annual Cost | Estimated Exposure Hours | Cost per Hour |
|-------------|----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|---------------|
| On-Ice Logo | Hansen Rink | \$5,000 | 3,000+ | \$1.67/hour |
| Gold | Hansen Rink | \$3,000 | 3,000+ | \$1.00/hour |
| Silver | Hansen Rink | \$1,800 | 3,000+ | \$0.60/hour |
| Bronze | Hansen Rink | \$1,200 | 3,000+ | \$0.40/hour |
| Gold | Community Rink | \$1,500 | 3,000+ | \$0.50/hour |
| Silver | Community Rink | \$900 | 3,000+ | \$0.30/hour |
| Bronze | Community Rink | \$600 | 3,000+ | \$0.20/hour |

From ice-level impact to dasher board visibility, every sponsor shares in building something meaningful—while enjoying highly efficient, year-round advertising.

Why Your Sponsorship Matters

As a registered **501(c)(3) nonprofit organization**, MCHC stands behind a mission rooted in youth empowerment, sports accessibility, and community legacy. We serve as stewards of athletic opportunity for hundreds of young people in McKenzie County—helping them grow into confident, skilled individuals both on and off the ice.

Your sponsorship is not just a marketing investment—it's a **tax-deductible contribution** to a cause that enriches our local economy, strengthens civic pride, and reinforces a culture of inclusivity. Every dollar goes directly toward programming expansion, facility improvement, tournament hosting, and scholarship access. We pride ourselves on transparent governance and community accountability, ensuring that your partnership is as fiscally sound as it is socially impactful.

Together, we're laying the foundation for generational growth. Together, we build legacy.

Timeline & Action Steps

The sponsorship season runs from **October 1 through September 30**, with all payments due by **November 1, 2025**.

- For availability or board placement inquiries, contact:
 - o **Denise Brewster** denise@johnsonaccountingfirm.com | 701-444-5567
- For custom activations and event sponsorships, email: wcoilers@outlook.com

If you are a **continued supporter**, you will receive an **invoice to hold your board**, as returning sponsors are prioritized first.

Please return your payment to: McKenzie County Hockey Club PO Box 1332 Watford City, ND 58854

You may also choose to pay online via the MCHC Sponsorship Info page: Sponsorship Page Please note: Online payments include a 3.5% processing fee.

On behalf of the MCHC Board of Directors, thank you for standing with our youth, our mission, and our community. Your support makes more than hockey happen—it helps build something unforgettable.

Sincerely,

McKenzie County Hockey Club Board of Directors



MCKENZIE COUNTY HOCKEY CLUB

DASHERBOARD AND ON-ICE SPONSORSHIPS

HANSEN RINK

Bronze = \$1200

Silver = \$1800

Gold = \$3000

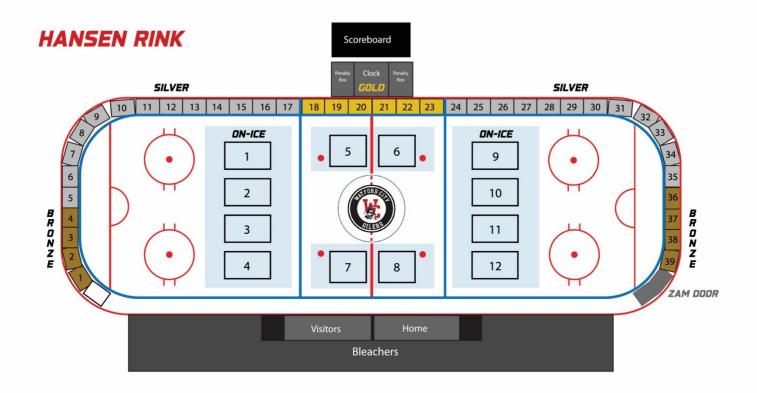
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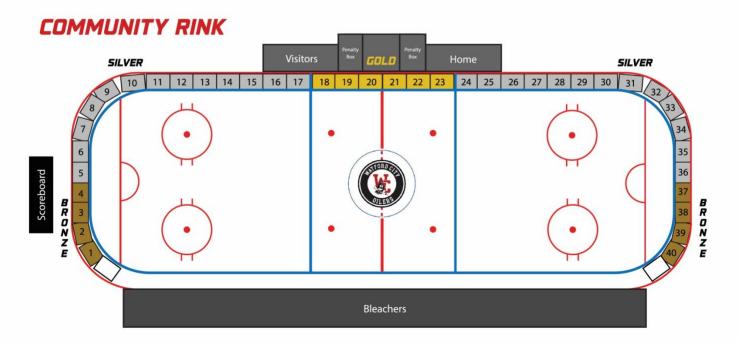
COMMUNITY RINK

Bronze = \$600

Silver = \$900

Gold = \$1500





| Business Name: | | | |
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| Sponsorship Tier Chosen: | | | |
| Address: | | | |
| City: | State: | Zip: | |
| Contact Person: | | Phone: | |
| Email: | | | |

*Email a digital image of your logo to denise@johnsonaccountingfirm.com

Thank you for supporting our youth hockey program!

