



# ANTHONY BAASCH

**Branch of Service** U.S. Army

Rank Specialist E4

**Deployment** 2 tours of deployment

- Ghazni province Afghanistan and Germany

**Hockey History** Glen Ellyn Flames

**Chicago Blackhawks Warriors 5 years** 

High School Lake Park High School

**Hometown** Bloomingdale, IL

Family 2 sons and 2 step-sons

**Employment** Construction Project Sup't. O'Hare Airport

Hobbies Blackhawks, Bears, Video/Audio editing, fishing,

snowboarding and 4 wheeling

**Military Awards** 

**Combat action Badge** 

**Army commendation Medal** 

Certificate of achievement for running the ammo shack

**NATO ISAF medal** 

Global war on terrorism medal

National defense ribbon

Afghanistan campaign medal with 2 campaign stars

Over seas duty ribbon with the number 2 device

Army service ribbon

**Expert Machine Gun Qualification** 

**Sharpshooter rifle qualification** 





# DEREK BUGBEE

**Branch of Service** U.S. Navy

Rank Hull Technician, First Class

**Deployment** USS McKee, San Diego; USS Frank Cable,

**USS Emory Island** 

Doha and Arifjan Kuwait, Al Asad Air Force Base

**Hockey History** Rat hockey, Men's Leagues and Pond Hockey

**High School** 

Wheaton, IL

**Hometown** 

Two brothers and one sister

**Wheaton Central H.S.** 

**Employment** 

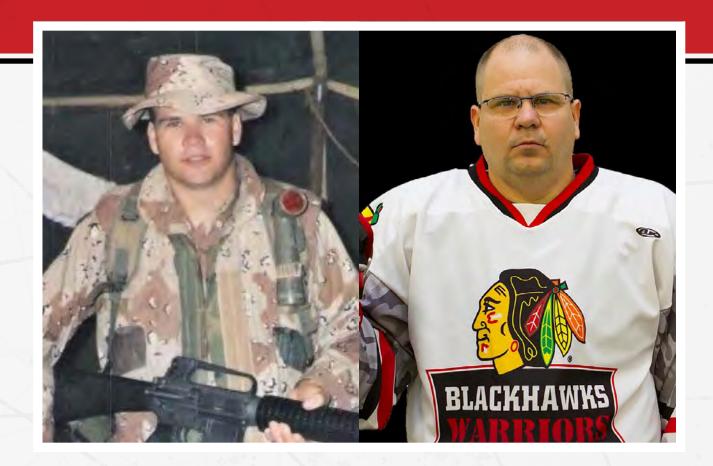
**Metra Railway** 

**Hobbies** 

**Family** 

Sports, Classic Cars, Hiking, DIY





# JAMES GEJKA

**Branch of Service** United States Marine Corps, Weather Observer

and Search and Rescue as a Rescue Swimmer

Rank Corporal

**Deployment** Persian Gulf War, 1990-1991

**South Korea 1988, 1989** 

**Hockey History** Morton West Hockey Club, 1986-1987

High School Morton West, Berwyn, IL

College

**Hometown** 

**Employment** 

**Family** 

**Hobbies** 

**Illinois State, 1992-1995** 

University of Illinois at Chicago, 1995-1998, Bachelor's Degree in Mechanical Engineering

LaGrange Park, IL

Wife Jelena, Daughter Michelle, Son Marko

**Department of Veterans Affairs** 

**Backcountry Snowmobile Riding, Fishing** 





#### WILLIAM GAGE CYGNAR

**Branch of Service** U.S. Marine Corps

Rank E-4 Corporal

**Deployment** USS Iwo Jima

**USS Kearsarge** 

**Hockey History** Chicago Blackhawks Warriors 2018

**High School** 

College

**Family** 

**Employment** 

**Hobbies** 

**Taft High School** 

**Northeastern Illinois University** 

One son - Kade

**Accord Protective Group** 

Chess, football, reading, TV





# BILLY DA VIDSON

**Branch of Service** 

Rank

Deployment

**U.S. Marine Corps** 

**Retired - First Sergeant** 

21 years of Military experience 5 Combat deployments to Iraq 22 military service schools

**Military Awards** 

Navy and Marine Corps Medal Meritorious Service Medal

**Navy & Marine Commendation Medal** 

with gold star

Navy Achievement Medal Combat Action Ribbon

San Bernardino Sheriff's Award of Valor California Fire Department Valor Award

**Hockey History** 

College

**Hometown** 

**Employment** 

**Family** 

**Hobbies** 

**Buffalo Grove adult league** 

**Purdue University – Master of Business** 

**Administration (MBA)** 

**Villanova University – Master of Human Resources** 

Management

**Strayer University – Bachelor of Business** 

**Administration and Human Resource Management** 

**Resource Management** 

**Huntington Beach, California** 

**Married with 3 boys** 

**Senior Director, In-Home Human Resources** 

Adrenaline enthusiast, loves surfing, youth coaching, and my new found passion for hockey.





#### RICHARD DUZINSKAS

**Hobbies** 

**Branch of Service** U.S. Army

Rank Retired - Sergeant

**Deployment** 2 tours of deployment -Iraq twice

Military Awards Purple Heart, Arcom with Valor

2x Overseas ribbons
Global War on Terrorism
Iraqi Campaign Medal
Good conduct medal
Arcom, Expert Marksman
2x Army achievment medals

**Hockey History** Youth hockey with the Chicago Hawks

**High School** Walther Lutheran High School

**Hometown** Chicago

Family Married with one son

**Employment** Stay at home father

Gaming, hockey, family activities







# KEUN FINIZIO

**Branch of Service US Navy** 

Rank PETTY OFFICER

**Deployment** 2002 Opening Strikes of Operation Iraqi Freedom

**Hockey History** Chicago Blackhawks Warriors

High School Addison Trail High School

**College** Western Illinois University

Hometown Addison, IL

**Family** Single

**Employment** Amazon Fresh Warehouse

**Hobbies** 

**Military Awards** 

Hockey, playing cello, guitar, and bass, traveling

**Navy & Marine Corps Commendation** 

Navy & Marine Corps Achievement (5)

**Navy Unit Commendation** 

**Navy Meritorious Unit Commendation** 

**Navy Battle "E"** 

**Navy Good Conduct (3)** 

**National Defense (2)** 

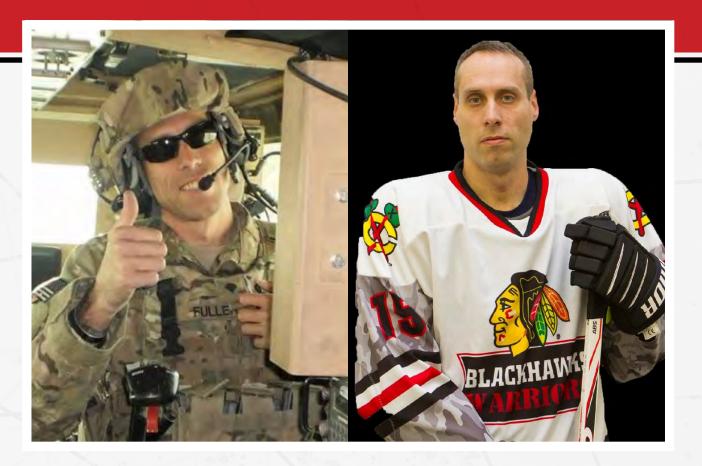
**Iraq Campaign** 

**Global War on Terrorism** 

**Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary** 

Navy Expert Rifleman Navy Expert Pistol





# KEVIN FULLER

**Branch of Service** Indiana Army National Guard

Rank E5

**Deployment** 2011-2012 Afghanistan

Hockey History Rat hockey from 15yrs old to 22 then again in 2017 again

**High School** Gage Park High school Chicago Illinois

Hometown

Chicago

**Family** 

Wife and 3 daughters

**Employment** 

**Diesel mechanic** 

**Hobbies** 

**Hockey, Family** 





#### MATTHEW ROBERT GRAN

**Branch of Service** U.S. Army

Rank Sergeant

**Deployment** 3 tours deployment in Iraq

**Hockey History** Youth hockey, Adult league & Blackhawks Warriors

High School Wauconda High School

College University of Illinois, B.A in English Literature

**Juris Doctor** 

**Masters in Library and Information Science.** 

Hometown Wauconda, IL

Family Married with one Son

**Employment** Intelligence Analyst

**Hobbies** 

**Military Awards** 

Playing guitar, softball, working out, & board games

**Army Commendation Medal (3rd Award)** 

Joint Service Achievement Medal (2nd Award)

**Army Good Conduct Medal, National Defense** 

Service Medal

**Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal** 

**Global War on Terrorism Service Medal** 

**Iraq Campaign Medal** 

**Non Commissioned Officer Professional** 

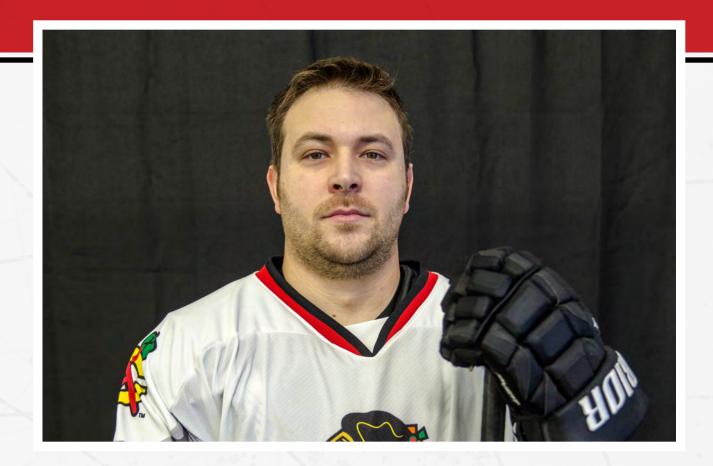
**Development Ribbon** 

**Overseas Service Ribbon** 

**Overseas Service Bar (3rd Award)** 

**Parachutist Badge** 





#### KEITH HAMPSON

**Branch of Service** U.S. Army

Rank Sergeant

**Deployment** Afghanistan

**Hockey History** Street Hockey

**Chicago Blackhawks Warriors** 

High School Oswego High School

College

Waubonsee Community College University of Washington

Hometown

**Employment** 

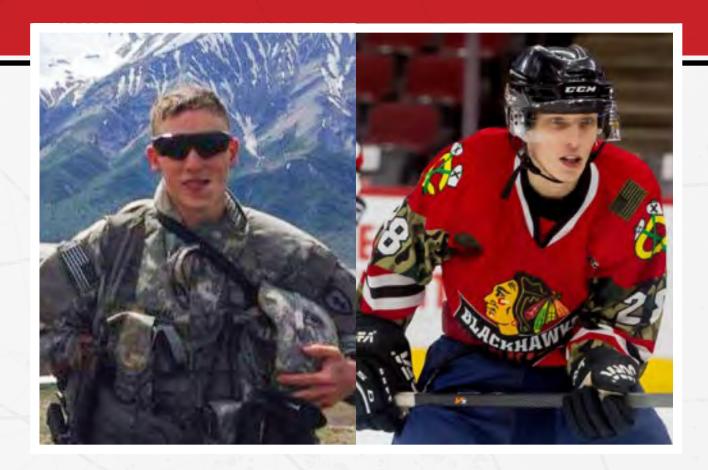
Oswego, IL

**Hobbies** 

**Project Supervisor/Utility Contractor** 

Music, Weightlifting, Brewing





# THEODORE HARAS

**Branch of Service** Army

Rank Specialist

**Hockey History** Started At 6, Played Through HS and

was on the Army Team In Alaska

High School St. Rita of Cascia HS

**College** Colorado State University

**Hometown** 

Chicago, IL

Single

**Family** 

Ridge Country Club, Doc's Memorabilia Lane

Employment

Golf, Memorabilia, Ice Hockey

**Hobbies** 





#### RYANHASTY

**Branch of Service** United States Marine Corps

Rank Sergeant/E-5

**Deployment** Maritime Raid Force, Force Reconnaissance

**Detachment - 24th MEU** 

**Hockey History** Youth Club and Travel hockey

Montini Catholic H.S. Hockey Team - Captain DePaul University Hockey Team - Captain

Chicago Blackhawks Warriors

**High School** Montini Catholic

College

**Family** 

**Hobbies** 

**Currently a senior finance major** 

at DePaul University

Hometown

Recently married in the summer of 2018

**Employment** 

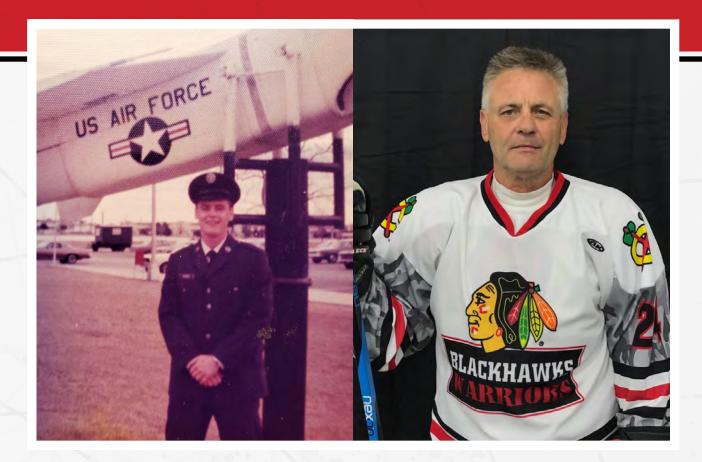
Student

Villa Park, IL

Skydiving, hiking with my wife and dog,

and of course hockey





# JOSEPH E. HERBST

**Branch of Service U.S. Air Force** 

Rank E-4

**Hockey History** Burbank Hockey Team

St. Laurence Hockey Team

25 Years Chicago area Men's Leagues

**High School** St. Laurence H.S.

College

Daley College, Chicago, IL Miami University, Oxford, OH

Hometown

Chicago, IL

**Family** 

2 sons

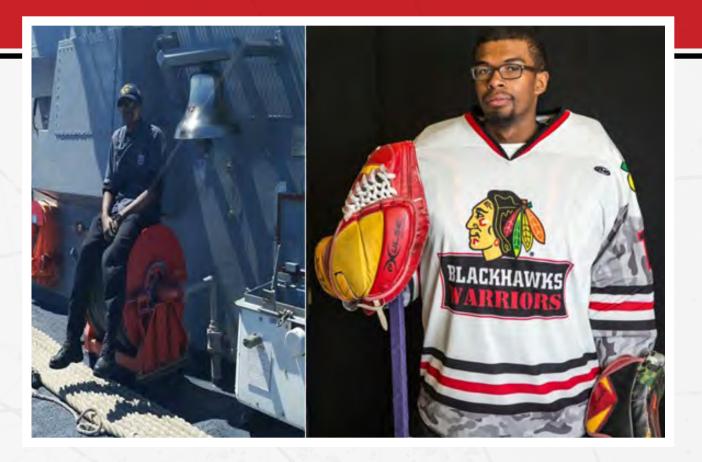
**Employment** 

**HVAC Specialist** 

**Hobbies** 

**Tennis, Travel and Adaptive Sports** 





#### NATHANIEL JOHNSON JR

**Family** 

**Hobbies** 

**Branch of Service** U.S. Navy

Rank E-4

**Deployment** 2013-2014 West Pac USS Howard DDG83

Military Awards Navy and Marine Corps Achievement medal

**Navy Battle E** 

**National Defense service medal** 

**Global War on terrorism service medal** 

**Pistol sharpshooter ribbon** 

**Hockey History** 1 Year with the Chicago Blackhawks Warriors

High School Schaumburg High School

**College** Joliet Junior College

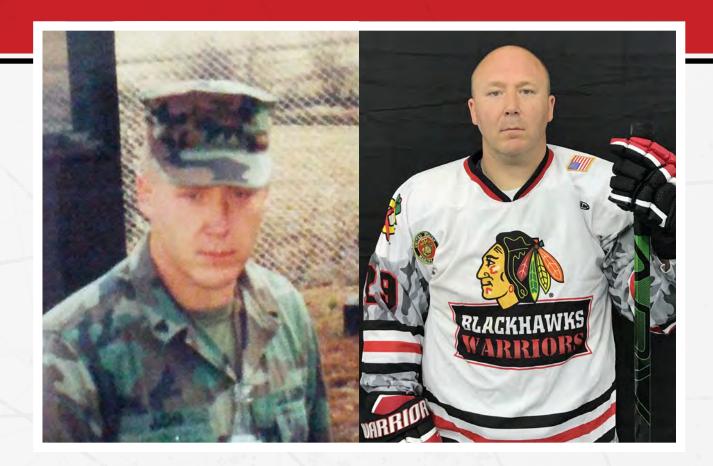
**Hometown** Hoffman Estates, IL

4 Older siblings 3 younger siblings, and a lot of

parental figures

Coaching Boys/Girls Volleyball, Writing Poetry and Making Music





#### JEFF JUGHA

**Branch of Service** United States Marine Corps

Rank E5

**Deployment** 2001, 2003

Hockey History High School, Mens League, Chicago Blackhawks Warriors

**High School** Addison Trail

**College** 

**College of Dupage** 

**Hometown** 

Addison

**Employment** 

**Tattoo Artist** 

**Hobbies** 

**Tattooing, Drawing, Painting** 





#### MILLIAM A. LIPKE

**Branch of Service USMC** 

Rank Corporal

**Deployment** 13th MEU "West Pack" USS Cole

recovery and S.F. deployment Bahrain

**Hockey History** Adult learn to play age 2012-2013

D Level beer league 2013- present

**Chicago Blackhawks warriors 2017-present** 

**High School** 

**Providence Catholic High School 1990-1994** 

College

Joliet Junior College 1994-1997 University of Illinois 2003-2004

**Hometown** 

Chicago Illinois

**Family** 

Jennifer (wife) Harley and Dakota Twin 2yr old girls

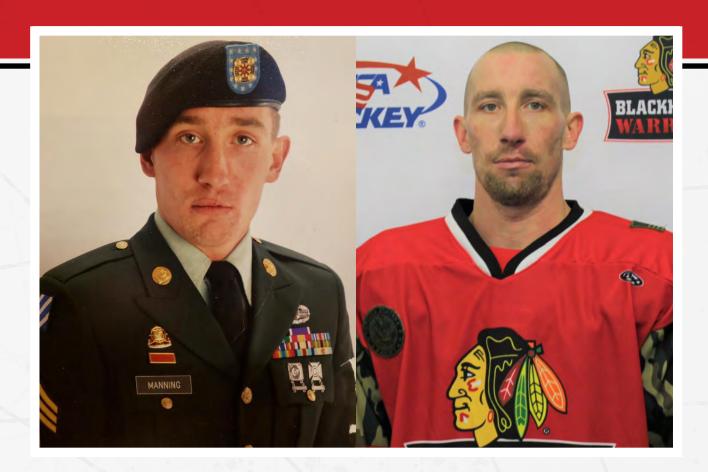
**Employment** 

City of Chicago

**Hobbies** 

**Hockey, Shooting, Morotcycles** 





# PETER MANNING

**Branch of Service** U.S. Army

Rank SSG/E6

**Deployment** Iraq 2003-04 / 2016-17

**Hockey History** Played Hockey Through High School

**High School** 

St. Joseph H.S.

**Hometown** 

**Tinley Park IL** 

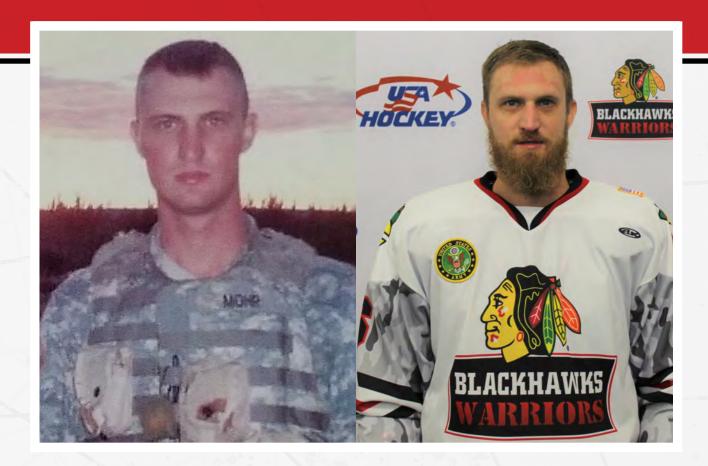
**Family** 

Jeanette-wife, Cheyenne-daughter, Jax-son

**Employment** 

**Local Union 597 Pipefitter** 





# TIMOTHY MOHR

**Branch of Service** U.S. Army

Rank E-4

**Deployment** Iraq 08-09

**Hockey History** Blackhawks Warriors, Kenosha Men's League

High School Tremper High, Kenosha, WI

Hometown

Kenosha, WI

**Family** 

Father - Dave, Mother - Pamela, Son - Timothy Jr.

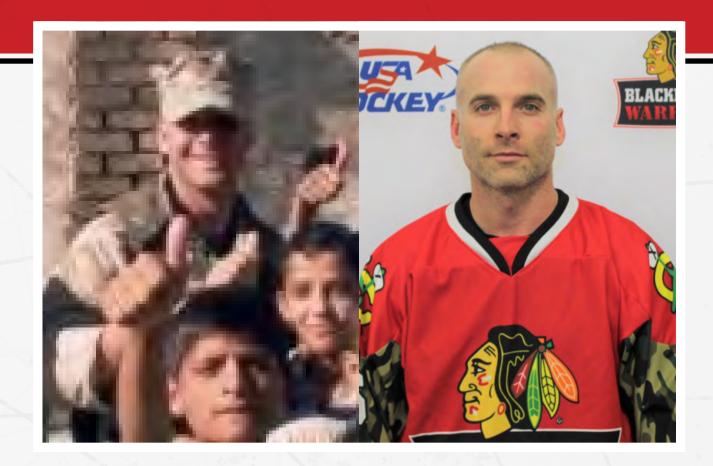
**Employment** 

**Disabled Veteran** 

**Hobbies** 

Hockey, Golf, Hanging with son.





#### BRIAN MOORE

**Branch of Service** U.S. Marine Corp.

Rank Sergeant E-5

**Deployment** Operation Enduring Freedom Operation Iraqi Freedom

**Hockey History** Irish Youth Hockey Club

**Penn High School Hockey Team Anderson University Hockey Club** 

**Marine Corp Hockey Team** 

Men's League

**Chicago Blackhawks Warriors** 

High School Penn High School, Mishawaka, IN

**College** Anderson University, IN

**Hometown** South Bend, IN

Family Wife - Ashley, 3 sons - Charles, Sean and Oliver,

**Daughter - Margaret** 

**Employment** FAA, Chicago, IL - Air Traffic Control Specialist

**Hobbies** Hockey and family





# RYANIUSSATTO

**Branch of Service** U.S. Marines

Rank Lance Corporal

**Deployment** MWHS-1 Okinawa, Japan

**Hockey History** Chicago Blackhawks Warriors since 2016

**Family** 

**Employment** 

**Hobbies** 

**Married - Austin and two children** 

**Microsoft Sharepoint Administrator** 

**Hockey and spending time with my family** 





#### MARK PEIFER

**Branch of Service** Army, Spe

**Army, Special Forces** 

Rank

**E-7 Sargent First Class** 

**Deployment** 

**Panama - Operation Promote Liberty** 

(Dec 89 - Feb 90)

**Desert Shield & Desert Storm** 

(Oct 90 - April 91)

**Provide Comfort - Three tours between** 

Nov 91 and Dec 95

**Hockey History** 

Blackhawks Warriors (March to present) Adult Men's League (Oct 2011 to present) **High School** 

**DeKalb High School (Graduated 1983)** 

Collage of DuPage (1997 to 1999)

Hometown

**College** 

DeKalb, IL

**Family** 

Wife - Alina Peifer

Daughters - Michelle Peifer, Jessica Peifer, Sydney Peifer, Mia Coken, Morgan Coken

**Employment** 

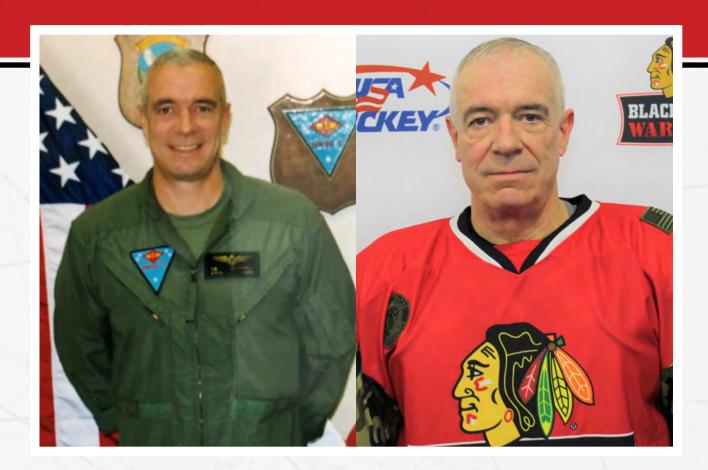
R.M. Chin and Associates, Inc.

Lead Resident Engineer @ Care Plus, O'Hare Airport

Hobbies

Hockey, scuba diving, cross fit





# TOM O'GONNELL

**Branch of Service USMC** 

Rank Lieutenant Colonel

**Deployment** Served three years in the Marine Reserves,

then 20 years on Active Duty

**Hockey History** Played in grade school, started playing

again in 2011

High School Loyola Academy

**College** 

**Northeastern Illinois University** 

**Hometown** 

**Des Plaines** 

**Family** 

Married with 3 grown children

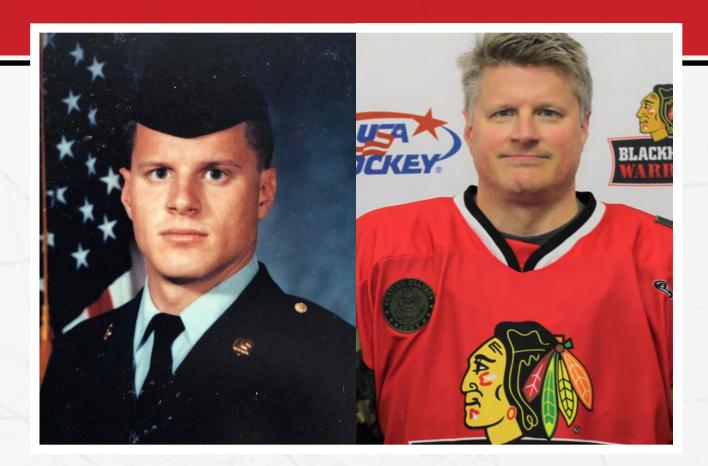
Employment

**Noble Network of Charter Schools** 

**Hobbies** 

**Hunting, fishing** 





# JIM OTZKO

**Branch of Service** Army

Rank Sergeant

**Deployment** Kuwait (2 deployments - non combat)

Hockey History High School hockey, club, men's & rec league hockey

High School Carmel High School, Mundelein, IL

**College** 

**Harper College** 

**Hometown** 

**Hoffman Estates, IL** 

**Family** 

Cyndi - Wife, Payton - Dog

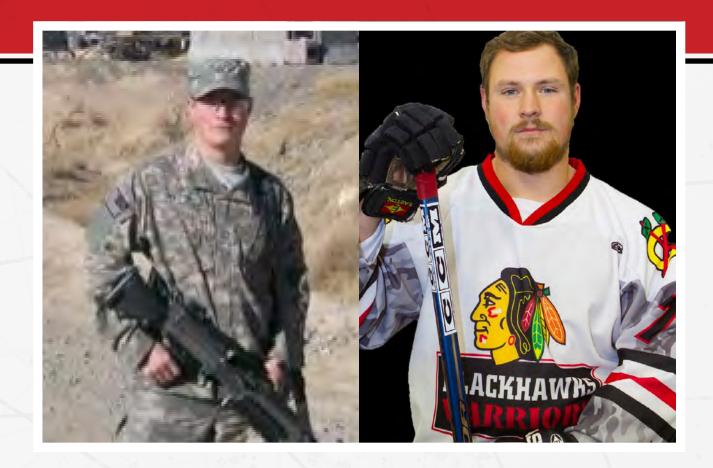
**Employment** 

**Canon Solutions America, Schaumburg, IL** 

**Hobbies** 

Hockey, sports memorabilia, custom sports figures, airbrush/painting





#### CHRISTOPHER POLCYN

**Branch of Service U.S.** 

**U.S. Army** 

Rank

Sargeant, E-5

**Deployment** 

Afghanistan 2010 to 2011

**Hockey History** 

St. Jude Knights Youth hockey

**Cobras HS Hockey** 

**Chicago Blackhawks Warrios** 

**High School** 

College

**Hometown** 

**Family** 

**Employment** 

**Hobbies** 

Richards H.S.

**Illinois State University** 

Oak Lawn, IL

Married with 2 boys and 2 girls

**F.H. Paschen Construction** 

**Hockey, Refereeing, Shooting, Hunting** 





#### DANIEL NAUGHTON-RAYAS

**Branch of Service** Army

Rank SGT

**Deployment OEF** 

**Hockey History** Recreational leagues since mid 20's

until the Warriors

**High School** Warren Township

College

St Petersburge College, Joliet Junior College

**Hometown** 

Wadsworth, IL

**Family** 

Anna (mother) Daniel (Father) Dawn, Racheal (half sisters), Micheal (half Brother)

**Employment** 

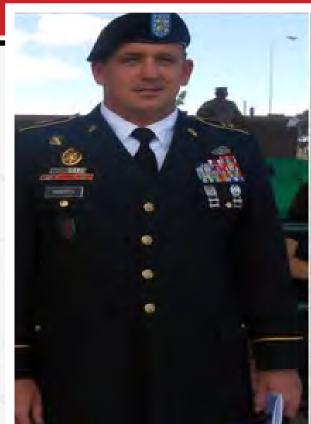
**Exelon Nuclear** 

**Hobbies** 

Motorcycle, fishing, hunting, shooting,

wood working, and..Hockey!!







#### STEPHEN M. ROBERTS

**Branch of Service** U.S. Army

Rank Retired - First Sergeant

**Deployment** 5 tours of deployment

**Hockey History** Adult League

College Western Kentucky University

Magna Cum Laude with a Bachelor's of Science

**Degree in Operations Management** 

Hometown New Lenox , IL

Family Married father of one daughter and son

**Employment** Teacher at Chicago Military Academy

**Hobbies** Hockey with my children, motorcycles,

snowboarding, and boating

**Military Awards** 

The Bronze Star service medal

The Meritorious Service Medal (20LC) Army Accommodation Medal with Valorous Device

The Army Accommodation Medal (70LC), and the Army Achievement Medal (50LC)

Draper Leadership awards, both individual and Company

**Joint Meritorious Unit Award** 

**The Valorous Unit Award** 

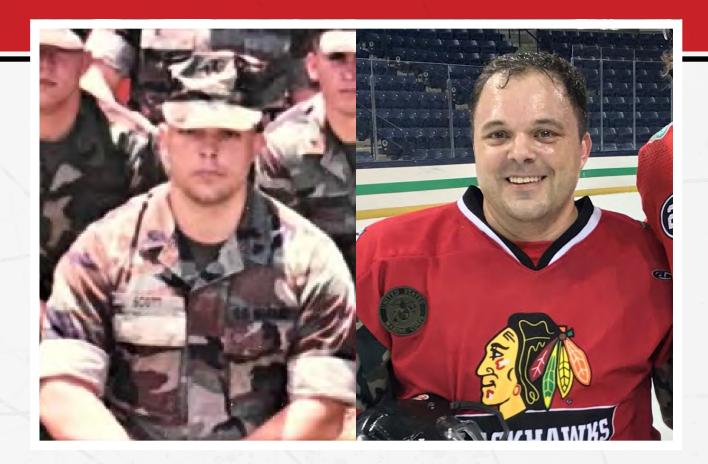
The Army Superior Unit Award (20LC)

**National Defense Service Ribbon** 

**Global War On Terrorism Service Medal** 

**Global Ear On Terrorism Expeditionary Medal** 





# GREG SGOTT

**Branch of Service** Marine Corps

Rank Sergeant

**Hockey History** Started playing hockey in 2011;

never played as a child

High School Stevenson High School, Lincolnshire, IL

College Northern Illinois University (PhD, in progress)
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

(for BS and EdM)

Hometown

Homewood, IL

**Family** 

Wife: Jessica

Children: AJ (6), Samantha (3)

**Employment** 

**CDW: Senior Sales Capability Consultant** 

**Northern Illinois University: Teaching Assistant** 

**Hobbies** Music, photography, videography





#### GJ SEESTADT

**Branch of Service** US Navy

Rank Aviation Ordnanceman 3rd Class

**Deployment** 1987 - 1995 - VP-90 (Patron 90)

& USS Eisenhower CVN-69

Military Awards Naval Reserve Good Conduct Medal

Liberation of Kuwait Medal Southwest Asia Service Medal

Battle "E" (VP-90)

**Hockey History** Youth House League, McFetridge Adult League

**Chicago Blackhawks Warriors** 

**High School** 

College

Hometown

**Family** 

**Employment** 

Hobbies

**Bolingbrook High School** 

**Southern Illinois University at Carbondale (SIUC)** 

Chicago, IL

Married Lorna (wife),

Children - Kaelynn, Kiera, Connor and Ava

**Managing Director/Partner of Advance Search** 

International, Inc.,

President of KKC GerScot Inc.

Soccer, Hockey, Coaching Youth Hockey and

**Travelling** 





# KEUIN SHARWARKO

**Branch of Service** 

Rank

**Deployment** 

**Hockey History High School** 

College

Hometown

**Family** 

**Employment** 

**U.S. Army** 

**Retired - Staff Sergeant** 

3 tours of deployment - Iraq twice & Kuwait

**10 years of Milirtary service** 

Youth hockey with Oak Lawn & Chicago Blues

Oak Lawn High School

Illinois Central College (Associates in Science)

Oak Lawn, IL

Single father of two boys

Student

Hobbies Working out/fitness coaching youth and blind hockey, rocketry, building things/mechanical design, helping others achieve their goals

**Military Awards** 

Iraqi Campaign Medal (3 campaign stars)

(3) Army Commendation Medals

(2) Army Achievement Medals

**Meritorious Unit Commendation Award** 

(3) Army Good Conduct Medal

National Defense Service Medal,

Global War on Terrorism

Expeditionary Medal

**Global War on Terrorism Service Medal Non-Commissioned Officer Professional** 

Development Ribbon Army Service Ribbon

(3) Overseas Service Ribbons and Driver and Mechanic Badges





# DAN SULLIVAN

**Branch of Service** U.S. Army

Rank E4 Corporal

**Deployment** 1 tour of deployment - Afghanistan

**Hockey History** Youth hockey and adult league

High School Harold L Richards High School, Oak Lawn

**College Morraine Valley** 

- Fire Science and Management

Hometown

**Oak Lawn** 

**Family** 

Married with son on the way

**Employment** 

**LA Fitness - General Manager** 

**Hobbies** 

Fishing bow hunting and working out





# CHRISTOPHER TRAN

**Branch of Service** United States Marine Corps

Sergeant E-5

Rank

**Deployment** 26th MEU 2015-2016 Operated in

Portugal, Israel, Greece,

Bahrain, Oman, Jordan, and Kuwait

**Hockey History** Started playing hockey when I was 16 years old.

I played for the All Marine Hockey Team from 2016-Present and now for the

Chicago Blackhawk Warriors.

Will be trying out for the DePaul hockey team.

**High School** 

College

**Hometown** 

**Employment** 

**Hobbies** 

Adlai E Stevenson, Lincolnshire IL

**DePaul University** 

**Buffalo Grove, IL** 

**Student and Finance Internship** 

I enjoy working out, golfing, and playing NHL 19 on XBox





#### BEN 1055

**Branch of Service** Navy

Rank E4/CM3

**Deployment** Afghanistan 2011-2012

**Hockey History** Playing with the Blackhawks Warriors for 1 year

High School Elgin High School

**College** 

**Hometown** 

**Family** 

**Employment** 

**Hobbies** 

**Elgin Community College** 

Elgin, IL

4 year old daughter, Abbey

Student/ Lyft driver

Working on cars, motorcycles, shooting guns





#### CARL VYCAS

**Branch of Service U.S. Army** 

Rank

**Deployment** 2 tours t

**Military Awards** 

U.S. Allily

**Specialist** 

2 tours to Iraq

ards Good conduct medal

**Aviation Badge** 

Iraqi Campaign Medal

**Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary** 

and Service Medals

**ARCOm** 

**Army achievement medal** 

**Hockey History** 

High School

College

**Hometown** 

**Family** 

**Employment** 

**Hobbies** 

Started playing when I was 13 and haven't stopped

Richards High School, Oak Lawn, IL

Moraine Valley CC Lewis University

Joliet, IL

**Married to Michelle** 

**Cosmos Manufacturing - Test Technician** 

**Muscle cars & Golf** 





# JUSTIN WIGG

**Branch of Service** 

**U.S. Marine Corps** 

Rank

Corporal

**Deployment** 

4 tours of deployment

- Chile, Cuba, and Iraq twice

**Military Awards** 

Good conduct medal Combat Action Ribbon Iraqi Campaign Medal Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary

and Service Medals Meritorious Unit Citation **Hockey History** 

**High School** 

College

Hometown

**Family** 

**Employment** 

**Hobbies** 

**Pond & roller hockey** 

**Lake Park High School** 

College of DuPage

**Benedictine University** 

Roselle, IL

Single

**Premier Inc - Senior Contract Analyst** 

Traveling, riding his Harley, trying new craft beers, and taking his rescued greyhound to the dog park





# JASON WILSON

**Branch of Service** 

**U.S. Army** 

Rank

**Sergeant E5** 

**Deployment** 

1 tours of deployment - Baghdad, Iraq

**Military Awards** 

Army Achievement Medal w/ Oak Leaf Cluster

**National Defense Service Medal** 

**Global War on Terrorism Service Medal** 

**Korean Defense Service Medal** 

Iraq Campaign Medal Army Service Ribbon Overseas Service Ribbon **Hockey History** 

**High School** 

College

Hometown

**Family** 

**Employment** 

**Hobbies** 

**2012-2013 USA Warriors** 

**Calumet Career Prep Academy** 

**Lincoln College of Technology** 

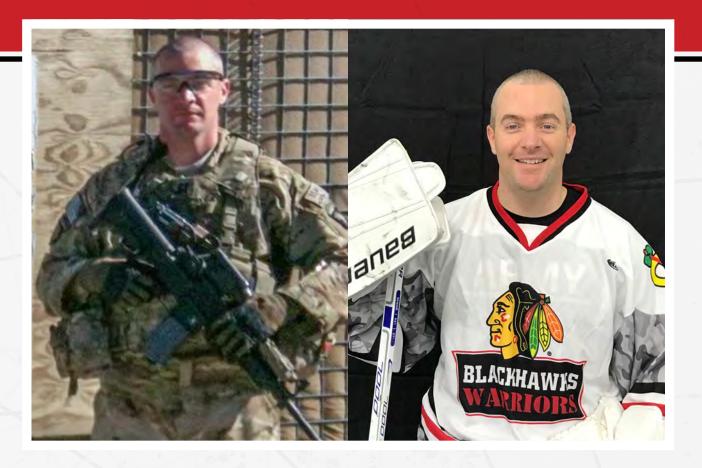
Chicago

Single

**Lyft - Vehicle Inspector and Driver** 

Playing guitar, video games, reading





# NICHOLAS ZEFELDT

**Branch of Service** Army

Rank Major

**Deployment** Operation Enduring Freedom

2011-12 and 2012-13

**Hockey History Skokie Flyers Pee-wee through Bantam** 

Loyola Academy JV, Maroon, Gold (2 years)

High School Loyola Academy

**College** 

**United States Military Academy at West Point** 

**Hometown** 

Chicago, IL

**Family** 

Wife, Marissa

**Employment** 

Des Plaines Police Department United States Army Reserve

**Hobbies** 

**Golf, Ice Hockey**