

The Austin Bruins and Rochester Grizzlies are junior hockey teams that offer playing opportunities for hockey players from all over the world to showcase their talents for NCAA schools. Our philosophy is to offer a safe and exciting place for these young men to play the game of hockey. We also make it our top priority to be a great partner in the communities that we play in. Offering not only a fun, family entertainment option, but also being a valuable part of the community. Every year through the Austin Bruins Foundation our players donate up to, and sometimes exceed, over 500 hours of community service along with different charitable fundraisers. This season we have raised over \$60,000 for different local charities like The Hormel Institute with our Paint the Rink Pink night, and our Pink in the Rink night in Rochester where we raised money for cancer research with the Mayo clinic.

- The Grizzlies and Bruins rely on income from ticket sales and beverage sales to continue to operate both franchises.
- 3.2 beer will soon be discontinued.
- The addition of wine and regular beer will give us the opportunity to offer our fans more options.
- The Bruins and Grizzlies are more than just a hockey team in each respective city. We raise funds for cancer research, veterans, the support of youth hockey, and underprivileged youth.
- In addition, both teams visit schools in the surrounding area to read to students and promote healthy lifestyle habits including food, positive behavior, and academic achievement.
- We also do anti-bullying talks.

Our teams are a valuable part of both the Austin and Rochester communities providing entertainment, youth education, and significant fundraising for veterans, medical research and furthering the sport of hockey in Southern Minnesota.

Thank you very much!

Mike Cooper

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