



CANADIAN TIRE PRESENTS

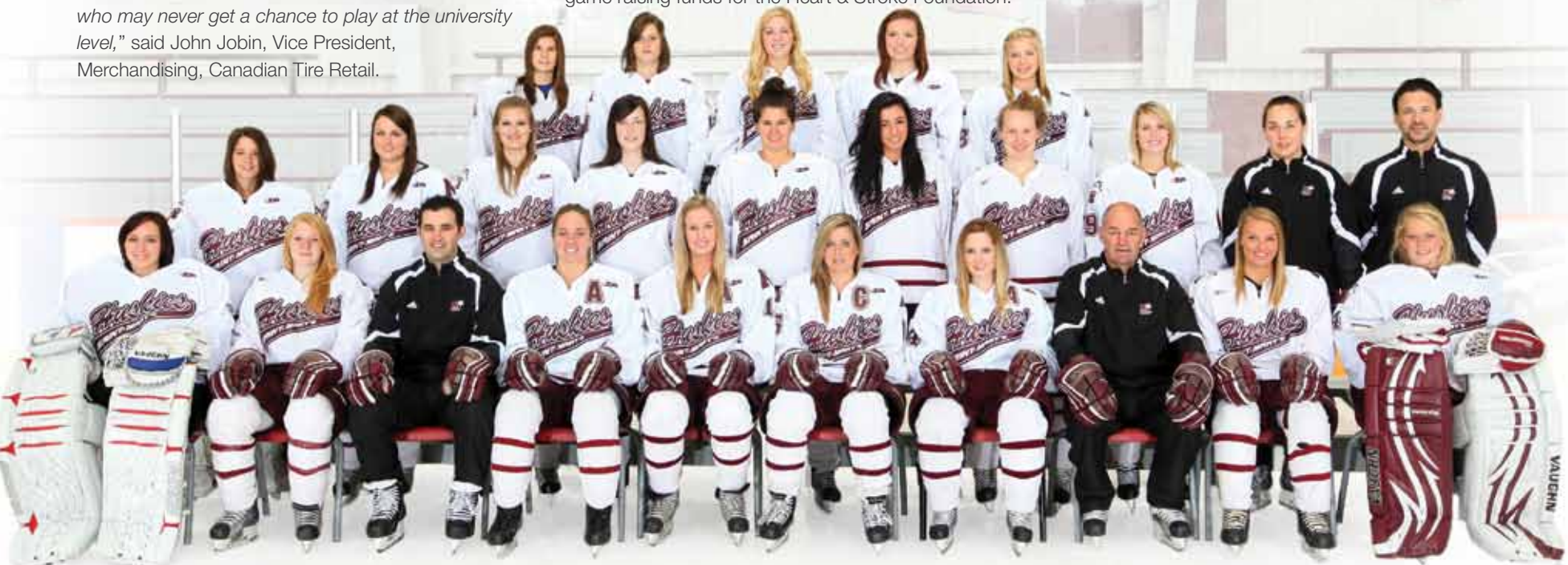
THE 2011/12 HUSKIES WOMEN'S HOCKEY TEAM

Canadian Tire's commitment to Saint Mary's University Women's Hockey program has ensured the team will continue to play and represent the University long into the future. long into the future. The team was slated for elimination back in March of this year; but with the outpouring of public support and financial commitment from Canadian Tire, the team is able to take to the ice.

"At Canadian Tire, hockey is in our DNA. The loss of a team like this would be detrimental to the community, the players, the coach, the fans and the young women who may never get a chance to play at the university level," said John Jobin, Vice President, Merchandising, Canadian Tire Retail.

New Head Coach, Chris Larade's goal is to "develop great people, not just good hockey players". That means the team will be working hard on the ice and in the community. Their commitment to the local minor hockey association will involve on-ice development sessions and off-ice lectures and fitness programs. Also, at each home game a 7th player will be recognized at the game and join the Huskies on ice for O'Canada. Their community work will also take them to Port Hood, Cape Breton for a local charity game raising funds for the Heart & Stroke Foundation.

"As a fourth year player, I am very excited to be back on the ice at Saint Mary's this year" says Sarah Maynard, Assistant Team Captain for the Huskies. "We greatly appreciate the support we received from Canadian Tire; it means so much to everyone in the community and on our team". On October 8th the Huskies will be visiting numerous Canadian Tire locations in HRM. The Huskies want to visit these stores to show their appreciation to Canadian Tire, and the communities that supported them.



MEET THE HUSKIES AT ONE OF THESE CANADIAN TIRE STORES ON OCTOBER 8TH.

MEET THE PLAYERS...WIN GREAT PRIZES...
PURCHASE YOUR SEASON PASS

All Minor Girls Team players who show up with their jersey will be given a ticket to one of the Huskies Games.

- 10:00-11:30am *Tantallon Store at 5130 Saint Margarets Bay Road*
- 1:00-2:30pm *Clayton Park Store at 10 Radcliffe Drive*
- 3:30-5:00pm *Quinpool Store at 6203 Quinpool Drive*

HOME OPENER

COME OUT AND WELCOME BACK THE HUSKIES FOR THE 2011/12 SEASON:

Wednesday, October 19 vs. Dalhousie University
7:00pm at SMU Alumni Arena

- First 200 people get a Team Poster
- Minor Girls Team Players – wear your game jersey and get in free to all Huskies Women's Home Games
- Lucky Draw – all paid attendees at the Home Opener game will have their name entered to WIN one of three \$100 Canadian Tire gift certificates.

For information on the Huskies Women's Hockey Team contact head coach Chris Larade at 496-8115 or email at: Christopher.larade@smu.ca

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