



My name is Mike Darby, and I would be honored to continue serving on the Flagstaff Youth Hockey Association (FYHA) Board. Serving as a board member has given me the opportunity to contribute ideas and support initiatives that further the development of both the program and our players.

I have lived in Flagstaff since 1996 and have worked for Beaver Street Brewery and Lumberyard Brewing Company for nearly 28 years. I currently serve as Chief Operating Officer, overseeing both businesses and their operations. My wife Brittany and our sons, Jaxon and Tucker, love spending time outdoors camping, hunting, fishing, kayaking, and exploring everything Flagstaff has to offer. We are an active family and are always looking for the next adventure.

Brittany and I have always taken an active role in our sons' activities. I coach baseball with Flagstaff Little League and Flagstaff Freeze travel ball, and Brittany serves as a team mom and organizer. She is currently the Team Manager for 12U Navy and Flagstaff Freeze.

I am also a proud hockey parent and have grown to absolutely love the sport. Our family became involved in hockey through the baseball community, where many hockey families encouraged us to give it a try. We started with Little Howlers and club hockey with both boys, and my youngest, Tucker, currently plays with the Northstars. The hockey experience has been an incredible journey for our family—building friendships, community, and a deep appreciation for the culture of the game.

As Fundraising Coordinator and a board member, I want to help create that same positive experience for other families and players by strengthening connections between the organization and the community. If re-elected, I will continue to bring dedication, organization, and a positive, goal-oriented approach to the board. I work well with others and am committed to helping FYHA grow and thrive.

Thank you for your consideration and your vote.