



## Junior "A" Hockey

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The Olds Grizzlies are pleased to announce that 20-year-old defenseman Michael Switzer has committed to Bentley College in the NCAA Atlantic Conference. Mike will join the Falcons for the 2008/09 season.

Mike is an extremely gifted defenseman that has all of the skills to compete at the NCAA level. His ability to make decisions under pressure, skate the puck up ice, as well as his willingness to compete physically every game have earned him the opportunity to play at the next level. In 57 games Mike contributed offensively adding 4 goals and 31 points.

Grizzlies Head Coach Kevin Hasselberg, " Mike is not only dedicated to his athletic development on the ice, he is extremely gifted in the class room and will certainly achieve very high standards of excellence during his time with Bentley College." Mike becomes the fifth Olds Grizzly to commit to an NCAA scholarship during the 2007/08 season.

The Olds Grizzlies Organization would like to congratulate Mike and the Switzer family with this tremendous accomplishment and wish him success in his academic and athletic pursuits.

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