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Fury U18's Carruth Accepts Invite To USNTDP Camp

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Fury Head Coach Nick Pollos announced today that 92' born goalie Mac Carruth has accepted an invitation to participate in the USA Hockey Final Camp for the USNTDP U17 Team later in March held in Ann Arbor, MI. The camp is also known as the "40 Man Camp" as USA Hockey invites up to 46 players in the 92' birth year to earn a spot on the Under 17 National Team for next season. Four goalies will participate in the camp.

The 6'1 / 170 LB net minder for the Fury Major Midget Team was a standout player this season for Coach Nick Pollos' Fury Team. Carruth began to turn heads back in September at the Detroit Little Caesars Tournament and has continued his rise to national recognition as the season progressed. "Mac is as good as it gets at his age," says Fury Head Coach Nick Pollos. "He has developed into one of the top prospects in the nation for his age and he will keep getting better." Says one NHL Scout, "He looks like a pro". Carruth split time this season with the Fury playing in 35 of the team's 60 games.

"Just to be invited is a tremendous honor for him," says Pollos. The USNTDP has produced hundreds of NCAA Division I players and dozens of NHL players as well. Most recently Chicago Black Hawks Rookie Patrick Kane, St. Louis Blues Rookie Eric Johnson, L.A. Kings Blue liner Jack Johnson and Boston Bruins standout Phil Kessel just to name a few. 140 NHL Draft Picks have come from the USNTDP and 22 NCAA All-Americans.

The Chicago Fury competes in the Midwest Elite Hockey League, which is considered by most as the top AAA Hockey League in the United States.