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Press Release

**"Acklands-Grainger Point Man to score big for enhancements to local healthcare!"**

**November 20, 2008, Lloydminster AB/SK-** The Lloydminster Region Health Foundation, Lloydminster Jr. A Bobcats and Acklands-Grainger are proud to announce a partnership that is sure to score big points for enhanced healthcare in our community.

The newly minted *Acklands Grainger Bobcat's Point Man*, Brendan Turner, will bring the program to life. For every point Turner accumulates, Acklands-Grainger will donate \$25 to the Health Foundation. During playoffs, the ante is upped, and Acklands-Grainger will donate \$50 to the Health Foundation. Rick Cowan, Manager of Acklands-Grainger's Lloydminster Branch, says, "We really wanted to support healthcare in our community, and I really like the Bobcats, so we felt like this was a perfect match".

The Lloydminster Bobcats Marketing Manager Dave Orr added, "Brendan Turner is a great hockey player, and a really good guy to have at the front of a program like this. We are excited to see how much money can be raised this year!"

Proceeds from the Acklands Grainger Bobcat's Point Man will be directed toward priority projects at Lloydminster Hospital, and Executive Director Georgina Altman and the Health Foundation are "...are so pleased to be partnering with Acklands Grainger and the Lloydminster Bobcats in this unique way. Every dollar makes a difference, and this program will bring us one step closer to reaching our goals for enhancements to the Surgery Department and purchasing a brand new Mammography unit"

Point Man Brendan Turner says, "I am very excited about being the Acklands - Grainger Point Man for the 2008-2009 Season. I believe there is an opportunity to raise a good amount of money for a great cause such as the Lloydminster Region Health Foundation."

The Lloydminster Region Health Foundation is in its 25th year of providing essential funding to enhance healthcare in our community. Since inception, over \$7 million dollars, (over \$4 million in the last 5 years alone) has been invested into the community by the Foundation.

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