

I can't believe I made a documentary for my thesis. I wonder if previous College Scholars have ever done this. But, I'm almost certain that many will do "outrageous" things like this for their thesis. After all, writing research papers has become so mundane. I think so, anyway. At least, this was one of the main motivators for doing a documentary. I really didn't want to write a paper. Ironically, I think I ended up writing more for this video than I would have had I done a standard research paper. But of course, the thought of less writing was not the only reason for doing the video. Almost a year ago, I discovered my calling. Well, it's my calling for this period of my life. It'll probably change within ten years or so. Who knows? Maybe it won't. But, the point is I've unearthed a sincere love for visual conception. My favorite form of it so far has been in moving images. It's such a perfect format for making stories come to life. Stories. What great magicians they are. They have the power to release your worries so you can worry about some other person who doesn't exist. But that's the power of it. You know it doesn't matter. So, you allow yourself to experience all the concavities of life – pain, love, sorry, laughter, jealousy, youth – because it's risk free. No, nothing's gained. But, nothing's lost either.

I think this is one of the main reasons people have such a profound interest in documentaries. Not only are they interesting stories, but they're real. At least, that's what the documentarist wants his/her audience to believe. There's a greater depth in witnessing something real. It's almost the perfect justification to being noisy. Legal peeping toms. I think people can't help but compare their lives to others. They're usually always wondering what other people are doing – whether or not they've found a certain secret to happiness that their own lives are lacking. Or, they want to make sure that they are the "normal ones" in society while the real fools and crazies make fun of their useless lives on A&E or the Jerry Springer Show.

I almost shamefully admit that this was one of the attractions that drew me to broadcasting. I not only like stories, but I'm also a little noisy, too. But at least I am not a gossip. I've never delighted in sharing other's woes with people. Maybe it's because I've been a victim of gossip myself. But, I do have an interest in people's lives. Who are they? What do they do? How did they come to do the things they're doing? Are they married? Is it successful? Why or why not? What's the secret? How did they know they were ready? So many questions. It's a sad reflection of my own insecurities. And I haven't fully realized the truth, yet - that there are no answers to these questions. It's just the mystery of life. But it's the drive to know what other people do and how they handle their problems and how they really live – if they're truly living at all - that keeps me interested in this field. It's a yearning to learn. To learn how to live.

This is why I do documentaries.

The following is a series of various journal entries I wrote while making the documentary. They offer a glimpse of the project's process and my own personal thoughts about it. It's not an extensive journal because I spent most of my time writing outlines and preliminary scripts. I've also included these in the package. To me, they're more interesting than the actual journal entries.

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October 7, 1999

I'm starting this journal basically to prove that I actually put some thought, time and effort into this program just in case the final piece turns out to be a complete flop. But, I don't think it will be. At least I truly hope not anyway. So far, things are going pretty good. I've selected, changed and finally settled on a topic – the multifaceted Shamrock team – a sort of intramural group comprised of ten players (I think) who are about as different personally and demographically as MTV is from CNN. They are such an interesting combination of professionals, college students, ex-hippies, fathers, brothers, sons, etc. that their individuality and complexity compels this project to succeed.

Must admit that I cannot be given credit for this idea. I originally wanted to do a documentary on the culture of Knoxville. Trust me, it not only sounds like a dead-end, it is one. I then, after going to Moose's one night with my roommate (the second time I've been there in four years), pondered the idea of analyzing and documenting the social life of your average college student. This would mean, of course, going to as many keggers, parties, mixers and clubs as one could imagine. This idea quickly became obsolete when I realized I'd be completely miserable working on it. I consider myself to be a very low-key college student who

does not enjoy and rarely participates in the “normal” or “average” social activities that college students do. I hate bars and cannot stand club music.

Needless to say, I was lost, confused, bewildered, and not to mention, completely stressed out. I didn’t know what to do, but I knew I still wanted to do a documentary. One night, my boyfriend, Matt Mahoney, and I went to play pick-up-soccer at the Parker Sport’s Arena on Lovell Road. Parker was the place where Matt and his roller hockey team played their games every Sunday afternoon. After listening to my complaints and confusion, Matt suggested that I do the video on the Shamrocks. I dismissed it immediately, but he kept on about it. He said it would be really interesting because the guys were so different from one another but they all played on the same team together.

After thinking about it for a while, it sounded like a better idea than I originally thought. Plus, I knew and loved all the guys, and they’d be very accessible for interviews. Also, his hockey games were already a part of my life; all I would have to do was carry my camera everywhere I went to capture as much as I could. The only problem remaining was how to form the story. And who would be interested these guys anyway.

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video notes:

- mostly got shots of Matt (of course)
- some good close-ups of Pat’s scowl
- Derrick’s slapshot attempts
- Actually went into rink to film
- Think of ways to attach camera to player’s chest (backpack?)

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October 9, 1999

We got to Parker about 5:45 after wedging our way in and out of UT football traffic. The drive was even nastier due to rain. To make matters worse, Pat was in a foul mood. He had wanted to leave right at five o'clock so we could swing by the new hockey store before practice. But, I got there at 5:15 – too late by his standards. I've been unofficially dubbed the chauffeur for just about every even we go to – including hockey games and practices.

Practices are set especially for the team, but they aren't limited to just the players. I've even practiced with them before. So has John, Bob's seven-year-old son. Not all the players are here today. Only Matt, Derrick, Pat and Bob decided to show up. Guess the rest are either at the football game or stayed home because of the rain. OJ's here, too. Looks like he's going to practice being goalie.

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October 10, 1999

Game day. It's 12:30. Game starts at 1:00 today. Guys are changing. I'm sitting in the booth watching a hockey clinic in session. This really amazes me – all these men – mostly grown men – and a couple of women – are skating around trying to learn how to skate and maneuver a hockey puck at the same time. Admittedly, it's no easy feat – and these guys on the rink are prime examples. They're stumbling around, letting pucks fly by them, dragging their skates and have a look of utter confusion written all over their faces. Why? Why are they out there? Why are they paying money to look like complete goofballs for an hour?

Matt had interrupted me a few minutes ago to see what I was doing. I told him what I was writing about. He seemed a little shocked by my confusion – maybe a little offended by it, too. In his opinion, the guys in the clinic were doing something great – they were trying to get better

at something they had fun doing. They still had fun with it even though they were horrible at it. That concept is so foreign to me. I've always had a horrible time doing something I knew I couldn't do well. Huh, "couldn't" do well. Maybe I am a defeatist. I always thought that if I couldn't do something well, then I'd never be able to do it well. And when I do it, I feel miserable because I know I'm no good. Even when I'm out there in practices with them, I know it doesn't mean anything and that I'm just supposed to have fun with it, but I don't. I feel absolutely miserable because I know I look like an idiot. And the crazy thing is that I actually try to play hockey out there – I want to do well – God knows why. But, the more I try, the worse I seem to play. And, I just become more frustrated. It's a vicious cycle, and I'm aware now that it happens in almost everything I do – dancing, drawing, games, writing. If I'm not good at it, then it's not fun to do. I don't know if I've ever done anything that I suck at and had fun with it. I take everything – even fun stuff – very seriously. Jeez, Crystal, how do you think people – including yourself – learn anything. Yet, these guys don't do that. Maybe that's my story.

So many different types of guys. Some raised on hockey. Some have never seen a game until they were adults. Yet, they've found something in hockey. A release, hobby, exercise, a change of pace, or a break in their ordinary, demanding lives? They come every game day just to play. They know they're not that good and that maybe this will be the best they'll ever do at hockey. But, they don't care. They play for fun. They play for the game. Not because they're good. Not because they have hopes of making it. Some of them have already made it to where they'll be in their lives. And for those who are just starting out in their careers, they know that they probably won't make it in hockey, but at least they keep playing anyway.

Matt says it's a challenge – a test of character. It amazes me. It's a motivation. It's a testament that even the challenges in life are worth enduring, and if looked upon in the right way, the journey on the road to being better can actually be fun.

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Only got about 2/3 of a period on film. Karen, who just recently wed #10 Tony Smith, walked in and started talking to me. I hate not giving someone my full attention when they're speaking to me, so the project suffered. Too bad. The Shams won 12 to something really low. I gotta get a hold of myself. Got to keep project's importance in mind.

Matt's ribs started to hurt last week. He probably pulled a muscle from ice hockey. He was in serious pain almost the entire game, but he still played. I hope it's not a cracked rib.

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October 23, 1999

The Shamrocks have been outstanding in the past two weeks. They've beaten all their opponents by impressive margins. They've done so well that management has decided to move them up to a more advanced league (the "B" or "silver" league). Today is their championship game. They're playing the Killer Fish who beat the "redneck" Predators – the most aggressive team in the league.

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November 12, 1999

Tonight, Shams moved up to the B league. Nerves escalated at the thought of facing a tougher, faster opponent. At first, it looked like they'd have to wait another week. The other team hadn't shown up. A forfeit was decided, but the team that played before agreed to give the

Shams some ice time. After the first period of scrimmage, the forfeited team showed up ready to play. Unfairly, the game started. The Shams' first "B League" opponent was the Vipers.

Despite the nerves and the exhaustion from the pre-game scrimmage, the Shams did better than I think they expected. Many players rose to the new challenge, especially #10 Tony Smith. His clumsy footwork doesn't hinder his impressive style and instinct. He has an uncanny knack of knowing where the puck and his teammates are at all times. Off the ice, his is quiet and private, usually avoiding locker-room conversation. He dresses alone and quickly goes off to meet his wife. But on the ice, he's one of the guys – a real asset to his teammate. And the guys love him.

Shams lost 5-8.

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Tony 539-1675

OT - 562-4366

Craig - 986-2296

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- care for one another.

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Mahoney, P 6

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Hasentufel 2

Smith 9

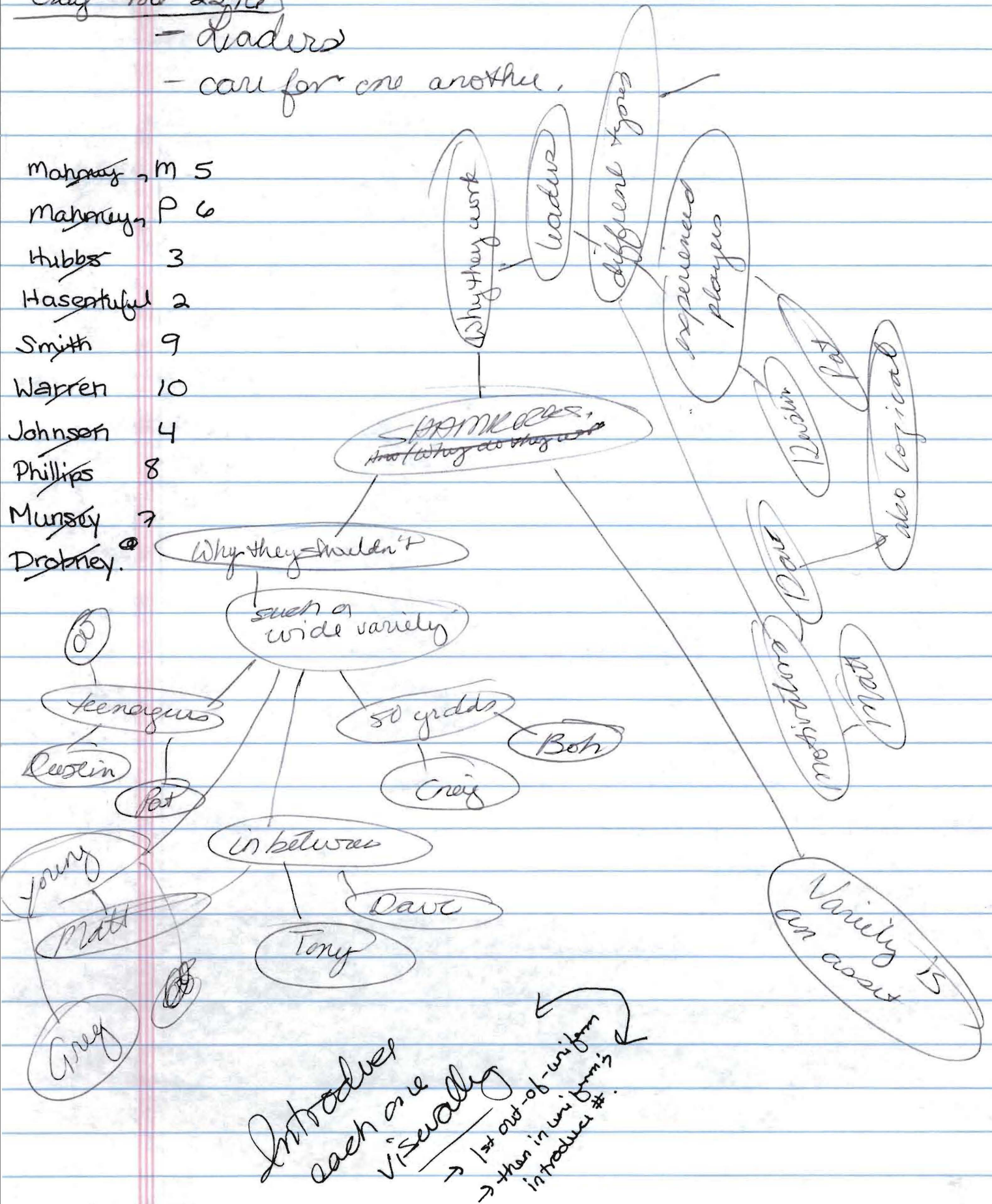
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Johnson 4

Phillips 8

Munsey 7

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| Windshield view – rain – wipers (9)                              | Ever notice how your mind wanders while you're driving? Especially on long drives? You think of the weirdest things. I used to imagine plots for stories I'd write...real creepy highway stories with a twilight zone twist. But, I haven't written one yet. God knows how many stories I've thought of. |
| Me driving car (1)                                               | That's me. Crystal Alexander. I'm a 22 year-old college senior. And I'm on my way home to visit family and friends.                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| - New Orleans signs (9)                                          | They live in New Orleans and Mississippi.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| - Tennessee welcome sign (9)                                     | I moved to Tennessee four years ago.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|                                                                  | So I try to visit them as often as I can.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Mile gage. (9)<br>- traffic<br>- wrecked car. / cop              | It's a 597.8 mile-long, monotonous drive that has all sorts of nasty possibilities.                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Show Luke playing with camera (3)                                | But the rewards are worth it.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| Show mom: "Yeah! Get out the car, Crystal!" (9)                  | And it's always an interesting homecoming                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| me in the car.                                                   | So why am I telling you this?<br>As I mentioned before, my mind often wanders on these trips.                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| us watching TV<br>me talking to Craig<br>2 guys w/ orange shirts | I often think about people.<br>People I know<br>People I don't know.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |

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| <p>Derrick's friends</p> | <p>One thing I noticed about people is that they usually tend to hang out with others who look like them.</p> <p><del>Beautiful women have beautiful friends</del></p> <p><del>Jocks hang out with jocks.</del></p> <p><del>And larger folk also tend to gravitate towards one another.</del></p> |
|                          | <p><del>Another thing is that you rarely see a great difference in age between friends or companions.</del></p>                                                                                                                                                                                   |
|                          | <p><del>Unless, of course, they're related.</del></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
|                          | <p>It's odd to think that the men and women people like best are the ones who most resemble themselves.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|                          | <p>Might explain prejudice (ADD MORE)</p> <p><del>For some reason, people just can't tolerate others who are different from them.</del></p>                                                                                                                                                       |
| <p>me in car?</p>        | <p>Another thing I used to think about on my trips was what I would do for my senior thesis project. It was a big pain <del>in the ass</del> that I wasn't looking forward to. So, I didn't like to think about it too much. Mostly, I just complained about it.</p>                              |

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| <p><del>Matt shoots</del></p> <p>Matt + gun.</p>    | <p>One night, I had gripped so much about what I going to do for this project that</p>                           |
| <p>Matt sets face-off (45)</p>                      | <p>My boyfriend, Matt, jokingly suggested that I do an extensive study on his roller hockey team</p>             |
|                                                     | <p>He said that I should present the team as a gradual blossom of outstanding athleticism and sportsmanship.</p> |
| <p>CU Matt • making too. (37)</p>                   | <p>Of course, he was only kidding.</p>                                                                           |
| <p>47</p>                                           | <p>But, as ideas ran out, Matt's suggestion looked better and better.</p>                                        |
| <p>(63)</p> <p>Derrick falls blocking pass (44)</p> | <p>Not because they were such a great team</p> <p>They could actually use a little practice</p>                  |
|                                                     | <p>But because the players on the team are so different from one another.</p>                                    |
| <p>Derrick (43)</p>                                 | <p>There are big guys...</p>                                                                                     |
|                                                     | <p>And smaller ones...</p>                                                                                       |
| <p>Dave (40)</p>                                    | <p>They have young players</p>                                                                                   |



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| all Craig                          | And older ones...                                                                                                                                    |
|                                    | And some who are conservative...                                                                                                                     |
| Just flicking hair                 | And some who aren't so conservative...                                                                                                               |
|                                    | Also, they are guys on the team who have been playing for several years.                                                                             |
| Dustin's <sup>↗</sup> breakthrough | <del>While</del><br>Why some guys have never even played hockey before.                                                                              |
| play? some? stick go in air        | What's even odder about this collaboration is that it works.<br>They are, for the most part, a successful team.<br>...in spite of their differences. |
| opponent's team all kids.          | This thought intrigued me.<br><br>Don't people usually like to work better with others who are more like them?                                       |
|                                    | <del>So as usual, Matthew conquered my heart,</del> and I decided to do my project on his roller hockey team.                                        |
| face off ←<br>goal. →              | But instead of focusing on their sticking handling..<br><br>Goal-shooting...                                                                         |

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|  | And passing skills...                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
|  | I decided to find out what holds this team and all of its differences together.<br>→ ★                                                                                                                                                                            |
|  | I figured the best way to do this is to look at the players and find out who they are and how they both on and off the rink...<br>→ <u>play</u>                                                                                                                   |
|  | Defense-men number 96...<br><u>Defenseman</u>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|  | ...is David Drobney<br>a 24 year old law student at the University of Tennessee in Knoxville.<br>Because his dad was in the army, he's lived in states. He returned to Tennessee for law school because he said it was his favorite place he's ever lived so far. |
|  | This is his wife, Maggie.<br>She's an elementary school teacher<br>And goes to all of David's games.                                                                                                                                                              |
|  | Defense-men number four is Bob Hasentufel...                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
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all was in the U.S.

POSSIBLE QUOTES:

☺ "Love is hard work; and hard work sometimes hurts." (Unknown)

- "You call it madness, but I call it love." (Don Byas)

☹ "Love is like playing the piano. First you must learn to play by the rules, then you must forget the rules and play from your heart." (Unknown)

- "It takes a genius to whine appeasingly." (F. Scott Fitzgerald)

- "The nice thing about egoist is that they don't talk about other people." (Lucille S. Harper)

- "To see things in the seed, that is genius." (Lao-tzu)

- The mediocre teacher tells. The good teacher explains. The superior teacher demonstrates. The great teacher inspires." (William Arthur Ward)

☹ "Knowing and not doing are equal to not knowing at all." (Unknown)

- "Experience: that most brutal of teachers. But you learn, my God do you learn." (C. S. Lewis)

- There comes that mysterious meeting in life when someone acknowledges who we are and what we can be, igniting the circuits of our highest potential.” (rusty Berkus)
- “I find the harder I work, the more luck I seem to have.” (Thomas Jefferson)
- “Success is counted sweetest – By those who ne’er succeed.” (Emily Dickinson)
- “The toughest thing about being a success is that you’ve got to keep on being a success.” (Irving Berlin)
- “A pessimist sees the difficulty in every opportunity; an optimist sees the opportunity in every difficulty.” (Sir Winston Churchill)
- “Only those who risk going too far can possibly find out how far one can go.” (T. S. Eliot)
- ☹ “Most of my achievements are mistakes.” (Unknown)
- He has achieved success who has worked well, laughed often, and loved much.” (Elbert Hubbard)
- “You gain strength, experience, and confidence by every experience when you really stop to look fear in the face... You must do the thing you cannot do.” (Eleanor Roosevelt)
- “Failure? I never encountered it. All I ever met were temporary setbacks.” (Dotie Walters)

- “And in the end it’s not the years in your life that count. It’s the life in your years.” (Abraham Lincoln)
- “All you need in life is ignorance and confidence, and then success is sure.” (Mark Twain)
- “When one door closes, another opens. But we often look so regretfully upon the closed door that we don’t see the one that has opened for us.” (Alexander Graham Bell)
- “No one can make you feel inferior without your consent.” (Eleanor Roosevelt)
- “I will permit no man to narrow and degrade my soul by making me hate me him.” (Booker T. Washington)
- “Life is a song – sing it. Life it’s a game – play it. Life is a challenge – meet it. Life is a dream – realize it. Life is a sacrifice – offer it. Life is love – enjoy it.” (Sai Baba)
- “Life is either a daring adventure or nothing at all.” (Helen Keller)
- “If you want a guarantee, buy a toaster.” (Clint Eastwood)
- “Be kind, for everyone you meet is fighting a harder battle.” (Plato)

## Interview

Why do you play hockey?

- ✓ state your name, age ✓
- ✓ are you a student ✓
- ✓ how old are you? ✓
- ✓ what are you studying ✓
- ✓ what do you want to do after you graduate ✓
- ✓ how do you know you want to do this. ✓
- ✓ how did you get into hockey ✓
- ✓ how long have you been playing hockey? ✓
- ✓ what positions have you played? ✓
- ✓ what's your favorite position? ✓
- ✓ do you like roller or ice hockey better ✓
- ✓ how did you find out about the Shamrocks? ✓
- ✓ how did you become coach? ✓
- ✓ how many people you didn't know on the Shamrocks? ✓
- ✓ was there anyone on the team that you didn't like and didn't want to play with? ✓
- ✓ how did you feel about playing with your brother? ✓
- ✓ what was the best game you ever had ✓
- ✓ what was the worst? ✓
- ✓ how is hockey different from any other sport you've played? ✓
- ✓ have you ever gotten injured? ✓
- ✓ is there ever a time when you don't want to play? ✓
- ✓ how did you become coach? ✓
- ✓ what do you like about ✓
- ✓ describe what being the coach of the Shamrocks means to you. ✓
- ✓ what don't you like about coaching? ✓
- ✓ how do you ~~inspire~~ feel like you can inspire your team? ✓
- ✓ what do you think are the qualities a team needs to succeed? ✓
- ✓ how do you feel about 3, 4, 6, 8, 14, 32, 40, 96, 10 ✓

What are your hobbies?





- name, age, occupation, where are you from?

- how <sup>long</sup> did you get into hockey?

2 1/2 - how long have you played hockey?

id. - how'd you get into it?

- Did you start the Shamrocks? / Why?

- What do you like about it?

- What don't you like about it?

- Have you ever gotten injured?

- Did you start the Shamrocks? / Why?

- Did you have an idea about who you ~~wouldn't~~ wanted to be on the team?

- ~~Who~~ Anyone on the team you didn't want to play with?

- Has anyone surprised <sup>you</sup> as being a better player than you expected?

- Have you ever been in a fight? Why / not?

- How do you feel about w/ such a diverse group of people?

- Many of the guys, ~~involving~~ refer to you as being a "big guy." What do you think about that?

- Have you ever been in a fight?

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- What

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Things to Get:

- reactions from bunch (long + close shots)



- package: still shots of "teams"
- monologue → what makes a team → explain Shamrocks.

They teach us what being a team is all about.

## TREATMENT (I)

→ quote

- backpack shot
- Matt working at desk
- backpack shot
- Bob shooting production
- backpack shot
- Dustin working at Krogen's
- backpack shot
- Craig ~~Tommy~~ working / Tony + Karen.
- blackout

• fade in quote - TEAMSHIP - fade to black.  
 > (Buston interview?)

• back to monologue

the ~~important~~ Building Blocks of making a team.

- passion
- humility.
- dedication
- skill
- leadership
- courage.

can't have a team without the players. Who are they?

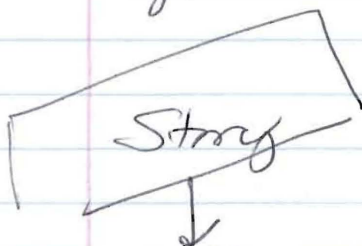
- Players → youngest to oldest

- Quote

- ~~Matt Mattmy~~

## What's my Story?

There's this young guy, 22-year-old college student, hard-working, aspires to start his own company one day. He seems like a pretty normal kid. Like most young men his age, Matt loves sports, his favorite is hockey.



team → all different in there own right:

→ work together → successful

took a sports team → most typical type of team, followed them for 2 seasons to discover what makes them work. Are they successful or not?

Found one team, in a roller hockey league - The Shamrocks - decided to follow them because ~~they~~ ① - they're nice guys + didn't mind a camera intruding into their lives + ② they provide an interesting twist to what makes a successful team.

8 players

youngest player is 18 (shot of Pat)  
oldest is 50 (shot of Bob). They're a mix of students, brothers, husbands, computer programmers, mechanics, + a filmmaker. Although most were strangers when they first met, they've managed to form a team / a bond →



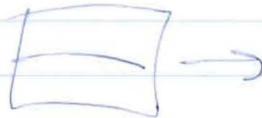
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## I. Introduction

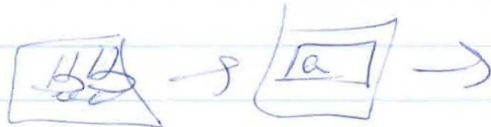
- present various example of teams  
 • freeze frames

- slow mo b/w

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dissolve



dissolve



flash →



quick mo of  
backpack shot

1- goal

2- lipato

3- kench

4 → back → look around directly at camera

5 → bag of equipment

6 → slow down of stick

7 → slow slide of rink → covera circle

8 → snack bar → various x.s.

## Equipment

1- skateboard

2- nylon backpack

3- stuffing / T-shirt

4- duck tape



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| <p>There are ten of them.<br/>They come from different backgrounds and<br/>lead different lives.<br/>Some have wives and children.<br/>Others are just starting college.<br/>But all of them are united by their love for one<br/>game – hockey.<br/>And on one night a week, they put their<br/>differences aside and together they become –<br/>the Shamrocks.</p> <p><i>Graphic* / Graphic*</i></p> |                                  |
| <p>Most of the players met for the first time here –<br/>at the Ice Chalet</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                  |
| <p>For their first season, the Shamrocks started in<br/>the lowest league – called the Bronze league</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                  |
| <p>Matt Mahoney was the coach.<br/>His younger brother, Pat, was the captain.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                  |
| <p>In spite of the varying skill levels, and the fact<br/>that some of the players were complete<br/>strangers, the season started out well.<br/>They won half their games.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <p><i>"Learning to Fly."</i></p> |
| <p>But the Shamrock Luck was tricky.<br/>The following season, they lost every game.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                  |
| <p>But the next season, the Shamrocks won every<br/>game including the championship.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                  |
| <p>By this third season, they had become better<br/>hockey players</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                  |
| <p>Learned things they never though they would<br/>do.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                  |

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| And they learned more about each other's lives.                                                                                                                                                                 |  |
| What was important to each of them.                                                                                                                                                                             |  |
| ...And the things that weren't.                                                                                                                                                                                 |  |
| They learned who liked to fight...                                                                                                                                                                              |  |
| ...and who didn't.                                                                                                                                                                                              |  |
| They began to defend each other.                                                                                                                                                                                |  |
| They became a unit.<br>They laughed together.<br>Suffered together.<br>And celebrated together.                                                                                                                 |  |
| And, as most men who play sports do, they made fun of each other.                                                                                                                                               |  |
| More apparent, they learned how to care about one another.                                                                                                                                                      |  |
| It was obvious the Shamrocks had definitely merged and become a force.                                                                                                                                          |  |
| In the next season, they would move up a level to the silver league and face younger, faster, better hockey players.<br>Will the Shamrocks be able to keep up?<br>And will their friendship survive either way? |  |
| Graphic *                                                                                                                                                                                                       |  |

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| After two seasons in the B league, the Shamrocks still have not won one game.                                                                                                                                 |  |
| And the tension is thickening.                                                                                                                                                                                |  |
| But, they're still sticking together.                                                                                                                                                                         |  |
| Out of the ten, only two have left the team.                                                                                                                                                                  |  |
| Number 31, Greg Warren left to play goalie for another team.                                                                                                                                                  |  |
| And number 10, Tony Smith, decided to take a season off to move into a new house and enjoy married life for a little while.<br>But he promised to return next season.                                         |  |
| Will the Shamrocks still be there?                                                                                                                                                                            |  |
| Probably.                                                                                                                                                                                                     |  |
| In spite of their losing streak,<br>And in spite of their differences,<br>Each still maintains a love for hockey.<br>And it is this love for the game that is the most cohesive bond for the men who play it. |  |

VHS TAPE 3

- Scoreboard 7-0, 9-0, 14-0 (buzzer) ✓
- Tony + Karen driving off in car
- Dustin on couch
- Matt w/ stick + ball practicing
- Pat on couch, throws ball
- Matt: get ready for game - can beat Predators - we're a different team now - they're not that good.
- John talks to Bob during the game.
- Scoreboard 10-6 w/ buzzer
- players shake hands.
- Zack: "Impressive, kicked a little ass"
- Shamrock pic w/ zoom in of cup
- Light turned on.
- Bob + John resting on the bench
- Bob's slapshot hits post.
- Bob - good defensive move - passes puck
- Matt watches practices, makes silly face at the camera
- John's skates perched on door
- John says "Dad"
- Bob watches practices → "Fire, Dave, Fire"
- Matt - we knew everyone when we first started, but just didn't have enough people.
- Matt - 1st season - getting used to it all
- Matt - after championship - wanted to break team - but didn't want to play on another team
- Matt - Bob. Bob's a goon.



- Bob talks about game after game - Craig says - need to practice.
- Purple Haze attacks Tony & he falls.
- opponent breaks away and makes a nice score.
- Purple Haze guys attack and trip Dustin.
- Scoreboard 1-5.
- CU Pat looking despondent
- CU Tony looking despondent.
- Bob steals puck but passes it to no one.
- Bob tries to grab it but loses it.
- Bob @ party - the true Shamrock.
- Bob talks with Matt and Pat at table.
- Bob with Dickel girls.
- Bob's picture.
- Drinking from the cup.
- ★ • Bob at work.
- Matt watching goal - good profile + shot of skater.
- Bob looks despondent after enemy goal.
- Bob defends puck.
- Shams laughing on bench during break.
- Bob spins and reaches for puck.
- Pat tries to sneak puck in → doesn't work → looks tired + sad.
- Shamrocks leave ice.
- Matt in car - talks about loss.
- CU Bob in bench out-of-uniform.
- ★ • Bob's house.



# TAPE 3

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## Matt's Interview

- make lots of money - always played on tennis courts.
- dad always watched hockey
- used to playing defense in soccer → interesting making plays
- feels comfortable to ~~ice skate~~ more on roller blades.
- ~~something to do~~
- hockey
- just looked neat wanted to try it ...

like scoring

## ① Derek said we should get into some roller hockey.

- me + Pat called them the Shamrocks.
  - back in 1800s → old hockey team
  - team has to have a mean name.
  - but like it bc it's novel.

## - Polar Bears joined Shamrocks

- Don't want to tell anyone what to do → likes to yell at people.
- likes playing w/ brother → knows what no rivalry (???) will go around w/ it
- ~~best game~~
- to see if we're getting better.
- takes skill to play. ↓ Must master skating.
- \* - strong point → team having fun
- Matt talks about being coach ~ still learning can't say he's a mentor.
- makes mouth noise.

## ② Juice wanted to play goalie.

- this season → getting used to new league
- hard to lose, but we're learning.
- \$135 / season

- Dustin's "good"

- moved from C league to B.
- Dustin shouldn't have been in C league.
- I need to learn how to skate --
- hockey's always there.

- an asset to team → people can learn from everyone.
- good teams learn + have fun.

- winning's not what it's about.

- got a weak slapshot

- hockey is my way of relieving stress.

↳ - like to do graphics ~ design webpages ~ play cribbage.

- always sketched

- Dad's in navy ~ navy-brat ~ names places he's lived.

- Knoxville ~ no relatives.

- Craig → "sexy legs"

- Bob → gym

- Dustin's cool ~ amazing.

- Tony ✓✓✓

- Derick -

- Juice - never seen anyone like to play goals.

- Dave - insurance, cool collector

- to know where everyone is.

- try to assess the game.

- can sense when people get tense.

working on aspects



VT3 (4)

- friends are different.
- lives are different
- back grounds are different

## Coliseum

- Juice makes a save.
- CU Craig on boards.
- Derrick falls on ice.
- Matt tells Derrick to take this one.
- Derrick passes to Matt - shots + misses - CU of Matt going to bench.
- Pat charges for puck.
- Juice misses save.
- Pat's helmet knocked off.
- Pat fights for puck on boards.
- P knocks someone over + steals puck.
- Matt pissed, hits ice w/ stick.
- Matt's slapshot.
- charge by white socks + go action in front of net.
- CU Mary Beth.
- Matt flies into goal.
- Matt misses penalty shot.
- CU faceoff.
- Juice makes diving save
- Matt wins faceoff but trips on breakaway.
- Matt stumbles into bench.
- slapshot flies past Juice
- Derrick falls + rolls over
- good CU of Matt on face off.

## Shamrock game.

at end  
of game.

- CU Greg spinning crown
- CU of bench.
- CU Derrick.

sitting down. for game.

- Bob talks about game.
- Craig says need to practice.

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VT3 ⑤

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### TAPE 1

- wedding

- sh vs. prod (c.)

- mystery Alaska

### TAPE 2

- Early Summer scenes ~ "Grace" ~ Le Châlet

- practice (10.9.99)

- good variety of angles
- on-the-ice shots

Derrick's slap shots

· John + Bob

↳ Matt pinning John

↳ Matt Post falls

↳ hurts knee

· Bob + John resting on bench

· Dave's slapshot ✓✓

· Derrick falls down - breaking Dave's shot

· Pat makes funny face - drinks water

· Matt intensely watching practice.

· John scores - close-up

· Bob's slapshot - hits post





## ⊙ Matt coaching

- Pat pass to Derrick + shoots
- Face-off - Pat's backside - Pat loses puck

## ⊙ Bob - good defensive move - passes to Matt who shoots

- Puck sliding on floor - close-up

## ⊙ Puck slides into Juice's hand.

- Good shot of puck + foot work
- Foot work + Pat

## ⊙ Dave runs into + trips someone.

- Matt breakaway

## ⊙ ⚡ Matt scores - shakes head.

- Juice scrambles for a save.

## ⊙ - Good single shots of Matt.

- ⚡ • "Give blood - play hockey" → Matt smiling

- Matt falls down - gets up - sticks tongue out

## ⊙ ⚡ Good close-up of Dave making goofy face.

- Pat's break away.

- ⚡ • Pat knocked down - laughs it off ~ checks elbow ~ gives a mean face.

- Matt + Bob watching from bench

- Dave steals, breaks away + shoots.

## ⊙ Matt watching from bench (side view / x)

- Juice naked on bench.

## ⊙ John's skates perched on door

- Matt watching play - passing puck to Bob

- Bob shoots → deflects off another skate.

- Matt makes slapshot ~ funny

- John's head + smile - watching game.

- Puck passed to Matt - he misses.

## ⊙ John says "Dad"

- ⊙ Bob instructing John → voice only → skates Bob watching John.

"Fire, Dave, fire!" (Bob)



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VT3⑥

- ★ Derek's slapshot attempts
- Matt undressing
- Pat's bag - undressing
- John - undoing skates.
- Matt undoing skates.
- Matt's face - tired but smiling.
- Bob getting money from Derek.
- Juice - "chillin'"
- Bob ~ undoing John's skates ~ Matt teasing John.
- ★ Derek's stitches.
- Pat ~ nervous grin
- J. leaving.
- Bob ~ "we're gonna win"

(10.16.99)

- Beginner's workshop.
- Preston giving instruction.
- ★ Quotion misses puck - goes b/t his legs.
- Pat slams into board to get puck. - fixes helmet
- ★ Good All of Derrick
- Pat cheering after score.
- Derek's falls.
- Bob trips player
- Dave passes - Derek misses pass - puck goes all the way to other goalie.
- Derek dives for puck
- Dave passes to Derek who passes to Matt who shoots - scores?
- ★ Dave - nice slapshot - bounce off opponent.
- Tony spun around by opponent + almost falls.



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Dustin fighting for puck

Dustin scores w/o looking + celebrates with Tony.

Close-up of Dustin hunched over + getting ready for face-off

Pat fights for puck + wins it even though he's pinned against wall by opponent.

Dave passes to Tony + who fights for it w/ goalie + falls down.

Matt steals - breaks away + shoots + rubs ribs - grimaces.

Pat falls while passing puck.

Dave falls passing puck.

Matt blocks pass w/ skate.

Dave scores → shoots it b/t two players.

Matt eating.

Pat - making faces.

Pat talking about cursing. - wouldn't be hockey w/o it.

Matt showing chewed food.

Dave 2 → "I'm not a player."

Fighting about passing. → egos → about

Matt talking about PJ + Dave's fight.

Derek give "ass" synonyms.

Derek - diabetic.

Derek eating.

Juice → puck gets stuck in pads.

good save.

"Pat you suck"

Pat got  
2:00 for motivation

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~~chance~~

Juice's shut-out



③

VT3 ⑦

- Pat steal + breakaway shoots.
- opponent shoots off of foot.
- Tony falls going for puck.
- good slap for Pat
- Tony scores → asst. by Dave

close-up Tony

• Derrick tying shot

- Matt scores → asst by Craig
- Pat's breakaway

• Derrick circling around opponent. puck stolen away

• Matt scores → asst by C → pass around goalie

• "Skate w/ it Pat" (Matt)

• Tony trying for steal.

★ Pat scores → asst. by Scott

- scrumming for puck → falling over goalie.
- Scott misses puck.

★ Pat breaks away + scores.

• Derrick fixes helmet.

• Matt knicks opponent against board.

• M. misses puck.

• Matt makes long pass to Craig → shoots + miss

• Derrick scores → surprise shot.

• scoreboard (1st period) → 7 - 0

• Craig trips. Derrick steals.

• Derrick through the legs + shots.

• Tony steals → bounces puck off Dave's skate + catches it.

• Pat races.

• Good Tony pass to Scott who shoots.

- Dave good shot but bounces off opponent's skate.
- Derrick's breakaway + shoots but misses.
- Matt passes to Derrick good shot but misses → bounce off goal.
- ★ Pat does a split + tackles opponent.
- opponent does a split tackle.
- Tony circles - almost loses puck but doesn't.
- Pat falls.
- Tony circles opponents + steals for a shot but misses.
- Tony trips stick + steals.
- AWW → Pat + Scott's breakaway.
- Scott misses but Pat scores + Scott looks confused.

- Matt circles + passes to Derrick → shoots but misses.

• Craig steals → backhand shot - but misses!

• Matt passes to Craig who plays for puck + keeps it away from opp. → "Good job Craig" (Pat)

• Craig runs into opponent - both fall.

• Pat runs into opponent - both fall.

• scoreboard - 9-0 2nd per.

• Scott gets tangled fighting for puck.

• Cheering juices score in booth

• Pat fights for it along boards + shoots but misses.

• Pat breaks away → stop very short → sends opponent smashing into boards.

• Scott scores in top corner.

• Pat on lines → backhand pass.

• Craig has puck stolen away - chooses it.

• Matt falls - but steals puck → scores doing a B.Y.

• Derrick slaps air



- Matt passes to Derrick who falls trying to shoot.
- Derrick hurts knee & limps ~~off~~ but keeps playing.
- Craig circles around puck.
- puck drops → picked up by fish & Tony falls trying to steal.
- Puck & misses 3 people → Matt picks it up.
- Dave tries for slide tackle → Fish falls.
- Scott goes for easy smooth shot but goalie saves.
- Pat shoots → Scott scores on rebound.
- Pat dumps puck.
- Tony falls going for puck.
- Tony knocked down → "Get out of <sup>here</sup>!"
- Matt ~~loses balance~~.
- Fish collapses on floor → after Derrick's score.
- Matt good slap but misses.
- Derrick passes puck but goes back for it - nice pass to Matt - makes nice shot but misses.
- Dave spins searching for puck.
- scoreboard 14 - 0 - final.
- Mahoney pencil drawing.

\* more tape left on tape 2



# DAVE'S INTERVIEW TAPE. - TAPE 9.

VT 2 ①

## ICE CHALET

(- CU Matt skating on ice w/ Pat + Bob.

- Joe ~~pat~~ w/ zamboni

- CU of Matt before game scrapping ice.

- Various shots people warming up.

- CU of Bob playing.

## Dave's Interviews → 4/5 yrs.

- looking confused.

- talks about law school

- burned out of school

- like school - all he's known. → no reason to wait, engaged, wants to work

- "Supporting me through law school"

+ David Drokney 24

- how he got into hockey

- how ice hockey is better hockey. (B-footage underneath) <sup>194 senior in high school, started watching hockey playoffs on tv - freshman year, super roller blades would to shoot + scored 1st play since it looked like</sup> on tv.

- grew up everywhere ~ Dad was in the army.

Tennessee was his favorite place.

- likes confrontation - didn't know what else to do.

\* - different person when I play hockey - Tony's wife surprised he was a nice person. -

- didn't know a soul when he played hockey - 1st thing he did when he moved here.

- more

- feels like he has to yell at people.

- humbled in school

- in hockey ~ he acts up ~ gets frustrated - "that's fun to me."

- we can play better

- lack confidence.

- other teams more experienced

- we have to keep ourselves going as a unit

- we are playing better.



# TAPE 8

NT 2 ⑤

1:08:23

- Craig smiles
- group dives into hunch

- Dave: "Greg, ~~not~~ nice save but you're not the goalie."

- Bob waves to camera.

① Tony gets tripped up twice.

- Pat, Munez, + Craig run into each other.

- team sitting on ice during break.

- Karen + Maggie

✓ good CUs of Craig, Dustin + Pat.

- Dave + Craig cheering from bench.

② GOOD CU of Matt coaching from bench.

- wide & B, Matt + T: watching game.

- CU Mary Beth watching game.

③ Greg + Bob kidding around on ice during break.

- CU Matt falling + hurting his knee.

- Bob beating bench gate after Dustin's scoring.

- clock running down to buzzer - BEST ✓✓

- group dispendent ~ shake hands w/ one another.

- Tony + Dave skate off to melt their wives.

- M.B. waving w/ "HELLO"

- Matt ~ come on GS ~ get all over that shit

④ Tony's true colors coming out now.

- Bob: "I gotta go pick up my kid."

- Patrick took a nasty spill.

- Dave making evil face @ camera.

- tilt from Dave to Matt coaching.

⑤ Chat. starts shit w/ Matts everyone leaves

- Pat's eye.

- zoom from blurred Pat Back to focus.

⑥ Matt soccer a small ball.

- car footage.

CHAT TEAM.



# TAPE 6

~~A introduce each~~

VT 2 (3)

(1:7:00)

• Matt talking to Derrick

• Craig's "sexy legs" - CU Craig standing next to bench.

• Guys talking to OJ at his goal

• CU Dustin before faceoff.

• good passing from Matt to Derrick.

• Good pass from Craig to Dustin.

• Pat squashed into boards.

• Nice back pass from Dave to Pat

• AWESOME kick pass from Matt to Pat

• Derrick messes - up → gets coaching from Matt.

• Bad scramble + awkward passing.

• Matt gets a penalty

• Dustin's amazing break-away

• Scoreboard 0 to 6. (Shams losing bad)

• CU Dustin on the bench

• Matt yawning on bench

• CU OJ leaning over bench flicking hair out of face. talking to Matt.

• Pat frustrated on ice + yells at Craig + Derrick. Matt watches

• Pat scores from backfield. — scoreboard 1 to 8

• Good continuity ~ Pat → Matt → Dave who shoots but misses; all 3 "Aw" and raise sticks in disgust.

• Derrick's slapshot → scores a point

• Perrick yells for a time-out

• Clear Audio: "Good Job, OJ!" (Matt)

• After face-off, Pat squashed against boards.



- played roller skating  
 → played ice hockey for 2 years.

V TQ ④

→ Greg Warren → 20, international business,  
 in a fraternity

## GREG'S INTERVIEW

→ plays defense on Shamrocks.

plays  
 hockey 4  
 nights a week.

- "turn heater off . . . people dancing on radiators."
- caught two mice in his room.
- "been taking Russia + just started taking French."

~~Greg~~

- used to race cars

doesn't race  
 much anymore → too  
 much time + money

• talks about one wreck

- wasn't hurt ~ just climbed  
 out + shook it off
- easier to get hurt in hockey.

- friend he used to race with influenced  
 him to play hockey

• "crappy - pick-up hockey."

- won't get sick of it → but he does  
 get frustrated. → moved a little  
 but quicker

- Goalie stressful → his job → if he doesn't  
 do it, loose the

- for Chalet → heard they had a roller hockey  
 team → asked me to join

- I love it → all these guys I never really  
 knew before I know now.

- Spring '98 - pledged fraternity - Phi Kappa Tau

• went to some parties, thought  
 it was cool.

• ~~hand~~

• Matt + Pat → "you're buying your friends"



## TAPE 5

VTI ①

Beginning  
of VT 2 ①NOT AT  
BEGINNING• Championship Party (Jan. 21<sup>st</sup> 2002)

• Patrick's opinion of Derrick's hockey playing

• Bob: the trash can rock

• Matt explains party

• Patrick's nipple / man hole

• good close-up of Pat in thought

• Craig laughing

• Jimmy + Karen

• Matt at the head

• Pat laughing with Derrick

• Derrick pinning beer

• Bob + Dickel girls

• Matt shaking his head

• Juice

• Karen + Jimmy looking over balcony

• Juice laughing

• Craig talking to Matt

• shot of cup

• Matt playing guitar w/ Craig

• Bob's picture w/ 10 girls

• Jimmy's + Jimmy's picture

• Matt's goofy - gettin' caught quit

• Derrick talking about Matt + Craig

• Craig + Juice looking at cups

• Drink from cups

• Pat throwing snow balls at Matt

• Bob at work

• bob hasentufel productions, inc.

• Craig on ice



VT1 (2)

★ face-off shots → Pat wins  
P-F-H (2)

★ turn of skates.

• Matt calls for shot from Pat

• Matt slams into boards.

• Pat slams - close-up

• Goalie hits Pat

• Bob defends puck

• Good close-up of Matt stick on puck

• Dave sayin "what's up"

• Dave breaks - passes to Tony

• Matt sticks tongue out

• After 1st half - team meets on bench  
(coachin')

(Greg's chin strap)

• Craig spins watches enemy goal

• J. bows head in disgust

• Bob goes against boards.

• Craig passes

• Bob swats puck towards camera

★ Craig slams close-up

• Bob passes

★ Bob reaching

• Matt falls

• Long shot Matt on bench

★ Dave runs + kneels - ~~but~~ no score

• Tony tripped

• Tony fights - doesn't give up

• Pat circles + P-F-H

★ Greg falls but fights for puck

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\* Craig picks up puck + passes  
it - good closeup.

• Craig knocks someone down.

• Pat checks someone + he falls.

• Shamrocks leaving ice

• Matt's comments about game afterwards

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• Matt playing guitar

1/30/00

• Matt, Ted watching Simpsons

• Matt playing cribbage

• Pat on sofa

• Matt playing cribbage / watching TV → back of

• Pat talking to Matt

• stairs → Mahruy 14 yiey

• cribbage hand closeup

2/4/00

• GOOD closeup Matt on floor ice

• CU Bob in bench out-of-uniform

• Matt hurt → wind pipe hit → on floor

• Tony on bench stands up to watch w/  
Matt ✓

• Matt slammed into boards but pushed guy off

• GOOD → CU Pat stretching on ice w/ back to  
camera → leads into nice profile

• Dave coaching Matt.

• Matt pushed over + slams into ice.

• CU Derrick from behind → w/ profile

• guys on bench during break - Bob's

"WATER BOY" - GOOD CU profile of  
Tony



VTI (4)

### Tony's Interview

- Smith, Tony ~~Asheville~~ <sup>Knoxville</sup> - played about 2 1/2 years.
- 30; from ~~Asheville~~ <sup>Knoxville</sup>, N.C.
- ~~computer~~ computer \_\_\_\_\_ @ HGTV.
- graduated VA tech.
- came to Knoxville during a co-op - liked the mountains
- hockey always looked interesting
- worked w/ Craig at Lockheed-Martin
- wasn't confident
- strength: determination.
- my wife keeps making fun of me
- "always had weak ankles..."
- "everyone was nice - that really surprised me..."
- "I don't think about differences - respect everyone out there."
- "relationship with Christ + marriage most important thing."
  - connects to hockey → very emotional game → now understands why tempo flows during the game.
  - I think about Jim...

\* continued on tape 7



# Tape 7

VTI (5)

10.24.99 - Championship Game.

- Bob dives for puck + saws it but slams into boards.

- Matt fights for puck ✓✓✓

⊖ Bob throws himself into the block.

\* ⊖ Tony + Dustin score.

- M. Per. Craig + Mun at bench. - Craig's listerine bottle.

⊖ Mun + opp "shake hands"

⊖ mun - NICE SCORE

⊖ Mun almost fights - helmet stripped off.

⊖ Matt AWESOME score.

- Bob waves to camera.

⊖ Bob + Matt talking on bench ✓

[Munsey\* pushes opponent.]

[Pat flies along boards.]

⊖ Pat jumps over guy's leg.

⊖ Mun + Pat arguing w/ ref.

⊖ Matt almost fights - pushes opponent of 05

⊖ Bob slips + spins trying to pass it ✓

- good FP to Pat.

⊖ Matt plays w/o helmet → throws stick out → gets thrown out → Pat talks to ref → Matt sittin' on rolls pissed off.

Tony's interview cont'd.

- wanna curse out ref → sometimes I do.

- I love these guys → like to intrigue them → plant seeds.

- grew up being a xN → point when you completely give yourself over to Christ.

- wipes brow.

Mun → nice

3rd.

20:45.

Matt plays w/gun

1st



- for fun: real outdoorsey, like to hike + back pack.
- everyday: I watch her soap operas, but I don't like to.
- talks about dogs.

### Game - League B

- Karen talks to Craig
- Craig kicks a pass + pushes opp. off. ✓
- Munsey\* whips around + scores → NICE
- scoreboard change 2 to 4 → after opponent's score.
- Derrick talk to ref then to Bob (Der. wearing glasses).

### game 11.12.99 (B)

⊖ Matt trying to calm Der: "Don't let them get you frustrated."

⊖ Matt fights off 3 guys along board.

⊖ Derrick flip over goalie to make a play.

○ Tony → exc. control + handling even w/ opp's stick b/t his legs.

⊖ Pat scores - stick in air pointing to himself. very NICE!

⊖ Pan from Tony talking to Pat ✓✓ → (T. ind.)

- shot of OT's pads from behind

⊖ Craig dancing to the camera.

- CU of sticks on faceoff.

- Pat throws helmet + gloves on ground then goes to shake other team's hands.

- Bob says he doesn't score → he plays defense.

⊖ Craig → they took his pants

and  
"for  
hikes  
- soap  
- from  
Craig"



- Patrick 2 + friend watching game.
- 2 dark haired women

- OJ interview  $\Rightarrow$  playing hockey for 3 yrs.

- Patrick Phillip - 19 - student at ITT tech. + works at Shamrocks goalie

• Campbell country - it's about an hour - it's not bad - been there most his life.

• has an interview for INTEL in Arizona.

• equipment tech at North tech Dialysis. - artificial kidney to filter out stuff.

• started playing 4/5 yrs ago on Tennis court.

• no one played goalie, so I did it.

• it's fun, it's a sport, I like playing sports. - Derrick started playing hockey - just fell into it.

• explains OJ nickname.

• just like playing sports.

• not into games.

• pretty laid-back, kind of quiet

• little better playing goalie

• Mahmeup - stick together - <sup>know</sup> no more about hockey.

• Derrick's a big guy - wouldn't hurt

• Bob + Craig go together.

• rather play w/ better talent + get beat.

• Tony's really come on 3:  $\rightarrow$  having the knack to always be there.

• associates degree in electronics + engineering.



## DERRICK'S INTERVIEW

- 26
- tech support supervisor for Bill Smith
- Lake City, TN - lived there all his life basically.
- played Tues, Wed, Thurs, + Friday.
- played 2 1/2 yrs.
- 05 + I played on tennis courts → w/ a bunch of guys who couldn't skate - it was fun.
- was originally an art major
- would like to get into politics one day.
- more than any other game → never find anything where emotions get so high → ~~also~~
- don't have to be a great athlete - just need skill ~~which~~
- hockey players very good but not that athletic
- great when you can combine skill + athleticism → like Murray.
- never knew anyone who <sup>quit b/c</sup> ~~didn't like~~ he didn't like it
- I don't like that I'm not very fast
- don't like that emotions blow up → can string it off + go have a beer after the game.
- I get upset when we make mistakes we can do something about → gives example of younger faster kid - has that doesn't matter
- Matt's always trying to calm me down.
- I'm not a dangerous person - I'm a big guy maybe an intimidating presence.
- usually I've injured myself - trying to do stuff I'm not capable of doing - if you're not falling down, you're not trying hard enough.



VTI 7

- Wouldn't say that he started it → came to Matt about it first - Pat - Craig

- combination of 2 teams Polar Bears / Shamrocks didn't have a full roster - 1st game together, they won in the shoot-off.

- Don't think it's fair to say, he started it.

- Tia to have something classic sounding - different

- OJ has come a long way - ~~a~~ very solid defenseman - ~~that~~ really surprised me.

⊕ Tony's come so far → creative knack → nothing you can teach - doesn't skate great but he's like a king saw → great to watch.

⊕ Greg surprised me ~~for~~ → always knew him as a goalie.

- Love watching Drokney → never loses his cool → got a lot of talent.

⊕ Matt does some awesome things out there.

- when you got people who are all great - they take it way too seriously → various skill levels make it more fun.

- ~~stuff~~

- don't think we're that different... ✓✓✓ - gives a ~~good~~ different perspective. - no personality conflicts - love everyone to go out together - everyone contributes so much in their personality - doesn't bring anything or take anything away - it just is.

- "BIG GUY" comments.

- Everyone's different but everyone has a personality

- Really cool when people ~~can~~ come to see us.

Continued on VTI 2 ①



intro — SM — ecstasy of gold.

aggressive shots — G+R — hair of the dog.

outro — Aero — Dream on.

aggressive shots — AC's — No more Mr. Nice guy.

sad shots — STP — Big Empty.

OJ. R.H. — Karma Police.

PF →

Tang. & TPetty → Learning to Fly.

Pat. Mot Crui — kick start my heart

Dave & Osborne — Perry Mason

## Tape 4

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\* Group C

score  
board 1-4  
shot

- ★ (C) Craig fights for puck.
- ★ (C) Tony falls fighting for puck.
  - Tony circles + keep puck
  - Craig falls
- ★ (C) Juice saves - "Good job Juice" (Matt)
- ★ (C) Close-up Tony picking nose.
- ★ (C) Derrick search for puck. - skates over puck.
  - Tony falls.
- ★ (C) Derrick slaps well + scores - falls to knees
- ★ (C) Dustin on face off wins puck.
- ★ (C) Dustin misses pass - fights for puck
  - Pat slide block. - but they score anyway.
- ★ (C) Craig yelling support.
- ★ (C) Matt breaks away but falls.
  - Nice pass from Bob to Murney but fails to score.
  - Matt fixes helmet
  - Opponent breaks away → passes Murney + Pat + a score.
- ★ (C) Dustin circles + falls <sup>trying</sup> to get puck.
  - Scoreboard. 1-5.
  - Bob ducks Pat's aerial pass.
  - Murney misses Matt's pass.
- ★ (C) Matt trips → sits on ass
- ★ (C) Dustin almost keeps puck but falls
- ★ (C) Juice dives + saves but looks back to make sure.
- ★ (C) Derrick nice slap but goalie makes nice save.
- ★ (C) Craig's smile.
  - Shots on bench.
- ★ (C) Derrick loses face off + opp. almost a score.



- Craig + Matt play pool

- Craig's interview

• 38, comp. program

• KY

• hockey - Alaska

• Ice Chute → M.P.D.

they lost  
Dustin + Matt  
talking about game + why  
★ → they're passing

○ Tony high-sticked + wants a penalty

• Pat nice slap but bounces off ~~player~~ opp.

• Matt almost ~~score~~ scores. + falls

○ Bob steals but loses it

○ Bob tries to grab it but loses it

• Dustin misses pass from Bob

○ Matt tries to score, but misses + falls.

★ ○ Dustin makes nice steal

• Matt almost scores → shakes head → points on bench

★ ○ Tony's head slams into boards going for puck.

○ Tony scores.

○ Tony loses stick

★ ○ Derrick picks up steal + slaps but misses

• Opp makes good score.

• change of lines

★ ○ Dave throws stick out

• Opps score

• close-up of face-off - Munsey wins it

○ Opps score - Juice pissed on floor

• ~~Pat~~ Pat's foot pass - Juice dives

Scoreboard 2 - 8

★ ○ nice save by Juice

1:15:00

• close-up of Craig before face-off

★ ○ Dave in a tangle → kicks puck free.

• Dave falls flat → stick thrown across front

○ puck stolen right off Derrick's stick.

★ ○ Dave hip checks opp.

• Derrick throws opp stick in air

★ ○ Dave on spin-block

★ ○ Matt almost scores but falls, Dustin jumps over Matt

• Pat dumps

○ Juice misses save - falls on ~~ice~~ floor

• Dustin falls.





... ~~so I decided to do~~  
<sup>wanted</sup>  
 I ~~decided~~ to find out what holds this  
 team and all its differences together

GP Cys

Who are the Shamrocks? (graphic)

3, 4, 8, 10, 13, 14, 31, (05), 40, 96.

Need to get.

- Pat's

• Juice flicking hair.

Title Machine:

The Shamrocks

The beginning.

#14 Pat Mahoney age 18 (fades up)

#8 Dustin Munzuy age 18 (fades up)

#31 Greg Warren age 20

#13 Matt Mahoney age 22

#96 David Drobny age 24.

#40 Derrick Johnson

#10 Tony Smith age 30

#3 Craig Hubbs age 38

#4 Bob Hasenruebel age 49.

#30 Patrick  
Phillips  
age 19



2001 Space Odyssey.

The Shamrocks.  
ten men - one game.

~~ten men~~ shots.

There are ten of them.

They come from different backgrounds and lead different lives. Some have wives and children. Others are just starting college. But all of them are united by their love for <sup>one game</sup> hockey. And on one night a week, they put their differences aside and ~~together~~ <sup>together</sup> they become.

The Shamrocks.

The Shamrock's <sup>coach is</sup> Graphic: The Playas.

Most of the Shamrocks met for the first time here - at the Lee Chalet.

For their first season, the Shamrocks started

crush cuts in at cresando.

introduce playas.

graphic / quick cuts.

Graphic The beginning.

Lee Chalet players warming up.  
Hasid each member got into roller hockey

Matt - talks about how team started.

Danick -

other players talk how they got in.

Dave, Craig

05,



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 college

- Matt student . Derrick.
- Craig computer programer.
- Dave law student
- Tony - comp. programmer.
- Tony's wedding
- John + Bob.
- Dustin studying

start w/ Matt practicing  
 w/ ball - then quick cut  
 aways of all the players.

Crush segment. w/ graphics?

Hockey game  
 The <sup>Men</sup> Players. - graphic

graphic

show why they play hockey  
 The players. personal side. how got into hockey

Matt <sup>13</sup> (~ Pat) <sup>14</sup> >

Derrick - 40

OT - 35

Craig - 3

Tony - 10

Craig - 31

Bob - 4

Dustin - 8

Dave - 90

game  
 shots &  
 personal  
 it applies.

show 1st  
 game → graphic →  
 then int ..



The Game

GRAPHIC

The beginning (-graphic)

Meet of the ~~Shamrocks~~<sup>players</sup>  
met for the first time  
here at the Ice Chalet

- warm-ups.

- Matt, Bob, Red.

int. w/ Matt + Denick,  
decided to put a team  
together

Matt, Den<sup>05</sup>, Craig, Tony, Dave.

- Matt calling it the Shamrocks.

~~For their first season,~~

~~After the~~ For their first season,

the Shamrocks started  
in the lowest league - the  
Bronze League.

Matt Makoway was  
the coach. His younger  
brother Pat was the captain

- All Matt:

- All Pat.

In spite of the varying  
skill levels, and the fact that  
some of the players were complete  
strangers, they started out  
well. They won half ~~their~~<sup>of their</sup>  
games.

- Denick / Dave decide winning  
first game in shoot-out.



the Shamrock duck was tricky

But ~~their track~~ ran out  
quickly. ~~and for~~ The  
following season - they  
did ~~not~~ <sup>win</sup> ~~it~~ <sup>was</sup> gone.

But the next season, the  
Shamrocks won every game  
including the championship.

They had definitely  
united and become a force.

They had become better hockey  
~~Not only had their~~ players  
skills improved, but their  
~~commitment~~

~~Throughout the previous~~  
~~year and a half, they~~ <sup>became</sup> ~~became~~ better hockey players

~~And better friend~~

- learned things they never  
thought they would do.
- And they learned more  
about each other's lives.

What was important to  
each of them

And the things that weren't  
Who liked to fight...  
And who didn't...

- score boards

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- dependent players.

- shamrocks goals (3)

- happy sham

- framed photo (white wall  
quick cut)

- Tony's marriage / relationship w/ Christ.

- Matt and Pat at Tony's  
wedding.

- Munsuyn

- OJ / Tony



And they learned how to  
care about each other.

They ~~begin~~ began to defend  
~~each other~~ each  
~~other~~ other.

They became a unit.

They laughed <sup>like</sup> together, suffered together, + celebrated together.

~~And~~ And, ~~the~~ most men who  
play sports, they made fun  
of each other.

↳ Matt explaining pants  
Drinking from cup.

It was obvious

The Shamrocks had definitely  
merged and become a force.

In the next season, they would  
up ~~the~~ a level to the  
silver league. and face  
younger, faster, better hockey.  
Will the Shamrocks be able  
to keep up? And will their  
friendship survive either way?

THE CHALLENGE

After ~~the~~ two seasons in  
the B league, the Shamrocks  
still have not won one  
game.

And the tension is thickening.

~~But they stick together~~

~~and~~ But they're still sticking  
together.

Out of ~~the~~ the ten, only  
two have left the team.

#31 Greg Warren left  
to play goalie for  
another team.

and #10 Troy Smith  
decided to take a season  
off to move into a new home  
and enjoy married life for  
a little while. But he promised  
to return next season.