



On the Fly

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The latest on the largest sport charity event in the US



Jakub Voráček signing autographs

About the Carnival

The Flyers Wives Carnival is the largest sport charity event in North America, according to CSN Philly. The first carnival was held in 1977 to raise money for local charities throughout the Philadelphia area. Barry Ashbee, a member of the Flyers organization, died of leukemia later that year. The carnival, with its 38th installment coming March 1 2015, has been held in his honor since then.

Ashbee's former teammates reminisced about the defenseman and how he would react if he knew the carnival was held in his honor. "He would have been gracious," Moose Dupont said. "Barry was never a guy chasing after honors, never the guy to

sit in the front row." Other teammates agree: "He never wanted recognition or applause. He would have said, 'Why didn't you name this after someone else? What did I do?'," Terry Crisp said.

The Flyers Wives Carnival is put together by Flyers Wives Charities, a division of Comcast-Spectator Charities. The organization reports \$25 million has been raised for local charities through the carnival. Some of these charities include Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation, American Cancer Society, Delaware County Community Foundation, Ed Snider Youth Hockey Foundation, National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Ronald McDonald House Charities, and The Salvation Army of Greater Philadelphia.

Meet & Greet Schedule



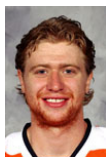
Claude Giroux
5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.



Wayne Simmonds
3:45 p.m.-4:45 p.m.



Vincent Lecavalier
2:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m.



Jakub Voráček
1:15 p.m.- 2:15 p.m.



Mark Streit
12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m.

Autograph- \$40

Photograph- \$35

Autograph/Photograph Combo- \$65



Luke Schenn playing video games with a young fan

Admission

	Before 1:30 p.m.	After 1:30 p.m.
Adults (18+)	\$30	\$25
Children (0-17)	\$25	\$20

Shot on Goal

Bernie Parent	5:00 p.m.-5:45 p.m.
Steve Mason	3:45 p.m.-4:30 p.m.
Ray Emery	2:30 p.m.-3:15 p.m.
Rob Zepp	1:15 p.m.-2:00 p.m.



A child takes a shot on a Flyers goalie

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Directions

Driving

From Delaware, Maryland, Delaware County, Chester and I-476 (Blue Route)
Take I-95 North to the Broad Street/Sports Complex Exit. The Wells Fargo Center will be on your right.

From Harrisburg, Lebanon, Reading, Pottstown
Take the Pennsylvania Turnpike east to 76 East (Exit 6). Take 76 East towards the sports complex. Take the Broad Street exit. Turn right onto Broad Street, heading southbound. After you cross Pattison Avenue, the Wells Fargo Center will be on your left.

From Northeast Philadelphia, Levittown and North
Take I-95 South to the Broad Street exit. The Wells Fargo Center will be on your right.

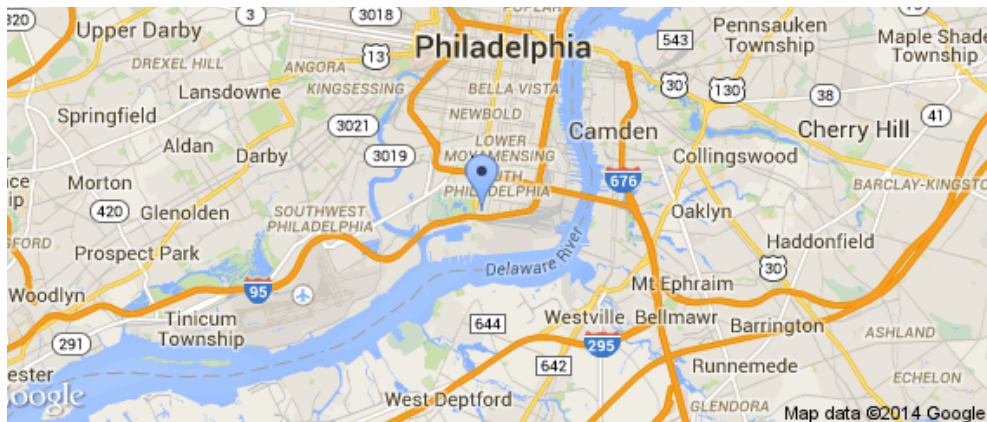
From South Jersey
Take the Walt Whitman Bridge to the Broad Street exit. Turn left onto Broad Street, heading southbound. After you cross Pattison Avenue, the Wells Fargo Center will be on your left.

Pulic Transportation

Take the Broad Street Subway Line (orange) southbound to AT&T Station (Pattison Avenue).

OR

Take either Route 4 bus, or 17 bus (Center City/South Philadelphia) southbound to Broad Street.



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Wayne Simmonds doing the Cotton Eye Joe with a fan

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