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Former Selects midfielder Mike Mallory selected in NLL Professional Draft

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BURNABY, BC (September 22, 2011) – Former Burnaby Mountain Selects midfielder Mike Mallory (Pitt Meadows, BC / Pitt Meadows Secondary), was the No. 21 pick in the 2011 National Lacrosse League (NLL) Entry Draft held September 21 in Toronto, Ontario. Mallory, a 2009 graduate of the Burnaby Mountain Selects program, was selected in the third round by the NLL's Washington Stealth.

Mallory currently plays Jr. A box lacrosse for the Delta Islanders where he has been selected as a First Team All-Star in both 2011 and 2010, in addition to being named the 2010 BCJALL Rookie of the Year and 3 Star Award winner. In 43 regular season games, Mallory has tallied 78 goals and 100 assists for 178 points. He has also registered 19 goals and 19 assists for 38 points in 11 play-off games with the Islanders.

The Pitt Meadows native played two seasons with Burnaby Mountain from 2006-2008, helping lead the Selects to successful tournaments in California, Florida, Maryland and Seattle, including a first place finish at the 2006 Seattle Space Needle Shootout. A member of the inaugural Burnaby Mountain Selects U18 Elite team, Mallory becomes the first BMS player to be drafted professionally since the inception of the program in 2006.

ABOUT THE NATIONAL LACROSSE LEAGUE

The National Lacrosse League (NLL) is North America's professional indoor lacrosse league, featuring the best lacrosse players in the world. Founded in 1987, the league recently completed its 2011 season, the league's 25th anniversary season. Average game attendance is close to 10,000 fans per game, with several games played in front of crowds in excess of 16,000 fans. The NLL has nine teams playing in major markets of the United States and Canada: Buffalo Bandits, Calgary Roughnecks, Colorado Mammoth, Edmonton Rush, Minnesota Swarm, Philadelphia Wings, Rochester Knighthawks, Toronto Rock and Washington Stealth. For more information, visit the official website of the National Lacrosse League at: www.NLL.com

ABOUT BURNABY MOUNTAIN SELECTS LACROSSE

Established in 2006 and now widely recognized as one of Canada's top field lacrosse development programs, the Burnaby Mountain Selects Field Lacrosse Program is an amateur sports organization designed to train players in a high performance environment to best prepare them for a collegiate field lacrosse career. Selection and consideration into the program is reserved for a select group of elite student-athletes, who possess the desire to work hard and learn in a competitive team environment, while demonstrating the ability to prioritize their academic goals in the highest regard. More than 300 athletes in grades 5-12 have participated in the Selects program from over 35 communities across British Columbia's Lower Mainland, BC Coast, BC Interior, Washington State and Idaho. The Selects travel to compete in top college recruiting tournaments throughout North America, winning several international events and helping to place over 40% of graduating players in collegiate field lacrosse programs. The Selects proudly wear equipment and apparel by Harrow Sports and Cascade helmets. For further information on Burnaby Mountain Lacrosse please visit www.selectslacrosse.com or follow the Selects on Twitter www.twitter.com/selectslacrosse.

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Mallory at the 2009 NDP Tournament of Champions in Tampa, Florida.