



Jack O'Callahan was a member of the "Miracle on Ice" United States Olympic Hockey Team that won a gold medal in the 1980 Winter Olympics in Lake Placid, NY. The US team, made up of mostly college hockey players, defeated the mighty Soviet Red Army team on its way to winning Gold. That Russian team is widely accepted as the greatest hockey team ever assembled and global media and sports outlets commonly reference the "Miracle on Ice" as the Greatest Sports Achievement of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century.

Mr. O'Callahan grew up in Charlestown, Massachusetts and attended the famous and historic Boston Latin School (founded 1635) before moving onto Boston University where he was a team captain during the '78 and '79 seasons, a 2-time All-East selection, an All-New England and All-American selection, twice voted team MVP, voted as MVP of the 1978 Beanpot Tournament and of the 1978 NCAA Frozen Four Championship Tournament, received Boston University's prestigious Cochrane Award in both '78 and '79 as the school's Most Outstanding Athlete, and in those same years was recognized as the University's Most Outstanding Student-Athlete.

He was a member of the US National World Cup Hockey Teams in 1978 (Prague), 1979 (Moscow), and 1989 (Stockholm) and following 1980 Winter Olympics signed a professional contract with the Chicago Blackhawks and embarked on a distinguished 9-year professional career with the Blackhawks (1980-1987) and the New Jersey Devils (1988-89).

Prior to the 2002 Salt Lake City Winter Olympics in, Mr. O'Callahan, along with a select group of former Olympic Medalists, including Bonnie Blair, Mike Conley, Paul Wylie, and Cammi Granato, started the inaugural Olympic Summit Program. The Program was created and organized by these former Olympians and supported by the USOC as a facility to mentor the top 2002 Winter Olympic Games aspirants in what it takes to become an Olympic Gold Medalist.

Mr. O'Callahan is a member of several Hall of Fames as either an individual or as a 1980 team member including; the US Olympic, USA Hockey, Boston University, Boston Latin School, City of Colorado Springs, City of Boston, State of Illinois, and several others. In April, 2019, he will join Senator John McCain and a few others as 2019 Inductees into the Irish American Hall of Fame.

**PROFESSIONAL:** Mr. O'Callahan joined Ziegler Capital Management in early 2015 as a Senior Managing Director. During his playing career he became a member of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange (1984) and upon his retirement became a market maker and floor trader in the SP 500 Futures Pit. In 1992, he founded Beanpot Financial Services, an institutional commodities brokerage and broker-dealer which he ran as the president of the firm for over 22 years until divesting himself and joining Ziegler Capital Management.

**PERSONAL:** Mr. O'Callahan currently resides Chicago with his wife Jenny. He is a board member of the Chicago Blackhawk Alumni Association, the Midwest Chapter of the Ireland Funds, and the Chicago Chapter of the Good Sports Foundation, a group that raises funds to distribute sporting equipment to inner city, minority, and disadvantaged youths throughout the city of Chicago and several other US cities.