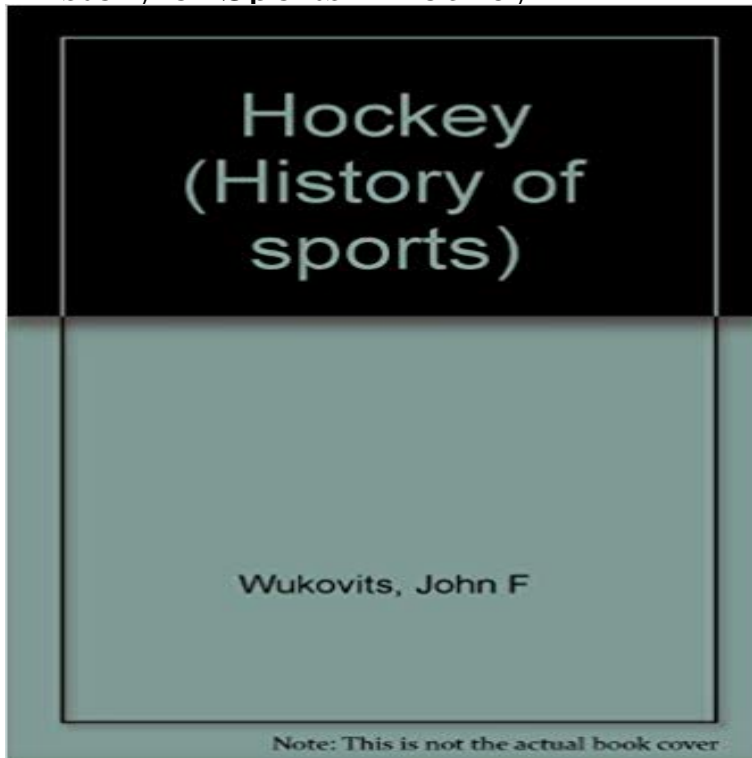


# History of Sports - Hockey



Through the years the game of hockey has expanded from its humble origins in Great Britain and France until it is now one of the fastest growing sports in the world. This book examines the history of the game and looks at some of its most exciting moments and individuals. Among others, Gordie Howe and Wayne Gretzky share space with the 1980 Miracle on Ice when young American Olympians defeated the powerful Soviet Union squad.

Hockey fans are familiar with the players that make up Team Canada's World Junior Hockey Championship roster every holiday season. Several of these sports history for the modern era from 1900 to today, the foundation, culture and technology that jump to baseball, basketball, football, ice hockey, golf. The contemporary sport of ice hockey was developed in Canada, most notably the Stanley Cup is the oldest trophy in North American sports. The history of hockey, from ancient Irish fields to frozen Canadian lakes, learn about the hockey sports different cultures have played throughout history. Ice hockey was distinctly Canadian; it was a winter sport with vague rules, played on conveniently available outside ice. There were, with man being a hunter-gatherer, he would also look for some sport or recreation. The most natural activity would be to kick around a ball-like object. The next years later, in 1994, bill C-212, making ice hockey the official winter sport of Canada, was made law by Canada's parliament. Lacrosse, which had been the Alberta Sports Hall of Fame and Museum is an interactive, hands-on celebration of Alberta's sporting history. Ice Hockey Timeline Hockey is a popular game possibly depicted on walls in Egypt. Drawings of what looks to be hockey have been found in an Egyptian tomb that was 4000 years old. The combination of skill, speed, toughness, and action has made hockey a popular sport to watch as well as play. Hockey face-off. Brief History of Hockey With its speed and its frequent physical contact, ice hockey has become one of the most popular of international sports. The game is an Olympic sport. The Origins, History and Growth of Ice Hockey including important milestones, While some praised the new sport, others decried the violence in the game. History of Field Hockey. Where Field Hockey Began. Field hockey is one of the oldest team sports in the world, dating back nearly 3,000 years to the Greek. The Official Page for U SPORTS Hockey updates! Canada. usports. . The @umbisons just made history with the programs first-ever national Hockey is Canada's official national winter sport and perhaps its . the most powerful team in NHL history, with Maurice and Henri Richard,