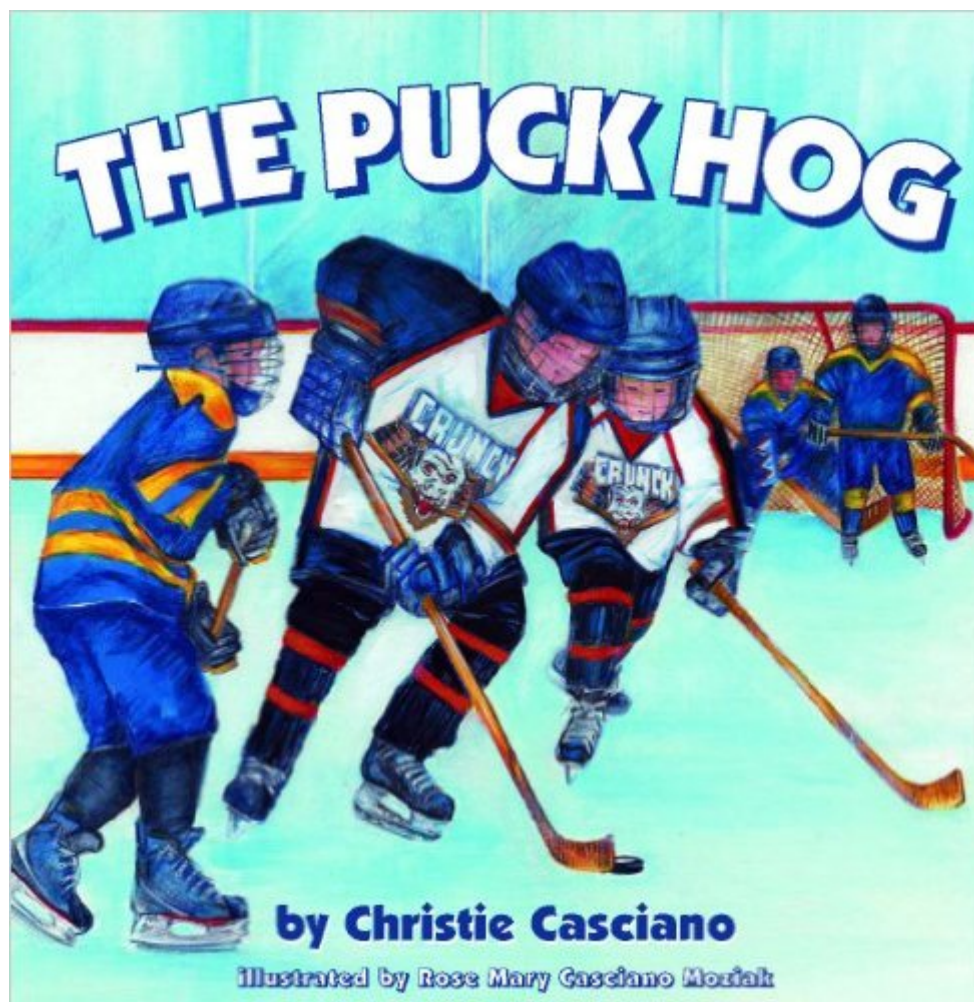


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# The Puck Hog



## Synopsis

Sophia's team wants to be the best in the league, but their biggest challenge is not an opposing team, it's Eddie, their puck-hogging teammate. Will a pivotal moment on the ice and a trip to a Syracuse Crunch game convince Eddie to change his ways?

## Book Information

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## Customer Reviews

This book tells a great story, first and foremost. Yes, there's a message, but the book isn't "preachy" about it. Kids will enjoy the story for itself. The writing is very natural, and feels like it's from a kid's point of view. It's a short book, about 40 pages, and has a brief glossary of hockey terms at the end, for the hockey newbies. I'm no expert, but I'd say the reading level is around 5th grade or middle school. This is the story of what hockey is really all about - not fighting and penalties, but teamwork and fun!

Great book... The story is great and will teach your young hockey player a good lesson in team play... The hand drawn illustrations are amazing and sometimes has you staring at them... admiring them even after you've finished the book.. A great stocking stuffer gift for this Holiday season!

This is a great family book. My sons, 12 and 13 loved the story. I could not read a page without them talking about their team and experiences. Turn off your TV and ignore your phone or tablet for a while, and read this book with your youth ice hockey players. It sparked tons of sharing and memories in our house. Kimberly Smith Lukhard, Hockey Mom RD

he Puck Hog is a children's story set in Syracuse, New York. The tale centers around a youth hockey team which has a very talented player, a player who knows he's better than the other kids on the team. As such, he will not acknowledge that hockey is a team sport. Casciano succeeds in effectively telling how cooperative play can overcome individual standouts when engaging in a team sport. A lesson that some kids need to learn, and others need to have reinforced. The accompanying artwork is well done and enhances the story, while the guest appearance by unnamed members of the local minor league hockey team adds to the tale rather than detracting from it. Miss Casciano's biography states that she is a newscaster in the Syracuse market. I would assume she enjoys ratings success, as she demonstrates the ability to tell a story clearly, quickly, and enjoyably. **RATING: 5 stars.**

My grandson will not put this book down! He absolutely LOVES IT! Great message, great book! A must have for any Hockey family.

My nephew loves this book. Got him puck hog 2! He even named his pond hockey team the puck hogs lol

Great book!

Another fun read about Squirt age hockey.

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