

# Six Nations Jr B Rebels Lacrosse Association

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## Trio of Rebels drafted into NLL

**TORONTO** – Six Nations Rebels lacrosse factory has sent 3 more players to the National Lacrosse League (NLL) following the annual Entry Draft held Wednesday night at the Don Valley Hotel where 54 players were to be selected.

Rebels graduates' Johnny Powless (5<sup>th</sup> overall), Kraig Maracle (45<sup>th</sup> overall) and Grant Catalino (49<sup>th</sup> overall) were all selected in the NLL 2011 Entry Draft by the Rochester Knighthawks. The draft consisted of six rounds for the 9 NLL teams, Buffalo Bandits, Calgary Roughnecks, Colorado Mammoth, Edmonton Rush, Minnesota Swarm, Philadelphia Wings, Toronto Rock and Washington Stealth.

Powless was selected 5<sup>th</sup> overall in the opening round of the draft. Kevin Crowley (Philadelphia) went 1<sup>st</sup> overall, while Steven Keogh who played for the Six Nations Chiefs this past summer by Rochester, while Adam Jones (Colorado) and Jordan MacIntosh (Minnesota) 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> picks ahead of Powless.

Powless was a Midget-aged Rebels player in 2009 as an Affiliated Player (AP). Powless played in 13 games, scoring 3 times while adding 8 helpers as Powless split his time with the Six Nations Midgets, Midget Iroquois Nationals and the Rebels.

Powless had his breakout year in 2010 with the Six Nations Jr A Arrows Express. In 21 Arrows games, Powless finished with 46G, 32A for 78 points to earn OLA Jr A Rookie of the year honours. Powless stepped up his performance in 2011 by scoring 65 times while having 37 helpers for 102 points in 22 games. The last 2 post seasons, Powless finished with 13GP, 15G, 18A for 33 points in 2010 and 22G, 23A for 45 points in 9 playoff games this year.

Maracle was selected 1<sup>st</sup> in the sixth round and 45<sup>th</sup> overall. Maracle was a member of two Founders Cup (2007 & 2008) championship Rebels teams in his 3 seasons at the Jr B level. Maracle finished with 75 Pts (37G, 38A) during the 3 regular seasons. In 2009, Maracle won the Gaylord Powless Memorial Trophy as the Rebels high scorer with 50 (26G, 24A) Pts. Maracle added Sportsmanlike (Craig Monture Memorial Trophy) and MVP (Roger "Buck" Smith Trophy) to his award collection in 2009. Maracle did step up his game in the post-season as he accumulated another 75 points (37G, 38A) in 2008 & 09 playoff runs. In 2008, Maracle helped the Rebels win their 2<sup>nd</sup> consecutive Founders Cup in Guelph. Maracle played 7 games where he scored 8 times while adding 9 assists for 17 points. Maracle finished his Rebels career with 167 points (82G, 62A) to sit 28<sup>th</sup> overall in Rebels All-Time Combined in 67 games played. Maracle graduated to the Arrows full-time in 2010 after playing a few games in 2009. In 36 Jr A games, Maracle finished with 27G, 53A for 80 regular season points. Maracle added 36 career Jr A playoff points on 13 goals and 23 assists.

While former Rebels Grant Catalino was the 5<sup>th</sup> player selected in the sixth round and 49<sup>th</sup> overall. Catalino played 3 playoff games in 2009 where he scored twice and added 5 points. Catalino played 19 career regular season games for the Arrows Express finishing with 49 points (21G, 28A) in 2009 and 2010. Catalino finished with 27 playoff points (12G, 15A) during those two seasons.

Catalino also played field lacrosse for the University of Maryland Terrapins for 4 years (2008 to 2011). Catalino was named ACC Tournament MVP as the Terrapins won the ACC championship game 11-9 over Duke Blue Devils. However, University of Maryland were edged 9-7 in the NCAA Division I final by Virginia. In 65 career games at U of M, Catalino scored 119 goals adding 66 assists for 185 points with 9 game-winning-goals.

Other players of note to be drafted: 2<sup>nd</sup> overall – Steven Keogh by Rochester Knighthawks (2011 played for Six Nations Chiefs); 10<sup>th</sup> overall (2<sup>nd</sup> selection 2<sup>nd</sup> round) Joel White by Rochester Knighthawks (2009 Six Nations Arrows Express); 11<sup>th</sup> overall (3<sup>rd</sup> selection 2<sup>nd</sup> round) Corbyn Tao by Minnesota Swarm (2006 to 2008 Six Nations Arrows Express); 25<sup>th</sup> overall (7<sup>th</sup> selection 3<sup>rd</sup> round) Jerome Thompson by Buffalo Bandits (2009 Six Nations Arrows Express); 32<sup>nd</sup> overall (5<sup>th</sup> selection 4<sup>th</sup> round) Shane Cater by Rochester Knighthawks (2011 Six Nations Arrows Express); 38<sup>th</sup> overall (3<sup>rd</sup> selection 5<sup>th</sup> round) Joey Cupido by Colorado Mammoth (2009 to 2011 Six Nations Arrows Express); 43<sup>rd</sup> overall (8<sup>th</sup> selection 5<sup>th</sup> round) Brett Hickey by Washington Stealth (2006 to 2011 Windsor Jr B Clippers)



*Rebels graduates, Johnny Powless (Left) 5<sup>th</sup> overall and Kraig Maracle (Right) 45<sup>th</sup> overall, along with Grant Catalino 49<sup>th</sup> overall were drafted by the Rochester Knighthawks Wednesday night during the 2011 NLL Entry Draft held at the Don Valley Hotel in Toronto.*

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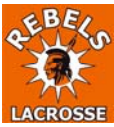
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**Johnny Powless** – DOB March 15, 1993 – Offensive Left # 22-Six Nations Rebels; # 93-Six Nations Arrows Express

	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SH	GWG	
2009 – Six Nations Rebels	13	3	8	11	2	2	0	0	(Regular Season)
2010 – Six Nations Arrows	21	46	32	78	7	2	1	4	(Regular Season)
2010 – Six Nations Arrows	13	15	18	33	0	1	1	0	(Playoffs)
2011 – Six Nations Arrows	22	65	37	102	14	10	1	2	(Regular Season)
2011 – Six Nations Arrows	9	22	23	45	5	4	0	0	(Playoffs)
<b>Junior Career Totals</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	

- 2010 – OLA Jr A Rookie-of-the-Year

**Kraig Maracle** – DOB March 2, 1990 – Offensive Right # 10-Six Nations Rebels; # 10-Six Nations Arrows Express

	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SH	GWG	
2007 – Six Nations Rebels	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	(Regular Season)
2008 – Six Nations Rebels	11	11	13	24	6	0	1	1	(Regular Season)
2008 – Six Nations Rebels	10	14	14	28	4	2	3	1	(Playoffs)
2008 – Six Nations Rebels	7	8	9	17	8	0	1	0	(Founders Cup)
2009 – Six Nations Rebels	20	26	24	50	10	7	2	0	(Regular Season)
2009 – Six Nations Rebels	15	20	24	44	10	6	1	2	(Playoffs)
2009 – Six Nations Arrows	4	4	3	7	0	0	0	0	(Regular Season)
2009 – Six Nations Arrows	3	3	3	6	0	0	0	0	(Playoffs)
2010 – Six Nations Arrows	19	13	25	38	6	2	1	1	(Regular Season)
2010 – Six Nations Arrows	8	3	10	13	8	0	0	0	(Playoffs)
2011 – Six Nations Arrows	13	10	25	35	6	0	1	1	(Regular Season)
2011 – Six Nations Arrows	8	7	10	17	2	0	0	1	(Playoffs)
<b>Junior Career Totals</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>	

- 2009 – Rebels High Scorer (Gaylord Powless Memorial Trophy)
- 2009 – Most Sportsmanlike Player (Craig Monture Memorial Trophy)

**Grant Catalino** – DOB March 7, 1989 – Offensive Right/Left # 17-Six Nations Rebels; # 13 & 29-Six Nations Arrows Express

	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SH	GWG	
2009 – Six Nations Rebels	3	2	5	7	2	0	0	0	(Playoffs)
2009 – Six Nations Arrows	13	17	21	38	4	0	1	2	(Regular Season)
2009 – Six Nations Arrows	5	3	5	8	7	0	0	0	(Playoffs)
2010 – Six Nations Arrows	6	4	7	11	2	0	0	0	(Regular Season)
2010 – Six Nations Arrows	8	9	10	19	0	2	1	0	(Playoffs)
<b>Junior Career Totals</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	

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