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Bobby Orr coming to West Island Hockey legend will help run minor hockey festival

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Hockey legend Bobby Orr will be in Pierrefonds for a Chevrolet Safe & Fun Hockey Festival, Oct. 8-9.

Orr will serve as ambassador for the grass roots hockey program that teaches youngsters about such things as respect and responsibility.

The program, now in its 11th season, is for players between the ages of 5 and 8, parents and coaches.

The program, which is hosted by General Motors of Canada and Hockey Canada, also stresses the importance of fair play and teamwork.

Since the program's inception in 1999, Chevrolet Safe & Fun Hockey programs have reached over 51,000 young players across Canada.

On-ice sessions will take place Oct. 9 at Sportsplexe 4 Glaces in Pierrefonds.



Bobby Orr jokes with kids at 2003 event in Montreal. (Gazette file) [ENLARGE](#)

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