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BLACKHAWKS TEAM UP TO “TREAT THE TROOPS” IN 2009

COUNCIL BLUFFS – Ia. – The Iowa Blackhawks, Council Bluffs’ indoor professional football team, have announced they will team up with *Iowa Cookie Crumbs* during the 2009 season to help send care packages to troops serving in the Middle East.

The *Iowa Cookie Crumbs* will set up a table during 2009 Blackhawks home games where they will take donations to help with the cost of the shipping these packages overseas.

During two November shipments, the *Iowa Cookie Crumbs* sent out more than 31,000 cookies in 234 care packages.

Any military personnel serving in the Middle East can make a request for one of the special care packages via Treat the Troops website.

In addition to cookies, the organization also collects essential items like small cans of food, toiletries, batteries, stationery items and letters from people back home let our troops know that someone back home cares for them and appreciates all that they do.

The Iowa chapter of the *Cookie Crumbs* was founded in 2007 and consists of men and women from both Southwest Iowa and Eastern Nebraska, who take the time to help fulfill these requests.

To find out more about this project or to find a list of items needed for the troops, please visit www.treatthetroops.org

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