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Hockey legend Henry Boucha to visit Touchmark *Boucha promoting autobiography*

FARGO, N.D. – Hockey legend Henry Boucha will visit Touchmark at Harwood Groves on Friday, June 19. Boucha – a Warroad, Minnesota, native – is one of six Native American Olympic medalists and member of the U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame. He is promoting his autobiography, “Henry Boucha, Ojibwa, Native American Olympian.”

Boucha will be at Touchmark at 2:30 p.m. on June 19. He will speak about his book and autograph copies that will be for sale. Boucha will also have memorabilia from his hockey career on display.

There is no charge for the event, which is open to the public. Touchmark is located at 1200 Harwood Drive S.

Boucha is well known among hockey fans. He played on Warroad’s champion hockey team in 1964 and led Warroad to the championship again in 1969.

After high school, Boucha joined the U.S. Army and played on the U.S. National Hockey team that won the world hockey championship in 1970. In 1972, he played on the U.S. Olympic Hockey Team and won a silver medal before being drafted by the Detroit Red Wings. Boucha retired from the Colorado Rockies in 1977 after suffering a serious eye injury in 1975.

“Henry Boucha, Ojibwa Native American Olympian” is Boucha’s firsthand account of the triumphs and tragedies he experienced, beginning with a brief history of the Ojibwa people and ending with his induction into the U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame in 1995.

“We’re extremely pleased and proud to have the opportunity for Henry to visit Touchmark,” said Touchmark resident Ray Green, who was Boucha’s high school science teacher. “Henry’s got a great story, and we’re excited for the people in Fargo and our community to be able to hear him tell it.”

About Touchmark

A full-service retirement community, Touchmark at Harwood Groves offers people 55-plus years a full life. There is a wide range of homes and lifestyle options as well as an on-site health and fitness club, which is open to anyone over 40. For more information, visit Touchmark.com

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