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## **FAULK, DWYER WIN WRITERS' AWARDS**

Two members of the Carolina Hurricanes were honored in voting by the Carolina chapter of the Professional Hockey Writers Association on Thursday. **Justin Faulk** was named the team's Most Valuable Player, while **Patrick Dwyer** won the Josef Vasicek Award for cooperation with the local media.

Members of the Professional Hockey Writers Association vote on the NHL's first and second All-Star teams as well as the Hart, Norris, Calder, Selke and Masterton trophies. The Carolina chapter earlier this month nominated **Dan Ellis** for the Bill Masterton Memorial Trophy, which honors sportsmanship, perseverance and dedication to the game of hockey.

Past winners	<b>MVP</b>	<b>Josef Vasicek Award</b>
<b>2012</b>	Eric Staal	Jay Harrison
<b>2011</b>	Cam Ward	Jussi Jokinen
<b>2010</b>	Jussi Jokinen	Eric Staal
<b>2009</b>	Cam Ward	Tuomo Ruutu
<b>2008</b>	Eric Staal	Cam Ward
<b>2007</b>	Ray Whitney	Mike Commodore
<b>2006</b>	Eric Staal	Aaron Ward
<b>2004</b>	Sean Hill	Kevyn Adams
<b>2003</b>	Ron Francis	Kevyn Adams
<b>2002</b>	Ron Francis	Arturs Irbe
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