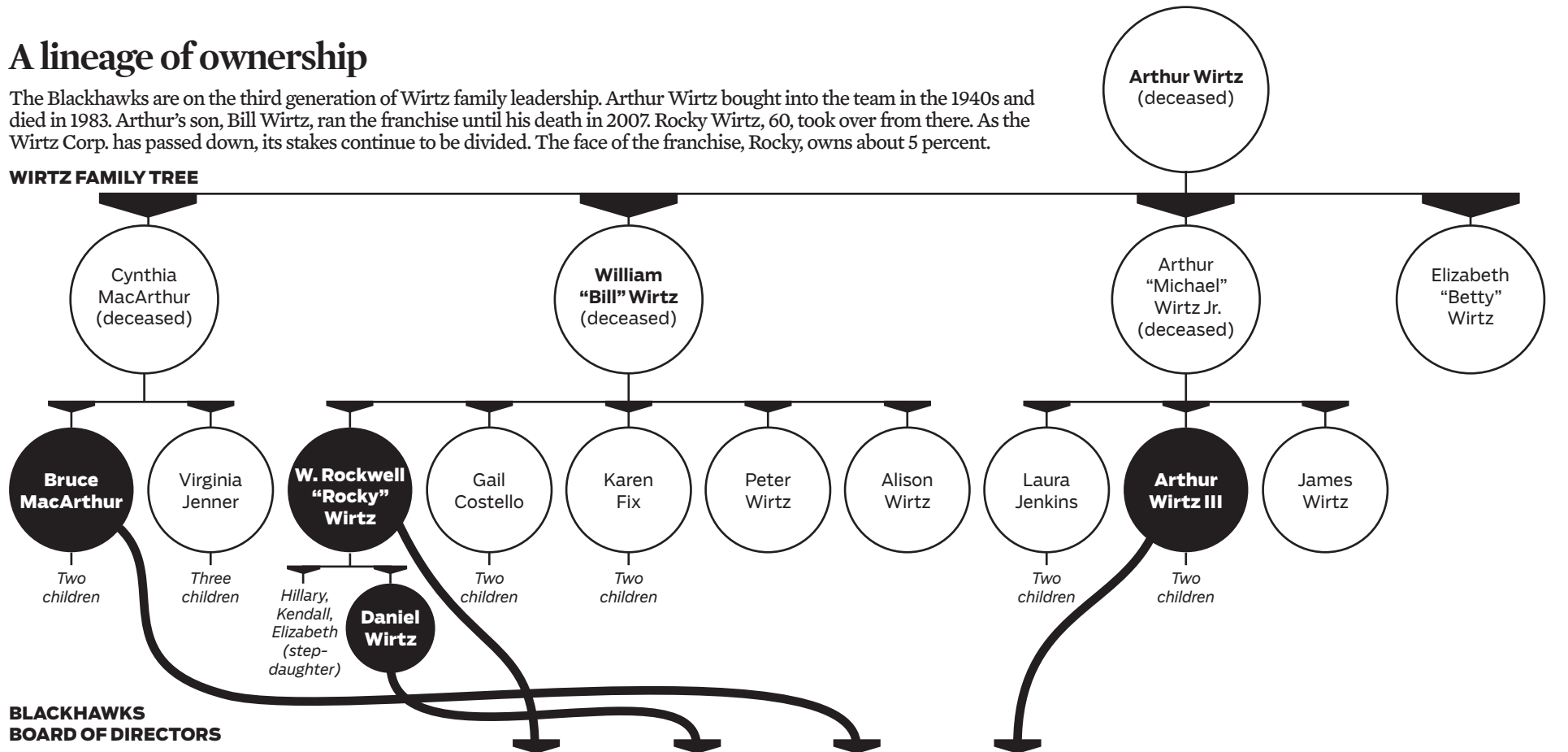


# A lineage of ownership

The Blackhawks are on the third generation of Wirtz family leadership. Arthur Wirtz bought into the team in the 1940s and died in 1983. Arthur's son, Bill Wirtz, ran the franchise until his death in 2007. Rocky Wirtz, 60, took over from there. As the Wirtz Corp. has passed down, its stakes continue to be divided. The face of the franchise, Rocky, owns about 5 percent.

## WIRTZ FAMILY TREE



## BLACKHAWKS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Wirtz Corp. controls the Blackhawks. As part of a succession planning effort last year, Rocky Wirtz expanded the Wirtz Corp. board from three to eight members. Donald Hunter will step down in the coming months, leaving seven.

### Old Wirtz Corp. board of directors:

- Rocky Wirtz
- Donald Hunter  
Attorney, retiring in January
- Kenneth Scranton  
Died in January



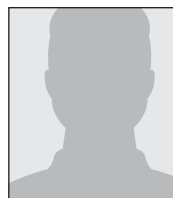
**Rocky Wirtz**  
60, chairman



**Daniel Wirtz**  
36, Rocky's son,  
executive  
vice president at  
Wirtz Beverage



**Bruce MacArthur**  
65, Rocky's  
cousin



**Arthur Wirtz III**  
45, Rocky's  
cousin, executive  
vice president at  
Wirtz Beverage



**Ed Callison**  
58, executive  
vice president at  
Wirtz Beverage



**John Miller**  
59, CEO of North  
American Corp.



**Jeffrey Vender** 64,  
Anesthesiologist,  
friend of Rocky's