

GREEN MOUNTAIN ROLLER DERBY PRESENTS

Roller Derby



House Cup



SATURDAY

OCTOBER 12TH
CHAMPLAIN VALLEY EXPO



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GAME BEGINS AT 6PM

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GMRD MISSION STATEMENT



The mission of the Green Mountain Roller Derby (GMRD) is to empower women personally and athletically through the sport of roller derby. As a skater-owned and operated organization, it is our intention to hold ourselves to the highest standards of respect and sportswoman-ship on and off the track, uphold the rules and values of the Women's Flat Track Derby Association (WFTDA), and to be a positive force in our community.

The Green Mountain Roller Derby is Vermont's first roller derby league. Established in November 2007, GMRD is part of the modern roller derby resurgence. The league was accepted into the Women's Flat Track Derby Association (WFTDA) in 2010. GMRD is entirely skater-owned and operated, which means our members work just as hard off the track to keep the league running.



**MINOR
CATASTROPHES**
GMRD JUNIOR ROLLER DERBY

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The Minor Catastrophes are Vermont's first girls' roller derby team, and proud members of Green Mountain Roller Derby. Girls from grades 2 – 12 skate weekly with veteran skaters from Green Mountain Roller Derby to learn basic skating skills and roller derby game-play. The Minor Catastrophes are a proud partner of Essex Junction Recreation and Parks. Visit the EJRP website (ejrp.org) to register for the next available junior derby offering.



FEATURED NON PROFIT



Rad Magpie is a nonprofit game development studio based in Burlington Vermont. They champion diverse creators in an industry that often pushes them to the margins. Serving women, people of color, LGBTQ folx, and other developers who are traditionally under-represented in games, Rad Magpie works to empower aspiring game developers. They host game creation jams for youth, incubate teams of college students, and hire diverse game devs for their in-house projects.



GREEN MOUNTAIN ROLLER DERBY OFFICIALS



Announcers

Risk & Possum

Photos by:

Mark Ely

Head Ref

Urin Trouble

Refs

Balckheart

Shanksy

Ship Wrecker

Zoot Skate Riot

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THANK YOU!

GREEN MOUNTAIN ROLLER DERBY NSOS

Head NSO: Slothzilla

NSOs

Back Breaker Bane

Hackmonkey

Roll for Damage

Brite Scamander

Officially Mel

Jakkers

Little John

Cryptic Kablam



GMRD's referees and non-skating officials (NSOs) known collectively as the Legion of Doom, maintain safety and keep order on the track. Referees wear stripes and skates, call the penalties, and are the final arbiters of the rules. NSOs run the clocks and scoreboards, record penalties called by referees, and keep score and other stats.

SPONSORED SKATERS

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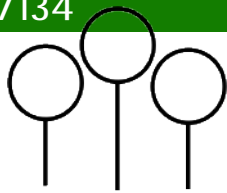
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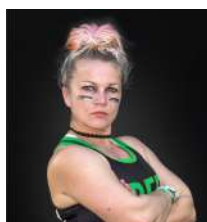
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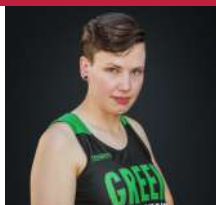
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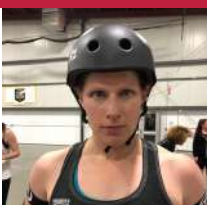
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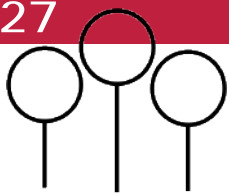
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HOW ROLLER DERBY WORKS

The objectives of roller derby are relatively simple. Each team fields a single point scoring skater ("Jammer") whose object is to lap as many opposing skaters as they can.

The remaining skaters who aren't scoring points work both on offense and defense at the same time -- to block the opposing Jammer and to clear a path for their own Jammer.

Well-played roller derby requires agility, strength, speed, control, peripheral vision, communication, and teamwork.

Setup & Scoring

Each team fields 5 players at a time. Out of those 5 players, 4 are BLOCKERS and 1 is the JAMMER (point scorer).

The 4 blockers from each team line up together between a designated "Pivot Line" and "Jammer Line" marked on the track, to form a PACK, while the 2 jammers line up behind the Jammer Line. The skater wearing the star on her helmet is the jammer. The skater wearing the stripe on her helmet is called the PIVOT. The pivot is commonly the pack leader and defensive play caller, similar to football's middle linebacker position.

On the whistle the pack and jammers may begin to engage each other. On the first lap, the jammers earn no points, but the first jammer to legally pass each blocker on the opposing team and clear the pack is called LEAD JAMMER. You can tell if a skater is the Lead Jammer by looking at her designated jammer ref. The jammer ref will point to the jammer and hold his/her hand up in an "L" shape. The Lead Jammer reserves the right to strategically end the jam before the two minutes are completed by repeatedly gesturing with her hands on her hips. If both jammers commit fouls on their first lap, there is no Lead Jammer in that jam and it will run for the full 2 minutes. Jammers lose Lead Jammer status if they are sent to the penalty box during the jam. After a jammer completes her initial lap, she scores 1 point for each opposing skater she passes. Jammers automatically score points against opposing skaters serving in the penalty box. Jammer referees hold up fingers at the conclusion of each lap for points just earned.

Timing

Each 2 minute play is called a JAM.

Between each jam, there are 30 seconds for teams to line up for the next jam.

There are two halves in a BOUT. Each half is 30 minutes long and has an unlimited number of jams.

Teams may freely substitute players between jams, except for players stuck in the penalty box.

Common Penalties

Blocking with forearms, hands, elbows, or a helmet

Tripping, kicking, or blocking with feet or legs

Blocking while 20 feet ahead of or behind the pack ("out of play")

Intentionally destroying the pack, such as by taking a knee or leaving the track in a way which rendering the remaining players ineligible to block

Blocking a skater in her back or head

Blocking while out of bounds, or blocking a skater who is out of bounds

Skating out of bounds to get around other skaters ("cutting the track")

Illegal procedures: false starts, too many skaters on the track

The Penalty Box

A penalty costs 30 seconds of jam time in the box, served immediately so long as a seat is available in the box. Refs gesture skaters to the box with a swooping motion of one finger to direct the skater off the track. A jammer in the box is released immediately if the other jammer also lands in the box. skaters and a small number of leagues train for both styles of play.



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