

- Upcoming Events -

- May 9, 2015
Stateline Turnaround Trip
- May 16 & 17, 2015
Tournament—Sonora CA
Attack of the C Squads
- June 6, 2015
Bout— San Jose CA
FFF Foxtettes vs. SVRG
Hard Drivers
FFF Flyers vs. SVRG
Killabytes
- July 11, 2015
Bout—Laguna Hills
FFF Flyers vs. SCRD
Lagunatics
- July 22—26, 2015
RollerCon—Las Vegas
- August 15, 2015
Bout—Corona Rinks
DCRR Roller Rats (C) vs.
FFF Foxtettes
DCRR Roller Rats (B) vs.
FFF Flyers

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Hangar 24



Our second Meet & Greet of the 2015 season was held at Hangar 24 Craft Brewery in Redlands on April 20th. It was a great opportunity for FFF to get to know folks from our local community and for the local community to learn a little about FFF. Many of the folks we met “used to watch roller derby growing up”, but knew very little about today’s roller derby, so we had lots to talk about.

Hangar 24, with their great selection of craft beers, large patio and beautiful view of the mountains, was the perfect place to spend an evening making new friends, catching up with old friends, and talking about this sport we love so much. Several of the new friends we made came out to our home bout on April 25 to check out their first live roller derby game.

Check our website foxyflyers.com to find out about upcoming events and opportunities to meet the ladies and gentlemen of FFF.



Prom Night

By Regulator Ruby Rose

While most of her friends were getting ready to dance the night away at prom, high school senior Rosemary Palma, Sea Bee, was getting ready to bout. As a regular guest skater with O.C. Jr. Slice Girls, Sea Bee, opted to skip her Senior Prom to join the Slice Girls as they took on Beach Cities Jr. Shark Bites on April 18th. In Foxy style, the team came out in force to support Sea Bee and our other junior Missy Misfit who often skates with O.C. as well. In honor of the tough choice she made to miss prom for derby, the team dressed for the occasion in prom attire and brought the Prom to Sea Bee.



Fox Finder



We are pleased to announce our May Fox - Cat-taztrofy. Most of us call her Cat, but she also goes by Catalina or Mrs. Westbrook. It was her husband David and her son and daughter who helped her come up with her derby name and she chose the number 23 because it's her birthday. Cat came to FFF in 2014 with no roller derby experience. In the year-and-a-half since, she has become a strong, effective jammer and blocker, and has mastered transitions; her biggest hurdle so far. About her previous sports experience, cheerleading, Cat says “yes, it's a sport.” This beautiful lady always has a smile on her face...except when she is in “game face”, and brings a smile to those around her. The number one thing on her list of things that make her happy is her family. She says “I love being w/my husband and kids; we're so fun together.” Spending time at Huntington Beach and eating also rank up there among her favorites. One of Cat's most inspirational quotes is “work like you don't need the money, love like you've never been hurt and dance like no one is watching.” Cat is very creative and enjoys crafting, loves to make things, and enjoys shopping at vintage thrift stores.

What's the Ruling?

Scoring

The only Skaters eligible to score points are those wearing the Jammer panty with stars visible. Points can be scored each time the Jammer makes a Pass, with the exception of the Initial Pass (first Pass after the jam start whistle). The Initial Pass is for establishing Lead Jammer status. There is an exception in an overtime Jam however. In an overtime jam, points may be scored on the Initial Pass.

Pass Definitions -

A Pass is when the Jammer moves from behind the pack through, and clears, the Engagement Zone or the foremost Blocker.

To pass is when one Skater ends up in front of another Skater. Passing is measured at the Skaters' hips.

After they have completed their Initial Pass, the Jammer scores points by passing the opposing Skaters each time they make a Pass. The Jammer may score one point per opposing Blocker per scoring Pass. In order to score the Jammer must be in bounds and upright, wearing the Jammer panty, and not commit a penalty. A Jammer may also score a Jammer Lap Point when they completely lap and pass the opposing Jammer while both Jammers are on the track. A Jammer can score Not-On-the-Track (NOTT) points for opponents who are not on the track...opponent in the penalty box, opponent on their way to the penalty box, opponents who are out of bounds...if they score on a Blocker who is physically on the track before the end of the jam. If a Jammer passes opponents then is penalized and sent to the penalty box before completing the Pass, they will not be awarded those points until they legally re-enter the track in the same jam. If the jam ends before the Jammer may legally re-enter the track, those points will not be awarded. Jammers cannot score points while they are in the Penalty Box. Upon finishing serving their penalty and legal re-entry, the Jammer will continue their scoring Pass exactly where they left off.

A Jammer may not score more than one point per opposing Skater per Pass; maximum of 5 points per Pass. The Referee will announce points by a hand signal once the Jammer has completed their Pass (exited the front of the engagement zone or foremost blocker). Jammers may continue to earn points until the end of the fourth whistle of the jam-ending signal.



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FFF Loves Refs & NSOs



We would like to thank the amazing Referees and NSOs for volunteering their time and hard work so that we can play derby!

Home Bout Double Header

By Regulator Ruby Rose

On April 25th FFF proudly played host to Hidden City Derby Girls in our 2nd home bout of the season. We had a great turnout for this exciting double header.

The first game of the evening featured Hidden City's Beachside Bruisers and the FFF Foxettes in a fun, action packed, and hard-hitting game. The Foxettes held the Bruisers' jammers off the line and maintained strong walls earning them an early lead. In the second half the Foxettes coaches changed things up a bit allowing skaters an opportunity to play a variety of positions. Both teams played hard throughout. The Foxettes took the win with a score of 292 – 169.

The highlight of the evening was definitely the second bout with the FFF Flyers taking on the Beachside Bullies and the Flyers looking for a second win this season. Talk about a nail-biter...this game was not decided until the final jam. Although the Flyers took a pretty decent lead early on, the Bullies weren't about to let them get comfortable. By the end of the first half both teams knew this was going to be a tough one. Not a single point was given away by either team; every point was earned. This was a strategically played game with every player having to be in just the right place at just the right time taking and giving hard hits on every pass. The entire place was on their feet for the last few jams with the score being within a few points and both teams digging in hard for the win. In the last jam the Flyers were able to escape with a narrow 5-point victory. Final score was FFF 198 HCDG 193.