

# The Black Rock quick start guide:

This section is meant to orient new users and riders to this website, Black Rock mountain bike area and BRMBA. This page is a great start to understanding what is going on, how to get involved and make the most of your riding in the Willamette Valley.

## What is Black Rock?

Black Rock Mountain Bike area is a system of trails built and managed by volunteers under the Oregon Department of Forestry management plan. With four complete trails, there is riding for every skill level. Each trail is clearly marked at intersections and trail-heads. At the base of the mountain is a skill building area called "Basic Training" and is a great chance to warm up before taking on the mountain. For more information please visit [Black Rock Trail Map](#) .

## What is BRMBA?

BRMBA, or Black Rock Mountain Bike Association, is a not for profit organization that is dedicated to building and maintaining Black Rock mountain bike area. Beyond making sure that the trails are buttery, BRMBA works with all of the organizations and private parties that work together to keep Black Rock open. To see more about BRMBA visit [About BRMBA](#).

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## What is BRMBA.org?

BRMBA.org is dedicated to the same mission and goals as BRMBA. There are several ways to use this site beyond the basics.

### Register

The first step to getting hooked up with BRMBA.org is to register. At the top right of each page is the registered user area. If registered you can login here, if not registered click the link and fill out the form. Registering will allow you to use the BRMBA Forums and other membership services.

### Notifications

Notifications are a great way to get all the latest info on meetings, events, and other important stuff going on with BRMBA, directly in your inbox. Take a few minutes to update your profile with your email or register with BRMBA.org.

### Other Sites

BRMBA is on Facebook, you can find us [HERE](#) .

BRMBA is also on twitter, you can follow us @BlackRockMTB or click on the link 'Follow me on

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Twitter' at the right side of each page, under 'Twitter Feed'

After you make it through all of this, take a look around the rest of the site and see what you think. If you have any questions, concerns, or ideas for the website, please email Dan Shell at [admin@brmba.org](mailto:admin@brmba.org)

### **Before Heading out to Black Rock, please read these rules:**

- 1. Stay on the road that leads up to the trails (please don't trespass on the camp property; don't drive past the camp entrance do not park in the camp field)!**
- 2. NEVER speed down the road through the camp at the end of the day! The MAX speed is 15 MPH; better yet go slower, enjoy the view and wave and say hi to the campers!**
- 3. Be courteous when parked, don't change in direct view of passers by; remember there is no alcohol allowed in the parking lot (it's a county road and it's not legal). Please remember this is a church camp and lots of kids are coming and going, they don't need to see your bare backside! Watch your language and please no loud music!**
- 4. Leash your dog while on the camp property; DON'T let your dog use the camp field as a bathroom (kids play here and hey you don't like falling in dog do-do and you don't want that on your shoes!).**

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