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Brewcity Bruisers Welcome Eighth Season With Spectacular Double Header

Roller Derby Doubleheader: Friday, January 17th, 2014

Brewcity Bruisers Welcome 2014 Season with a Bang

MILWAUKEE, WI - Milwaukee's hometown roller derby league, the Brewcity Bruisers, will open its eighth season at the U.S. Cellular Arena Friday, January 17th. The event will feature each of Milwaukee's four teams in two separate bouts: Maiden Milwaukee vs. the Crazy Eights, and the Rushin' Rollettes vs. the Shevil Knevils.

This is the first of three Friday night bouts of the Bruisers' five-game season. The bout begins at 7:00 pm; doors open at 6:00 p.m. The U.S. Cellular Arena is located at 400 W. Kilbourn Ave., in downtown Milwaukee.

TICKETS

Adult tickets are \$15 in advance and \$18 at the door. Youth tickets, for kids 12 and under, are \$12 in advance and \$15 at the door. Children under 5 receive free admission. To purchase tickets, contact Ticketmaster at (800) 745-3000 or www.ticketmaster.com.

Save money on derby tickets by donating a non-perishable food item to the Hope House of Milwaukee. Each donation is worth \$3 off one regular priced ticket when purchased at the door. Milwaukee's Hope House is an emergency and transitional living facility as well as a true community center located in the near south side of Milwaukee. For even more information and discounts, sign up for our monthly newsletter at www.brewcitybruisers.com.

"We're excited to be back at U.S. Cellular Arena for our eighth season, with over 3,000 fans consistently filling the arena at each bout" said Candice Ruh (aka Candy Acid of the Shevil Knevils), Secretary of the team's board of directors. "We are excited to announce the league is moving to 30-minute halves to better reflect our WFTDA procedures. That's 20 minutes of extra play time each bout!", says Ruh.

The Milwaukee roller derby season will kick off on Friday, January 17th and will offer monthly bouts through May 2014. It's been an exciting season for the Bruisers, as the league recently hosted the international derby championships in Milwaukee in the fall of 2013.

2014 Brewcity Bruisers Home Season Dates:

Friday, January 17 - first whistle at 7:00 pm, doors open at 6:00 pm Friday, February 21 - first whistle at 7:00 pm, doors open at 6:00 pm Friday March 14 - first whistle at 7:00 pm, doors open at 6:00 pm Saturday, April 19 - first whistle at 7:00 pm, doors open at 6:00 pm Saturday, May 10 - first whistle at 7:00 pm, doors open at 6:00 pm

The Brewcity Bruisers is a skater-owned and operated flat track roller derby league. During the home season, four local teams (all part of Brewcity Bruisers league) square off in rotating double-header bouts: Rushin' Rollettes, Shevil Knevils, Maiden Milwaukee, and the Crazy 8's.

Established in 2005, the Brewcity Bruisers are constantly evolving and growing. "Every year we have new skaters hit the rink, and our athletic training increases tremendously," said Shari Comstock, former league Treasurer "The Bruisers offer audiences the perfect combination of athletic competition and entertainment, all produced by amateur women athletes in southeastern Wisconsin." The league is skater-operated and consists of volunteers to produce the bouts and events throughout the year.

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