

THE MAHJONG LINE
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THE MOUNTAIN LINE

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SO WHO IS
OUR MOUNTAIN GAL?

She may reside in the city but she comes alive in the mountains. She works hard and she plays harder. As she likes to tease, she'll try anything once as long as it doesn't maim her or put her (or any of her friends) in jail. She's intense and intensely admired. Her passion is her trademark and she could lead an army if called upon. But retreating to the mountains now and then is a prerequisite for her success. This gal has gumption and she cannot be fenced in.

OUR HOUSE RULES ARE THESE:

Keep the game moving at a nice clip, but no harm in pausing for a sensational, must-hear story.

Say the tile name clearly when discarding. Stack your second left.

Don't pick up for a concealed line or you'll receive a * next to your Mahjong*.

If cocktails are involved, disregard all above rules and have at it.

COMMIT TO THE LINE. REVEAL THE LINE. AND, IN THE END, ALWAYS ACKNOWLEDGE A BEAUTIFUL LINE.



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		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	DRAGONS	
SUITS	DOTS											WHITE & SOAP
	BAMS											GREEN
	CRACKS											RED

WINDS

				FIREWEED	CHOCO LILY	FORGET ME NOT	BRUNCHBERRY	THIMBLEBERRY	BLUE COLUMBINE	ADONIS MONTANA	SILVER LUPINUS

FLOWERS

SCAN

TO LEARN
AMERICAN
MAHJONG



JOKERS

JOKER	JOKER	JOKER	JOKER	JOKER	JOKER	JOKER	JOKER	JOKER	JOKER	JOKER

152 TILES ARE REQUIRED IN AMERICAN MAHJONG. This Mountain set has extra jokers and blanks for a total of 160 tiles.

1-9 DOTS (four of each): 36

1-9 BAMS (four of each): 36

1-9 CRACKS (four of each): 36

Four of each WIND (N, E, W, S): 16

Four of each DRAGON (white, green, red): 12

FLOWERS: 8 JOKERS: 10 BLANKS: 6

HELPFUL HINTS

Rules abound in the game of Mahjong. But fear not, no need to master them all at once. The key to the game is understanding the **NMJL card**. The winner is the first player to complete a line from the card. Visit **themahjongline.com** to learn more.

- The dealer deals 14 tiles to herself and 13 tiles to everyone else.
- Begin to organize your tiles to help you “find your line.” Look for pairs or multiples of the same tile. Determine if the majority are even or odd numbers. Look for consecutive runs in the same suit or different suits. The tiles that don’t seem to fit into any of these patterns become your tiles for discard during the Charleston and after.
- Players begin the Charleston to exchange three discard tiles with other players (remember: Right/Over/Left/Left/Over/Right or “ROLLOR”).
- Dealer begins by discarding an unwanted tile face up onto the table and naming the tile out loud for all players to hear.
- Counterclockwise, player draws a tile from the wall where dealing ended.
- Same player then discards an unwanted tile from her rack face up onto the table and names the tile.
- The same draw/discard process continues in a counterclockwise fashion.

