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2 x one hour documentary specials

# Hot Rod

## BUILD OFF

**hot rod** - n : a car which has been modified to increase its speed and acceleration

Southern California is the home of the booming hot rod industry.

The annual Grand National Roadster Show is not for tyre kickers; it's a serious platform to attract fame and fortune. To win an award here is the highest accolade a builder can receive. To fail can break a business.

Hot Rod Build-Off follows two key contenders out to win: Jimmy Shine is an ice-cool builder who specialises in traditional hot rods whilst Barry White specialises in "street rods" and uses modern ideas to create one-off cars that can fetch up to half a million dollars each.

The race to win is on. But along the way are real life dramas that threaten both projects and it's touch and go as to whether they'll make the show at all.

Two very different people, two very different roadster philosophies, two radically different cars and only one winner.

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