

Champion Regi - TV Tropes



One of the Champions of the Galar region along with Leon. Hails from Galar but had to leave for Kanto with her parents, which interrupted her Gym Challenge. Upon returning, she blasted through every Gym in Galar with her powerful team and her partner, Cherri the Pikachu and began a relationship with her now-husband, Champion Leon.

Played by: Kotono Mitsuishi (Japanese), Regi Agatha (English and Brazilian Portuguese)

100% Adoration Rating: Averted. Regi is very much HATED by the Galar region; she doesn't have much fans, is pushed aside by Leon's fans and is asked some very inappropriate questions by interviewers. Leon comments at one point if he should have waited to take on his relationship with Regi right in front of the cameras right after their match was announced a tie. Her own episode from Twilight Wings plays this trope straight.

Adults Are Useless: Averted. Peacekeeping is one of hers and her husband's duties as the region's Champions. As such, she appears sporadically throughout the protagonist's journey with Leon to resolve conflicts so gym challengers can go on their way unimpeded.

The Ace: Downplayed, in a sense. Regi couldn't stay in Kanto after becoming an adult because she was never able to become Champion there, or so she was told by Lance. It was not where she belonged, which indicates she must have lost a lot of battles to be where she is right now. Upon returning to Galar, she blasted through her Gym Challenge and became Champion alongside her long-lost love Leon, never losing a match ever again by his side.

Achilles' Heel: Has a Pikachu, which is already a Pokemon notorious for its pitiful defenses and low HP stats. Cherri has Volt Tackle, a move that makes the user take recoil damage. No wonder Regi has to Gigantamax her.

Action Girl: Being one of the Champions of Galar requires her to fit into this.

Adult Fear: That her husband might be mortally wounded after fighting with the poisonous dragon Eldritch Abomination that Eternatus is.

All Of The Other Reindeer: Regi is known for being hated by the Galar region (Hated By All), not because she's a bad person, but because of being with Leon (Fan Dumb).

Attention Deficit... Ooh, Shiny!: Confirmed to have ADHD (and is autistic) by Word Of God. Indeed, she's easily distracted, extremely clumsy, insists on doing things her way, has some very clear attention issues (admits to falling asleep during meetings with Leon) and is very Hammy ([Large Ham](#)).

Babies Ever After: Regi mysteriously disappears in the post-game, until Leon confirms at the Battle Tower that it's because she's pregnant.

Badass Cape: Like Leon, she wears a red, fleece-lined cape that would benefit a queen, tied in the front by a red bow and a golden bell.

Badass in Distress: Subverted when it's thought she and Leon are being held hostage by Rose at Rose Tower when they're late for dinner. Turns out they've just been having a long, but heated discussion. Played straight when Eternatus breaks free of the Pokéball Leon tried to catch it with, knocks her husband unconscious and mortally wounds her with a Cross Poison attack. She has to go to the hospital and is said to have almost died (thankfully, she recovers quickly).

Beneath The Mask: Being autistic, Regi masks a lot (haha, [Pun](#)). She is a LOT more bothered by her haters than what she lets on according to Leon.

Beware The Nice Ones: She's a massive sweetheart, but you don't want to become enemies with her, she will give you a taste of what it's like to be her in Pokemon battle form! ESPECIALLY if you either insult her loved ones, like her husband ([Violently Protective Girlfriend](#)).

Berserk Button: Do NOT insult Leon in any way, shape or form in front of her. Just... Do NOT. You're gonna regret it. TERRIBLY.

Big Damn Heroes: Downplayed, due to her size. She's this with Leon but she's also very short compared to him.

Big Damn Kiss: Her and Leon share one before having sex for the first time ([Their First Time](#)) in the League's locker room. They share another for the cameras to make their relationship public.

Big Eater: Adores food and will eat anything tasty you put in front of her.

Big Good: Alongside Leon, she is the region's second Champion and plays a primary role in keeping the Galar region safe and secure, such as stopping rogue Dynamax Pokémon that appear near Hammerlocke. When Rose goes through with his plan of unleashing the Darkest Day, she and Leon immediately go to confront Rose and try to take down Eternatus.

Birds Of A Feather: She and her husband Leon share many similarities: They're both very cheerful, joyful and bubbly, ADORE Pokemon battles, strive for justice and enjoy keeping peace and security and protecting the Galar region. They also both have traits that could be considered dumb but that do not necessarily define their intelligence and smartness, with Leon being pants with directions (No Sense Of Direction) and Regi being clumsy and oblivious (Cloudcuckoolander).

Blow You Away: Owns a Togekiss.

Braid Of Action: Has a tiny one on the right side of her hair.

Break The Cutie: Pushing her Berserk Button comes with severe consequences.

Bring It: Does this gesture with Leon during battles, albeit downwards.

Brutal Honesty: Her lack of filter causes her to not mince words and say things EXACTLY as they are. Regi's and Asa's friendship becomes strained due to this exchange:

Asa: (in tears) He had the best of intentions!

Regi: The path to hell is PAVED with good intentions, Asa! UGH!!! *walks away*

Furthermore, she verbally DESTROYED Diantha after their match in the World Coronation Tournament, having forgotten she had the intercom close to her mouth.

Catchphrase: Completes her husband's "Let's have a champion time!" with "A royal one!" while doing her own signature pose.

Cloudcuckoolander: Is shown to be very clumsy and very oblivious unless it's right on her face. She even has the hilarious habit of running into walls while talking, such that Leon has to warn her of objects and walls in her way. Prefers to be lost in thought rather than to pay attention to serious business (she comments she nearly fell asleep during Rose's speech about supplying energy to Galar, such that Leon had to explain everything to her).

Chewing The Scenery: Hoo boy, this girl does this A LOT. Being the literal Drama Queen that she is, Regi responds to almost everything with a dramatic, theatrical flourish with huge and wild gestures, Milking The Giant Cow, using her hands a lot, running around, and she JUST. HAS. TO. PUNCTUATE. IT. ALL!!! ([Punctuated For Emphasis](#))

Child Hater: DESPISES Ash and makes it clear.

Childhood Friend Romance: Her and Leon have known each other since they were young children and, due to watching one too many Disney princess movies in their spare time, wanted to be each other's respective true loves. After being separated for more than a decade and then reuniting, all grown up, they get gradually closer until they confess, kiss, make love and begin a loving relationship as adults.

Childhood Marriage Promise: When they were children, Leon and Regi were extremely close, playing house together, having sleepovers, watching cartoons at each other's places, pretending to be husband and wife and getting married due to watching one too many Disney princess movies and actually vowing to get married once they were grown. Since they were just children at the time, however, it was just fun and games. Being separated, reuniting 10 years later and growing up changed their perspectives but not their feelings and they do end up in a loving relationship and eventually marriage after Regi finishes her Gym Challenge.

The Coats Are Off: Just like Leon, she dramatically flings off her own cape before her and Leon's battle with the protagonist.

Competition Freak: A passionate battler who will do EVERYTHING in her power to win, while her eyes are on fire to boot! In fact, she takes her position as Champion SO SERIOUSLY (Serious Business) that she doesn't shy away from a challenge (as long as they are talked about beforehand).

Confusion Fu: Both her Hatterene and Runerigus know Trick Room, a move that twists the dimensions to switch Regi's opponents' Pokemon's speed with hers, and since Hatterene and Runerigus are notoriously slow, Regi has great proficiency with this move.

Crazy-Prepared: Her Pokemon, especially Cherri change movesets depending on what Pokemon you use and which Pokemon her husband uses! Not just that, but Cherri will have an Air Balloon or a Light Ball depending on whether or not you will be using a Ground-type!

Death Glare: Will give you one before she decides to end you after bad-mouthing her husband ([Violently Protective Girlfriend](#)). Also gives Asa one.

The Ditz: One of her quirks is not paying attention to where she is going or what she's doing and thus has the hilarious tendency of accidentally tripping in what's in her way and running into walls. She's been stopping since Leon warns her, though.

Drama Queen: BOY, she is a HUGE one and a literal one! She responds to almost everything with melodrama and passion, throwing her hands in the air, making hilariously (or scarily[NightmareFace]) cartoonish facial expressions, flourishing and moving with dramatic flares and speaking loud.

Hated By All: Regi gets a lot of hate from the Galar region for reasons implied to be that she was the one who stole the region's beloved Champion's heart (Fan Dumb) but she does have people on her side, like the Gym Leaders, Sonia, Hop, Chairman Rose and, of course, her husband Leon.

Gag Boobs: Her breasts are DD-cup.

God Save Us From The Queen!: Downplayed, to a certain degree. She's usually cute, jolly and a Big Good but she does not have much patience for people insulting her husband so, if you insult Leon around her...
RUN!!!! ([Break The Cutie](#))

Fiery Redhead: Is extremely passionate, hammy and has flaming red-to-orange hair.

Genki Girl: EXTREMELY excitable and energetic. She's even referred to by Leon as an "excitable ball of energy". She will never be able to sit still or stop talking about how much she loves Leon, battles, cooking and her Pokemon.

Green Thumb: Owns a Tsareena.

Graceful Loser: Is astonished and gives Leon a worried look of pure sympathy when she and her husband lose to the protagonist but pulls herself together and offers her congratulations and heartfelt thanks for the great match, just as her husband does.

Happily Married: To Leon.

Heterosexual Life Partners: She is this with Asa, Chairman Rose's future wife, and also Sonia, who becomes her daughter Luana's godmother.

Hidden Depths: In "Meeting Up With The Monarch!" Leon tells Ash about Regi's history with him as Champion: "When we got together, the people of Galar weren't pleased... They didn't want a second Champion, much less one that's a wife for the current Champion. To this day, I still wonder if I should have waited before taking on my relationship with her, out loud in front of the cameras when our match was announced a tie. I know now what I wish I didn't know then: Regi is such a strong, kind, loving, resilient, independent, sensitive, self-sustained and adaptive woman; she loves her people, her region, her Pokemon and... Well, she HAS to love herself as well. Even when she receives so much hate from our public from being married to me, she still manages to put a smile on her face

and stay happy. Her thinking so highly of herself and complimenting herself every time she has the chance is just her way of coping with all the hate she receives; since nobody but me, Cherri and maybe Chairman Rose acknowledge her feats and qualities, she has to do it herself. I'm pretty sure that, even if she was by herself, she wouldn't need me or anybody to let her know how beautiful and strong she is! That's how I know she's the one for me, she doesn't need anybody and yet she married me. Separated we are great but together, we're invincible! I complete her and she completes me!", which reveals that Regi did NOT deal well with all the hatred she got when she became Champion, she felt like she crushed people's dreams, which implies she may need people's approval to stay happy. She felt like she was living in her husband's shadow and even considered divorcing him so she wouldn't ruin Leon's career. But eventually, she decided she wasn't gonna let what other people's opinions get in the way of her happiness, that she was going to shine with Leon, not live in his shadow. With her being canonically autistic, it's safe to say she must have had a few breakdowns as well.

Hot-Blooded: She's extremely energetic, cheerful and passionate. In the anime, she sports pretty cartoonish facial expressions while going on and on about either her love for Leon or how strong she wants to be for Galar.

Human Hummingbird: Is prone to this a lot due to being a bubbly and excitable ball of energy ([Genki Girl](#)).

Insatiable Newlyweds: Sonia comments that Leon getting married to Regi only made their fondness for each other even more unbearable.

Invincible Hero: Well, heroine. Subverted at first. She has lost a lot of battles against Lance in Kanto/Johto before returning to Galar, blasting through her new attempt at the Gym Challenge and becoming Champion with her husband Leon. Played straight when her and Leon get officially in a relationship, and she never ever loses by his side. At least, they do until you're through with them.

Lady In Red: Wears a very extravagant red dress adorned with gold, white and black, red shoes, long red gloves and a billowing red cape.

Large Ham: Hoo boy, isn't she dramatic!

Lightning/Fire Juxtaposition: Her elemental dynamic with Leon, running hot but is much more quick and impulsive, contrasting Leon's warm patience and how she's much more expressive and blunt while Leon hides his feelings and chooses his words more carefully. Also with Cherri the Pikachu and Charizard.

Meaningful Name: "Regi" is short for "regina", which is Latin for "queen". As a matter of fact, she is the "queen" of Galar with Leon.

Milking The Giant Cow: This quote says it all:

Regi: And right when those crazy Dynamaxed Pokemon were THIS. CLOSE. To destroying the region, Leon and I are *throwing her hands in the air* SWOOP IN to save everybody! AND WE DID!!! Yay us!

More Deadly Than The Male: There is a reason why this girl blasted through the Gym Challenge like a rocket, so don't be fooled! Even by herself, Regi can hold herself up in a battle, and quite well!

Ms. Fanservice: The Leogi doujinshi did a GREAT job on emphasizing just how voluptuous and attractive she is ([Male Gaze](#))

Nightmare Face: Her livid facial expressions border on this.

Official Couple: Leogi, also known as RoyalBattleShipping, is her and Leon!

Oh, Crap!: If you have Eternatus in your party in the final match, she will sport a hilariously frightened facial expression, contrary to her husband's excited reaction before your big battle with her and him.

One True Love: Her husband, Leon.

Our Fairies Are Different: Hatterene, who is more like a witch, and Togekiss, a bird, fall into this.

The Piano Player: Plays piano excellently and her husband and children love listening to her.

Picky Eater: Regi comments that she prefers to eat her own food rather than eating in restaurants. At first, that might sound like she's being arrogant but Word Of God confirms that cooks for herself in order to relieve her sensory issues.

Pimped-Out Dress: Wears a VERY extravagant red ballgown decorated with gold, black and white with transparent highlights, bows, frills and a golden bell.

Power Couple: She is this with Leon. Being husband and wife, the two battle together in competitions and protect Galar together. Name a better team!

Psychic Powers: Owns a Hatterene named Hermione, who has been trained to beat up anybody who causes Regi distress with noise.

Punctuated For Emphasis: Has a tendency to speak like this, such as when she had to go confront Eternatus with Leon.

Regi: That thing. Is. Gonna. DESTROY. **EVERYTHING!!!** if we don't do something about it!!! LET'S. GO!!!

Red Is Heroic: Her cape, dress, hair and eyes are all red and peace-keeping is one of her duties as one of Galar's champions.

Sickeningly Sweethearts: Her and Leon are completely unaware of how embarrassed they make the people around them with their "little" PDAs, including their own children ([Make-Out Kids](#)). A Special mention goes to Ash and Gou in the anime.

Shock And Awe: Loves electricity and her main Pokemon, Cherri the Pikachu, is an electric-type. The element chosen to represent her, in fact, is electricity.

Signature Mon: Cherri, a female Pikachu with blue eyes that has been with her ever since the start of her journey whom she loves and cares about dearly.

Slasher Smile: Will sport this if you touch her Berserk Button before shocking the offender into oblivion with Cherri the Pikachu's Thunderbolt attack.

Violently Protective Girlfriend: Leon's mother comments that Regi had a very short temper when it came to people insulting Leon. She attacked a student from the school they were in when they called him weak, resulting in her being expelled for a whole day. Bad-mouthing Leon around her as an adult is also not exactly a wise decision.

Visual Pun: So, if she's one of Galar's Champions, that would make her a queen, right? And she's an extremely charismatic Large Ham who responds to almost everything with melodrama and a theatrical flourish with huge gestures ([Milking The Giant Cow](#)), occasionally Chewing The Scenery with the most cartoonish facial expressions? I get it! She's a DRAMA QUEEN!

Technicolor Eyes: Has fiery crimson eyes that border on pink.

Their First Time: Leon and Regi have sex for the first time in the League's locker room after Leon praises Regi to no end after their battle, ending their Unresolved Sexual Tension once and for all and marking the beginning of their relationship.