## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 16)*						
VAIL RESORTS, INC.						
(Name of Issuer)						
COMMON STOCK						
(Title of Class of Securities)						
91879Q109						
(CUSIP Number)						
Linda S. Martinson, Esq. (212) 583-2000 767 Fifth Avenue, 49th Floor, New York, NY 10153						
(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)						
November 18, 2003						
(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)						
If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition which is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of Rule 13d-1(b)(3) or $(4)$ , check the following box [].						
Check the following box if a fee is being paid with this statement []. (A fee is not required only if the filing person: (1) has a previous statement on file reporting beneficial ownership of more than five percent of the class of securities described in Item 1; and (2) has filed no amendment subsequent thereto reporting beneficial ownership of five percent or less of such class.) (See Rule 13d-7.)						
*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.						
The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).						
SEC 1746 (12-91)						
Amendment Number 16 to Schedule 13D (continued)						
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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON						
Baron Capital Group, Inc.						
2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*  (a) [] (b) []						
3 SEC USE ONLY						
4 SOURCE OF FUNDS 00						
5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDING IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO						

**ITEMS** 

2(C) OR 2	(E) [ ]				
6 CITIZENSH	IP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION				
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY	7 SOLE VOTING POWER 0				
OWNED BY EACH REPORTING	8 SHARED VOTING POWER 7,067,550				
PERSON WITH	9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 0				
	10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 7,664,150				
11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 7,664,150					
12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*					
13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11) 27.5%					
14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON* HC, CO					
	*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT				

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	REPORTING PERSON I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION	N NO. OF ABOVE PERSON
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12 CHECK BO	X IF THE AGGREGATE A	MOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*
13 PERCENT 25.5%		BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
14 TYPE OF IA, CO	REPORTING PERSON*	
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		PORTING PERSON R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. (	OF ABOVE	PERSON	
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2 C	HECK THE A	APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEME		(a) (b)	[ ]
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1	NAME OF RE	PORTI		ABOVE PERSON		
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2	CHECK THE	APPR0	PRIATE BOX IF A MEMBE	R OF A GROUP*	(a)	[]
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11	AGGREGATE 7,664,150	AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
12		IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*
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14	TYPE OF RE	PORTING PERSON*
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#### Page 7 of 11 Pages Security and Issuer Item 1. (a) Name of Issuer: Vail Resorts, Inc. (b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: P.O. Box 7 Vail, CO 81658 (c) Title and Class of Securities: Common Item 2. Identity and Background (a) Name: Baron Capital Group, Inc. ("BCG") BAMCO, Inc. ("BAMCO") Baron Capital Management, Inc. ("BCM") Baron Asset Fund ("BAF") Ronald Baron (b) Business Address: 767 Fifth Avenue New York, NY 10153 (c) Present Principal Business or Employment: Holding company BAMCO: Investment adviser BCM: Investment adviser BAF: Registered investment company

Ronald Baron: CEO: BCG, BAMCO, BCM; BAF

New York, NY 10153 (d) Record of Convictions:

No material change. (e) Record of Civil Proceedings:

No material change.

767 Fifth Avenue

(f) Citizenship:

No material change.

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration

No material change.

# Item 4. Purpose of Transaction No material change.

### Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer

(a) Amount and percentage beneficially owned\*:

BCG: 7,664,150 27.5% BAMCO: 7,093,500 25.5% BCM: 570,650 2.1% BAF: 5,638,500 20.3% Ronald Baron: 7,664,150 27.5%

- (b) Number of shares as to which such person has:
  - (i) sole power to vote or direct the vote:

BCG: 0
BAMCO: 0
BCM: 0
BAF: 0
Ronald Baron: 0

(ii) shared power to vote or direct the vote:

BCG: 7,067,550 BAMCO: 7,048,500 BCM: 559,050 BAF: 5,638,500 Ronald Baron: 7,067,550

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition:

BCG: 0
BAMCO: 0
BCM: 0
BAF: 0
Ronald Baron: 0

(iv) shared power to dispose or direct the disposition:

BCG: 7,664,150 BAMCO: 7,093,500 BCM: 570,650 BAF: 5,638,500 Ronald Baron: 7,664,150

\*Reporting Persons may be deemed to share power to vote and dispose of shares referred to herein as a result of control relationships (BCG and Ronald Baron with respect to all of the shares; BAMCO with respect to the BAF shares) and pursuant to investment advisory relationships with advisory clients. Reporting Persons disclaim beneficial ownership of the shares for which they share power.

(c) A schedule of transactions effected in the last twenty-five days is attached hereto. (d) Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person:

No material change.

- (e) Ownership of Less than Five Percent: Not applicable.
- Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships with Respect to Securities of the Issuer No material change.
- Item 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits Exhibit 99 25 days of trading.

Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: November 28, 2003

Baron Capital Group, Inc., BAMCO, Inc., Baron Capital Management, Inc. and Baron Asset Fund By:

/s/ Ronald Baron

Ronald Baron, Chairman and CEO

Date	Account ID	Activity	Quantity	Exec. Price
11/03/2003 11/04/2003 11/04/2003 11/05/2003 11/05/2003 11/06/2003 11/07/2003 11/10/2003 11/11/2003 11/12/2003 11/12/2003 11/13/2003 11/13/2003 11/14/2003 11/17/2003 11/18/2003 11/18/2003 11/19/2003	bamco	sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl	8,500 13,000 8,500 1,700 70,300 10,000 8,000 6,100 19,000 19,900 30,000 25,000 17,500 32,500 22,200 27,800	13.3578 13.4025 13.3347 13.2206 13.3000 13.3653 13.4198 13.0903 13.3398 13.8266 14.0000 14.8200 14.8150 14.8066 14.4431 14.6533
11/20/2003 11/21/2003 11/21/2003 11/25/2003 11/25/2003 11/26/2003	bamco bamco bamco bamco bamco bamco	sl sl sl sl sl	20,000 1,500 50,000 3,800 13,500 22,700	15.2161 15.2200 15.1600 15.4497 15.3073 15.6467