



STC Table Games Blackjack Tournament

Promotional Rules

Function:	No Limit Blackjack Tournament
Date(s):	January 1 st , 2023, through January 31 st , 2023
Time(s):	Saturdays from 12pm-4pm
Registration:	Tournament registration located at the Sun Club

Rules & Regulations

Eligibility and Requirements:

1. Must be 21 years of age or older.
2. A valid photo ID is required to verify age and identity for payouts of \$100 or greater.
3. In case of conflict, Table Games Supervisor, Manager or MOD will follow all gaming regulations and promotion rules set by STC Table Games and approved by Tribal Gaming Agency.

Buy Ins and Add on:

1. Tournament registrations will open at 10am, guests may sign up at the Sun Club.
2. Buy ins are \$40, a \$5 tournament dealer gratuity will be taken from each entry prior to funds being added to the tournament.

Wildcard re-entries:

1. Sun Club members who play Table Games for a minimum of 30 minutes prior to the start of the first round will receive one (1) raffle ticket.
2. Raffle tickets may be drawn to fill vacant seats for any round where at least one (1) player has purchased a seat. Once wildcard seats are drawn, no subsequent rounds will commence. If a raffle ticket has been drawn for a player who has already qualified for the final round, subsequent tickets will be drawn until an eligible entrant is selected.

Prizes:

1. Prize pool will be distributed as follows
 - a. 1st place – 40%
 - b. 2nd place – 25%
 - c. 3rd place – 15%
 - d. 4th place – 10%
 - e. 5th and 6th place – 5%

Payout Procedures:

1. All winners will receive a marketing payout slip completed by Marketing or Table Games Supervisors; funds may be picked up at the Sun Club.

Tournament Rules:

1. Each qualifying round will consist of 6 players and 25 hands with a chip count at the end of hand 20.
2. A maximum of 36 entrants will be allowed.
3. Players will draw cards for random seating prior to the start of each qualifying and final round of play.
4. Each player will receive a starting bankroll of \$1,000 in tournament chips. Tournament players must play every hand and all chips must be returned to pit personnel prior to leaving the tournament.
5. Any ties in chip count will constitute a playoff of 5 additional hands between the tied players.
6. Deal shall commence in clockwise order with the starting hand on the dealer's far left. 'First base' will rotate one spot clockwise at the end of each hand dealt and be marked with a chip.
7. Players have the option of betting in order, betting order is 'first base' to 'third base'. Betting order, if need be, will be enforced.
8. Insurance will not be offered, even money is available, and all blackjack payouts are paid 2-1.
9. Table Games Management's decisions are final on all rulings.
10. Chips must always stay on the table, in clear view by all patrons; separated by color, largest denomination chips must be placed in front of the chip stacks.
11. Minimum bets will be a single chip of the lowest denomination, maximum bets are up to all the players chip stack. (Cheque change is allowed and must be announced by the player)
12. Once a bet is placed into the betting circle and hands are removed, the bet is final and may not be changed.
13. Any misplaced card will constitute a misdeal and all cards will be burned and the round will be re-dealt.
14. If a player who should've been dealt in is skipped with either their first or second card, the hand will continue to be dealt in order; after all remaining cards have been dealt, the player with the missing card(s) will be given the remaining cards required.
15. Hit cards dealt to a player either out of turn or by accident will be burned. Cards cannot be backed up. Cards dealt to third base by accident, will be used by the dealer to complete their hand if needed.
16. If the dealer exposes their hole card early, all remaining players may play double exposure. If the dealer hits their hand out of sequence, players still requiring action may act upon their hand unless the dealer has exceeded 21 and busted.
17. One player per hand
18. English only during play
19. Re-buys are allowed only to players who are not currently active in a round or waiting to play in a round already purchased so long as space permits.
20. \$1,500 house added money will be broken down per round; \$250 will be added for each of the 6 qualifying rounds. If all 6 qualifying rounds have not been played, \$250 will be added to the prize pool by Spokane Tribe Casino for each qualifying round completed.

General Rules:

1. All use of "STC" stands for "Spokane Tribe Casino" All use of "TGA" stands for "Tribal Gaming Agency".
2. All games/rule inquiries will be handled by STC Table Games. Their decision/ruling on any matters within the promotion will be deemed final.
3. The Spokane Tribe, any other sponsor, and their affiliated entities and their respective officers and employees shall be released and discharged from all claims, losses, injuries, demands, or actions which arise out of or are in any way related to the prize(s), the receipt, use, or enjoyment of the prize(s), or damages or losses related to the promotion.
4. Winners will be required to present valid photo identification acceptable to the Tribe, social security number, and complete an IRS Form W-9 before a prize of \$600 cash or more will be awarded. Failure to provide required identification and complete required IRS Form W-9 will result in forfeiture of prizes.
5. Participants acknowledge that prizes may be subject to tax withholding requirements under applicable federal regulations and that payouts may be reduced due to withholding requirements. Winners agree to pay all expenses, taxes and fees not included in the prize. The Spokane Tribe Casino will report winnings of more than \$600 in cash or fair market value during a calendar year to the IRS and such winners will receive an IRS Form 1099.
6. Participants are responsible for hearing promotion announcements and the Spokane Tribe Casino shall not be responsible in any manner for the failure of a participant to hear or respond to promotion announcements. If the promotion involves a drawing, in case of public address system failure the drawing may continue, and, in such an event, the selected participant's name will be announced without amplification at the drawing location.
7. Violation of promotion rules may result in disqualification.
8. Any participant dissatisfied with a decision/ruling in this promotion may, within thirty (30) days of the disputed decision/ruling, submit their complaint in the form of a written petition for relief to the Spokane Tribe Casino Gaming Commission.
9. Casino management and staff reserve the right to cancel or change any promotional event with proper notification to the public. Prior notification should include, but not be limited to, written notification within the gaming facility, publication in media venue or other methods as may be determined by management. It should also be known that cancellations or modifications to any promotional event may be made at any time.
10. Management of STC, TGA and Spokane Tribal Gaming Commission reserves all other rights involved in any actions on STC property.
11. Records will be turned into Revenue Audit at the end of the gaming day.