

# House rules

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- The position of the dealer button in the table is determined through drawing. The thirteen cards of the spades suit are used and placed face down to the table layout. Each player, from the first position clockwise, elects a card. Upon player's decision, the dealer turns the elected card face up and gives it to the rightful player. The dealer button is placed in front of the player with the card of highest value. Should there be two players on the table (heads up), the small blind bet is placed by the player who has the dealer button in front of him and this player is the first to be asked for the conduct of the game.
- After two (2) minutes have elapsed, any player at the table, active or not in the hand, has the right to call for "Time". The player will now be given one (1) extra minute to make his decision. If decision is still not made, there will be a countdown of ten (10) seconds.
- Whenever a new player arrives in the Cardroom and more than one tables of the same type have vacant positions, the Poker Cardroom Manager will be responsible to assign the player to a table. The player cannot elect to which table of the same type he will play.
- The player can register in more than one table limit (2/5, 5/10 etc.), but not for a specific table. If there is a vacant at a table they can remain in the other waiting list(s) if they wish.
- Table changes are allowed only upon Casino's approval. A player that changes table after his/her request is considered a new player at that table.
- The player will have five (5) minutes to present to the Card Room and take the vacant position at the table. Should the player not present within the time frame of five (5) minutes, the next player in the waiting list will be notified.
- Should a player notify his absence of the table for a specific period of time (at maximum fifteen (15) minutes), Casino reserves the right to ask the first player in the waiting list has the option of "Playing over", that is, to take the position in the table and either to place the big blind or to wait for his turn to place the big blind bet. When the player returns to the table, he will have to place the missing blind bets.
- Should a table close and the players wish to continue playing, then there will be a draw for the available positions in the other tables. Should there be no available positions, then they will be entered in the waiting list, according to the draw.
- Should the casino decide to change the percentage of the rake or even the kind of the rake, within the limits set by the law, the players will be informed in advanced and not during the game with notices posted in conspicuous places on each table, or in the gaming area or in the cardroom.
- Betting line is considered as an indicator. The Casino reserves the right to return or consider as valid cards or cash chips that crossed that line or not.
- Action out of turn with more than two players: If a player acts out of turn the player that had his/her turn to act reserves his/her right to act as the out of turn action never happened. At any case the player who acted out of turn is obliged to his/her out of turn action and cannot bet or raise for the rest of the hand.

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- Action out of turn in Heads up: Should the second player do a substantive action (bet or raise) out of turn and the first player elects to check, the out of turn action is considered as valid. Should the first player elect to bet less than the out of turn “raise”, the second player has the options of “call” and “fold”. Should the second player fold, his out of turn bet is returned to him. Should the first player place a bet higher than the out of turn “raise” and the second player does not do “call” the bet but prefer to do “fold”, then the out of turn placed bets are considered “dead money” and remain in the pot.
- All player’s chips shall at all times remain in full view within the perimeters of the layout and be visible by everyone at the table.
- If a player, without any verbal announcement, places in front of him two or more chips with total value higher than the minimum “raise”, the total value will be considered as “raise”. If the bet is bigger than the previous bet but smaller than the minimum raise, then:
  - A) If the value of the bet is more than half of the amount that is required for the minimum raise and by removing the chip with the lowest value the rest of the chips are enough to call the bet the player is facing then is considered a raise and the player is obliged to fill in the amount and raise the bet.
  - B) If the value of the bet is less than half of the amount that is required for the minimum raise or by removing the chip with the lowest value the rest of the chips are not enough to call the bet the player is facing then is considered a call. If he places in front of him a bet with total value less than the bet he faces, then the player has the options either to complete to the required bet or to “fold”. Should the player elect to “fold”, the bet he has placed is added to the pot.
- The players place their blind bets before the Dealer cuts the deck.
- The players shall be allowed to have on the table only their cards, chips and one card protector. A card protector is an object to protect the cards, usually a round shaped chip. The casino has the right to decline any card protector which is not suitable for the purpose.
- A card, which has fallen off the table during the initial dealing of cards, is treated as an exposed card.
- A player may reveal his cards and forward them face down to the dealer. The dealer should place them with the discarded cards
- Any verbal statement of an action may be considered binding for that action
- Only a Card Room Supervisor or above is allowed to receive or issue cards “off” the table, he can also check the player’s hand when it is completed
- If a player exposes his/her cards deliberately before the betting round is finished may void the hand of the player and cause the retention of all bets that he/she had placed in the pot
- Players may not exchange or communicate information concerning their respective hands. Violation of this rule may result in the hand being declared

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void. Furthermore, the players are allowed to communicate with each other only in Greek or in English during a hand.

- Casino follows the rule “*One stack, one night*”. Should a player leave the table with a certain amount of money and wish to sit on the same table again there are two options. The first option is to return with the amount he had when the “check-out” was made, if less than two (2) hours have elapsed from the time the player left the table. The second option is to return with a “buy-in” according to the table limit, if more than two (2) hours have elapsed.
- The players are allowed to wear sunglasses and hats during the game.
- The players are allowed to have portable music devices such as ipod or phone devices, given that they are not placed on the table layout and they don't use during a hand. Phone devices are not allowed on poker tournaments.
- No standing players are allowed in the poker room.
- All player's cards and chips shall at all times remain in full view within the perimeters of the layout and be placed on the table thus ensuring the integrity of the game.
- Any player present at the Casino can register on the waiting list.
- All players should indicate their actions (check, call, raise, or fold) and verbally announce their actions and do the respective action.
- In tables 5/5 and higher, only bets of multipliers of €5 will be accepted, except if the player is all in.
- In tables 2/5 or smaller, only bets of multipliers of €1 will be
- To claim a player any part of the pot, during showdown, he has open all of his cards (2 for Hold Em or 4 for Omaha) whenever they are part of the winning hand or not.
- During showdown if a player hands his cards face down deliberately, although he was the last to act and is obliged to show them, has no right to claim any part of the pot. No other player can ask to see the cards of a losing hand.
- If a player reveals to another player his hand, after its completion, the player is obliged to show it to all other players of the table if he is asked to do so. The casino has the right to void a player's hand if the player deliberately reveals his cards to other player.
- One or more cards that are revealed, that is are appeared face up at a player's fault, are not burnt but continue to be used in the game.
- The players are not allowed to use a calculator, P/C, any other electronic or mechanic device that records or displays or analyzes the outcome or change possibilities or the strategies of the poker game. This applies also to any notes or paperwork that a player may use to change possibilities or the strategies of the poker game or to start analyzing the outcome.
- During the conduct of a hand the players are not allowed to communicate or collaborate with each other or third parties, in any manner, in order to influence the outcome of the game, or to behave in a way that is considered harmful for the integrity of the game. Those infringements result, at the Casino's discretion, in the void of the hand of a player (or of the players), the retention of all bets that they had placed in the pot (including forced and blind bets) and their removal from the game.

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- The “*Run It Twice*” rule apply at tables the Casino decides. Upon unanimous agreement of the active player(s), and after no more betting may follow, community cards (all of them or the remaining) can be opened twice.
- Any Management decision is final.