

Holiday Blackjack Tournament

December 22, 2017

“Official Rules”

1. **TO ENTER:** Must be a Players Club member to participate. By participating in the promotion, the Guest agrees to be bound by the official rules of the promotion. This promotion is open only to individuals who, at the time, (i) possess valid photo identification, (ii) are a Players Club Member, and (iii) age 21 or older. Employees of The Tachi Palace Hotel & Casino, affiliates, sales representatives and advertising and promotion agencies are not eligible to participate in this promotion.
2. **PRELIMINARY INFORMATION:** The Blackjack Tournament will be held on **Friday, December 22, 2017**. Tournaments will be held in the Casino of the Sun Pit area.
3. **REGISTRATION:** Registration will be held in the Casino of the Sun Pit. Sign-ups for Blackjack Tournament will be open only at designated times below. However, if the list becomes full with 100 players, the list will close before designated time. Sign-ups is based on first come, first serve.

- **Registration Time:** 10AM – 11AM
- **Tournament Time:** 11:15AM- 2:00PM

**Registration and Tournament time may change at management’s discretion.*

4. Guest must arrive to the tournament pit area 10 (ten) minutes prior to the designated tournament time to participate in tournament. A 5 (FIVE) minute call, prior to the start of each Session, will be announced over the P.A. at the Premiere Club.
5. Preliminary Rounds will begin at 11:15AM. In the event 6 (six) players are not available the round of the play may begin with 5 (five) players. Seats will be assigned by random draw.
6. In the Preliminary round and Final Round each player will receive \$1,000 in tournament chips, \$500 in \$25 chips and \$500 in \$100 chips.
7. Each Preliminary round and Final Round will consist of 15 (fifteen) hands; Table limits will be a minimum of \$25 and no max. Blackjack pays 2-1. Regular Pit rules apply.
8. Player at seat 1 (one) will be the first to receive the dealer button. Button will rotate clock wise one position for each dealt hand.
9. Chip leader totals will be posted after every round.
10. In the Preliminary and Final Rounds, a chip count will be conducted after the 10th (tenth) hand. At the conclusion of 15 (fifteen) hands, each player’s chips count will be their score.
11. Top 6 (six) scores will be posted at the tournament area throughout the duration of the tournament.
12. At the conclusion of the Preliminary Rounds, the players with the top 6 (six) scores will advance to the Final Round. In the event of a tie, a 5 (five) hand playoff will be conducted with the player(s) having the higher chip count(s) declared the winner(s).
13. Final Round will follow the same rules as the Preliminary Rounds.
14. Finalists that are not present at the final table at the assigned time will be given a 5 minute call. If they do not arrive, the tournament will proceed with the remaining finalists and the absent qualifier will be disqualified.
15. Prizes will pay out as follows to the top 6 (six) Players:
 - **1st Place-** \$2,500 Cash
 - **2nd Place-** \$1,500 Cash
 - **3rd Place-** \$500 Cash
 - **4th Place-** \$300 Cash
 - **5th Place-** \$200 Cash
 - **6th Place-** \$100 Cash
16. Collusion among players or help from spectators is prohibited and will result in disqualification.

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17. **CLAIMING PRIZE:** Guest must have in their possession a valid and current photo ID at all times such as a Drivers License, Passport, Mexican Consulate, Residential, or State or Federal Government ID and social security card at the time of winner verification of drawing. **Tachi Palace Hotel & Casino requires all winners to fill out a 1099, W-9, and verifies Social Security Number on all Cash and Cash Value Prize winnings. Tachi Palace Hotel & Casino assumes no liability once prize has been released to the winner and all appropriate paperwork has been completed. Winners are responsible for all applicable Federal & State Taxes. Guest may request a copy of all winnings in the same calendar year. This form is for Miscellaneous Income, per IRS Tax Regulations.** No substitution of prize, transfer of prize or cash alternative permitted. If winner is found not to be eligible or not in compliance with these Official Rules, disqualification will result with an alternate winner. Tachi Palace Hotel and Casino reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to disqualify any individual it finds to be tampering with the entry process of the operation of the Drawing and giving false information, resulting in violation of the Official Rules; to be acting in a non-sportsmanlike or disruptive manner, or with intent to annoy, abuse, threaten, or harass any other person. The value of the prize may be taxable income.
18. **General Information:** By participating in the Promotion, members agree to waive any right to claim any ambiguity or error in these Official Rules, or the Promotion itself, and agree to be bound by these Official Rules and by all decisions of the Tachi Palace Hotel & Casino, whose decisions are binding and final. Winners agree that photographs will be taken and used for advertising purposes. Participants agree to hold harmless the Tachi Palace Hotel and Casino from any and all liability for any injury, loss or damage of any kind to person, including death, and property, arising in whole or in part, directly or indirectly, from acceptance, possession, use of misuse of the prize, participation in any drawing related activity, or participation in this drawing. The Tachi Palace Hotel and Casino is not responsible for any incorrect or inaccurate information, whether caused by their advertising or promotional agencies.
19. **Prize/Odds:** Odds of winning in any promotion depend on number of eligible entries received for that promotion. Prizes are non-transferrable, cannot be assigned, no substitutions, exchanges, or cash equivalents. **Limit one (1) prize per Guest.** Void where prohibited.
20. Management reserves the right to change or cancel this promotion at anytime and without prior notice.