

Three Card Poker

Rules of Game Play -

Three Card Poker is dealt from a 52-card deck with conventional values. Three cards will be dealt face down starting to the left of the dealer button and proceeding clockwise. Each player, including the designated player will be dealt three cards.

1. All action will proceed clockwise from the first active position left of the designated player. The players may post a minimum wager (Base Bet).
2. The player may post an additional wager (Pair Plus).
3. Each player, including the designated player, will be dealt three cards.
4. The players may inspect their hand and then choose from the following options:
 - a. Fold the hand. A player that folds will forfeit the Pair Plus wager and the Base Bet wager.
 - b. Make a Call bet equal to the Base Bet wager.
5. The designated player must qualify to play with a minimum of a Queen-high hand. In the event the designated player does not hold a qualifying hand, the call bet will receive no action and the base bet will be paid even money.
6. Each hand is compared to the designated player's hand (which rotates on a hand-by-hand basis unless there are no eligible designated players, or the eligible designated players waive their turn), beginning with the button, to determine the winner. The winning hand is either the last hand remaining (i.e. the player folds or the designated player does not qualify, and the player is paid pursuant to paragraph 5) or the higher hand based on the following poker hand rankings (lowest to highest): high card, pair, flush, straight, three of a kind, and straight flush.
7. The minimum and maximum betting limits will be posted on each table.
8. The designated player will pay the Base bet and Call bets even money if the players hand outranks the designated player's hand.
9. After a call bet is made and the player's hand wins over the designated player's hand, the player is now eligible to be paid on the Pair Plus wager. If the player's hand is one of the ranked hands on the Pair Plus Payout Table, the player will be paid the corresponding payout. The player is also eligible for a Pair Plus payout if a Call bet is made and the designated player does not qualify. A chart listing all payout amounts will be posted at the table, similar, to the following example:

Pairs Plus	---	Mini Royal	200 to 1	Straight	6 to 1
		Straight Flush	50 to 1	Flush	4 to 1
		Three of a Kind	30 to 1	Pair	1 to 1

The House may amend the payout amounts from time to time and such amounts will be posted at the table.

10. A player's hand –the group of cards dealt to a player within a particular game, will be considered dead, and the player's wager will be returned and not considered for purposes of the house rake, if at any time the designated player does not have sufficient funds to cover a player's wager. The players' hands are only compared to the designated player's hand, and not to any other hand.

Charge to each player for participating in the game:

The House may impose the House rake in the following fashion:

- a. upon all payers uniformly,
- b. upon all players uniformly and not upon the Designated Player, or
- c. upon the Designated Player only and not upon any other player; provided that the method and amounts for the House Rake are clearly disclosed at the table.

Three Card Poker Table is horseshoe shaped. One to eight players can play Three Card Poker at a time

