

## WELCOME

In this guide, we will explain the basic rules of Raise 'em Poker. However, should you require any more information or have any questions, our friendly Casino Staff are always on hand to help you and give you advice.

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## HOW TO PLAY

# Raise 'em Poker



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## RAISE 'EM POKER

Poker has its origins in the beginning of the 16th century and has steadily gained popularity ever since. It has gone from being primarily a recreational activity confined to small groups of enthusiasts, to a widely popular spectator activity with international audiences and multi-million dollar tournament prizes.

### THE AIM OF THE GAME

The aim of Raise 'em Poker is not to beat the house or other players, but to bet on the strength of a hand formed from three cards which are dealt to you, and two community cards held by the Dealer, with the aim of obtaining a minimum of a pair of tens or better.

### THE TABLE

The Raise 'em Poker table seats up to seven players. There are three betting areas in front of each player, marked 1, 2 and A (Ante). To start the game, players place their initial bets in the Ante area.

### THE DEAL

Three cards are dealt face down to each of the players who placed a bet on the Ante with another two "community" cards being dealt face down in front of the dealer.

### THE PLAY

Before the dealer reveals the first of the community cards, you have the option to place another bet equal to the Ante on the area marked "1" in front of you. After the first community card is revealed, you may elect to place another bet equal to the Ante on the area marked "2."

Both raises are optional and you still remain in the game if you choose not to raise.

### WHO WINS

Once both community cards have been revealed, the dealer checks each player's hand to see if it qualifies for payment. If the combination of your three cards and the two community cards give you a pair of tens or better, your Ante and raise bets combined will be paid as per the displayed pay table.

## WINNING HANDS ARE PAID OUT ACCORDING TO THE TABLE BELOW

Pairs of Tens or Better - Even Money



Two Pairs - 2 to 1



Three of a Kind - 3 to 1



Straight - 8 to 1



Flush - 10 to 1



Full House - 12 to 1



4 of a Kind - 25 to 1



Straight Flush - 50 to 1



Royal Flush - 250 to 1



## RAISE 'EM POKER XTRA

Raise 'em Poker Xtra is an exciting progressive side bet, which can be played in addition to your initial wager. The bet can only be played if you have placed an Ante bet.

### THE BET

The Raise 'em Poker Xtra wagers must be placed on the betting area (illuminated pads) in front of the bet boxes before the deal commences. You win based on the combination of the three personal cards dealt to you and the two community cards dealt to the dealer. It's as easy as that.

### XTRA BET PAYOUT TABLE

The three top progressive jackpots together with a Mystery Jackpot (where offered), which are displayed at the table, these jackpots increment every time a bet is placed.

In the event that more than 1 player has any of the 3 winning progressive jackpot combinations (excludes the Mystery Jackpot) in the same hand, the jackpot pay out will be shared equally between the players with the qualifying winning combinations.

The Mystery Jackpot where offered, is system generated and not dependant on any combination of cards.

HAND	PAYS
Royal and Straight Flush	Top progressive
Four of a Kind	2nd progressive
Full House	3rd progressive
Flush	50 to 1
Straight	10 to 1

In the event that the progressive feature is not operational, then the table will be utilised as a normal Raise 'em Poker table without the progressive facility. Bets will be paid in accordance with the REP payout table and no progressive bets will be accepted or paid.

Your Xtra bet wager loses if any other combination is dealt, or the Mystery Jackpot is not triggered.

The initial wager is not returned when winning payouts are made. Winning Xtra bets will be dealt with at the end of each Raise 'em Poker hand.

The Xtra minimum bet is displayed on the table signage.