



Welcome to all first-time tournament players and good luck to you today!

Please feel free to ask any of our tournament players or judges to answer any questions you may have. There are several rules that we play by that you may not where you play.

15 MINUTE GAMES ARE A MUST – THE WHOLE ROOM DEPENDS ON THIS

- The shuffle should end with over/under action to prevent exposing bottom card
- You must not expose to either player the card above the starter card when cutting
- When cutting for the starter card you must leave at least 4 cards top & bottom of deck
- The dealer takes two holes for turning the Jack as the starter card, even if it ends the game
- Penalty will always apply, but muggins will apply only when the tournament flyer states it
- If the dealer exposes a card while dealing, the cards shall be a redealt,
- Once crib cards have been released to the proper side you may not look at them again
- You may not pick up your front peg to peg score; if you do, it becomes your back peg
- At times there will be difficult hands to count; your opponent cannot help you or indicate whether your count is accurate or not
- Claiming the game without having the right number of points results in a penalty
- Take your time and make sure your count is accurate
- Please check with your Tournament Director about local Grass Roots Clubs