# Table Games Tournament Terms & Conditions

- 1. The Darwin Blackjack Championship will be held at SKYCITY Darwin between Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February and Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2019.
- 2. The Tournament is open for all to enter (except as per item 3). A person does not have to be a member to enter.
- 3. The following are ineligible to enter this Tournament:
  - i. SKYCITY staff, of any capacity
  - ii. Spouses and/or de-facto spouses of SKYCITY staff
  - iii. Persons under the age of 18 years
  - iv. Any person who at the time of the Tournament is excluded under the relevant provisions of the Northern Territory Gaming Legislation
  - v. Any person who at the time of the Tournament is excluded from any part of the SKYCITY Darwin premises
  - vi. If a winner of a heat is later excluded from any part of SKYCITY Darwin before the final is to take place, that winner will forfeit their seat in the final. It will be the decision of management who will take their place
  - vii. Players of IB-Domestic or IB-International Business levels
- 4. Entry to the Tournament is free, there is no buy-in required.
- 5. Registration is on a first come, first served basis. A player who has registered for a heat must be present at SKYCITY Darwin by 7pm and make them known to the Casino Shift Manager. If not present by 7pm, the player may forfeit their seat.

#### **Heats**

- 6. Two heats of six players will be held on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup>, and Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> February; six heats in total. All heats will commence at approximately 7.30pm. Once a player has won a seat in the final, they are not eligible to enter further heats.
- 7. A player can only register for one heat on a heat night. (For example they cannot enter both heats on the same night but they can enter 1 heat on each of the three heat nights).

### Final

8. The winner of each heat will go in to the final, which will commence at approximately 7.30pm on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2019.

### **Buy-in**

9. There will be no buy-in required. All tournament participants will receive an equal starting stack of tournament chips for each heat and for the final.

### **Table Limits**

10. During the tournament heats the tournament table limits may change at the discretion of the Tournament Manager.

#### Allocation of seats

11. Seat allocation will be randomly drawn prior to the commencement of the heats and final by casino management.

#### **Prizes**

12. The winner of each heat will receive \$200 worth of promotional chips and free entry into the final. (Terms and Conditions for use of Promotional Chips will be displayed on the vouchers received by the winners).

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13. Prizes for the final are as follows:

Total =	\$ 7,100	in cash chips
6th prize	\$ 150	in cash chips
5th prize	\$ 200	in cash chips
4th prize	\$ 250	in cash chips
3rd prize	\$ 500	in cash chips
2nd prize	\$ 1,000	in cash chips
1st prize	\$ 5,000	in cash chips

- 14. The winner of the final will have their name engraved on the Darwin Blackjack Championship winners' shield and will receive a trophy to keep
- 15. The total value of all heat prizes is \$1,200 of promotional chips.
- 16. The total value of the grand final prizes is \$7,100 in cash chips. These chips may then be played at any gaming table or redeemed for cash should the player choose.
- 17. The total value of all heat and final prizes for this Tournament is \$8,300

#### **Tournament Play**

18. The Tournament will be dealt in accordance with the approved Rules for Blackjack. In addition to the house rules of Blackjack, the following definitions are to apply in the case of the 'Darwin Blackjack Championship' play. Where the definitions for this tournament play are inconsistent with the house rules, then the rules for tournament play shall prevail to the extent of the inconsistency and only during the playing of this tournament.

The following definitions apply only for the purpose of tournament play set out hereunder.

- "Round" shall mean a period of play concluding when the Dealer having drawn his last card announces a result, and if applicable pays out winnings in accordance therewith.
- ii. "Session" shall mean a period of play of a duration determined by time, a number of shoes, or a number of rounds.
- iii. "Heat" shall mean the completion of a session or series of sessions at which a winner or winners and place getters, as applicable are determined for advancement to further heats or a final.
- 19. During play, all tournament chips used by a player in a session are to be placed on the table in front of the player in clear view of all players at the table. No further chips other than those issued at the beginning of a session or accumulated by a player on the table during the session shall be used in play.
- 20. A player can only play one box.
- 21. A player must wager on each round.

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- 22. At the commencement of each session a puck will be placed by the Dealer in front of the player at the table to the Dealer's extreme left. The puck indicates the player who is to make the first wager in the first round of the session. Each player will then place their bets in order around the table and these bets shall not be removed, reduced or increased.
- 23. At the conclusion of each round of the session the Dealer will move the puck in a clockwise direction to the next active player at the table in the game who will make the first wager in the next round of the session.
- 24. The winner of each session will be the player at each table who has the highest value of chips remaining at the conclusion of the duration of the session.
- 25. Where there is only one player remaining at the end of a round prior to the conclusion of the duration of the session that player shall be declared the winner of that session.
- 26. In the event of there being two or more players having equaled the highest value of chips remaining before a player at the conclusion of the duration of the session, then the Dealer shall deal one card to each of the players having the equal highest value of chips, the player who is dealt the highest value card (Ace is high) shall be declared the winner. Should there be two or more players holding cards of the same value then the Dealer shall repeat the above mentioned procedure until a result is obtained.
- 27. In the event of the players remaining in a session losing all of their chips in the same round prior to the conclusion of the duration of the session then the procedure outlined in item 26 is to be followed.
- 28. Where, for the purposes of a particular tournament, place getters are to be declared in sessions or heats they shall be declared in order of the players with the successively highest value of chips after the winner to the extent required by the particular tournament. In the event of there being two or more players having the same value of chips remaining then their places shall be determined by the procedures outlined in item26.
- 29. A player may be disqualified if he/she deliberately contravenes any of the rules of tournament play.
- 30. To the extent permitted by law and subject to obtaining any applicable regulatory approvals, SKYCITY Darwin reserves the right to change the time of the Tournament, delay the start of the Tournament, extend or cancel the Tournament or alter any of these Terms and Conditions without notice.
- 31. To the extent permitted by law, neither SKYCITY Darwin nor any other person or party associated with the Tournament will be liable to any person for:
  - i. any loss, damage or personal injury suffered in connection with participation in the Tournament;
  - ii. the redemption of a prize; and/or
  - iii. any inability of a winner to redeem their prize for whatever reason.
- 32. Participation in the Tournament and/or acceptance of a prize confirms acceptance to participate in any reasonable publicity or advertising of SKYCITY Darwin.
- 33. Participation in the Tournament implies full acceptance of these Terms and Conditions. Failure to observe any of these Terms and Conditions may result in disqualification from the Tournament.
- 34. There are no alternative prizes offered. Prizes are non-transferable.

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- 35. SKYCITY Darwin shall take no responsibility for customers failing to hear the announcements in restaurant or bar areas. It is the responsibility of the participating person to be in the Blackjack Championship area, or in an area where the announcements are audible.
- 36. SKYCITY Darwin management's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered in to. In the event of any dispute, the decision of management is final subject to (upon request) a review by the Director General of Licensing, Licensing NT, Department of the Attorney-General and Justice.
- 37. SKYCITY Darwin shall not be liable for any loss or damage whatsoever which is suffered (including but not limited to indirect or consequential loss) or for personal injury which is suffered or sustained, as a result of taking any of the prizes, except for any liability which cannot be excluded by law.
- 38. SKYCITY Darwin reserves the right to use publicity photos, in any reasonable manner they see fit, unless that person advises SKYCITY Darwin at the time of entering the Tournament that they wish to retain their anonymity. Entrants also acknowledge that their photo may be used for promotional display at SKYCITY Darwin, on social media or on the SKYCITY Darwin website.
- 39. Your information is used for the purpose of entering you in the Tournament. We may also send you information about our products and services. You may request access to your information and request that it be corrected at any time. If you wish to request access to or to correct your information or if you have any queries regarding our privacy policy, or if you do not wish to receive information from SKYCITY Darwin please contact Premier Rewards on 8943 8777 or write to 'Privacy Officer' at GPO Box 3846 Darwin NT 0801.