

## LPS House Rules - 2010



### **General:**

- All events require advanced RSVP. The cutoff for online RSVP is 2pm of the day of the scheduled event.
- Play will begin promptly at 5:00pm. Please arrive no later than 4:45pm so that you can sign in and receive your chips prior to the start of the tournament. Anyone not arrived by this time and have not called or otherwise notified the tournament director that they will be late will forfeit their RSVP and that seat will become available to anyone waiting.
- If you should show up for an event for which you did not RSVP, you may only play if there is an available seat due to another player not showing up. No additional tables or chairs will be added to the setup to accommodate a player who did not properly RSVP.
- Seat assignments will be generated randomly. Please adhere to your assigned seat.
- No foreign chips! The only exception is one chip/coin/etc to cover your cards.
- Sunglasses and caps are welcome.
- The club Board of Directors has the authority to close, reschedule, or delay any game at any time, in the event of extenuating circumstances.
- Treat all players with respect.
- The club Board of Directors has the authority to remove any player at any time, for any period of time, for any violation of the rules.
- There will be no add-ons or re-buys, unless otherwise specified.
- Disputes will be handled by the rule arbiter. The arbiter may consult any member(s) of the board to reach a decision. If arbiter is absent, available director(s) will provide a ruling. All decisions are final.
- Directors, in general, are responsible for maintaining a fair game.

### **Event Fees:**

- Unless otherwise stated, event fee for club members will be \$20. Event fee for member guests will be \$25.
- The Main Event will be an end-of-season freeroll (no buy-in) for all members that attend one prior event. See *League Information* for more details.
- Event fees are payable in cash only. Please pay in small bills if possible.

### **Game Play:**

- Blinds will be progressive, advancing at each round. Round times and blind levels will be posted during the tournament.
- Do not place anything on the table except for your cards, your chips, card cover, and your drink.
- The cards speak for themselves.
- Verbally announce your betting action – no string bets!
- Keep your cards and chips on the table in plain view. Do not arrange your chips as such to hide the true value of your stack. This includes maintaining your chips in a pile that makes it impossible to discern the total value of your chips. (Joe Heitz Rule)
- Do not bend or mark the cards.

