

Gunslinger Hold'em

Rules of Play

Gunslinger Hold'em is a variation to the standard game of Texas Hold'em. The game is played with a single deck of 52 cards.

To begin, each player receives three face-down "pocket" cards (not two, as in Texas Hold'em) and the game is played as follows:

1. Each player will have the option to discard one of his/her pocket cards and continue playing the game under the Texas Hold 'em rules, or keep all three of his/her pocket cards;
2. If the player keeps all three pocket cards, the player will then participate in the second round of the game, which is "Gunslinger;"
3. When the player decides to participate in Gunslinger, he/she is given a marker to indicate he/she is participating in that round. At that time the players' three community "flop" cards are dealt face-up and the second round of betting takes place;
4. After the second round of betting is completed, a fourth community "turn" card is dealt face-up, and a third round of betting takes place;
5. After the third round is completed, and one or more players are remaining, the dealer deals a fifth and final "river" community card face-up. A fourth round of betting takes place, after which the remaining players will show their hands and a winner will be determined by the standard rank of five card poker hand.
6. The casino has the option to make the "Gunslinger" round the player's seventh card, the final card, the "river" card, instead of the "turn" card.

GUNSLINGER HOLD 'EM CARDS	GUNSLINGER HOLD 'EM (CASINO OPTION)
3 Pocket Cards	3 Pocket Cards
3 Flop Cards	3 Flop Cards
1 Turn Card	No Turn Card
No River Card	1 River Card
7 Cards Total	7 Cards Total