# FALLSVIEW CASINO RESORT PLAYING FACE UP PAI GOW POKER™

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Minimums and maximums, and maximum payouts are posted at the table.

Face Up Pai Gow Poker<sup>™</sup> features head-to-head play against the Dealer and offers the optional Fortune Bonus<sup>™</sup> wager. As in standard Pai Gow, each Player and Dealer receive seven cards, but in Face Up Pai Gow Poker<sup>™</sup> the Dealer's cards are dealt face-up.

Face Up Pai Gow Poker™ is a commission-free game. You do not pay a 5% commission when you beat the Dealer; however, when the Dealer plays Ace-High, you automatically push.

#### **GETTING STARTED**

To begin each round, make a standard Pai Gow wager or an Ace High Bonus wager. You may also make the Fortune Bonus™ wager.

#### **FORTUNE BONUS™**

The Fortune Bonus<sup>™</sup> Bet wins if your 7 card hand contains combinations of cards shown on the posted paytable. If you wager at least \$5 on the Fortune Bonus<sup>™</sup>, the Dealer will place an "envy" button next to your bet. This qualifies you for an envy bonus payout. See paytable for odds.

#### **ENVY BONUS**

The Dealer pays any envy bonuses at the end of the round. If at least one Player receives a hand that qualifies for Envy Bonus payouts, all Players with envy buttons win. You can win multiple Envy Bonuses in a round, but you CANNOT win an Envy Bonus for your own hand or the Dealer's hand. See paytable for payouts.

#### ACE HIGH BONUS

The Ace High Bonus wager wins if the Dealer's hand is an Ace-High, odds are posted at the table.



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# HOUSE WAYS

The following is a list of Niagara Fallsview Casino Resort's Pai Gow Poker House Ways. If you have any questions, a Supervisor will be glad to answer them for you.

#### GOOD LUCK!

#### PLEASE NOTE:

- a) The Dealer must set their hand according to the House Ways.
- b) If the Dealer does not set their hand according to the House Ways, the hand will be reset.
- c) If requested, the Dealer will set a Player's hand according to the House Ways.
- If the Banker sets a foul hand, the hand will be reset according to House Ways.
- e) The second highest straight or straight flush is Ace, 2, 3, 4, 5.
- 1. **NO PAIR** Use the second and third highest ranked cards for the low hand.
- 2. **ONE PAIR** Always use the pair as the high hand and use the highest ranking cards for the low hand.
- TWO PAIRS Pairs will be grouped into three categories:
  2's 6's (low pair).
  - 7's 10's (medium pair).
  - Face cards (high pair).

#### **TWO PAIR RULE**

*Low Pair with Low Pair or Medium Pair* – Split unless holding an Ace, King or Joker.

Low Pair with High Pair – Split unless holding an Ace or Joker.

*Medium Pair with Medium Pair* – Split unless holding an Ace or Joker.

*Split All Other Situations* – Example: high pair with high pair or any pair with a pair of Aces.



#### 4. THREE PAIRS Always play the highest pair in the low hand.

#### 5. THREE-OF-A-KIND

Play the three of-a-kind in the high hand except for the following:

*Three Aces* – Play one of the Aces in the low hand with the next highest ranking card.

*Two Aces And A Joker* – If possible, always preserve the straight or flush.

 TWO THREE-OF-A-KIND Play a pair of the highest three of-a-kind in the low hand.

#### 7. ALL STRAIGHTS, FLUSHES, STRAIGHT FLUSHES AND ROYAL FLUSHES

*With No Pair* Play the category (straight, flush, straight flush or royal flush) that gives you the best low hand.

*With One Pair* – Play the pair in the low hand if the straight, flush, straight flush or royal flush can be preserved in the high hand.

## IF THE PAIR CANNOT BE PLAYED IN THE LOW HAND, USE THE FOLLOWING:

**EXCEPTION RULE:** If there are a pair of 10's – Kings and an Ace or a Joker, then play the pair in the high hand. The Ace and the next highest card will be played in the low hand.

If you can improve the low hand by playing a straight, flush, straight flush or royal flush in the high hand, then the exception rule does not apply.

*With Two Pair* – Follow the two pair rule (as stated in 3). If one of the pairs is an Ace and a Joker, the pairs are split, but check if a straight or flush can be arranged in the high hand.

With Three Pair - Follow the pair rule (as stated in 4).

*With Three Of A-Kind* Play a pair of the three of-a-kind in the low hand and the straight, flush, straight flush or royal flush in the high hand.

**REMINDER:** With two Aces and a Joker, always preserve the straight, flush, straight flush or royal flush.



#### 8. FULL HOUSE

*Three Of A-Kind and A Pair* – Always play the pair in the low hand.

*Three Of A-Kind and Two Pair* – Play the highest of the pairs in the low hand.

*Two Three Of A-Kind* – Play a pair of the highest three of-a-kind in the low hand.

#### 9. FOUR-OF-A-KIND

- 2's 6's: Never split. Play the four of-a-kind in the high hand.
- 7's 10's: Split unless an Ace or Joker can be played in the low hand, then keep four of-a-kind in the high hand.
- Face Cards: Always split.
- Four of-a-kind with a pair or three of-a-kind: Play the pair or pair of the three of-a-kind in the low hand.

#### 10. FIVE ACES

Always split and play two Aces in the low hand.

**EXCEPTION RULE:** If there are five Aces and a pair of Kings, then the Kings will be played in the low hand.

The House Ways are ranked from the lowest category (1), to the highest (10). If the hand contains more than one category, the Dealer will use the category that is ranked higher according to these House Ways and the cards will be set according to those rules.



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