

# Sportsbook House Rules

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### 1. General Rules

- A. Anyone under the age of 21 is prohibited from wagering, collecting winning wagers or loitering in or about the sportsbook area.
- B. Management reserves the right to refuse or limit any wager.
- C. Odds are subject to change. Odds changes will be posted on odds boards.
- D. Management reserves the right to modify these house rules and/or payout odds subject to the approval of the Pueblo of Santa Ana Regulatory Gaming Commission.
- E. Management is not responsible for lost, stolen, altered or unreadable tickets.
- F. Tickets go as written. It is the patron's responsibility to check for accuracy on all tickets written prior to leaving the window. Once a wager is accepted, tickets will not be altered or voided except at the discretion of management and with approval of both parties.
- G. Minimum and maximum limits for wagers on all sports events will be established by management. Limits are subject to change.
- H. Wagers will not be accepted at other than the current posted terms.
- I. Payouts over \$10,000 may be delayed until the next regular banking day.
- J. Winning tickets are void after 120 days from the conclusion of the event.
- K. Correction to scores or results will only be recognized up to one hour after the conclusion of the event. For wagering purposes, the score or result becomes "official" and cannot be changed after one hour. Management does not recognize protests or overturned decisions.
- L. In the event of a dispute that cannot be resolved to the satisfaction of the patron, the patron has the right to file a dispute investigation with the Pueblo of Santa Ana Regulatory Gaming Commission. The decision of the Pueblo of Santa Ana Regulatory Gaming Commission is final.

### 2. Definitions

- A. Point Spread: Point[s] either added to or subtracted from the actual game score for wagering purposes.
- B. Money Line: Odds that calculate the amount a wager will pay based on \$100 increments. Negative money lines show the amount to wager to win \$100. Positive money lines show the amount paid for every \$100 wagered.
- C. Total (Over/Under): A wager over or under the total points scored in a game, which is calculated by adding both teams' final scores together.
- D. Straight Wager: A wager made on a single team, total or proposition.
- E. Parlay Wager: A wager coupling two or more teams, totals or propositions.
- F. Teaser Wager: A wager coupling two or more teams, totals or propositions that allow the patron to modify the point spread or total by an established value.
- G. Off the Board: Wagers using bet index (BI) numbers and odds posted on odds boards and sheets.
- H. Push: A wager, that when the point spread is applied, results in a tie score.
- I. Official: A wagering event is considered authorized for a result to be determined. If an event is unable to be deemed official for wagering as defined in the rules, wagers will be refunded.
- J. No Action: A wager that is disregarded due to a push or other event defined in the rules.
- K. In Game: In game wagers are placed after the start of a game or other defined period and are determined by the final score of the period specified regardless of when the wager is placed.
- L. Asian Handicap: The asian handicap is a form of wagering two handicaps.  
EXAMPLE: "Team A" is  $-1/2$  &  $-1$ , while "Team B" is  $+1/2$  &  $+1$ . If you are placing a wager on "Team A" in an asian handicap, you are placing half of your wager on "Team A" at  $-1/2$  and half on "TEAM A" at  $-1$ . If they win by exactly one, you would win your  $-1/2$  half wager and push on your  $-1$  half wager. If you placed the wager on "Team B" and they lost by 1, you would push on the  $+1$  and lose the  $+1/2$ . The asian handicap can be expressed as either two numbers split [ $-1/2$  &  $-1$ ] or as a quarter number. In the above example it would be "Team A"  $-.75$   
The following is the two display versions of the asian handicap:  
 $-.25 = [\text{Pick} \& -1/2]$   
 $+25 = [+1/2 \& \text{Pick}]$   
 $-.75 = [-1/2 \& -1]$   
 $+75 = [+1/2 \& +1]$   
 $-1.25 = [-1 \& -1 1/2]$   
 $+1.25 = [+1 \& +1 1/2]$   
Any time that there is a quarter number or two numbers, the wager is split.

### 3. Time, Date, Site, Length of Play Changes

- A. All baseball, basketball and hockey games must be played on the date specified for "action" unless noted otherwise.
- B. All other events including football must be played within one (1) week of scheduled date for "action" unless noted otherwise.
- C. A change in the event site makes all wagers prior to the change "no action" unless noted otherwise.
- D. For full game wagers (not including baseball), games that are suspended, postponed or canceled prior to their timed conclusion must have the following amount of game time completed to be "official":
  - 35 minutes of college basketball play
  - 43 minutes of professional basketball play
  - 55 minutes of college & professional football play
  - 55 minutes of professional hockey play
- E. For all other timed sports, game must have 5 minutes or less remaining of scheduled play to be "official" unless noted otherwise.
- F. Wagers on games that have not met the game length requirement at the time of suspension, postponement or cancellation and do not resume play on the scheduled date are "no action" and are refunded.

### 4. Halftimes, Quarters, Overtime, Shootouts

- A. When wagering on a quarter or a half, the quarter or half must be completed to be "official" for wagering.
- B. When wagering on total scores, overtime periods are counted in the final score (excluding soccer).
- C. For halftime wagers, overtime periods are included as part of the second half.
- D. Fourth quarter wagers do not include overtime unless noted otherwise.
- E. If a hockey or soccer game is decided by a shootout, the winning team receives one additional goal for wagering purposes.



# Additional Rules & Regulations

Personal communications devices (including, without limitation, cell phones) may be used in the book for non-gaming related communications. Management prohibits the use of personal communication devices on the property to transmit or relay gaming related information, including, but not limited to, wagering information, line information, point spreads, wagers and other gaming related information (collectively “gaming information”). Management reserves the right to remove anyone from the property who, in management’s sole discretion, judgment or opinion, is using a personal communication device to transmit or relay gaming information.

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If you are placing a wager or cashing in a winning wager on behalf of another person or persons, you must declare this to the sports book staff prior to conducting the transaction.

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The Pueblo of Santa Ana Regulatory Gaming Commission defines the term “messenger bettor”: A “messenger bettor” means a person who places a sports pool wager for the benefit of another for compensation. PSAGRC prohibits a sports pool, employee or agent, from accepting a wager from a person who the book, agent or employee knows or reasonably should know is a messenger bettor or is placing a wager in violation of state or federal law. Please note that you may be asked if you are wagering on behalf of another player and if you are being compensated to make the wager.

