

Hebron Women's Club

Official Rules for Setback Tournament

1. Game of 8 hands.
2. Points earned for High, Low, Jack of trump suit and Game; scrap points allowed (both teams keep the points they make, regardless if bidder or not, unless set).
3. Game points: Ace=4, King=3, Queen=2, Jack=1, Ten=10
4. You must follow suit or trump.
5. No house (coke) hands (3-9); no re-deal.
6. To start the game, any player begins turning cards over from the top of the deck for each player. The player to receive the highest card wins the deal.
7. Deal 6 cards, 3 cards at a time, starting with the player on the left and proceeding clockwise.
8. No talking or signaling across the table.
9. Forced 2 bid to dealer.
10. Minimum bid is 2. Dealer may take bid for 1 more except on a 4 bid, which dealer can take.
11. On a misdeal, dealer re-deals without penalty. Misdeals must be reported as soon as caught.
12. If the bidding team misleads or reneges, they are automatically set the amount of the bid and the non-bidding team receives amount of bid. The hand ends and the deal moves. If the non-bidding team misleads or reneges, the bidding team is awarded the bid. The hand is over and the deal moves.
13. At the end of each game, scorecards must be submitted to the official score keeper(s).
14. The goal is to play at least 6 rounds of cards. At the end of 6 rounds, we will determine if time permits playing more. After all rounds have been played, the teams with the highest points will be 1st and 2nd place winners. In the event of a tie, a four-hand deciding game will be played to determine 1st and 2nd place winners.
15. In an unusual situation, please see the Judge. All Judge's decisions are final.