

**REEL DEAL SLOTS
“BLACKBEARD’S REVENGE”**



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INTRODUCTION

Welcome to **Reel Deal Slots “Blackbeard’s Revenge”** and **Reel Deal Casino “Millionaire’s Club”**. Whether you have one of these games, or both, you are now part of an immense online gambling universe where you can feel like a gambling “whale” without actually losing a dime.

You have the choice to play the games single-player in offline mode, or to explore the incredible and expansive possibilities of Reel Deal ‘LIVE’ online subscription play. If you play online, there are many more options and benefits available to you than if you play offline. If you choose to subscribe and play online, you will get new slots every month, have suites to re-model at your disposal, casino hosts, character leveling, an entire mall filled with tons of interactive and non-interactive items, live statistics tracking, and so much more. Try it out, the first month is FREE, and if you decide it’s not for you, there is no cost to you—not even a credit card required!

A Note on How Reel Deal Slots “Blackbeard’s Revenge” and Reel Deal Casino “Millionaire’s Club” fit together . . .

Each of these games—“**Blackbeard’s Revenge**” and “**Millionaire’s Club**”—is only *half* of the Phantom EFX Casino. **Reel Deal Slots “Blackbeard’s Revenge”** is 100% slots and offers no table games. **Reel Deal Casino “Millionaire’s Club”** offers more table games than any other game on the market, plus offers over 10 new slots. If you have purchased both games and want to play online, “**Blackbeard’s Revenge**” and “**Millionaire’s Club**” fit together to make one massive casino for only *one low subscription fee*. (Offline, both games are separate; they do not fit together.)

WHAT'S NEW

Reel Deal Slots “Blackbeard’s Revenge” and **Reel Deal Casino “Millionaire’s Club”** offer an all-new 3-D casino gaming experience.

Both games offer all new prize vaults and offline tournaments. In the offline version of **“Millionaire’s Club”** you build up your “reputation” in each game by playing and winning hands. Once your “reputation” is maxed out, you are invited to play a trial in that game. Finishing trials earns you an invitation to tournaments.

For online players, this year’s games include all new character creation for an all new virtual casino experience. Online ‘LIVE’ players will find a whole new look and feel to the Phantom EFX casino, including new chat functions, new character leveling in multiple areas (such as slots, table games and poker), a brand new expanded mall, new suites and all new challenges...all in a new, beautiful 3-D environment!

Whether you decide to play online or offline, sit back and relax and enjoy the Phantom EFX style of home-gaming. We welcome you to the Phantom EFX family! Check out www.phantomefx.com for more information on the games, forums, downloadable slots and more.

GETTING STARTED

LOGGING IN

When you launch the game, you will be presented with a splash screen. Here you will be able to select whether you want to play the game offline by yourself, or online with other players from around the world.

Single Player (Offline)

If you want to play the game offline, select the icon for the game you wish to play from the initial splash screen. Then, simply enter your player name to begin playing.

LIVE (Online)

If you want to play the game online, select the Reel Deal LIVE option from the initial splash screen. If you already have an account, simply login using your email and password. *If you do not have an account, click “Create Account” and follow the instructions provided.*

Once you have logged in, the program will connect to Phantom EFX servers and download / update any new files, ensuring that you have the most up-to-date version of the game. Once the download is complete, simply hit the play button to continue.

Autoplay: If this box is checked, the game will automatically launch once the download / update is completed.

Ports: If more than one person in your home will be playing the game online at the same time, you will need to click on the Port # to change it, so that each computer logs in using a different port. Four ports are available.

PLAYING OFFLINE

When you play Reel Deal “Blackbeard’s Revenge” offline, your character starts out with a bankroll of \$3,000. Use this money to start playing slots. If you run out of money—don’t worry—you can go to the Cashier and take out some

more money. As you play slots, you earn VIP points. Use these VIP points in the all-new prize vault to buy prizes and unlock special, interactive prizes.

To learn more about playing slot machines, see “Slots” on page 20.

CREATING, DELETING & MANAGING AVATARS

Reel Deal LIVE allows you to create 3-D characters (also known as “avatars”) with a wide range of customizable features. You not only give your character a name, you also define his or her facial features, physical body and clothing. Your character can look however you want him or her to. It’s entirely up to you.

Each account is able to create and maintain up to 6 characters. You can delete characters if you wish. If you wish to make changes to physical characteristics of an existing character, you are able to do so one time. After that, any changes you wish to make must be done at a store in the mall. Depending on your character’s level, you can get tattoos, have your hair done and even make an appointment to see a plastic surgeon.

GETTING AROUND

Reel Deal LIVE provides a first person view of the Phantom EFX casino. If you want to get somewhere in the casino, you need to walk there just like you would in a real casino. You walk around the casino using the W, S, A and D keys on your keyboard.

W = walk forward

S = walk backward

A = turn left

D = turn right

You can turn your character to the left or right by holding down either the A key or the D key while you are walking forward or backward. Or, you can turn your head (and your

direction) by holding down the right mouse button while you are walking.

As you walk around the casino, you will see other people there (and they will see you). When you are close enough to a table or slot to play it, your cursor will turn into a hand. Once it is a hand, simply click where you want to go.

If another person is sitting at a slot you want to play, you can either find another (empty) machine or you can still click on it and play that slot. If you sit down at an empty machine, your avatar will be seen by other players as sitting at that machine. If, however, you sit down at an occupied machine, the only avatar that will display on the casino floor is the first person who sat there.

TOOLBAR

The toolbar is a small bar with easy access buttons for you to use. The toolbar gives you access to your stats, help, online email, friends, options and much more. And the toolbar is completely adjustable. You can toggle it horizontally or vertically and move it around your screen so that it is exactly where you want it. You can even minimize it, if you want.

SETTING OPTIONS

There are a variety of customizable options in Phantom EFX's casino to make game play just right for you. To access your options online, click on the "Options" icon on your toolbar. Offline your "Options" can be found in the menu. Options allow you to choose card styles and set sound levels, among many other things.

CASHIER/ATM

Each player name is given a \$3,000 bankroll to start, both in real world and dream world money. If you run out of money, you can get more either from a cashier's cage or an ATM machine.

Note: This money does NOT need to be paid back nor does it affect your experience

for leveling. However, there a time limits on withdrawing extra funds. The length of time between withdrawals gets longer the more times you take more money.

Real World vs. Dream World Cash

Dream World cash is what you earn when you play dream world odds on slot machines. (Dream world odds are set higher than real world odds. *See Slots Odds/Payouts* on page 23 for more details.) Dream World cash is only used to play dream world odds on slots and can also be used to make some purchases in the mall. Dream World cash cannot be used to play table games or bankroll tournaments. Only Real World cash can be used for those things.

Real World cash is what you earn during all other game play (i.e., table games, poker, tournaments), including slots played with the “Real World” setting. Real World cash is harder to earn than Dream World cash and so is more valuable in the stores.

VIP POINTS

VIP points are the way that the Phantom EFX casino thanks you for your play. Each pull on a slot machine, play of a hand at a table, and even a Bingo card, awards you VIP points. These points can be used in the prize vault and mall.

The amount of VIP points awarded fluctuates slightly depending on how much money you wager and other factors, as well. Just gamble and watch your VIP points grow!

Note: If you are playing this game offline, you will still gain VIP points. However, instead of being able to redeem them in the Phantom EFX Casino mall, you redeem them in the game’s Prize Vault.

CHATTING

Chatting with other players is a big part of online game play. You can chat while roaming the gaming floor or while sitting

at a slot machine or table game. You can chat just about anywhere in the casino. You can talk openly to anyone at your table or in your slot. If you are walking around the casino, you can openly chat with anyone within about 50 feet of you. You can also chat with anyone in the same chat channel as you. Or, you can send private messages to a specific player. This section will cover what you need to know to be able to chat while online.

The chat box in Reel Deal LIVE is fully adjustable and moveable to meet your personal needs. You want it bigger or smaller? Narrower or wider? Hold down your left mouse button and grab the bottom right corner of the chat box; drag it until it reaches the size you want it. Move it anywhere on your screen by grabbing the top of the box while holding down your left mouse button. You can even make the chat box disappear (and reappear) by toggling the small green/red button at the top right of the box.

To chat openly with anyone who is in the same “room” as you, just click your cursor into the chat entry box (at the bottom of the chat window) and begin typing. When you are finished, hit **Enter** and your message will appear in the display section above the entry box.

Note: A “room” can be a slot machine, a poker table, a table game, within about 50 feet of you while roaming the casino, etc.

In addition to the chat channel for the “room” are you are in, you can access as many other chat channels as you would like. To access (or “enter”) additional chat channels, right-mouse click on your chat window and select the channel you wish to join. Each additional chat channel will be assigned a number.

To chat in one of your additional chat channels, you must type /# (where # represents the desired channel number) before you type your text. For example, to chat in your 2nd chat channel, you would type /2 **hi everyone!**

You can open as many chat windows as you wish and put different channels in the different windows. Or, you may put multiple channels in a single window.

Once you manually enter a chat channel, you will remain in that channel wherever you go in the casino, until you exit the game or until you manually leave the chat channel. To leave a chat channel, right-mouse click on the chat window then click on the channel you wish to leave. If you are in a chat channel because you are in a particular slot or table, you will automatically leave that chat channel when you leave that slot or table.

Private messages

To send a private message to another player that only they will see, you need to start your message with **/tell playername** where “playername” is the name of the person to whom you are sending your private message. For example, if you wanted to send a private message to player JaneD asking her where she is, you would type the following message: **/tell JaneD Where are you?** After you hit **Enter** you will see your private message appear in the chat box. It will show that you “told” so and so whatever it was that you typed.

To reply to a private message, so that only the person who sent it to you will see it, you just start your reply message with either **/reply** or for short, **/r** then follow it with your message. For example, **/r I'm in Blackbeard's Pirate Gameshow.**

Private messages are a good way to have a conversation with someone who is not in the same room as you. If you try to send a private message to someone who is not online, the server will let you know that the player is not online.

Filtering chat

You can toggle the chat filter on and off by typing **/filter** in the chat entry box. A message will display telling you whether the filter is turned on or off. The filter bleeps out words it deems inappropriate.

“Ignoring” players’ chat

If there are players whose comments you never want to see, you can tell the system to “ignore” them. If you “ignore” a player, you **will never** see anything they type into the chat box, not even private messages. To ignore a player, type **/ignore** followed by the player name into the chat entry box. For example, to ignore JohnDoe, you would type: **/ignore JohnDoe** into the chat box then hit **Enter**. You will get a message stating that they player has been added to your “ignore list”.

To remove someone from your “ignore list”, re-type the same message you typed to ignore them-- **/ignore** plus the player’s name. You will get a message telling you that the player has been removed from your “ignore list”.

MAKING “FRIENDS”

When you meet someone you want to be able to find easily each time you are online, you might want to consider adding them to your “Friends” list. This list allows you to quickly see who is or is not online, and where they are if they are online.

Your “Friends” list is viewable by clicking on the “Friends” icon on your toolbar.

To add someone to (or delete someone from) your “Friends” list, type **/friend** followed by the player name into the chat entry box, for example, **/friend JaneD**. In the previous example, if JaneD was not already on your “Friends” list, she would be added. If she *was* already on it, that command would remove her from it.

GUILDS

What is a guild? A guild is a group of players that form a “team.” Guilds challenge one another to tournaments and, like individual players, are ranked based on the ranking of each of its members. Guilds gain experience as their players gain experience and finish specific challenges. As guilds gain experience, they get stronger and earn powers.

Do I need to join a guild? Whether or not you choose to join a guild is entirely up to you. It is not necessary for you to be in a guild to fully experience the Phantom EFX casino. The only thing you cannot do if you are not in a guild is play in guild tournaments. However, there are plenty of casino-wide tournaments available everyday open to individual players.

How do I join a guild? There are many guilds already in existence in the Phantom EFX casino. Ask around about the different guilds available and who is currently looking for members. Many times, people will make announcements that they are looking for members for their guild. Once you have found a guild you would like to join, ask one of the officers of the guild to invite you, then accept the invitation that appears on your screen. You can also start your own guild if you wish. If you are interested in starting your own guild, ask a pit boss for directions.

E-MAIL

You can send and receive e-mails within the Phantom EFX casino to other online players. You can access e-mail by clicking on the e-mail icon on your toolbar.

FINDING HELP

If you need help that you cannot find in this manual, and you are playing in offline mode, you can contact Phantom EFX via email at support@phantomefx.com or check our website at www.phantomefx.com.

If you are playing in online mode, members of the gaming community are always willing to lend a hand. And, there is always a pit boss available to help you personally. Pit bosses are available at a Help Desk. Click the Help icon to bring up the Help Desk chat window. You will be added to the end of the line and when it is your turn, a pit boss will help you personally. While you wait, you can read other players' questions in the Help chat window, but you will not be able to chat there yourself until it is your turn.

Commands

There are several commands that you can use online. To use any command, type it into the chat box then hit **Enter**.

/afk – Tells the server you are away from your keyboard. If anyone sends you a private message while this command is toggled on, they will receive a message back from the server telling them you are currently away from your keyboard.

/help – This accesses the Help menu.

/tell PLAYER – This sends a private message to the player listed.

/reply or **/r** – This sends a private message back to the last person who sent you a message.

/whois PLAYER – This will display another player's information box.

/friend PLAYER – This will add (or remove) the player listed to (from) your friends list.

/ignore PLAYER – This will keep you from seeing the listed player's chat.

/timer – This will show a countdown timer for any tourney entered. Highlight the tourney you have entered, then type **/timer** into the chat box and hit **Enter**. A timer will appear in the upper right corner of your screen.

/heartbeat – This will display a small blinking heart at the top right of your screen showing you the strength of your connection to the server.

/fps – This will display your frames per second.

/bug – Use this command to report a bug. Please be as specific as possible when reporting bugs.

/petition – Use this command to send an idea or suggestion. *For example, /petition I would love to see the Friends list hold more names.*

/list – This will show you a list of everyone that is in the same room as you.

/filter – This toggles the chat filter on and off. The chat filter blocks out words that are deemed inappropriate.

SO I'M LEVEL 1, NOW WHAT DO I DO?

So you've just created your online character and are probably wondering... *Where do I go from here? What should I be doing? What am I supposed to accomplish?* There is so much to do, so much to see, but don't be overwhelmed. Of course, one of the main goals of the game is just to have fun... so start off by playing what is fun for you. If it is slots you enjoy, play slots (though we most definitely recommend playing in dream world odds when you do because the house has the advantage in real world odds). If it's tables, play tables (though we recommend betting conservatively at first).

Explore all of the games and see what you enjoy most. Overall, the goal is to increase your character's level (so that more and more of the casino opens up to you) and make money (so that you can buy the fun things available to you in the Prize Vault and the Mall).

So your next question is probably... *How do I increase my character's level? Why do I even want to increase my character's level?* The answer to the first question is simple; your character's level increases as you play. For every spin on a slot, every hand at a table game, every game of bingo, whenever you play, your character gains experience. After so much experience, you increase a level. Just how much experience you need to get to the next level depends on the level you are at. The higher the level, the more experience you need to reach the next.

Your player levels in three (3) different areas—slots, tables, and poker. So, you may be a level 10 in slots (because you play these a lot), but only a level 5 in table games (because you play these less often), and only a level 3 in poker (because you almost never play this).

You can check on your level progression by hitting the “**T**” key when your cursor is *not* in the chat box. (If it's in the chat box, you will only type a letter I.) The “**T**” key brings up

your character information box, which shows all kinds of information about your character, including your bankrolls, badges and trophies won and your progress towards the next level. You can also checkout another player's progress by typing /whois PLAYER (substituting the player's name for PLAYER) into the chat box and hitting Enter.

When you reach a new level, you will be alerted on-screen. Each time you get to a new level you will also receive an *in-game* email. The email will congratulate on your progress and will alert you of any gifts you have received (such as bonus VIP points or money) and any new areas of the casino that may have opened up to you. ***So be sure to check your in-game email after each time you level.***

The answer to your second question is YES, you most definitely *do* want to increase your character's level! *Why?* Because the higher your level, the more access you have to the fun and exciting things going on in the casino.

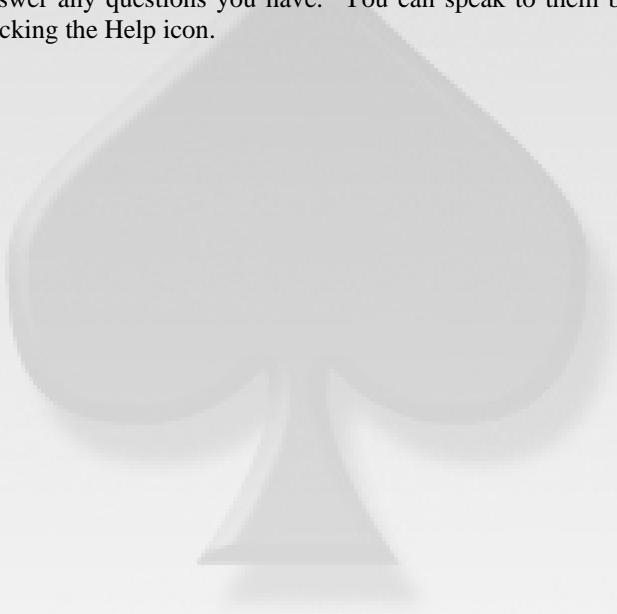
Different levels offer different new and exciting possibilities so you definitely want your character to gain experience. In **Reel Deal LIVE** you can level from 1 to 50.

Prize vaults, the Mall, tournaments... What should I do first? How should I spend my money and my VIP points?

We suggest first spending your VIP points on buying the items in the prize vault, as there are exciting prizes to be earned as you make your way through the vault (some are even interactive). Once you've finished the prize vault, then we recommend using your VIP points to buy great stuff in the mall. As for tournaments, while they are fun, they are not easy to win, so we suggest only joining tournaments with a low enough buy-in so that you don't do too much damage to your bankroll if you lose. What level you feel comfortable with is completely up to you, but you don't have to enter tournaments right off the bat. You can wait until you have a more cushioned bankroll before joining, if you wish. This is especially a good idea for poker and table game tournaments, as well as "real world odds" slot tournaments, as those games have odds that favor the casino and not the player, thus making it harder to win. Try building up a little reserve of

“real world” funds before plunging in to a “real world odds” tournament.

What do I do if I get confused along the way? Just ask someone! We can almost guarantee there will be other players out there ready to give you their opinions. The Phantom online community is full of friendly people more than willing to offer support and suggestions. Just ask in chat and more than likely someone will happily answer. Plus, there is always at least one pit boss online to help out and answer any questions you have. You can speak to them by clicking the Help icon.



GETTING TO KNOW THE CASINO

Reel Deal LIVE offers you a massive online casino with many interesting places to visit. When you roam around the casino, you will find several rooms for you to explore.

These locations are only available to those players playing in the online subscription mode.

Slots Floor – The slots floor is so massive that it has been broken down into separate miniature “casinos” for you—Slots Earth, Slots Fire, Slots Metal and Slots Water. These rooms contain *only* slots... and lots of them! This is where you will find the slots that came with **Reel Deal “Blackbeard’s Revenge”**.

Casino Floor – The casino floor contains all kinds of table games and is just as massive as the Slot floor. This section has also been sub-divided into separate miniature “casinos” for you—Casino Earth, Casino Fire and Casino Metal. In addition to table games, these rooms also contain the additional slots that are only available with **Reel Deal “Millionaire’s Club”**. The casino floor also houses the Bingo room, Sports Book, Race Book, and Poker room.

Downloads – This area is accessible from the Lobby and contains the free monthly slot downloads for subscribers as well as any additional download slots you have purchased. These slots will always be available for you to play in this area. You will never lose them.

Lobby – The lobby is a gathering place and the central hub of the Reel Deal LIVE casino. From here you can find the entrance to almost anywhere you want to go in the LIVE community.

Guild Hall – The guild hall is a place for you and your fellow guild mates to gather. It is where you can access your Guild tournaments or check your guild leveling progress. Yes. In Reel Deal LIVE, guilds level much

like characters level. The more the members of your guild accomplish, the higher the guild levels. The higher the guild levels, the more perks it will be awarded. All members of the guild can benefit from the perks and powers the guild wins.

The Mall – The mall is where you go to buy all kinds of cool things. There are several types of stores, each boasting different items for you to purchase with your online cash and VIP points. You might want to buy items for your hotel suite, get your hair done, get a tattoo, or even buy new clothes. This and much, much more is available to you at the mall. Go ahead, explore, and see all that it has to offer you.

The University – The University is the place where your avatar can learn all kinds of things, including Advanced Programming, Statistics, Calculus, or even how to influence others. Learning these things is easy. You simply purchase the course and, over time, your character learns all the information in that course. Your avatar learns while you are online playing games and even when you are logged out of the game!

By making your avatar smarter, he can learn to beat the games. Every game can be tweaked to give more favorable odds to the player. The games can even be beaten. By taking the advanced courses needed, your avatar can, for example, learn how to make their own circuit board to slip into a slot machine that will make it pay extra high, give free bonus rounds or even give free spins.

The Nightclub – Dance the night away with your friends and maybe make some new ones at the Nightclub. Sit back and relax while you watch others dance or get out on the dance floor and get your “groove on”. The Nightclub is always open for your entertainment.

The Atrium – Getting tired walking all over the casino to get where you want to go? The Atrium is a neat little shortcut to get you to the Hotel without have to walk through miles and miles of casino floor.

The Hotel – The Phantom EFX casino comes with its very own hotel. Once you have played and leveled high enough, a casino host will award you with your very own suite in the hotel which you can furnish with items you buy at the mall.



TOURNAMENTS

Tournaments are where you have the chance to win the most money. Any game in the casino has “casino odds”, which means there is a house advantage and thus, over time, you will tend to lose money. The exception to this is tournaments, where you have the chance to earn a portion of the entry fees from all of the contestants.

For online players, playing in tournaments also offers you the ability to win special awards and medals.

Tournaments are offered **online** for slots, table games and poker, and can be accessed via any of the “Tournaments” kiosks throughout the casino. *You can only enter one tournament at a time. If you enter a 2nd tournament, you will automatically be withdrawn from the other one.*

There are a minimum number of participants required for each tournament. If the minimum number does not register before the tournament time, you will get a message from the server saying your tournament was cancelled and your entry fee will be refunded.

You can withdraw from a tournament for which you are registered any time before the tournament begins and your entry fee will be refunded. However, if you decide not to join a tournament once it has begun, you will forfeit your entry fee.

When a tournament is ready to begin, you will be prompted by a reminder dialog box to either join or forfeit. Click the option you want. This dialog box will appear to you wherever you are in the online casino so you don't have to hang around doing nothing while you wait for your tournament to begin.

For offline players, there are still tournaments and trophies to be won for table games and poker. Tournaments are played against computer generated players. Tournaments are multi-level, meaning you must first win beginner tournaments before you can advance to the next level.

SLOTS

Slot machines have been around for over a century and have entertained and enchanted gamblers for just as long. Charles Fey, a car mechanic from San Francisco, invented the first 3-reel slot machine around 1895. The most exciting thing about playing slot machines is the idea of hitting the jackpot and striking it rich. Players like slots since it can be a very low investment for the possibility to hit a large payout.

Slot machines have been 3-reel, multi-symbol in nature for most of their existence. People who are slot lovers are beginning to refer to the 3-reel slot machines as “traditional” slots, since they have been around for so long. The traditional 3-reel slot machine features three reels, each with multiple symbols. In the machines that were 100% mechanical (up until the 1970s), the more symbols on a reel, the harder to hit the jackpot. Since these machines were comprised of gears and levers, the slot could only act and pay a specific way. Since the invention of the slot machine which uses computer technology, there is more freedom to allow a machine to act in various ways, such as adding wilds that multiply the payout and games that offer double spinning action.

Since the innovation of the computer into slot machines, slot players have enjoyed 5-reel, or animated, slot machines. These machines, in many cases, offer bonus games and other gimmicks to lure the gambler to them. Gamblers experience maximum enjoyment from slot themes, great music and animation, and fun bonus games. There has been an explosion of 5-reel animated slot machines into the casinos in the last decade, and there is no immediate slow down expected.

In Reel Deal Slots “Blackbeard’s Revenge” and Reel Deal “Millionaire’s Club,” you will find a variety of different types of slot machines—from traditional 3-reelers to multi-line 5-reel video slots with bonus games.

OBJECT OF THE GAME

The object of a slot machine is to line up symbols on a payline as indicated on the machine's payable. The other object, of course, is to have fun!

HOW TO PLAY

When you first enter a slot game, you must deposit money into the machine. A box automatically appears for you to do this.

Before you enter an amount, first check to make sure you have the credit denomination set to what you want. If you want to change the denomination, click on the denomination you want.

After you make sure your denomination is set correctly, make sure you have the desired "odds" box checked. At the bottom of the display box for online players, you will see two options—one for "Dream World Odds" and one for "Real World Odds." If the option you want is not checked, just click in it to check it. *For more information on "Real World" and "Dream World" odds, see the "Odds/Payouts" section later in this chapter.*

Once everything is set how you want it, just type in the amount of money you want to deposit into the machine, then hit the **"Enter"** key on your keyboard.

If you want to deposit more money into the machine while you are playing the game, just click on the coin acceptor on the machine (or on the **"insert \$"** button) and the deposit money box will appear on your screen.

After you deposit money into the machine, it is translated into a number of credits which is displayed on the slot. You need to tell the machine how many lines you want to play and how many credits *per line*. To do that, you use the buttons on the front of the machine. *(Please note, an asterisk * denotes buttons only available on 5-reel machines, while a double asterisk ** denotes buttons only available on 3-reel machines.)*

“Bet Max” button – This button will bet the maximum number of credits allowed for this machine. Clicking this button automatically spins the reels for you.

***“Bet Per Line” button** – This button will bet one credit per line selected on the next spin. If you wish to bet two credits per line, click the button twice, and so on. You can only use this button *after* you have already selected the number of lines you wish to play. If you use this button to set your bet, you must click the **“Play”** button to spin the reels.

***“Select Lines” button** – Clicking on this button will select which lines you will play. Each time you click the button, the next numerical payline will be selected. Thus, clicking five times will select the first five paylines. This button is used in conjunction with the **“Bet Per Line”** button and must be used *before* any “bets per line” can be added.

****“Bet One” button** – This button will bet one credit per time you click it, up to the maximum number of credits allowed per spin. If you use this button, you will need to click the **“Spin Reels”** button afterwards to start the reels.

Anytime you want to cash out of a machine, simply click the **“Cash Out”** button at the far left of the slot machine. Whatever credits were still in the machine will be translated back to dollars and added back into your bankroll.

TYPES OF SLOTS

Single Payline

These slot machines are reserved solely for traditional 3-reelers. The only way to win is to line up the paying symbols across the center of the reels. In casinos, these machines traditionally have the best winning percentages.

Multiple Payline

These slots machines can be found in traditional 3-reel or in 5-reel traditional or animated styles. In most traditional slot

machines, you will not see more than 5 different paylines. In animated slots, you see typically see anywhere from 5 to 20 different paylines, though newer slots with as many as 100 paylines have been emerging into the casino market.

Amber Light

These slot machines are traditional 3-reel machines with bonus games included. The bonus game is usually displayed on the top of the machine above the reels.

8-Payline (a.k.a. Tic-Tac-Toe style)

These slot machines are set up like a tic-tac-toe board, with 3 reels across and 3 reels down. There are 8 paylines and they usually have bonus games.

Video

These slot machines have reels that are simulated on a computer screen. They normally offer bonus games and multiple paylines.

ODDS/PAYOUTS

Slot machines vary in percent payouts. State government standards regulate that machines must pay over a certain percentage. In most states, slot machines must pay out over 80% of what they receive. Slot machines are normally set to pay anywhere from 80% to 95%. You can sometimes find slots that advertise that they pay out 97% to 99%. These are normally higher denomination slot machines.

In terms of odds, your best bet is to play traditional 3-reel slot machines with one payline. This is where the best return on investment is found. Playing slots that offer a progressive jackpot traditionally offer the worst return on investment.

Reel Deal “Millionaire’s Club” and **Reel Deal Slots “Blackbeard’s Revenge”** offer two different payout percentages for online players—“Real World” and “Dream World.” “Real World” sets machines at 98% payback, whereas “Dream World” sets them at between 125%-165% payback, depending on the number of lines. (*Offline play is*

automatically set to dream world payouts. There is no other option.)

Each machine pays different amounts based on different winning symbol combinations. To see which combinations pay out for a specific machine, click on the “Pay Table” button on the front of the machine.

Keyboard Shortcuts for Slot Machines

Spacebar	Re-spins slot with the same settings
M	Bet Max
N	Bet One

ADDENDUM

MP3 PLAYER

In **Reel Deal “Millionaire’s Club”** and **Reel Deal Slots “Blackbeard’s Revenge”** you have the ability to play your own music while playing the game. The music needs to be in the **MP3** format and should be placed into the MP3 directory where your game is installed. The game will automatically play the MP3s in that folder either alphabetically, or randomly, depending on how you have the MP3 player set to play.

An additional way to play MP3s in the game is to point your MP3 player to the directory or folder that you have your MP3s in. First, run your mouse cursor over the controls for the MP3 player until the small folder appears with the green arrow in it. Double click this folder and on the next screen, double click the small file folder. Then navigate to the directory or folder that your MP3s are in. Click OK, and your mp3s will then play in the game

Please ensure that you do not have any spaces in your MP3 file names, as those files will be ignored.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT

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Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

Q: I am unable to find the Patch Server. How do I connect to the server?

A: In order to play Reel Deal “Millionaire’s Club” or Reel Deal Slots “Blackbeard’s Revenge” online, you will need an active internet connection. Make sure that you are connected to the Internet, and the connection is working. If you have a firewall, make sure it is not blocking access to the patch server.

Q: How do I bypass my firewall without disabling it?

A: Reel Deal “Millionaire’s Club”, and “Blackbeard’s Revenge” requires ports 2302-2305 to be open for communication. Also, the following processes need to access the Internet: OLCLauncher.exe and Casino083d.exe. Refer to your firewall documentation to allow this communication.

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