



AMERICAN TABLE GAMES AND SURVEILLANCE CONFERENCE

BEST NEW TABLE GAMES COMPETITION

Description: The ATGS Conference's Best New Table Games Competition is being held in conjunction with the American Table Games & Surveillance Conference, February 24 through February 26, 2026 at the Hard Rock Casino in Tulsa, Oklahoma. It is designed to recognize the newest table games and their inventors/companies, whose new games, as judged by casino table game executives, have the best combination of player appeal, ease of understanding, and potential commercial success.

Eligibility: The ATGS Conference's Best New Table Games Competition is open to individuals or companies that have developed (or own the rights to) casino table games that currently have no more than 40 total units in casinos worldwide. They must be fairly considered to be table games and played on a layout and not an electronic game, mechanical device or product. New poker games and poker game variations are acceptable. Existing table games with original side-bets are acceptable.

Each exhibitor is allowed to enter one (1) new table game per single booth space 10 X 8 ft or less, **with a maximum of three (3) new table games in a larger single booth or any double booth and a maximum of four (4) new table games for any triple booth**, and is entirely responsible for the presentation of his/her game(s) to the attendees/judges of the conference, including table set-up, furniture/seating, game staffing, sample playing opportunity, collateral, mathematical information on the game, etc. Please note, the competition is limited to the first 35 complete entries received.

Any exhibitors with games entered in the Best New Table Games Competition shall not give away/raffle any prizes with a value in excess of \$50. The competition is designed to judge games on their viability in the marketplace and not which booth has the best swag/giveaways.

The Judging Process: Judging for the ATGS Conference's Best New Table Games Competition will be conducted by attendees of the ATGS Conference who have no affiliation with any of the individuals or companies whose new table games are entered in the competition. Judging will begin during the opening night reception of the conference, then throughout the conference – votes must be cast at the designated voting station no later than Wednesday, February 26th at 12 pm Central Time. Voting is secret and the results are tabulated by show management.

Judges/attendees will each receive one official ballot with all of the individual new table games entered in the competition listed on it. Each judge/attendee will be asked to cast



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their votes based on the game's playing appeal, ease of understanding, and potential commercial success. They will then hand in their ballots to assigned management personnel or deposit them in a ballot box located in a safe area designated by management.

In tabulating the ballots, points will be awarded in the following manner: 1 point for a 1st place vote. There will be no runner-up or 3rd place votes.

The new table game earning the most points in the tabulation of the official Ballots submitted by the judges/attendees will win the Gold Award for the ATGS Conference's Best New Table Game of the 2026 Competition. The new table game earning the second most points in the balloting will win the Silver Award and the new game with the third most points will win the Bronze Award. Ties will be broken by run-off voting at the Awards Luncheon. **Winners of the ATGS Conference's Best New Table Games Competition will be announced during the award luncheon on Wednesday, February 26th.**

Special note:

- The Gold winner, providing that the game meets necessary regulatory and/or compact approvals, will receive floor space at a sponsoring casino property that agrees to a field trial before year-end 2026.
- The Silver and Bronze winners will receive floor space at casino properties that agree to a field trial before year-end 2026, IF the two additional sponsors are found.
- We anticipate having a total of three quality sponsors again at the 2026 competition, but we can only guarantee one. And even a fourth casino sponsor may be possible.

To enter the competition, please fill in the following information and email all pages to: richard@globaltablegamesprotection.com Your signature below confirms your affirmation to all the points below:

- I have read and agree to the above rules for participating in the ATGS Conference's Best New Table Games Competition.
- The following table game(s) meet the criteria above and are being entered into the competition.
- I understand and agree that the name(s) listed on this form will be used to promote the competition and during the voting process.



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1st Entry: _____

2nd Entry (if applicable): _____

Company name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Full Name: _____

Title: _____

Rule Interpretation, Amendment and Enforcement and Resolution of Disputes

If there is a dispute or disagreement between two or more exhibitors, Show Management's determination and interpretation of the rules and regulations governing the Exhibition will be binding on the Exhibitor(s). Management will have full power in the matter of interpretation, amendment and enforcement of all rules and regulations, and any such amendments when made and brought to the notice of the Exhibitor(s) will become part of the Contract.

If a dispute or disagreement arises between exhibitors concerning the allotment of permitted use of exhibition space or concerning interpretation of any of the rules or regulations such dispute will be referred to Show Management for review and interpretation, and Exhibitor(s) will abide by said interpretation by Show Management. If Exhibitor(s) fails to comply, then Show Management (i) may immediately terminate Exhibitor's rights to the Booth Space and Exhibitor's participation in the Exhibition, (ii) terminate this Contract with Cause, and (iii) sell the Booth Space at public or private sale. Regarding the Best New Table Games Competition, show management is not responsible for sponsor facilities honoring their install and floor space guarantees to competition winners.

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