

## CANASTA TABLE RULES and BASIC SCORING

1. You play 3 hands with each person at your table with the following meld:  
    First     - 125  
    Second  - 155  
    Third     - 180
2. Each person is responsible for recording their score for each hand on the provided score sheet.
3. Partners should check to make sure scores are correct before moving to the next partner.
4. Score cards will be collected before changing tables.
5. Players will rotate from table to table and everyone plays as an individual.... keeping their own scores from game to game.
6. No table talk or reminders to take the talon is permitted.
7. If you do not remember to take the talon before the other team picks for their turn, the cards are forfeited.
8. Talons are NOT placed on the side of the trays and are chosen at the time one melds from the top of the pile.
9. Once you lay your meld down, no other movement of cards within your meld is allowed.
10. No one can comment on your point count until you discard. If your meld is incorrect, an additional 10 points will be required to meld.
11. A wild-card canasta must be completed before wild cards can be used to close other canastas.
12. If you pick up the pile with aces and simultaneously meld, they must be completed as natural.
13. There will be NO asking to go out.

NO splashes will be played

## BASIC SCORING

Ace canasta . . . +2500 points

Sevens canasta . . . +2500 points

Ace or wild card canastas uncompleted . . . -2500

Unmade 7 canasta . . . -2500 points

More than 2 aces or 2 sevens in hand at end of play . . . -1500

All eight 3's . . . +3000

Wild card canasta mixed . . . +2500

Wild card canasta with all 4 big jokers . . . +3000

All deuces canasta . . . +4000

Concealed canasta . . . +5000