Quick Start Guide for Tournament without Registration

Step	Comment	Screen
Create Setup	Go to Tournament Setups and create setup. Setup is the template for tournaments Manager Password Protected: default is blank just click "Manager Mode"	
Create Setup if not already setup	Create Structure (if necessary) Create Payouts Create Points(optional) Create Setup Fill in information for tournament The buy-in is full price so an $85+$15(fees) buy-in is $100 Be sure and check the boxes	
Create Tournament	Go to Tournament Maintenance	
Create Tournament	Click New Give tournament a name Set date and time Pick setup	
Open Tournament	Go to Tournament Control	
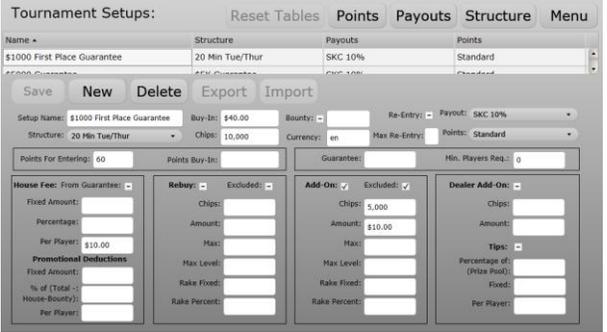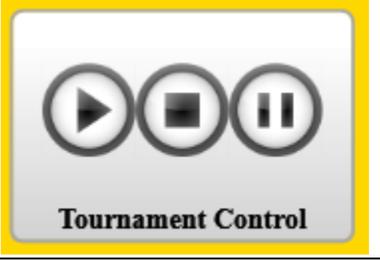
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Open Tournament	Go to Tournament Control Select a clock Select color Click Open	
Display Clock	Go to Tournament Clock You could also start a new instance of Poker Desk on this or another computer to display the clock and continue this instance of software to control tournament	
Display Clock	Click on Clock selected for tournament Select Run	
Display Clock	If starting time in the future will show countdown to start	
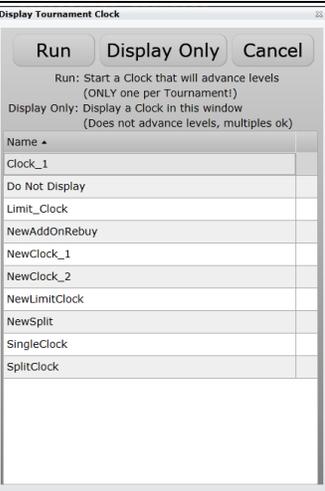
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Start Tournament	Click on the clock and the control panel will appear. Click Start to start tournament Click on the clock again and the controls will disappear	
Control Tournament	Click on Clock bring up controls, you can add players, add-ons If you did the tournament setup correctly it will display tournament information	
Control Tournament	From the tournament clock you can control clock Pause, resume Remove players When Paused, the time left is used to adjust the clock if necessary. You can also move up and down levels then adjust the time left	
Adjust prices	If prize not setup correctly you can enter manual prizes from the Tournament Control Screen	

This quick guide showed using the clock to control the tournament. The program is designed to have the tournament controlled from "Tournament Control" view. It is possible to control from the clock but controlling the tournament from "Tournament Control" is recommended. Poker Desk is designed to run multiple instances of the program. For example you might have on instance of Poker Desk open controlling the tournament, then you would open another instance of Poker Desk to display clock, and a third instance open display wait list to players, and an fourth instance open entering player on the wait list. Additionally instance can be running on any network computer, so any of these instances of Poker Desk could be running on the same computer or running on different computer.