CLP Podcast #481 12-14-21 "Moving up Quickly"

Intro

1. Moving up considerations

- area and availability
- rake considerations and winrate
- Commission % of avg stack per hour
- bankroll requirements
- average stack in terms of bb in each game
- stunting your growth

A. "My perception, which could be quite off, is that the jump from $1/$2 to $2$5 is bigger than the jump from $2/$5 to $5/$10."

B. "I am not sure that I should play TCH Dallas until I feel comfortable playing at least 2/5. I guess I think that the hourly/monthly costs are too high for 1/2 or 1/3 capped games in this new membership-based system. Bottom line, I feel like my win rate is too low to jump into games that play so much bigger. Is it a good strategy to get another 200-300 hours in at quality times in these small stake casino games before I jump into these bigger/wilder Texas games?"

C. "My plan was to take a stab at 2-5 when I reach around $8k. The main reason being that the rake is the same in both games (10% $6 max, no rake preflop)."

2. Preflop flatting questions

ep open what do we flat with (Mississippi straddle)
sb scenario vs LP open especially in 3 blind games

"Hi Bart - in a 1/2/5 FULL RING 9-player game about $700 effective, if there is a button straddle for $5 and the SB opens to $20 and you have no info on him, is it reasonable to just flat AKo from the BB versus his open? Upswing says yes, but I wanted to get your thoughts."

"Full ring game, preflop, EP or MP opens, we are in the field with multiple players left to act who have position over us. We have to decide whether to raise, to call, or to fold.

Since I'm trying to play more of a linear strategy, I'm often very uncertain, what is the right play in this type of situation with hands like 55-10, J10s or KQo."

[Why suited hands are better podcast](#)

3. Techniques for note taking while playing

<u>Shorthand examples:</u>

1. LJ $20 I 3 bet 87ss $70 he calls. 923r x/50 call. Ass x I 150 he folds

2. I UTG $20 KK CO calls BB calls. Td 9h 3h x/40, fold, call. Ts x/x. 3d x/85 call I'm good (great value)

Detailed fill in after session:

1.
PRE: LJ ($1200) raises to $20, I cover and 3! to $70 with 8s 7s, only he calls. **$145**

FLOP: 9h 2s 3d -- LJ checks I bet $50, LJ calls. **$245**

TURN: As -- LJ checks I bet $150, LJ folds.

2.

I raise UTG ($1500) Kh Kd to $20, CO ($1k) calls, BB ($800) calls. **$65**

FLOP: Td 9h 3h BB checks, I bet $40, CO folds, BB calls. **$145**

TURN: Ts BB checks, I check. **$145**

RIVER: 3d BB checks I bet $85 he calls. I am good. (Great value example)