Poke-It Poker! v1.0

Feedback please!
If you encounter ANY problems, please let me know.

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  An order form is provide under the file name "ORDERFRM.TXT". You can Open this file using
Windows Notepad and print it.

  NOTE 1:

  This program is written in Visual Basic. Thus it needs the
VBRUN200.DLL (which should be included) to run. If you got
your copy from an online service or bulletin board take note:

    Some BBS Sysops remove the VBRUN200.DLL file from Windows
    programs that use it in order to save disk drive space.
    If you are missing the VBRUN200.DLL file, log back on to
    the service or BBS it came from, and, if you can't easily
    find the VBRUN file, leave a comment to your Sysop asking
    how he/she allows people to acquire it.

  NOTE 2:

        How to install your program as an Icon with the
        Windows' Program Manager.

        1. First install the program in a DOS directory,
        outside of Windows.

        2. Start up Windows and open the PROGRAM MANAGER.

        3. Click once on the group in which you want the
        new Icon installed.

        4. Go up to the menu bar at the top of your screen
        and click on the word FILE.

        5. A menu drops down. Click on NEW.

        6. You will see a window with two choices. Select
        PROGRAM ITEM. Then click on OKAY.

        7. Another window appears entitled PROGRAM ITEM
        PROPERTIES.

        8. Click in the box labeled DESCRIPTION. Type
        POKE-IT POKER!.

9. Use the tab key or mouse and go to the box labeled COMMAND LINE. Type the full name of the path to the directory where you have installed Poke-It Poker, and the name POKER.EXE. For example, if the game is in a directory called POKER on the C drive you would enter C:\POKER\POKER.EXE in the box.

10. Use the TAB key to go to the box labeled WORKING DIRECTORY. Type the name of the directory in which you installed POKE-IT POKER!. For example, if you installed the game in a directory called POKER, then type C:\ POKER.

11. Now click on OKAY in the PROGRAM ITEM PROPERTIES Window.

You should now have the POKE-IT POKER Icon installed in your PROGRAM MANAGER. Enjoy the game!

NOTE 3:

It has come to my attention that certain SVGA video hardware is non-compatible with the MicroSoft Visual Basic Environment and causes problems every so often in 800 x 600 mode and more often in 1024 x 768 resolution. Buttons will be misplaced etc. At the moment there is one solution:

Open the Windows Setup icon and select CHANGE SYSTEM SETTINGS from the OPTIONS menu. Follow the prompts to change your video mode to a 640 x 480 resolution driver. The game will now run fine. When you're finished, return to Setup and re-install your original driver.

We're sorry for the inconvenience.

Happy Pokering!