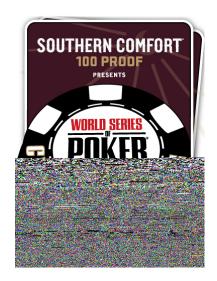
2012/2013 World Series of Poker Circuit Season Nine IP Casino Resort and Spa Biloxi, Mississippi Event #6 No-Limit Hold'em Buy-In \$300 (+\$65) Total Entries: 146 Prize Pool: \$43,800

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2010 NOVEMBER NINER JOHN DOLAN WINS EVENT #6 AT IP BILOXI

Cory Wood finishes second, takes sole possession of the lead in the Casino Championship with six events remaining.

Biloxi, MS (August 14, 2012) — 2010 November Nine participant and Gulf Coast poker regular, John Dolan, won Event #6 at IP Casino Resort and Spa in Biloxi, MS Tuesday evening.

Dolan is most recognized for his sixth place finish in the 2010 WSOP Main Event when he was a member of the November Nine and won almost \$1.8 million. Jonathan Duhamel was the eventual champion of that record-breaking tournament and won \$8,944,310.

Dolan's victory comes in a timely manner as ESPN's coverage of the tournament that started it all for him, the WSOP Main Event, begins airing tonight (8:00 PM ET/5:00 PM PT) on ESPN. Hour-long episodes of the 2012 Main Event will broadcast back-to-back each Tuesday night for the next eleven weeks until the 2012 October Nine is reached. At that time, ESPN will air near-live coverage of the event and the viewer will be able to see first hand how life-changing being among the final nine of the WSOP Main Event can be.

"I have more freedom in life and in poker," said Dolan about life after the Main Event. "I can play when I want to for the most part and if I feel like taking a month off it isn't that big of a deal anymore. It's really nice in that sense."

Dolan has had a 2012 that would make even 12-time WSOP gold bracelet champion Phil Hellmuth blush. With six final table appearances, two victories and earnings nearing \$1 million, Dolan continues to make minced meat of any player unfortunate enough to share a poker table with him.

Dolan's most recent standout performance came on the poker circuit that started it all for him -- The World Series of Poker.

With a WSOP resume that boasts \$1,942,208 in career earnings, the \$12,265 payday in Event #6 was nowhere near Dolan's largest score, but he's humble enough to recognize the value of a championship performance.