



**World Series of Poker Circuit Events**  
**Season Nine**  
**Harrah's Philadelphia**  
**Event #9**  
**No-Limit Hold'em Semi-Turbo**  
**Buy-In: \$365**  
**Total Entries: 168**  
**Total Prize Pool: \$50,400**  
**May 3, 2013**

## **Anthony Magistrale Wins Event 9 at Harrah's Philadelphia**

### **Doug Carli Extends All-time Records for most final tables and cashes in Event 9**

CHESTER, PA (May 3, 2013) – The World Series of Poker Circuit Events sponsored by Southern Comfort 100 proof continued Friday at Harrah's Philadelphia with the conclusion of Event 9, \$365 Semi Turbo No-Limit Hold'em at Harrah's Philadelphia.

The winner was Tony Magistrale, a 49-year-old patent attorney and recreational poker player from Danbury, CT. For the win, Magistrale was awarded \$13,608 and his first WSOP Circuit Gold Ring.

168 players ponied up the \$365 buy-in to play in Event 9 and generated a total prize pool of \$50,400.

Play got down to the Final Table in the one-day event at about 10:30 pm Friday night. Joining Magistrale at the Final Table was Doug "Rico" Carli. The retired stockbroker from Alliance, OH improved on both of his all-time records for most WSOP Circuit Final Tables and cashes, extended them to 26 and 75, respectively.

Carli, who had 105 points prior to the event, had his sights set on earning enough points to secure himself a seat to the WSOP National Championship this May at Harrah's New Orleans. Carli felt just short of his and was eliminated in 7<sup>th</sup> place. He now sits just below the current estimated cutoff with 125 points.

Magistrale quietly moved up in chips during Final Table play as player after play hit the rail. Play got down to heads up shortly after 1:00 am between Magistrale and Florentino Deleon.

Magistrale was able to get the upper hand on his final opponent, ultimately eliminating him in 2<sup>nd</sup> place (\$8,140)

For the win, Magistrale also picks up 50 Casino Champion points here at Harrah's Philadelphia. With those points, Magistrale joins six previous Circuit Event winners in a 7-way tie for fourth place. Aaron Pinson is currently in third place with 52.5 points. Event 7 winner, Kevin McColgan is in 2<sup>nd</sup> with 55 points while Peter Ippolito leads the way with 70 points, having finished 1<sup>st</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> so far this series.

The Casino Champion is the player who earns the most points through the 12 events at Harrah's Philadelphia. This player will earn an automatic seat to the WSOP Circuit National Championship to be held May 22– May 24 at Harrah's New Orleans. More information about the WSOPC National Championship can be found [here](#). An explanation of the points system can be found [here](#).

Three events are still to come. See the complete Harrah's Philadelphia Circuit schedule and event results [here](#). The WSOP Circuit Events at Harrah's Philadelphia runs through May 6th. You can find the complete 2012-2013 WSOP Circuit schedule [here](#).

The final results are as follows:

<u>PLACE</u>	<u>PLAYER</u>	<u>HOMETOWN</u>	<u>CASH</u> <u>EARNED</u>
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