

44<sup>th</sup> Annual World Series of Poker Rio All-Suite Hotel and Casino Las Vegas, Nevada Event 26 Seniors No Limit Hold'em Buy-In: \$1,000

Number of Entries: 4,407 Total Prize Pool: \$3,966,300 Number of Places Paid: 441 First Place Prize: \$634,809 June 14 -June 16, 2013

Ken Lind won the Seniors No-Limit Hold'em Championship at the Rio All-Suite Hotel and Casino early Monday morning following a 14-hour Day 3. Lind, a 68-year-old retiree from Layton, Utah, earned \$634,809 as well as his first bracelet for the victory in the one-of-a-kind event. Remarkably, this marked his first time to cash in World Series of Poker tournament.

Lind is a father to seven, grandfather to seven and great grandfather to two. His self-taught skills were sharp enough to don the title of champion Monday, but he says he owes his success to his friend Burrell who talked him into playing the tournament. Lind said playing in a WSOP event topped his bucket list.

For the tenth year in a row, the Seniors Event set a record for field size. For the second year in a row, the tournament drew in excess of 4,000 players. Last year, the field came in at 4,128. This year, the field grew by more than 6%, coming in at 4,407 players. Not only was this the largest Seniors Event in WSOP history, this was the largest non-re-entry single starting day event in WSOP history. The prize pool for this event came in at an impressive \$3,966,300 with the top 441 finishers earning a payday.

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