2014/2015 World Series of Poker Circuit Season 11 Palm Beach Kennel Club West Palm Beach, Fla. Event #9 No-Limit Hold'em Buy-In: \$1,000 (+\$125) Total Entries: 95 Prize Pool: \$95,000 August 7-8, 2014



Kristopher Bradshaw Wins PBKC \$1K Event

\$1,125 event sets the stage for the weekend's \$1,675 finale.

West Palm Beach, Fla. (August 8, 2014) — Event 9, a \$1,125 no-limit hold'em ring event, concluded Friday afternoon alongside Day 1A of the Main Event. Kristopher Bradshaw prevailed in a hard-fought battle against heads-up opponent Debra Dorcy to earn \$28,498, his first gold ring and 50 points toward the Casino Championship.

Despite the high buy in, the field sheared itself quickly. The 95-player tournament narrowed to just nine remaining after barely eight hours of play. From there, the action tightened up before Day 1 wrapped early Friday morning with three remaining.

Bradshaw began Day 2 as the short stack, but was only 1,000 chips behind second place Dorcy and 60,000 behind chip leader Dan Alspach. It wouldn't take long before Alspach took a detour and was the first elimination on Day 2. Next up was Dorcy, who less than a month ago, bested WSOP bracelet winner Jake Cody heads up in a \$1,000 event for more than \$100,000 in prizes. Bradshaw proved a tougher opponent than Britain's Cody and he eliminated Dorcy second officially earning his first gold ring.

Bradshaw previously placed 361st in the 2011 WSOP Main Event. His victory at PBKC marked his 16th Circuit in-the-money finish and fifth final table. Arguably the hottest player in the room, he elected to take Friday off from the Main Event and chose instead to try his luck in Saturday's Flight B.

Event 9 was the ninth of 12 gold ring events on the WSOP Circuit schedule at PBKC. The \$1,125 no-limit hold'em event attracted 95 entries. The total prize pool came to \$95,000 and the top 12 players were paid.

Action began Thursday at 11 a.m. Day 2 began Friday at 12 p.m. with three players remaining. The event concluded at 2 p.m. making the total duration of the event about 17 hours.

Here is the list of gold ring winners from PBKC:

EVENT #1: Avery Bass defeated 958 entries (\$365 NLH Re-Entry) for \$95,000 EVENT #2: Claudangelo Beaudouin defeated 101 players (\$365 PLO8) for \$9,089 EVENT #3: Joaquin Granados defeated 89 players (\$365 HORSE) for \$8,545