

**2015/2016 World Series of Poker Circuit
Season 12
Harveys Lake Tahoe
Stateline, Nev.
Event #7
No-Limit Hold'em Monster Stack
Buy-In: \$300 (+\$65)
Total Entries: 346
Prize Pool: \$103,800
November 4-5, 2015**



A Monster Victory for Daniel Evans

Daniel Evans takes down the monster stack event to earn his first gold ring.

Stateline, Nev. (November 5, 2015) -- The monster stack at Harveys Lake Tahoe was a hit. It drew 346 entries, which was by far the largest tournament of the series, excluding the re-entry event, which was the only event of the series thus far to have multiple starting flights. The big field created a \$103,800 prizepool and in turn one of the biggest first place prizes of the series. Daniel Evans put claim to that first place prize, which totaled \$23,874.

It was not an easy road to victory for Evans. Once the tournament got down to three-handed play, Evans found himself up against two proven WSOP champions. To his direct left was two-time gold ring winner Mark Bonsack (2nd), and his other opponent was two-time gold ring winner, Cary Marshall (3rd). All three players fought hard for the gold ring, but it was Evans who would come away with the victory.

This marked Evans third career WSOP related cash. He final table bubbled the Main Event here at Harveys Lake Tahoe in 2013. His 10th place finish earned him \$9,851. His other WSOP cash came this summer in the inaugural Colossus event. He finished 1,443rd for just over \$2,000.

According to Evans, he plays a lot of tournaments and plays a lot locally, but he usually doesn't stray too far away from his home of Chico, California. Northern California, Vegas, Tahoe, and L.A. are his main targets for playing.

When Evans isn't playing in tournaments he likes to play PLO cash games. Day 1 of Event #9 - \$365 PLO was running simultaneously with this event's final table. During the dinner break, Evans and Bonsack both went and tried their luck in the PLO tournament.

"[Bonsack and I] played in the PLO event on dinner break. We both got it in with aces good and we both got sucked out on," said Evans.

No dice in the PLO event for Evans, but he more than made up for by earning his first gold ring in the monster stack.

Event #7 was the seventh of 12 gold ring events on the WSOP Circuit schedule at Harveys Lake Tahoe. The \$365 No-Limit Hold'em Monster Stack tournament attracted 346 players generating a \$103,800 prize pool. The top 36 players were paid.

Day 1 began Wednesday at 11 a.m. and lasted 21 levels. Day 2 began Thursday at 2 p.m. with 23 players remaining. The tournament concluded at about 11:30 p.m. midway through Level 30.

Notes on the event:

- The only previous gold ring winners at the final table were Bonsack (2nd) and Marshall (3rd), who each have two gold rings.
- This was Marshall's second final table of the series. He finished in 8th place in the re-entry event.

The player who accumulates the most overall points during the Harveys Lake Tahoe twelve combined gold ring tournaments earns the title Casino Champion and receives automatic entry into the WSOP Global Casino Championship set to take place at the end of the year.

All players who cash in ring events receive points that apply toward the Casino Championship race and the season-long race to claim one of 50 at-large Global Casino Championship bids awarded to the top point earners throughout the season. More information on the points system is available on WSOP.com.

Here is the list of gold ring winners from Harveys Lake Tahoe:

EVENT #1: Tom Masinter defeated 145 players (\$365 NLHE) for \$12,181

EVENT #2: Shawn Van Asdale defeated 665 players (\$365 NLHE Re-Entry) for \$40,898

EVENT #3: Bill Davis defeated 111 players (\$365 NLHE Turbo) for \$9,989

EVENT #4: Steve Foutty defeated 164 players (\$365 NLHE) for \$13,284

EVENT #5: Scott Stewart defeated 178 players (\$365 NLHE 6-Max) for \$14,953

EVENT #6: Pete Uhl defeated 191 players (\$365 NLHE) for \$14,899

EVENT #7: Daniel Evans defeated 346 players (\$365 NLHE Monster) for \$23,874

With the seventh tournament wrapped up, only five more ring events remain at the Harveys Lake Tahoe series.

All rings at Harveys Lake Tahoe are furnished by Jostens, the official ring supplier of the 2015-2016 WSOP Circuit season.

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