

**2016/2017 World Series of Poker Circuit
Season 13
Palm Beach Kennel Club
West Palm Beach, Fla.
Event #5
Pot-Limit Omaha 8 or Better Re-Entry
Buy-In: \$300 (+\$65)
Total Entries: 129
Prize Pool: \$38,700
Nov. 14-15, 2016**



Tim Seidensticker Wins at His Home Casino

Local cash game grinder Tim Seidensticker wins the PLO8 event.

West Palm Beach, Fla. (November 15, 2016) -- Event #5 on the Palm Beach Kennel Club Circuit schedule was the only non-hold'em event of the series and it drew pretty well for being a non-hold'em event. Event #5 was \$365 Pot-Limit Omaha 8 or Better Re-Entry and it was the fourth largest event through the first seven of the series.

Tim Seidensticker ended up taking down the 129-player tournament for \$10,838 and his first career WSOP Circuit gold ring. Seidensticker considers himself a cash game pro and he plays mainly here at the Kennel Club in West Palm Beach.

Despite mainly playing cash games, Seidensticker plays in a decent amount of tournament too. He goes out to Vegas each summer to play in a handful of WSOP events. Since 2007 Seidensticker has cashed in 10 WSOP events in Vegas and now two times on the Circuit.

Seidensticker entered Day 2 second in chips behind Brandon Ageloff (3rd) with eight players remaining in the tournament. He had some short stacks behind him and he said that coming into Day 2 he just tried to keep the pressure on the short stacks and not tangle with Ageloff's big stack.

His strategy to pressure the short stacks worked and by the time the tournament was four-handed he had taken the chip lead from Ageloff. From there, Seidensticker was able to ride the chip lead to a victory.

Pot-Limit Omaha 8 or Better is not Seidensticker's best game, but he still managed to score the win.

"PLO is more my game, but I think I'm alright in PLO8. I'm still trying to learn," said Seidensticker.

Seidensticker intends to play in this weekend's \$1,675 Main Event and possibly a few more of the preliminary events to chase points. Once the series is over he will head back downstairs to his cash games.

Finishing in 9th place and missing out on Day 2 by just a few minutes was Matthew Wright. Wright won the first event of the series and now has two final tables through the first five events. He is the current leader in the Casino Championship race with 65 points.

Event #5 was the fifth of 12 gold ring events on the WSOP Circuit schedule at the Palm Beach Kennel Club. The \$365 Pot-Limit Omaha 8 or Better tournament attracted 129 players generating a \$38,700 prize pool. The top 15 players were paid.

Day 1 began Monday at 5 p.m. and lasted 16 levels. Day 2 began Tuesday at 3 p.m. with eight players remaining. The tournament concluded at about 7:45 p.m. Monday midway through Level 22.

The player who accumulates the most overall points during the Palm Beach Kennel Club 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 season.

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 the Palm Beach Kennel Club series:

EVENT #1: Matthew Wright defeated 322 players (\$365 NLHE Monster) for \$22,705

EVENT #2: Carlos Loving defeated 855 players (\$365 NLHE Re-Entry) for \$50,017

EVENT #3: Eddie Salaga defeated 92 players (\$365 NLHE) for \$8,210

EVENT #4: Steven Bennett defeated 109 players (\$365 NLHE) for \$9,810

EVENT #5: Tim Seidensticker defeated 129 players (\$365 PLO) for \$10,838

With five tournaments wrapped up, seven more ring events remain at the Palm Beach Kennel Club series.

All rings at the Palm Beach Kennel Club series are furnished by Jostens, the official ring supplier of the 2016-2017 WSOP Circuit season.

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