

## **2016/2017 World Series of Poker Circuit**

**Season 13**

**Harrah's New Orleans**

**New Orleans, La.**

**Event #4**

**No-Limit Hold'em Re-Entry**

**Buy-In: \$300 (+\$65)**

**Total Entries: 946**

**Prize Pool: \$283,800**

**May 12-14, 2017**



## **Caufman Talley Wins Re-Entry in NOLA, Fifth Circuit Ring**

**Louisiana pro scores another one for the home team at Harrah's New Orleans**

**NEW ORLEANS, La. (May 15, 2017)** — Caufman Talley is the most recent player to add his name to the list of five-time winners on the WSOP Circuit. Talley took down the \$365 re-entry at Harrah's New Orleans, winning his fifth gold ring and the top prize of \$53,928. The victory also earned him 50 points in the season-long race for seats in the Global Casino Championship, bringing his total to 120 and putting him in contention for qualification with a few events left to get over the hump.

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Talley is a 27-year-old professional poker player from right here in New Orleans. He's among the upper echelon of those who've had success on the WSOP Circuit; only 11 players have won more times than he has. This most recent result moves him across the \$300,000 mark in Circuit earnings and past \$700,000 in earnings across all live events.

The rise to Circuit stardom for Talley began back in late 2011 when he arrived on the scene with a win in the six-max event at IP Biloxi. He added another ring to his collection one year later at the same venue, then another later that season at Horseshoe Bossier City in his home state. The next season, another one, this time at Horseshoe Cincinnati to earn him a fourth ring and put him in some elite company on the Circuit's all-time list.

Talley has been traveling less over the past few years, but he's still posting some significant results here and there. This most recent score is the largest of his Circuit career and second-largest across all events. The only one bigger came courtesy of a deep run in last year's WSOP Main Event in Las Vegas. Talley finished in 67th place in that \$10,000-buy-in event, finishing as one of the one percent out of the field of more than 6,700 entries.

This run to this ring began with a successful attempt to advance through Day 1A, the first of three starting flights available. Talley did so with 91,500 chips, returning for Day 2 with an average stack and 110 players remaining. He proceeded to dominate the middle stages of Day 2 before trailing off a little later in the evening, but he was still second in chips by the time the final nine players combined around the final table.

