



WSOP CIRCUIT 2017-18 EVENT REPORT

Circuit Stop:	Harrah's Cherokee (Cherokee, NC)	Date:	8 August 2017
Event:	No-Limit Hold'em Six-Max	Entries:	555
Buy-in:	\$365	Prizepool:	\$166,500

RYAN MCALLISTER WINS SIX-MAX RING

Poker dealer from South Carolina earns first Circuit ring and \$40,793 in his first WSOP related cash.

Ryan McAllister won his first World Series of Poker Circuit ring in his first-ever WSOP cash on Tuesday evening. He defeated a 555-entry field to win \$40,793 in the \$365 no-limit hold'em six-max event. It was the biggest score of his career.

"It's good," said McAllister. "Feels overdue, man."

McAllister doesn't consider himself a professional poker player, but does derive some of his income from the poker tables. He deals in some poker games as well and is constantly around the game. With the extra \$40,793 in his pocket, the five-figure score gives him an extra boost to his bankroll that will allow him to take some shots in the future.

"I'm probably going to play the main [event] now," said the Charleston, SC native. "I don't see how I couldn't."

This was the only six-max event on the schedule and McAllister was looking forward to it from the moment the schedule hit the internet. He feels that this version of no-limit hold'em allows the cream to rise to the top.

"I was very excited for the six-max," he said. "I feel like there is more skill. I think the more skilled players are going to win. I used to play a lot of six-max online."

MEET THE LATEST WSOP CIRCUIT RING WINNER

Name: Ryan McAllister

Age: 27

Nationality: USA

Profession: Poker Dealer

Birthplace: Charleston, SC

WSOP Bracelets: 0

Current Residence: Charleston, SC

Previous WSOP Circuit Rings: 0

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