

WSOP CIRCUIT 2017-18 EVENT REPORT

Circuit Stop: Horseshoe Hammond

(Hammond, Ind.)

Event: No-Limit Hold'em Six Max

Re-Entry

Buy-in: \$580

Date: 18 October 2017

Entries: 253

Prizepool: \$126,500

ANDREW MOSER WINS SIX MAX FOR 1ST GOLD RING

Friends from Virginia double up on gold with Andrew Moser's first Circuit title.

Andrew Moser claimed his first World Series of Poker gold ring and pocketed \$33,526 at the Horseshoe Hammond Circuit. The 33-year-old poker pro defeated 253 entrants in Event #7: \$580 No-Limit Hold'em Six Max Re-Entry, a tournament that took two days to reach a conclusion.

There were only six players who survived Day 1 of the six-handed competition. This left a full, official final table to roll over into Day 2. Moser began in the middle of the pack, chipwise, to begin the Event #7 finale.

It was his second final table appearance of the 12-event series in Hammond, Indiana. During Moser's first attempt, he entered the final nine in a position that he was unlikely to come back from.

"I mean PLO final tables... it's pretty tough when you're short stacked, so you just wait for a hand and try to double up and it just didn't happen," said Moser.

Although the win came in a completely different style of tournament, this time around it did happen for Moser. The poker pro touched on his experience with the Six-Max style.

"Yeah, it's good. You get a lot of hands, get to play things. I don't play a lot of Hold'em anymore, but, it's fun," Moser mentioned.

After four bust outs on Day 2, Moser and David Kowal were left to duke it out for the Circuit title. Moser made quick work of his opponent. In less than 30 minutes the heads-up match was finished and a familiar face walked up on The Venue stage to join in celebration.

It was Edward Han, winner of Event #4: \$580 Pot-Limit Omaha Re-Entry, who walked up on The Venue stage to celebrate with Moser. The two friends traveled from Virginia to the Chicago-area together.

Each claimed the journey was initiated by the other. No matter the reasoning behind the origin of voyage, it has been well worth the trip time so far.

"I never really travel other than just outside the mid-Atlantic. MGM is where I normally play," explained Moser "Ed wanted to come up here just for a break. I did want to see Chicago."

Aside from sightseeing, both players struck gold in Horseshoe Hammond arena, and captured debut gold rings. Moser also banked 50 Casino Championship points for his recent victory.

Interestingly enough, the dynamic duo has intertwined themselves in the race for Casino Champion. Han was sitting atop the leaderboard with 60 points. However, Moser has now dethroned his pal, recording a total of 65 points.

"Ed might stay longer. I am going to play the Main regardless," Moser pointed out, alluding to a possible persistence in the Casino Championship race amongst friends.

MEET THE LATEST WSOP CIRCUIT RING WINNER

Name: Andrew Moser Age: 33

Nationality: USA Profession: Poker Pro

Birthplace: Alexandria, Va. WSOP Bracelets: 0

Current Residence: Arlington, Va. Previous WSOP Circuit Rings: 0

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