WSOP CIRCUIT 2018-19 EVENT REPORT

Circuit Stop:	Foxwoods (Mashantucket, CT)	Date:	August 23-24, 2018
Event:	No-Limit Hold'em Six-Max	Entries:	158
Buy-in:	$600	Prizepool:	$81,370

CHRISTOPHER LEONG WINS 5th WSOP CIRCUIT RING IN FOXWOODS SIX-MAX EVENT

Christopher Leong is newest member of the five-ring club

Two years ago, Christopher 'Chris' Leong won his 3rd World Series of Poker Circuit ring in the $580 No-Limit Hold'em Six Max event at Foxwoods Casino for $19,665. Today, Leong won the same event (with a slightly higher $600 buy-in) to take home his 5th ring and $22,784.

Leong considers Foxwoods to be his home casino, and after this win two of his five total rings have been won right here on his home turf.

The dynamic of this event's final table was somewhat different than any of the previous events of the series, mostly due to the tight race for Foxwoods Casino Champion. The winner of the Casino Champion race will be awarded a free seat into the 2018-2019 Global Casino Championship, a bracelet event that boasts a $1-million guaranteed prizepool.

"I definitely think that the Casino Champ race changed the dynamics of the final table," Leong explained, "Especially for Vittorio (Faricelli – who finished 2nd) and Soukha (Kachittavong – who finished 3rd). They both really wanted the points, and Soukha also has a side bet to win a ring this series. For a lot of the players, it definitely seemed to be more about the points and the ring than about the actual money."

Leong earned 50-points for this win, and with four more ring events to go, he is very much in the running for the Casino Champion title himself.

MEET THE LATEST WSOP CIRCUIT RING WINNER

Name: Christopher Leong   Age: 26
Nationality: USA   Profession: Poker Player
Birthplace: Morristown, NJ   WSOP Bracelets: 0
Current Residence: New York, NY Previous WSOP Circuit Rings: 4

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