

2013/2014 World Series of Poker Circuit Caesars Palace Las Vegas Event #3

No Limit Hold'em

Buy-In: \$580

Total Entries: 208

Total Prize Pool: \$104,000

Tournament Dates: February 23rd- February 24th

Daniel Heredi Makes First Circuit Cash a Memorable One

Las Vegas, NV (February 24, 2014)

A glance at the final table in this \$580 No Limit Hold'em event might have had you thinking we would be seeing a story similar to Eric Fields' third ring victory on Sunday night. It was a tough line-up with three players boasting a combined five rings.

It was a final table that featured local pros, Circuit regs, and tough opponents, but in the end, it was someone notching their first-ever WSOP Circuit cash who booked the victory and earned the ring.

Daniel Heredi, a semi-professional poker player from Hungary, says he has played in some tournaments before, so this win isn't exactly beginner's luck. Instead, this win was an instance of effort paying off with a reward worth \$27,043.

The final table was a bit of a whirlwind, lasting just over four hours before reaching a conclusion. Heredi found some tough competition in his heads-up opponent Brian Gorman, who spent much of the final table as one of the big stacks, but by the time play got down to heads-up, it was Heredi who had the advantage.

This first-time winner made the most of an opportunity and finally booked his big win. Short as it may be, that makes this day one Heredi won't be forgetting for quite a while.

Notes on the Event

-This final table featured three previous ring winners: Three-time winner Jessie Bryant, two-time winner William Byrne, and ring winner Ben Keeline.

With his win, Heredi earns 50 points and is now tied with Sal Musto and Eric Fields for the early lead in the Caesars Palace Las Vegas Casino Champion contest. The player who earns the most Circuit points over the course of twelve-day series earns the title Casino Champion as well as an automatic seat into the 2014 National Championship to be held in Atlantic City May 22nd-24th.

All players who cash in ring events receive points that apply toward the Casino Champion's race and the season-long race to claim one of 50 at-large National 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 Caesars Palace Las Vegas so far:

EVENT #1: Sal Musto defeated 432 players (\$365 NLHE) for \$28,514 EVENT #2: Eric Fields defeated 890 entries (\$365 re-entry) for \$52,066 EVENT #3: Daniel Heredi defeated 208 players (\$580 NLHE) for \$27,043

There are still nine more gold ring events before the WSOP Circuit at Caesars Palace Las Vegas concludes on March 3rd.

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