

WSOP CIRCUIT 2017-18 EVENT REPORT

Circuit Stop:	Horseshoe Southern Indiana	Date:	4 October 2017
	(Elizabeth, Ind.)	Entries:	139
Event:	No-Limit Hold'em	Prizepool:	\$41,691
Buy-in:	\$365		

ANDREW GURLEY CAPTURES 1ST GOLD RING

Poker pro adds debut gold ring to young career.

Andrew Gurley traveled to the World Series of Poker Circuit at Horseshoe Southern Indiana and captured gold. The 27-year-old poker pro topped a field of 139 players in Event #7: \$365 No-Limit Hold'em to win \$11,676 and his first WSOP gold ring.

Event #7 was meant to be a two-day competition. However, the few finalists still alive by the end of the night insisted on playing down to a winner. Following a lengthy heads-up battle against David Ross, which endured just past 3:00 a.m. Wednesday morning, Gurley emerged victorious.

"First ring feels magnificent," expressed Gurley. "Today the cards fell in the right spot"

Going into the final table, Gurley held a commanding chip lead. The Memphis, Tennessee native controlled his destiny with a big-stack mentality.

"I just maintained my aggression, tried to find and exploit weaknesses and was lucky enough to pick the right spots," Gurley elaborated. "Nobody looked me up, that's for sure"

It was Gurley's first recorded cash with the WSOP, aside from Deepstacks and Circuit Nightly winnings. Once a Medical Machinist, Guely only recently started playing cards full time. The triumph will be a nice milestone on the young, professional poker player's resume.

"Truthfully, I just linked up with the right guys. I had a couple of big cashes and had a couple people that liked to travel," said Gurley. "I just kind of fell into an opportunity to roll with some backers."

Gurley has been traveling the Circuit with a couple buddies by his side. Currently a resident of Louisville, Colorado, Gurley has been away from home for the past month. Now he has memorable trophy to show for the grinding journey.

MEET THE LATEST WSOP CIRCUIT RING WINNER

Name: Andrew Gurley Nationality: USA Birthplace: Memphis, Tenn. Current Residence: Louisville, Colo.

Age: Profession: WSOP Bracelets: Previous WSOP Circuit Rings: 0

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