



**2013/2014 World Series of Poker Circuit  
Caesars Palace Las Vegas  
Event #6  
Six-Handed No Limit Hold'em  
Buy-In: \$365  
Total Entries: 378  
Total Prize Pool: \$113,400  
Tournament Dates: February 25th - February 26th**

Darren Rabinowitz's red-hot season continues with second ring victory.

**Las Vegas, NV (February 26, 2014)**

What is the secret to Darren Rabinowitz's recent success?

"I'm just luckier than everyone else in the whole world. At the end of the day, skill doesn't matter when you deal with the luckiest person in the world," Rabinowitz says with a wry smile.

The 25 year old poker pro who calls Las Vegas home is half-kidding, but one really does have to wonder what it is Rabinowitz is putting in his coffee in the morning that can explain his recent success. Certainly the Arizona State University grad has scores to his credit, but this Circuit season he was won not one, but two six-handed ring events. First, he picked up a ring at Horseshoe Cincinnati back in September. Then, he earned ring number two this afternoon in a lightning-fast final table packed with known name pros.

You could suggest Rabinowitz's poker scores really started pickin up last summer when he final tabled two different WSOP events, earning a combined \$125,000. He followed that up with a ring in Cincinnati, then picked up a huge score on an international stage when he finished fourth place in this year's Aussie Millions Main Event worth over \$400,000.

Not content to rest on his laurels, Rabinowitz returned to the Circuit, keen on picking up points for a National Championship bid here in Vegas. He did just that, earning 50 points for the win, bringing his total for the season to 170, all but guaranteeing he will get an invite to the Atlantic City invite-only bracelet event in May.

The win didn't come easily for Rabinowitz, who had so little faith that he could rally that he actually signed up for today's noon event and blinded out as he played his way to victory. His skepticism is understandable considering he came in 11 out of 12 in the chip counts facing competition like ring winners Ben Keeline and Daniel Hereda, Jimmy Fricke, three-time ring winner David Nicholson, and Jamie Kerstetter.

In the end though, as Rabinowitz says, sometimes you just can't do anything about facing off against the luckiest guy on the planet.

## Notes on the Event

-This is the second six-max ring for Darren Rabinowitz. He won the six-max event at Horseshoe Cincinnati earlier this season.

-Jamie Kerstetter is the second woman this series to make a Circuit final table, joining the likes of Nancy Birnbaum.

-Rabinowitz and Jimmy Fricke have a rather unique life detail in common—both of these players have final tabled the same event halfway round the world. These players have each final tabled the Aussie Millions Main Event with Rabinowitz taking fourth this year and Fricke earning second in 2007.

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With his win, Darren Rabinowitz earns 50 points towards the Casino Champion contest. The current frontrunner is ring winner Sal Musto, whose seventh place finish in this event gives him sole possession of the lead midway-through the series. 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 22<sup>nd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>.

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  
EVENT #4: Daniel Zack defeated 158 players (\$1,125 NLHE) for \$42,662  
EVENT #5: Michael Santos defeated 347 players (\$365 NLHE) for \$23,942  
EVENT #6: Darren Rabinowitz defeated 378 players (\$365 Six-max) for \$27,216

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

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