

## 2016/2017 World Series of Poker Circuit

Season 13

Horseshoe Baltimore

Baltimore, Md.

Event #7

No-Limit Hold'em

Buy-In: \$500 (+\$80)

Total Entries: 154

Prize Pool: \$77,000

May 4-5, 2017



## Trevor Foley Wins \$21k and a Ring in Baltimore

California pro ventures East and picks up a career-best live score

**BALTIMORE, Md. (May 6, 2017)** — Trevor Foley is the newest first-time winner on the WSOP Circuit. Foley outlasted a field of 154 entries in the series' only \$580 event, winning his first gold ring and \$20,789 in cash.

Foley is a 34-year-old professional poker player from Southern California. He and his wife have a three-year old daughter, and their family is just about set to grow with the arrival of their first son in a few months' time.

He's been playing the game full-time since he graduated from college, but Foley's face is a relatively new one on the live Circuit. "To be honest, I'm just now starting to get into live events," he said. "I've had some success online, but I want to start traveling more."

Foley says he prefers live games to those online, and the decision to make the trip to Baltimore turned out to be quite a profitable one.

Foley picked his way through a tough field and a dangerous final table, ending up heads-up against Jason Gooch for the ring. "He was a great player," Foley said in his postgame interviews. "I noticed yesterday — he had the chip lead a lot of that time, and I did a little bit of research on him last night and saw that he's *really* good.

The two finalists started the heads-up duel nearly even in chips, and the match ended in fitting fashion on a big coin flip for almost all the chips in play. Gooch four-bet shoved with ace-king suited pre flop, and Foley called with pocket nines to race for the win. The latter flopped a set and turned a full house, locking up the win one card early. The payout is the largest on his live tournament record to date.

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Event #7 was the seventh of 12 gold ring events on the WSOP Circuit schedule at Horseshoe Baltimore. The \$580 no-limit hold'em event drew a field of 154 entries, generating a prize pool worth \$77,000. The final 18 players finished in the money.

The tournament began Thursday, May 4 at 11 a.m., and Day 1 concluded around 1 a.m. with three players remaining at the end of Level 21. Day 2 was held on Friday, May 5 beginning at 2 p.m., and the last hand was dealt around 4 p.m.

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The player who accumulates the most overall points during Horseshoe Baltimore's 12 ring events earns the title of Casino Champion and receives automatic entry into the WSOP Global Casino Championship. Additionally, all players who cash in ring events earn points that apply toward the season-long race to claim one of the limited at-large bids. More information on the points system is available on [WSOP.com](http://WSOP.com).

All rings at Horseshoe Baltimore are furnished by [Jostens](http://Jostens), the official ring supplier of the 2016/2017 WSOP Circuit season.

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