



## WSOP CIRCUIT 2017-18 EVENT REPORT

Circuit Stop:	Harrah's Cherokee (Cherokee, NC)	Date:	4 August 2017
Event:	Pot-Limit Omaha	Entries:	356
Buy-in:	\$365	Prizepool:	\$106,800

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### **TREY WALTON WINS 2<sup>ND</sup> CIRCUIT RING IN PLO**

*Georgia-based professional poker player wins second career ring and first of the new Circuit season.*

Trey Walton added a second World Series of Poker Circuit ring to his trophy case on Friday night. The poker pro from Georgia defeated a 356-entry field in the \$365 pot-limit Omaha to win \$24,569 and another Circuit title.

Walton, who quit his job as a commercial real estate appraiser last year to play poker full time, won his first ring here in Cherokee in 2014. He won a \$365 no-limit hold'em event for \$22,773.

"I've been getting really, really close lately," said Walton after his win. "Some seconds and some final tables and I just couldn't close it out. So, it feels good to finish it out. I'm ecstatic."

By securing the first ring of the 2017/2018 season, he jumps out in front of the race for Casino Champion with 50 points. It's a title he's won before at this venue and he plans on playing a full slate of events.

"I live two hours and 40 minutes away," said Walton. "I won Casino Champion here two years ago. I'm going to be here start to finish no matter what. I'm going to be here for the next 10 days."

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**MEET THE LATEST WSOP CIRCUIT RING WINNER**

Name:	Raymond 'Trey'	Age:	35
Walton		Profession:	Poker Pro
Nationality:	USA	WSOP Bracelets:	0
Birthplace:	Cartersville, GA	Previous WSOP Circuit Rings:	1
Current Residence:	Cartersville, GA		

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