



WSOP CIRCUIT 2017-18 EVENT REPORT

Circuit Stop:	Horseshoe Tunica	Date:	22 January 2018
Event:	No-Limit Hold'em Six-Handed	Entries:	281
Buy-in:	\$365	Prizepool:	\$84,300

William Anderson Hits a Home Run

William Anderson survives tough six max field to win first WSOP Circuit ring.

William Anderson has won the sixth event at the Horseshoe Tunica [World Series of Poker](#) Circuit. Anderson defeated a 223-player field in the \$365 No-Limit Hold'em Six-Handed event to earn \$21,916 and his first WSOP Circuit gold ring. He outlasted a tough final table that included Circuit regulars Warren Sheaves (5th), Michael Cooper (3rd) and Eric Sutton (2nd).

"It's so exciting, especially it being my first ring," said Anderson.

Anderson is new to the Circuit. He retired as a 10th grade math teacher last year and has been following the Circuit since. He scored his first WSOP cash in November at Harrah's Cherokee and now has added a second cash and a Circuit ring to his WSOP resume. Anderson plans on hitting the Circuit hard the second half of this season. He plans on going to the Harrah's Atlantic City, Harrah's Cherokee, Horseshoe Baltimore and Harrah's New Orleans stops to chase more rings. If things go well, he can see himself hitting Las Vegas this summer for a few events at the World Series of Poker.

In addition to teaching math, Anderson was a high school baseball coach and successful one at that. Anderson won three state championships during his time as manager. Anderson said that his experience as a math teacher and baseball coach both help him at the tables. His strong math knowledge helps him with odds and making correct decisions, and he said his coaching experience helps him with some of the stress and pressure situations, especially in today's event, when his heads up opponent Eric Sutton brought a strong verbal game to the table.

"Eric does a great job of that, he has a great table talk," said Anderson about his heads up opponent.

Anderson leaned on his coaching experience to help stay composed during his heads up battle with Sutton. Anderson said that this was a timely victory after bubbling two events in a row earlier in the series. This was also his last shot at this series. Anderson is headed home to now help prep for his son's upcoming wedding.

MEET THE LATEST WSOP CIRCUIT RING WINNER

Name:	William Anderson	Profession:	Retired Math Teach
Nationality:	USA	WSOP Bracelets:	0
Current Residence:	Chattanooga, TN	Previous WSOP Circuit Rings:	0
Age:	51		

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