



WSOP CIRCUIT 2018-19 EVENT REPORT

Circuit Stop:	Bally's Las Vegas	Date:	22 March 2019
Event:	No-Limit Hold'em	Entries:	175
Buy-in:	\$400	Prizepool:	\$57,750

Taylor Hart Wins His First Circuit Ring

Taylor Hart takes home \$15,600 for winning Bally's second ring event.

Taylor Hart is the newest [World Series of Poker](#) champion. Hart defeated a 175-player in Event #2: \$400 No-Limit Hold'em at the Bally's Las Vegas Circuit to score \$15,600 and earn his first career WSOP Circuit ring.

"I feel really fortunate," said Hart. "Everything went my way."

Hart, who resides in Oregon, plays poker for a living. He's been playing for a living for about five years and in that time he has racked up nine WSOP cashes, including reaching three final tables. Today's \$15,600 win was Hart's largest ever WSOP score.

Hart said that he loves poker, but is unsure if playing full-time is the path he wants to continue on in life. He wants to work with people and may opt on a different profession in the near future.

"I am 27 years old and I right now I am really focusing on being comfortable with who I am," said Hart.

Hart expressed that playing with a table full of players all enjoying themselves is really important to him. Emotions can run high in a game with life-changing money on the line and it's some of the negatives that come along with it that Hart said is pushing him in a different direction.

Hart credits his previous final table experience with help getting the win this time.

"I think experience is a big thing," said Hart. "When people are playing their first final table they are prone to make bigger mistakes than usual because they don't feel comfortable."

Hart said that he felt very comfortable the entire final table and just focused on one hand at a time.

In addition to the \$15,600 in prize money, Hart also earned 50 Casino Championship points and is tied for the early lead with Event #1 winner Andrew Dubuque. The winner of the Bally's Casino Championship will earn a free entry to the \$1 million guaranteed 2019 Global Casino Championship.

The Charlotte based poker pro said that he will finish out the series here to try to win the Casino Championship. He said he'll be back at the Rio this summer to play in some of the [World Series of Poker](#) summer series, including testing his luck in a few Pot-Limit Omaha events.

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Name:	Taylor Hart	Profession:	Poker Player
Nationality:	USA	WSOP Bracelets:	0
Current Residence:	Newberg, Ore.	Previous WSOP Circuit Rings:	0

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