



WSOP CIRCUIT 2019-20 EVENT REPORT

Circuit Stop:	The Bike (Bell Gardens, Calif.)	Date:	12 December 2019
Event:	No-Limit Hold'em	Entries:	211
Buy-in:	\$250	Prizepool:	\$42,200

JUSTIN CHAUVIN WINS 1ST GOLD RING IN FINAL EVENT

California Poker Pro seizes heads-up redemption for first Circuit title.

Justin Chauvin was the player to scoop the final pot of the entire World Series of Poker Circuit series at The Bike. Chauvin conquered a field of 211 entrants in Event #15: \$250 No-Limit Hold'em to claim \$10,010 and his first WSOP gold ring.

The tournament finished in just one day. Chauvin, from Walnut Creek, California, had to endure a grinding heads-up match against Jeff Alder for the title.

"I've had a few seconds in a row at final tables. One for one of these [rings] before and missed it," said Chauvin who took a 2nd-place finish in March of 2018 at The Bike Circuit.

This time around it was Chauvin's time to shine. In fact, the tournament went pretty swimmingly for the 30-year-old.

"I just had aces so many times. They got paid off. They held up. Just the right hands. Not much more you can ask for," Chauvin mentioned.

Since finishing his schooling at UC Riverside, Chauvin has embarked on path of playing poker for a living and things have been going well so far.

"It's good. Some surprises. Some things just what you'd expect. I don't play very many tournaments at all. Maybe 10, or 15, a year. Just felt like mixing it up," said Chauvin.

However, with a couple of seconds and now a tournament triumph, he added, "I'd be lying if I said I wasn't going to play a little bit more tournaments."

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Name:	Justin Chauvin	Age:	30
Nationality:	USA	Occupation:	Poker Pro
Birthplace:	Walnut Creek, Calif.	WSOP Bracelets:	0
Current Residence:	Walnut Creek, Calif.	Previous WSOP Circuit Rings:	0

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