



WSOP CIRCUIT 2021-22 HARRAH'S CHEROKEE EVENT REPORT

Circuit Stop:	Harrah's (Cherokee, NC)	Date:	21 February 2022
Event:	No-Limit Hold'em	Entries:	430
Buy-in:	\$600	Prizepool:	\$221,450

JACK SHEA WINS 1st WSOP CIRCUIT RING AT HARRAH'S CHEROKEE

Jack Shea claims WSOP gold ring in his return to back to the Circuit scene.

Jack Shea just claimed his first piece of WSOP hardware Monday evening in Event #5: \$600 No-Limit Hold'em.

Shea outlasted 430 runners to claim his first WSOP Circuit ring and the top prize for 44,492.

"It's has been a long time coming," stated Shea, "I couldn't be happier."

Shea has been a Circuit grinder for the past decade with multiple final table appearances but his best finish until now was runner-up spot back in 2019.

Shea was able to position himself well from the 27 players that advanced to Day 2, sitting tied for first place with Nick Blackburn.

The two players never lost traction on the final day, as they kept the chip lead into the final table and all the way until the heads-up battle.

Shea started the heads-up battle in a chip deficit, and knew it was going to be a war as each were gunning for their first Circuit ring.

“I knew it was going to be a battle,” Shea said about his heads-up match.

“Nick wanted the ring, I wanted the ring, we both weren’t going down without a fight.”

Shea was able to secure an early double-up in the match and the key hand clinched him his first ring.

“He liked to shove,” Shea paused and continued, “He shoved 5 million into a 200k pot and I look down at aces... so you know I clicked that little call button, and we were able to finish the deal.”

MEET THE LATEST WSOP CIRCUIT RING WINNER

Name:	Jack Shea	Age:	32
Nationality:	USA	Profession:	Poker
Birthplace:	N/A	WSOP Bracelets:	0
Current Residence:	Coconut Creek, FL	Previous WSOP Circuit Rings:	0

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