



2018 WORLD SERIES OF POKER EVENT #65: \$10,000 WSOP MAIN EVENT

**No-Limit Hold'em Championship (Televised on ESPN and PokerGo)
MONDAY JULY 2; TUESDAY JULY 3; WEDNESDAY JULY 4, 2018 at 11 AM**

Starting Chips: 50,000
Level Duration: 120 minutes
Late Registration: 3 levels

60-minute dinner break each day.
Dinner break times vary by day; dictated by video coverage

Day 1A & 1C: July 2 & 4, 2018 (Mon/Wed):

11:00 a.m. Start
Play 5 levels
20-min breaks after every level
60-min break after Level 2 on 1A & 1C (≈ 3:25 p.m.)
Registration closes for the day at 6:45pm

Day 1B: July 3, 2018 (Tues):

11:00 a.m. Start
Play 5 levels
20-min breaks after every level
60-min break at 7:35 p.m. (90 minutes into level 4)
Registration closes for the day at 6:00pm

Day 2A and 2B: Thursday, July 5, 2018:

Remaining players from Day 1A
Remaining players from Day 1B (play separate from 1A)
11:00 a.m. Restart
Play 5 levels
20-min breaks after every level
60-min break after Level 7 (≈ 3:25 p.m.)

Day 2C: Friday, July 6, 2018:

Remaining players from Day 1C
11:00 a.m. Start
Play 5 levels
20-min breaks every level
60-min break after Level 7 (≈ 3:25 p.m.)

Day 3: Saturday, July 7, 2018

11:00 a.m. start
Remaining players from Days 2A, 2B, and 2C will be combined together for 1st time and play 5 levels
20-min breaks every level
60-min break after Level 14 (≈ 8:05 p.m.)

LEVEL	ANTE	BLINDS
1	-	75-150
2	-	150-300
3	25	150-300
4	50	200-400
5	75	250-500
End of Days 1A, 1B, 1C - Remove 25 Chips		
6	100	300-600
7	100	400-800
8	100	500-1,000
9	200	600-1,200
10	200	800-1,600
11	300	1,000-2,000
12	400	1,200-2,400
Remove 100 Chips		
13	500	1,500-3,000
14	500	2,000-4,000
15	500	2,500-5,000
Remove 500 Chips		
16	1,000	3,000-6,000
17	1,000	4,000-8,000
18	1,000	5,000-10,000
19	2,000	6,000-12,000
20	2,000	8,000-16,000
21	3,000	10,000-20,000
22	4,000	12,000-24,000
Remove 1,000 Chips		
23	5,000	15,000-30,000

To register online or purchase WSOP Tournament Buy-In Credits, please visit: <http://www.wsop.com/registration/>

4.2% of total entry pool withheld for entry fees. 1.8% withheld for tournament dealers & staff.
Event governed by [the 2018 WSOP Official Tournament Rules](#)

Day 4: Sunday, July 8, 2018

11:00 a.m. start
Play 5 levels
20-min breaks every level
60-min break after Level 18 (≈ 5:45 p.m.)

Day 5: Monday, July 9, 2018

11:00 a.m. start
Play 5-6 levels
20-min breaks every level
60-min break after Level 22 (≈ 3:25 p.m.)

Day 6: Tuesday, July 10, 2018

11:00 a.m. start
Play 5-6 levels
20-min breaks every level
60-min break after Level 27 (≈ 3:25 p.m.)

Day 7: Wednesday, July 11, 2018

11:00 a.m. start
Play down to final 9 players
20-min breaks every level
60-min break after Level 33 (≈ 5:45 p.m.)

Day 8: Thursday, July 12, 2018

5:30 p.m. Cards in the Air
Play from 9 to 6 players
TV breaks throughout play, no extended breaks

Day 9: Friday, July 13, 2018

5:30 p.m. Cards in the Air
Play from 6 to 3 players
TV breaks throughout play, no extended breaks

Day 10: Saturday, July 14, 2018

5:30 p.m. Cards in the Air
Play from 3 players to a winner
TV breaks throughout play, no extended breaks

LEVEL	ANTE	BLINDS
24	5,000	20,000-40,000
25	5,000	25,000-50,000
26	10,000	30,000-60,000
27	10,000	40,000-80,000
28	15,000	50,000-100,000
29	20,000	60,000-120,000
30	20,000	80,000-160,000
31	30,000	100,000-200,000
32	40,000	120,000-240,000
Remove 5,000 Chips		
33	50,000	150,000-300,000
34	50,000	200,000-400,000
35	75,000	250,000-500,000
36	100,000	300,000-600,000
37	100,000	400,000-800,000
38	150,000	500,000-1,000,000
39	200,000	600,000-1,200,000
40	200,000	800,000-1,600,000
41	300,000	1,000,000-2,000,000
42	400,000	1,200,000-2,400,000
43	500,000	1,500,000-3,000,000
44	500,000	2,000,000-4,000,000
45	750,000	2,500,000-5,000,000
46	1,000,000	3,000,000-6,000,000
47	1,000,000	4,000,000-8,000,000
48	1,500,000	5,000,000-10,000,000

Adjustments may be made to the number of levels played each day

REIGNING CHAMPION



Scott Blumstein - \$8,150,000

The money bubble is expected to hit late in the evening of Day 3 play, likely around Level 14 or 15

This event is filmed for television/live-streamed and subject to adjustments to accommodate taping needs.

Players are able to buy-in to this event with a valid credit card using the Bravo Online Registration System.

The Rio reserves the right to alter or change the schedule in order to play the tournament in the above mentioned timeframe.