



## 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 1<sup>st</sup> 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
<b>End of Days 1A, 1B, 1C - Remove 25 Chips</b>		
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
<b>Remove 100 Chips</b>		
13	500	1,500-3,000
14	500	2,000-4,000
15	500	2,500-5,000
<b>Remove 500 Chips</b>		
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
<b>Remove 1,000 Chips</b>		
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.