



# Season XVII WPT Choctaw (televised)

May 17-20, 2019

BUY-IN: \$3,700 | CHIPS: 40,000 | LEVELS: 60 MIN | \$1,000,000 GTD MAIN EVENT

FINAL TABLE: TO BE FILMED FOR TELEVISION AT HYPERX ESPORTS ARENA

## SCHEDULE & STRUCTURE

	DATE	TIME	
Day 1a	Friday, May 17	12 p.m. PT	
Day 1b	Saturday, May 18	12 p.m. PT	
Day 2	Sunday, May 19	12 p.m. PT	
Day 3	Monday, May 20	12 p.m. PT	
Final Table*	Friday, May 31	TBD	
*Final Table will be filmed for television at HyperX Esports Arena in Las Vegas at Luxor			
	SMALL BLIND	BIG BLIND	ANTE
Level 1	100	100	-
Level 2	100	200	-
Level 3	100	200	100
Level 4	100	200	200
Level 5	200	300	300
Level 6	200	400	400
Level 7	300	500	500
Level 8	300	600	600
Level 9	400	800	800
Level 10	500	1,000	1,000
Level 11	600	1,200	1,200
Level 12	800	1,600	1,600
Level 13	1,000	2,000	2,000
Level 14	1,500	2,500	2,500
Level 15	1,500	3,000	3,000
Level 16	2,000	4,000	4,000
Level 17	3,000	5,000	5,000
Level 18	3,000	6,000	6,000
Level 19	4,000	8,000	8,000
Level 20	5,000	10,000	10,000
Level 21	6,000	12,000	12,000
Level 22	10,000	15,000	15,000
Level 23	10,000	20,000	20,000
Level 24	15,000	25,000	25,000
Level 25	15,000	30,000	30,000
Level 26	20,000	40,000	40,000

## RULES & INFORMATION

**ACTION CLOCK:** The Action Clock by Protection Poker will be used once the field is down to one table out of the money. Players will have 30 seconds to act on their hand. Players will receive four (4) time-extension chips, each worth 30 seconds. Upon reaching the final 24 players, each remaining player will reset to a maximum of six (6) time-extension chips. Upon reaching the final six players, each remaining player will reset to a maximum of eight (8) time-extension chips. In the case that time expires for a player with remaining time-extension chips, the player's Action Clock will automatically extend an additional 30 seconds. Collection of time-extension chips will take place at the end of the player's action. If a player's Action Clock expires and the player does not have any time-extension chips remaining, he/she will be (a) forced to check, if there is no bet pending or (b) fold, if facing a bet or raise. See WPT Action Clock Rules for more details.

**ANTE FORMAT:** Single ante will be posted by the player in the big blind, in the amount equivalent to the big blind. Ante is posted before the big blind and players are eligible to collect the entire ante, even when out of the big blind. Ante is maintained until the completion of the tournament.

**BREAKS:** Players will have a 15-minute break every two levels, with a 1-hour dinner break around 6:30 p.m.  
**Final Table:** Breaks are TBD

**BUY-IN & FEES:** \$3,500 (buy-in) + \$200 (entry fee) = \$3,700. Three percent (3%) of the prizepool will be withheld for tournament staff fees.

**LATE REGISTRATION:** Registration will remain open until the start of Day 2.

**LEVELS, PER DAY:** Day 1a/1b: play 10 levels.

**Day 2:** play 10 levels or until 32 players remain, whichever comes first.

**Day 3:** play until the final six players remain.

**Final Table:** play 60-minute levels until heads-up, then levels become 30 minutes in length. Play continues until a winner is crowned.

**PLAYER'S CARD and PLAYER RELEASE:** Players must have a Choctaw Player's card and sign the WPT Player Release Form to register. Must be 21 years of age or older to play.

**PLAYERS PER TABLE:** Play will begin with 9-handed. Play will move to 8-handed when 10 tables remain. Play will move to 6 for the Official WPT Final Table.

**RE-ENTRY RULES:** This is an unlimited re-entry event but not a best-stack forward tournament. Players may forfeit their stack to re-enter if registration is still open.

**REGISTRATION:** Available 24 hours a day at the Grand Theater or in the adjacent Ball Room. Registration into the WPT Main Event will remain open until the start of Day 2.

**RULES:** Tournament Directors Association rules will be used unless House Rules apply. Please see Choctaw tournament staff for House Rules. Additionally, on the money bubble, play will be round-for-round instead of hand-for-hand.

**SEATING REDRAWS:** There will be a full seating redraw prior to Day 2, Day 3, as well as at 24, 16, and 9 players remaining.

**STARTING STACK:** 40,000 tournament chips. Pre-purchased stacks will be "live" on the table from the beginning of the tournament. Late registrants and alternates will be sold a full starting stack.

**PAYOUTS:** One (1) in eight (8) entries will be in the money (approximately 12.5%).

**TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR'S DECISIONS ARE FINAL:** Players shall have no recourse following the beginning of the next hand. The next hand begins with the first riffle of the cards. Choctaw Casino reserves the right to alter, change, or cancel the tournament. Choctaw Casino will not be held responsible in the event of typographical errors or misinformation on the website or printed material pertaining to this event, and players will not have claim in these matters.

**WPT TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS:** \$15,000 will be withheld from the total prizepool and awarded to the first place finisher in the form of an entry to the WPT Tournament of Champions event. The entry is non-transferable and has no cash value.

**MUST BE 21 OR OVER TO PLAY IN ANY WPT EVENT**