

\$2000 NO-LIMIT HOLD'EM

SATURDAY - 11/03/2007

FINAL TABLE \$2,000 No-Limit Hold'em

BERNARD LEE IS VICTORIOUS! WINS \$239,143!

Seat #	Name	Chip Count	Final Finish
1	Joseph Cappello	619,500	2nd
2	Luke Allain	192,000	10th
3	Ken Justin	386,000	4th
4	Michael Watson	87,500	7th
5	Bernard Lee	626,000	1st
6	William Spadea	452,000	8th
7	Stamatis Reves	341,000	6th
8	Christopher Griffin	205,000	3rd
9	Alex Muscarella	223,000	9th
10	Salvatore Paterno	122,500	5th







The record number of 406 players who entered the 2007 Foxwoods World Poker Finals \$2000 No-Limit Championship anted up a prize pool of \$732,447! At noon on Sunday, 26 players returned to compete for the top prize. After 9 hours of play, *Bernard Lee* of Wayland, MA, overcame the persistent challenges of Joe Cappello and the rest of the final table and emerged victorious claiming the Championship Trophy, commemorative leather jacket and \$239,143!!

The Final Table got underway at 3 pm and it was not long before *Luke Allain* of Swampscott, MA, was all-in with J10. Ken Justin called with pocket J's; Luke, with a straight draw, could not connect and he was the 10th place winner of \$11,353. The 9th place winner was *Alex Muscarella* of the Bronx, NY. Alex was all-in with AQ but Mike Watson took the pot with pocket K's and Alex had \$14,649 for his efforts. *William Spadea* lost two races with AK and AJ and the third time was not a charm. He was all-in after a J98 flop with A9; Bernard Lee called with J4 and the J's were enough to end William's day. He would return home to South Easton, MA, with 8th place winnings of \$18,311.

Michael Watson started the Final Table as the short stack. He was all-in several times with no callers as well as taking out Alex. His luck turned as he lost with K's when Salvatore Paterno caught a flush on the river and then with A7 to Joseph Cappello's pocket J's. Michael, a resident of Toronto, Canada, was all-in with J9; Bernard Lee's AQ put Michael in 7th position with \$21,947. An hour and a half would elapse before the next player would depart the table. With the blinds at 15K/30K, *Stamatis Reves* of East Greenwich, RI, was all-in with his "favorite hand" J9 suited. But Christopher Griffin had pocket 9's and Stamatis was the 6th place winner of \$25,635.

There would be two more hours of play and the blinds advancing to 25K/50K before *Salvatore Paterno* of Kings Park, NY, went out in 5th. Bernard and Joseph had the biggest stacks by far and the others were trying to hold on. Salvatore was in with QJ and caught a straight on the river but Bernard hit a flush and Salvatore had \$32,960. Cambridge, MA, resident, *Kenneth Justin*, had pocket Q's against Joseph's QJ but a 1098 flop gave Joseph a straight. Kenneth was the 4th place winner of \$43,947. *Christopher Griffin* was forced all-in on the BB with 43 and hit a straight with a flop of 765 but an A5 on the turn and river filled Joseph's A5. Christopher had 3rd place and \$69,583 to take home to Malden, MA.

Heads up action was down to the two players who began the Final Table as the chip leaders. It was Bernard Lee, however, who now had an overwhelming advantage. *Joseph Capello* of New Rochelle, NY, staved off the inevitable for a while but eventually he was all-in with AK. Bernard turned over pocket 5's which held up leaving Joseph with 2nd place winnings of \$120,854!!

And Bernard Lee was now the winner of the 2007 Foxwoods World Poker Finals \$2000 No-Limit Championship!

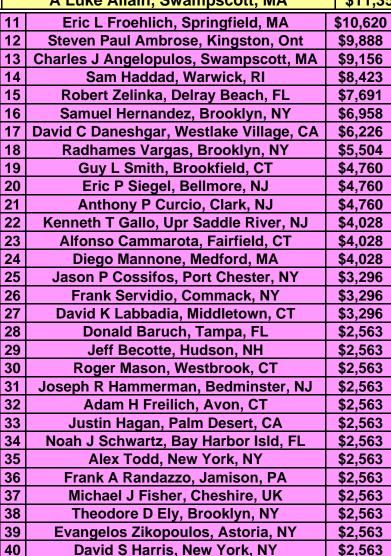


FOXWOODS WORLD POKER FINALS - 2007

Tournament Entries: 406 Prize Pool: \$732,447 Cumulative Entries: 6363 **Cumulative Pool: \$3,989,861**

FINAL STANDINGS \$2000 NO-LIMIT TEXAS HOLD'EM









Alex Muscarella - 9th!





Ken Justin - 4th!



Salvatore Paterno - 5th!



CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE WINNERS!