

ReversalSports Poker Tour

2006 Poker Challenge II Champion

DJ Whalley

Dear Player,

The ReversalSports Poker Tour (RPT) continues to show why it is considered the most prestigious poker tour in the Northeast, hosting yet another successful tournament with its Poker Challenge II this past September. In the end, it was first time RPT-er DJ Whalley who took home \$1,000 in cash and more importantly, an RPT Championship. 21 players came out to chase the title, including 9 first time players. With this turnout of new players, we are projecting a record showing for the Poker Showdown III in the spring of 2007. The heads-up match between Champion DJ Whalley and runner-up Jonathan "J-Bone" Bannish was most impressive, as each player continued to put

heavy pressure on the other. In the final hand, Bannish raised \$100 pre-flop and Whalley immediately came over the top with an "all-in". Bannish contemplated for a minute and made the call. Whalley showed K-10 --- Bannish was in the lead with A-4. However, a ten on the flop secured the Championship for Whalley as Bannish did not improve on the turn or river. It was another impressive run for J-Bone as he finished in 2nd for the second time, securing his place as one of the top players on Tour along with Scottie "Too Hottie" Yarymowicz, RPT's all-time money leader. Along with Bannish, Bob "Bubba" Barbarini continues to build his reputation with a 3rd place showing and 2nd cash on the Tour.

2006 was another successful year as we beat our goal of \$4,000 in prizes by paying out an astonishing \$4,900. Since the Tour inception in 2005, we have paid out a grand total of \$8,000 in cash earnings across four RPT tournaments. We will no doubt break a few major milestones in 2007, including the \$10,000 mark for Tour payouts and 50 Tour members. The RPT is always looking to broaden its distribution, so please forward any e-mail addresses of players interested in joining the Tour. We look forward to seeing you again at our spring special, the RPT Poker Showdown III. Until then, have a great winter and good luck at the tables!

Sincerely,

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ReversalSports Poker Tour Chairman

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Champ	DJ Whalley	\$1,000
2 nd	Jonathan Bannish	\$600
3 rd	Bob Barbarini	\$300
4 th	Mark Lisavitch	\$200

RPT Poker Challenge II Champ
DJ Whalley



"Heads Up"
J-Bone Debates a Big Call



Do you have what it takes to make an RPT Final Table?



See you at the RPT Poker Showdown III in the Spring of 2007!