

Lottery Action



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New Games Will Hit Dispensers Soon



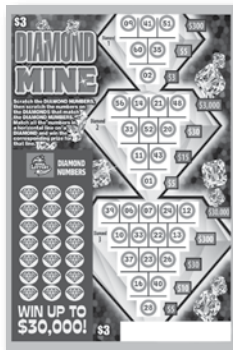
Triple Platinum 777	Prize	Odds
Cost: \$10	\$10	1 in 6.00
Top Prize: \$100,000	\$20	1 in 7.50
Odds: 1 in 3.11	\$30	1 in 100.00
Begin Ordering: May 23	\$50	1 in 240.00
	\$100	1 in 300.00
	\$150	1 in 480.00
	\$300	1 in 500.00
	\$1,000	1 in 4,000.00
	\$10,000	1 in 120,000.00
	\$100,000	1 in 120,000.00

This game has gone Triple Platinum!

Reveal the **7**: game symbol and win the prize shown for that symbol. Reveal the **77**: game symbol and win DOUBLE the prize shown for that symbol. Reveal the **777**: game symbol and win TRIPLE the prize shown for that symbol. "Bonus Box": get two like symbols in the "Bonus Box" and win \$50 instantly.

Diamond Mine

Cost: \$3
 Top Prize: \$30,000
 Odds: 1 in 3.60
 Begin Ordering: May 16



Prize	Odds
\$3	1 in 6.25
\$5	1 in 12.50
\$10	1 in 40.00
\$15	1 in 100.00
\$30	1 in 545.45
\$100	1 in 1,333.33
\$300	1 in 2,400.00
\$3,000	1 in 40,000.00
\$30,000	1 in 120,000.00

Scratch the "Diamond Numbers," then scratch the numbers in the "Diamonds" that match the "Diamond Numbers." Match all the numbers in a horizontal line on a "Diamond" and win the corresponding prize for that line.

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Note about the next "Lottery Action": "Lottery Action" will not be published the week of May 30 due to the Memorial Day holiday. The next issue will be released on June 6. Have a safe and happy holiday!

Action Briefs

FYI: Know Where to Find Special Offers?



When a player asks you for the Lotto 12-Pack or another "Special Offer," do you know how to find it?

With some new and some old lotto terminals out there, this can be confusing. Here's what to do:

If you have an older, red lottery terminal:

--You have a red "cloud" button on the top, center of your screen that says "Special Offers." Touch that, then touch the silver "Lotto 12-Pack" icon, or the red or yellow "Play 'Em All" icons. That will print the offer you touch on.

If you have a new, black lottery terminal:

--You have a tab on the top right of your screen that says, "Special Offers" in yellow. Touch that, then touch the silver "Lotto 12-Pack" icon, or the red or yellow "Play 'Em All" icons. That will print the offer you touch on.

Game End and Validation End Dates

Game End	Official Game End	Valid Period Ends
634	Funky 5's	3/7/11 6/6/11
665	Dough Plow	3/7/11 6/6/11
669	Double Cherry Twist	3/7/11 6/6/11
673	Super 7's	3/7/11 6/6/11
674	Tropical Treasures	3/7/11 6/6/11
675	Three Little Monkeys	3/7/11 6/6/11
677	Cash To Go	3/7/11 6/6/11

Other important dates are listed on the back of this issue.

Results from your state agencies: www.resultsiowa.org

Look For These Exciting New Games Hitting Dispensers Soon

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Money \$ee Money Do	Prize	Odds
Cost: \$1	\$1	1 in 7.50
Top Prize: \$1,500	\$2	1 in 20.00
Odds: 1 in 4.56	\$3	1 in 60.00
Begin Ordering: May 23	\$6	1 in 150.00
	\$9	1 in 200.00
	\$18	1 in 200.00
Get three like amounts and win that amount. Get two like amounts and the "\$" symbol and win TRIPLE that amount.	\$27	1 in 600.00
	\$54	1 in 1,600.00
	\$81	1 in 4,000.00
	\$1,500	1 in 120,000.00

MAY/JUNE 2011	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		16 DIAMOND MINE (\$3)/ LADY LUCK BUCKS (PULL-TAB - \$.25) BEGINS LOTTERY ACTION DELIVERS	17	18	19	20	21
	22 THERE'S A HOLIDAY NEXT WEEK. CHECK WITH YOUR DSR FOR DELIVERY SCHEDULE.	23 TRIPLE PLATINUM 777 (\$10)/ MONEY \$EE MONEY DO (\$1) BEGIN	24	25	26	27	28
	29	30 MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY --LOTTERY OFFICES CLOSED NO DELIVERIES	31	Jun. 1	2	3	4
	5	6 LIGHTNING CASH (PULL-TAB - \$.50) BEGINS LOTTERY ACTION DELIVERS	7	8	9	10	11
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18

Lightning Strikes in June With This New Pull-tab Game

Lightning Cash (pull-tab)

Cost: 50 cents
Top Prize: \$50
Odds: 1 in 6.51
Begin Ordering: June 6

Play by peeling apart the five tabs located on the back of the ticket. Three symbols are printed under each tab. Check all five tab areas. If three consecutive symbols printed vertically or diagonally under any of the tabs match identically any of the winning combinations shown on the ticket front, the player wins the corresponding prize. The arrow connecting the symbols indicates a winner.



Credit and Debit Cards Differ

Remember that there's a big difference between a debit card and a credit card — even though they may look the same. Many banks offer their customers debit cards that can be used to withdraw money from their checking or savings account.

If a lottery player hands you a card, it's important that you ask the player which kind of card they are using before



you make the transaction. Lottery players can use debit cards to purchase lottery products. However, state law prohibits the use of credit cards to make a lottery purchase. Avoid inconveniencing your customers by checking carefully any card presented to you.

Player Learns of \$10,000 Powerball Prize From Unclaimed Prizes Poster in Store

A Manchester man was lucky enough to notice an “unclaimed prizes” poster up at his local retailer, or he may have let his \$10,000 Powerball prize expire.

Ron Funke, 58, was glad he hung onto his Powerball ticket from the drawing on June 19; but if he had never noticed there was an unclaimed prize from that drawing, he wouldn't have known he was the winner.

“I always buy at the Pronto station in Manchester. A couple of weeks ago they had the poster on the wall that said “unclaimed lottery winnings.” I looked at it and saw the Pronto station was highlighted,” Funke said.

Funke, who plays Powerball roughly once a week, said he went home and searched through his old tickets and found the one he was looking for.



“Monday morning I went in and handed them the ticket, and sure enough I was a winner!” Funke said.

Funke said he hangs onto his tickets on the off chance he might miss out on checking his numbers.

“It actually paid off!” he said. “If it hadn't been posted, I would have never known it. You can't claim it if you don't know you've got it.”

After discovering his win, Funke called his wife, Mary. He said she was very excited.

“We talked about it on Saturday when I checked the lottery thing and said, ‘Wouldn't it be neat if we won that?’ So I called her and said, ‘Guess what? I really did win!’” Funke said.

“It actually paid off! ... If it hadn't been posted, I would have never known it. You can't claim it if you don't know you've got it.”
— Ron Funke

Funke, who is a truck driver for Bennett Explosives in Manchester, said he plans to use some of his winnings to take a trip with his wife.

Prizes in lotto games like Powerball, Mega Millions® and Hot Lotto® are valid for 365 days from the date of the drawing. Funke claimed his prize April 20 at the Iowa Lottery's regional office in Cedar Rapids, he beat the deadline of his prize's expiration date by exactly two months.

Funke purchased his winning ticket at Pronto Market, 316 E. Main St. in Manchester.

IOWA LOTTERY GAME INFORMATION As of May 16, 2011

Game	Start Date
498	\$35 MIL. CASH SPECTACULAR 01/09/06
592	BINGO TIMES 10-Orange/Green 03/31/08
612	CROSSWORD-Orange/Yellow 12/22/08
632	WILD BINGO 01/05/09
631	LUCKY DIAMONDS 03/30/09
649	BLACKJACK 08/24/09
664	SEASON'S DELIGHT 10/26/09
656	CROSSWORD-Blue/Green 12/10/09
660	BINGO NIGHT-Purple/Green 12/18/09
671	BLACK PEARLS 01/04/10
672	VETERANS CASH 01/25/10
659	DBL. BLACKJACK DBL. PLAY 02/22/10
676	DID I WIN? 03/08/10
687	RACING TO RICHES 03/29/10
666	LIFETIMES RICHES 04/05/10
679	COOL 1'S 04/19/10
680	THE SILVER TICKET 04/19/10
681	EMERALD GREEN 8'S 05/10/10
667	CASH BONANZA 05/24/10
682	SERIOUS JACK 05/24/10
683	FIRE 'N DICE 05/24/10
684	LUCKY LINES 06/07/10
685	JUST A BUCK 06/28/10
686	FAT CAT DOUBLER 06/28/10
655	CASH VAULT 07/19/10
688	VETERANS HOT 7S 07/19/10
689	RINGS OF CASH 08/09/10
654	FABULOUS FORTUNE 08/30/10
690	BLACK CHERRY DOUBLER 08/30/10
691	COOL CASH 08/30/10
682	TRIPLE DIAMONDS 09/20/10
696	REINDEER BINGO 10/04/10
698	HOLIDAY CROSSWORD 10/04/10
700	MERRY MONEY 10/04/10
702	CROSSWORD-Red/Green 10/04/10
694	TINSEL TOWN 10/11/10
695	HAPPY HOLIDAYS 10/11/10
697	STOCKING STUFFER TRIPLER 10/11/10
699	SILVER BELLS 10/11/10
701	MAGIC LINE BINGO-Purple/Ylw. 01/03/11
703	IOWA LOTTERY BLACK 01/03/11
704	LOVE TO WIN 01/03/11
706	SHAMROCK SHUFFLE 01/03/11
707	MATCH & WIN™ 01/03/11
716	RED HOT CHERRIES 01/03/11
708	GIVE ME \$20 01/24/11
705	DIAMOND DASH 02/14/11
709	ROCK OF AGES 02/14/11
710	RAINING CASH & DOGS! 03/07/11
711	LUCKY LINES 03/07/11
712	NEON 9'S 03/28/11
713	SIZZLING 7'S 03/28/11
715	333 04/18/11
717	SUPER CROSSWORD 04/18/11
718	SPADES 05/09/11
720	DIAMOND MINE 05/16/11

ENDING SCRATCH GAMES

Game	Start Date	Last Date to Pay Prizes
634	FUNKY 5's 6/22/09	6/6/11
665	DOUGH PLOW 1/11/10	6/6/11
669	DOUBLE CHERRY TWIST 1/4/10	6/6/11
673	SUPER 7's 1/25/10	6/6/11
674	TROPICAL TREASURES 2/15/10	6/6/11
675	THREE LITTLE MONKEYS 3/8/10	6/6/11
677	CASH TO GO 3/29/11	6/6/11



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Lotto Game Information				
Game	Drawing Days	Sales Cutoff Time	Approx. Drawing Time	Approx. Allowed Cashing Time
Hot Lotto	Wednesday and Saturday	8:18 p.m.	9:40 p.m.	11:45 p.m.
\$100,000 Cash Game	Monday through Saturday	8:18 p.m.	8:28 p.m.	8:40 p.m.
Mega Millions	Tuesday and Friday	8:59 p.m.	10 p.m.	Next Day
Pick 3 and Pick 4 Midday	Daily	12:30 p.m.	12:40 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
Pick 3 and Pick 4 Evening	Daily	8:18 p.m.	9:20 p.m.	9:40 p.m.
Powerball	Wednesday and Saturday	8:59 p.m.	9:59 p.m.	11:40 p.m.

If you or someone you know has a gambling problem, call 1-800-BETS OFF.
You must be at least 21 years old to purchase lottery tickets.