

Lottery



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Powerball Players Can Multiply Prizes Even More With Power Play 10X

In March, players who choose the Power Play with their Powerball ticket will have the chance to multiply their non-jackpot prize to up to \$2 million with the Power Play 10X promotion.

During the promotion period, one of the four “5”s on the Power Play wheel will be substituted with a “10.” During this period, if the number 10 is drawn during a Power Play drawing, all Power Play prizes will be multiplied by 10 for eligible players who have purchased the Power Play option for an extra \$1 per play. That means, if you win the \$200,000 second tier prize with the Power Play on your ticket and the 10 comes up on the Power Play wheel, you’d win \$2 million! Jackpot prizes are not eligible for multiplication.

Promotion runs until 10x is drawn

Sales for the 10x promotion will start on March 2, and the first drawing with a 10 on the Power Play wheel will be Saturday, March 4. The promotion will run for at least eight drawings or until the 10 on the Power Play wheel is drawn at least once, whichever period is longer.



The 10 could be drawn up to eight times during the promotion (once for each of the eight draws). If the 10 is drawn at least once during the month of March 2006, then the 10x promotion will end with the final drawing on March 29. Multi-draw Powerball with the Power Play tickets purchased prior to March 2 that are good for drawings during the promotional period are eligible for the 10x promotion.

How the Power Play works . . .

The Power Play multiplier number is chosen by a wheel spin during the Powerball drawings on Wednesday and Saturday evenings. The Power Play costs an extra \$1 per play. Usually, the wheel has the numbers “2” through “5” listed on it. The Power Play number determines by how much a winner’s prize will be multiplied. For example, if the number “5” is drawn, each prize, except the jackpot, will be multiplied by five. A \$200,000 prize would be worth \$1 million. See the brochure for more details on the promotion. 🍀



At A Glance . . .

‘VIP Connection’ Coupon Coming Feb. 20



Be on the alert beginning Feb. 20 for two new coupons from players. Each quarter, Iowa Lottery VIP Club members

receive a “VIP Connection” newsletter. This quarter the newsletter will contain a coupon for \$1 off a \$3 or more purchase of Pick 3, either with the number 297 or 298. Both are valid through March 31. These coupons will vary in appearance, depending on whether players receive their newsletter by mail or through e-mail. Coupon #297 comes from the color printed copy of the newsletter players receive by mail. Coupon #298 comes via the Internet. Both of these new coupons will look similar to the graphic above. Coupon #297 will be in color and about the size of a dollar bill (just a little shorter). Coupon #298 may be larger in size (up to a full sheet) and printed in color or in black and white. **It may appear to be a copy — please accept it anyway!** Coupons no longer have the words “No Copies Accepted” printed on them. If you have a question about a coupon, please call the nearest lottery office.

Game End and Validation End Dates List:

Official Valid. Game Period End Ends

Game #432	Here’s the Deal	01/09/06	04/10/06
Game #434	Blazing 8’s	01/09/06	04/10/06
Game #438	Super 6’s	01/09/06	04/10/06
Game # 455	Sweet Rewards	01/09/06	04/10/06
Game #457	Wild Crossword (parrot)	01/09/06	04/10/06
Game #459	Clovers & Cash	01/09/06	04/10/06

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

See results from your state agencies: www.resultsiowa.org

Don't Let Powerball and Hot Lotto Mistakes Get You Down

If you happen to make an error selling a Powerball or Hot Lotto play, it doesn't have to be the end of the world!

Let's review the steps you must take to handle a "mistake" Powerball or Hot Lotto ticket.

If the ticket did not print or the ticket is misprinted or mutilated so it can't be validated:

—The defective play must be confirmed by immediately producing a REPRINT ticket.

—Call the SGI hotline at 800-858-4744. They will provide you with a Control Number. They'll also help you get the information needed to report the problem to the lottery and, if necessary, help you produce the REPRINT ticket.

—Any or all parts of the defective ticket, along with the REPRINT ticket and Control Number, must be returned to the lottery in the retailer settlement envelope.

—When the lottery receives the defective ticket and the REPRINT ticket, we'll examine it and then issue credit to the retailer for the cost of the ticket. You can't receive credit if you don't follow the first three steps!

If the ticket is printed correctly by the terminal, but the clerk or the player makes an error:

—Call the SGI hotline to report the problem and correct ticket information. A Control Number will be provided.

—Remember, the ticket is still valid and can be sold. If you can't sell the ticket, validate it for any prizes won on the ticket after all draws have passed. Then send the ticket and the control number to the lottery in the retailer settlement envelope. The lottery will credit you for the cost of the ticket less any winnings.

The most common reasons for denying credit:

- 1) The retailer did not call SGI.
- 2) No ticket or play was sent to the lottery.

In short, if you don't follow the steps outlined above, you are out of luck!

Think about this: why not sell the ticket? Unless the problem ticket is a mutilated ticket, why not try to sell it to one of your other customers? Especially during busy, high-jackpot times, your customers may be more willing to take that ticket than stand in line. 🍀

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
FEB./MARCH 2006	19	20 POT LUCK (\$1)/ DREAM'N OF DOLLARS (\$2) BEGIN	21	22	23 FINAL INSTANT REPLAY BIG SCREEN GIVEAWAY DRAWING	24	25	
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	26	27	28	Mar. 1	2 POWER PLAY 10X PROMO BEGINS	3	4	
	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
	LOTTERY ACTION DELIVERS							
12	13 BLACKJACK (\$1)/DOUBLE BLACKJACK (\$2) BEGIN	14	15	16	17	18		
19	20	21	22	23	24	25		
LOTTERY ACTION DELIVERS								

Two More Lucky Players Win TVs in Big Screen Giveaway

The Iowa Lottery has awarded three of four TVs to be given away in the "Instant Replay Big Screen Giveaway" second-chance contest this winter.

Dana Bean of Cedar Rapids won the second of four 42-inch Sony plasma TVs and a Palo woman won the third TV.

Bean works as a shipper for a manufacturing company. She was "ecstatic" when she received word that she'd been drawn as the latest TV winner.

"I called my husband," Bean said. "[It] made his day."



Dana and Ron Bean were all smiles as they came to claim their 42-inch Sony plasma TV, just like the one shown here.

Ankeny Man Wins \$10,000

An Ankeny man got the surprise of his life when he walked into a convenience store to pay for gas.

Richard Haes of Ankeny won \$10,000 in the Feb. 1 Powerball® drawing. He purchased the winning ticket at Quik Trip, 3700 Hubbell Ave. in Des Moines.

Haes said he had no idea he had won until a convenience store clerk checked his tickets.

"I had just filled up with gas, so I had [the clerk] check my tickets while I was paying," said Haes. The clerk told him the good news. "I said 'Oh my God.' I didn't believe it. This is the most I've won in Powerball," said Haes.

Haes plans to put part of his winnings in savings and use the rest to buy his daughter something nice. He claimed his prize at the Iowa Lottery's headquarters in Des Moines.

If Haes had chosen to play the Power Play®, he would have won \$40,000.



Richard Haes of Ankeny

Palo Woman Wins Third TV

Bobbie McLane of Palo, who won the third big screen in the drawing on Feb. 2, was accompanied by her husband Bruce when she drove to lottery headquarters to pick up her prize.

"My husband went from work to check messages and called me and told me that I was the luckiest person he knew because I'd won a TV," McLane recalled. "I started telling everyone right away."

Bruce might have meant that just about one month earlier, she won \$30,000 playing the "Wild Crossword" (confetti) instant-scratch ticket. McLane said she felt lucky lately. And she had some advice for wannabe winners.



Bobbie McLane of Palo

"You can't win if you don't play," she said.

Players enter the contest with a nonwinning "Winter Green" scratch ticket. Players go online to the lottery's Web site, www.ialottery.com, and enter the serial number of their nonwinning tickets for a chance to be drawn in one of the second-chance drawings.

One drawing remains on Feb. 23, 2006. 🍀

Des Moines Woman Gets \$100,000 Birthday Present



Angela Huse of Des Moines

One Des Moines woman received an early birthday present playing the lottery.

Angela Huse, 31, of Des Moines won \$100,000 playing the "Winter Green" instant-scratch game. Her husband had purchased the winning ticket for her at Casey's, 3527 Indianola Ave. in Des Moines before coming home from work.

Huse said, "My husband and I buy [scratch tickets] all the time ... The most I ever won was \$500. I don't know what to think. I still can't believe it."

Huse actually works as the assistant manager at the Casey's where her husband bought the ticket. Huse said the prize came at a good time, considering her 32nd birthday was only a few days away.

"Now I can buy a new car!" she said.

Huse says she may also spend some of her winnings on her family. She claimed her prize at the Iowa Lottery's headquarters in Des Moines. 🍀

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GAME INFORMATION

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Game		Start Date	As of Feb. 20, 2006		
423	BIG MONEY	04/19/04			
435	GOLD CARD	08/09/04			
445	DOUBLE BINGO-Orange	08/30/04			
439	CROCODILE CASH	09/20/04			
443	QUICK 7'S	10/11/04			
452	CASHING THROUGH THE SNOW	11/15/04			
424	TICKLED PINK	12/06/04			
453	DOUBLE DIAMONDS	01/03/05			
430	70'S CASH FEVER	01/24/05			
446	DOUBLE BINGO-Purple	01/24/05			
456	XTREME GREEN	01/24/05			
460	WHOLE LOTTA LUCK	02/14/05			
465	DOMINOES-Red	02/14/05			
461	HIGH/LOW	03/07/05			
462	MONEY CARLO	03/07/05			
463	GOLD FEVER	03/28/05			
464	DOUBLE BLACKJACK-Green	03/28/05			
466	LUCKY HAND	04/18/05			
467	REELIN' IN THE CASH	04/18/05			
458	WILD CROSSWORD-Lizard	04/25/05			
468	BEE LUCKY	05/09/05			
469	MONEY COMB	05/09/05			
470	QUARTER PLAY-Purple	05/16/05			
471	FIRECRACKER CASH	06/06/05			
474	BEWITCHED	06/06/05			
475	CRAZY 8'S BINGO	06/06/05			
473	PIECES OF EIGHT	06/27/05			
472	PAYDAY	07/18/05			
476	ROARING 20's	07/18/05			
477	THANKS A MILLION	07/18/05			
478	WILD CHERRIES	08/08/05			
479	PORKER NIGHT	08/08/05			
481	LEAGUE NIGHT	08/29/05			
482	EMERALD GREEN 7'S	08/29/05			
485	WILD CROSSWORD-Confetti	08/29/05			
483	DOUBLE DOUBLER DOUGH	09/19/05			
484	CAT SCRATCH FEVER	09/19/05			
486	BLACKJACK	10/10/05			
487	DOUBLE BLACKJACK-Yellow	10/10/05			
488	HOLIDAY CASH	10/31/05			
489	WINNER WONDERLAND	10/31/05			
490	SANTA CLAWS & SANTA PAWS	10/31/05			
491	WINTER GREEN	10/31/05			
492	COOL CASH	11/28/05			
493	FABULOUS 5'S	12/09/05			
494	POT O' GOLD	12/09/05			
495	HEARTS ARE WILD	01/09/05			
496	THE COLOR OF MONEY	01/09/05			
501	CHAMPIONSHIP POKER	01/09/05			
498	\$35 MILLION CASH SPECTACULAR	01/09/05			
499	PIECE OF THE PIE	01/30/06			
497	POT LUCK	02/20/06			
516	DREAM'N OF DOLLARS	02/20/06			

Game	Start Date	Last Date To Pay Prizes
432	HERE'S THE DEAL	07/19/04
434	BLAZING 8'S	07/19/04
438	SUPER 6'S	08/30/04
455	SWEET REWARDS	01/24/05
457	WILD CROSSWORD-Parrot	01/03/05
459	CLOVERS & CASH	02/14/05



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.

Lotto Game Information

	Drawing Days	Sales Cutoff Time	Approx. Drawing Time	Approx. Allowed Cashing Time
Hot Lotto	Wednesday and Saturday	7:59 p.m.	10:00 p.m.	11:45 p.m.
\$100,000 Cash Game	Monday through Saturday	6:18 p.m.	6:28 p.m.	6:40 p.m.
Pick 3 and Pick 4 Midday	Monday through Saturday	12:30 p.m.	12:40 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
Pick 3 and Pick 4 Evening	Sunday through Saturday	7:59 p.m.	9:20 p.m.	9:40 p.m.
Powerball	Wednesday and Saturday	7:59 p.m.	9:59 p.m.	11:40 p.m.