



VIP Connection

News and information for Very Important Players

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You Could Win a New Harley-Davidson®!

Buy \$5 in Lotto Tickets to Receive an Entry Form

Iowa Lottery players have the chance to win a shiny 100th Anniversary Harley-Davidson® Heritage Softail® Classic motorcycle or a Harley-Davidson prize package!

Now through Aug. 23, players only need to purchase \$5 worth (or more) of any lotto game on one ticket and the lotto terminal will print an entry form for their chance to win the Harley-Davidson prize package worth \$28,000.

To win, players must return the entry form in a **yellow** Iowa Lottery second-chance drawing envelope.



A 100th Anniversary Harley-Davidson® Heritage Softail® Classic motorcycle could be yours!

bag, blanket, watch, sunglasses, leather cap and T-shirt, all with the Harley-Davidson logo.

The promotion runs from July 27 through the close of business on Aug. 23. Entries must be received by Aug. 26. A drawing will be held for all the prizes on Aug. 28.

For more information, see your retailer or log on to www.ialottery.com/PROMOTIONS/PROMOTIONS1.htm.

Visit Iowa Lottery Booth at State Fair

We all feel like “One in a Million” this year at the Iowa State Fair, Aug. 7-17! Look for the lottery’s booth in the southeast corner of the Varied Industries Building.

We’ll be selling your favorite lotto, scratch and pull-tab tickets. Look for dots

on the scratch and pull-tab tickets and you could win a prize like a Powerball T-shirt, Hot Lotto bandana or Iowa Turkey Federation food certificate! And, new this year, with the purchase of a \$5 “Super Slots” ticket, you’ll get a free rain poncho!

We’ll see you there!

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‘Not-All-That-Lucky’ Man Wins \$500,000 With Power Play

Terry Stonewall of Marshalltown has survived a stroke and won a \$500,000 Powerball prize, but doesn’t consider himself all that lucky.

“I never get too excited. If it had been the big one, I probably would have. My wife did more than I did,” Stonewall said.

His ticket matched the first five numbers drawn to win a \$100,000 prize.



Terry Stonewall of Marshalltown

But Stonewall also purchased the Power Play option for another \$1. The Power Play number in the drawing was 5, which multiplied his prize to \$500,000.

“Oh, you can’t beat that. If you’re going to win some money, multiply it, you bet!” Stonewall said.

He said he will share his winnings with his children, remodel he and his wife’s kitchen, invest most of the rest and maybe buy a new car.

For more information on Stonewall and other winners, log on to www.ialottery.com/winners/winners.htm.



Get In the "Pink" With New Pull-tab!



Pink Panther™ (\$1) (pull-tab)

Top Prize: \$100
Overall Odds: 1 in 5.19
Game Begins: Aug. 25

The sly "Pink Panther™" could uncover some cash for you!

To play, peel 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, you win the corresponding prize. The arrow connecting the symbols indicates you are a winner!

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Some Scratch Games Ending

The last day to claim prizes in the following games is **October 20, 2003**:

- Cash Spectacular
- Stars & Stripes
- Fast 5s
- Grand Champion
- Football Fever

Cash Could Roll In With 'Cash Zone' and 'Money Bags'

Cash Zone (\$2)

Top Prize: \$200
Overall Odds: 1 in 3.99
Game Begins: Aug. 18



Scratch the play area to reveal two "Winning Numbers" and ten "Your Numbers." If you match either of the "Winning Numbers" to any of "Your Numbers," you win the prize shown beside the matched number. If you reveal a "Gold Bar," you win the corresponding prize automatically! If you reveal a "Treasure" symbol, you win all ten prizes!

Prize	Odds
\$2	1 in 6.00
\$3	1 in 16.67
\$5	1 in 150.00
\$10	1 in 150.00
\$25	1 in 150.00
\$50	1 in 362.73
\$200	1 in 691.91



Money Bags (\$1)

Top Prize: \$1,500
Overall Odds: 1 in 4.48
Game Begins: Aug. 18

Your friends might be calling you "Money Bags" after you play this new scratch game!

Find a "Money Bag" symbol in the play area and win the corresponding prize.

Prize	Odds
\$1	1 in 7.50
\$2	1 in 20.00
\$3	1 in 50.00
\$5	1 in 75.00
\$15	1 in 300.00
\$45	1 in 300.00
\$1,500	1 in 119,700.00

For more information on scratch tickets and to play demo tickets, log on to www.ialottery.com/games/ScratchTicketList.htm.



Iowa's Cash Game Gets Hot!



Bill Holin of Des Moines

Bill Holin said a supermarket clerk was the first person to realize he'd won a \$100,000 Iowa Lottery prize.

"She said, 'Hey Bill, I think you won \$100,000!'" Bill Holin said as he claimed his prize.

"She came unglued! I couldn't believe it. When she hollered out, everybody started coming around and congratulating me and carrying on."

Holin, 80, who drives a West Des Moines school bus for handicapped children, took the afternoon off after realizing he'd won the top prize in Iowa's \$100,000 Cash Game.

Annette

Freebury kept the news of her win in Iowa's \$100,000 Cash Game a secret from her husband so she could surprise him on his birthday.

"Today is his birthday, so I thought I'd pay off the house and surprise him," Freebury said as she claimed her \$100,000 prize. "He's been wanting a new lawnmower, so he can go pick out a new lawnmower and we'll get the house title!"

Freebury, who has two children, said that in addition to paying bills with her winnings, she and her family will go on a vacation.



Annette Freebury of Iowa Falls

Man Doesn't Get Ticket He Wants But Wins \$50,000!

He wasn't able to buy the lottery ticket he really wanted, and it paid off with a \$50,000 prize for a Cedar Rapids man!

Joe Hernandez said he wanted to buy a \$10 scratch ticket at the supermarket, but the vending machine was out of those, so he bought two \$5 tickets instead.

Hernandez, 70, who is retired, won the top prize of \$50,000 on one of those "Casino Action" tickets. Hernandez said he immediately went home and told his wife the good news. They have plans close to home for his winnings.

"We're going to make a big house payment!" he said.

For more stories about winners, log on to: www.ialottery.com/winners/winners.htm

Everyone 'Had a Ball': Nora Springs Woman Wins \$23,042 on Game Show

Dawn Miller of Nora Springs became Iowa's third contestant to advance to the final round on "Powerball Instant Millionaire" and play for the game show's top prize of \$1 million.

Miller ended up winning \$23,042 on the June 14 episode and had one word for her game show experience in Las Vegas: awesome.

"This is wonderful, you have no idea how wonderful it was for my family," she said. "Honestly, this trip is more fun than I could have bought with all this money. To me, that was worth it — the whole thing, just to come out here. My family had a ball. My mother got to kiss Wayne Newton and he kissed her. I have enjoyed everything about this!"

Miller had a big group of fans to cheer her on during her game show appearance. Her husband, daughter, mother, brother and best friend all went with her to Vegas for the show's taping.

"We're having a ball," Miller said.

For more stories about "Powerball Instant Millionaire" game show winners, log on to: www.ialottery.com/games/scratchtickets/pbtvgameinstantmill/winnersgamelistinstantmill.htm



Dawn Miller of Nora Springs



Lotto number frequency reports are available on the lottery web site at www.ialottery.com. On the home page, click on the name of the game in the upper left-hand corner of the page (area is circled here), then click on the "Frequency" link.



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DON'T FORGET—through Aug. 23—when you buy \$5 (or more) worth of any lotto game, you'll get an entry form to send in for a chance to win a 100th Anniversary Harley-Davidson® Heritage Softail® motorcycle! The drawing is Aug. 28!

Grab a yellow envelope and send in your entry!

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.

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