

# VOL. 11, \#13 J uly 12-25, 2004 <br> First Five Contestants Drawn for Fair Sweepstakes 



The first five of 15 contestants have been drawn for the Iowa Lottery's Iowa State Fair 150th Anniversary Sweepstakes. Two more preliminary drawings to choose the other 10 contestants will be held July 15 and 29.

On Aug. 22, live at the Iowa State Fair on the Bill

Riley Stage, the lottery will hold a final drawing to award 15 prizes. Twelve \$1,500 prizes, a Lennox furnace, a Dodge Ram pick-up and a Winnebago ${ }^{\text {® }}$ Minnie ${ }^{\circledR}$ motor home will be awarded in the final drawing.

The first five contestants drawn are:

- Bonnie Risius, Des Moines
- Susan Caraza, Des Moines
- Shirley M. Full, Cleghorn
- Sharon R. Morrison, Fort Madison
- Becky Schoening, Farragut S


## Hot Lotto Ad Spurs Le Mars Man to \$10,000 Win

A northwest Iowa man said a radio commercial prompted him to purchase the ticket that netted him big money last weekend.

Brad Harter of Le Mars won $\$ 10,000$ in the June 19 Hot Lotto® drawing. He purchased his winning ticket at Car-Go Express, 1125 Hawkeye Ave. S.W. in Le Mars.


Brad Harter of Le Mars

He claimed his prize at the Iowa Lottery's regional office in Storm Lake.

Harter, a regular Powerball ${ }^{\circledR}$ player, had never played Hot Lotto before he purchased his \$10,000-winning ticket!
"He is extremely happy he did," said Tami Kopriva, who works in the Lottery's Storm Lake office. Kopriva said Harter doesn't have any definite plans for his winnings yet.

RETAILER ALERT: New ITVM Hot Line Number
Due to new ownership of Interlott, please note that as of July 1, the hot line number for Instant Ticket Vending Machines has changed to: 800-404-9527.

## At A Glance. . .

On This Date in Iowa Lottery History . . .
July 13, 1998—Pick 3, the lotto game popularized in several other lottery states, was introduced to replace Super Cash Lotto. Iowa uses an innovative, money-saving approach by utilizing the Illinois Lottery’s Pick 3 numbers.
Encourage Players to Join VIP Club in July
Players who join the Iowa Lottery's VIP Club in July are eligible to win a year's worth of Powerball tickets and Adventureland passes for four! During the July membership drive, new members who join the VIP Club are entered into an Aug. 3 drawing for one of 10 prizes of Powerball tickets for a year plus four Adventureland passes. New members must enter between July 1 and July 31 to be eligible for the drawing. Players may enter using the new VIP Club entry postcard or they may enter on the lottery's Web site at www.ialottery.com. Postcards must be received by July 31.

## Watch Expiration Date on Coupons

When an Iowa Lottery coupon expires, it must be returned in the Weekly Settlement Envelope for the week it expired or in either of the next two weeks' envelopes.

## Game End and Validation End Dates List:

Game\#404
Game\#330
Game\#339
Game\#387
Game\#390
Game\#335
Game\#364
Game\#370
Game\#388

Trucks \& Bucks (Rev.) Wild Cherries Diamond Bingo-Red
Viva Las Vegas
The Hulk
Lucky Day
Beginner's Luck All The Marbles Carnival Cash

| Official | Valid. <br> Game <br> Period |
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Other important dates are listed on the back of this issue.

## Former Iowan Brightens Sad Weekend With Big Prize



Sam Kirby of Loveland, Colo.

A Colorado man made a recent trip to Iowa and changed his fortune in the process.

Sam Kirby, 48, of Loveland, Colo., won \$50,000 playing the "Big Money" instant-scratch game. Kirby was a 14-year resident of Le Mars and just moved back to Colorado in January.

He bought the ticket at the Car-Go Express in Le Mars, 327 Plymouth St. N.E., and claimed his prize at the Iowa Lottery's regional office in Storm Lake.

Earlier this month on the day he was to begin a new job at the post office, Kirby's father-in-law passed away suddenly. He and his
wife traveled to Le Mars for the funeral. They stopped at the CarGo Express in Le Mars and while they were there, he bought the last two Big Money tickets in the store.
"When I got back to my room, I about had a heart attack!" he said.
"He always told me,
'After I'm dead, you'll
become a wealthy
man.'"-Sam Kirby
Kirby said his father-in-law told him about a strange premonition.
"He always told me, 'After I'm dead, you'll become a wealthy man, '" Kirby reflected.

Kirby plans to buy his parents, who also live in Colorado, a new fence for their house. After that, he said, he will save the rest for a while and think over his options. And, he plans to play the lottery in Iowa when he visits relatives and friends.
"I get to come here a lot anyway, so every time I come, I play," he said.

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|  | 25 |  | 27 | 28 | $\qquad$ | 30 | 31 |
|  | Aug. 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|  | 8 |  | $10$ | 11 |  | 13 | 14 |

## Summer Sizzles With New Scratch Games

## Blazing 8s

Cost: \$5
Top Prize: \$50,000
Odds: 1 in 3.49
Begin Ordering: July 19

Blaze a winning trail with "Blazing 8's"! There are three play areas. In the "Match 3 of 6 " area, match three like prize amounts and win that prize. In the "Tic Tac Toe" area, uncover three " 8 s " in any one row, column or diagonal to win the prize shown. In the "Key Symbol" match area, match any of "Your Symbols" to the "Winning Symbols" and win the prize shown below that symbol. Get an " 8 " symbol in any of "Your Symbols" and win the prize shown below that symbol instantly!


| Prize | Odds |
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| $\$ 2$ | 1 in 6.00 |
| $\$ 3$ | 1 in 18.75 |
| $\$ 5$ | 1 in 37.50 |
| $\$ 15$ | 1 in 75.00 |
| $\$ 25$ | 1 in 150.00 |
| $\$ 150$ | 1 in $2,394.00$ |
| $\$ 1,500$ | 1 in $47,880.00$ |
| $\$ 15,000$ | 1 in $119,700.00$ |



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## \$5

\$6
\$8
\$18
\$38
\$88
\$888
\$50,000

Begin Ordering: July 19

Go on a Winning Streak and win up to $\$ 15,000$ !

If you match any of "Your Numbers" to either of the "Roulette Numbers," you win the prize shown for that number. If you find a "Chips" symbol, you win that prize instantly!

## Here's the Deal

Cost: \$1
Top Prize: \$500
Odds: 1 in 5.14
Begin Ordering: July 19


Deal yourself a winner!
If any of "Your Cards" beat the "Dealer's Card," you win the prize shown for that card. Ace is high.

Winning Streak

Cost: \$2
Top Prize: \$15,000
Odds: 1 in 3.74
1 in 6.67
1 in 15.00
1 in 30.00
1 in 60.00
1 in 60.00
1 in 299.25
1 in 5,985.00
1 in 119,700.00


## Tropical Slots

Cost: 25 cents
Top Prize: \$25
Odds: 1 in 9.15
Begin Ordering: July 26

Players will go wild playing "Tropical Slots"!

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.


