## Lottery Action Newsletter

VOL. 10, \#15 July 28 - Aug. 10, 2003 Marshalltown Man Doesn't Think He's Lucky, But Wins \$500,000 With Power Play

A Marshalltown man 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," Terry Stonewall said as he claimed his $\$ 500,000$ prize at Iowa Lottery headquarters in Des Moines.


Terry Stonewall of
Marshalltown Marshalltown

Stonewall matched the first five numbers and the Power Play number, but missed the Powerball in July 2's $\$ 160.3$ million drawing. His ticket, purchased at the Git-N-Go at 902 W. Lincolnway in Marshalltown, matched the first five numbers drawn to win a $\$ 100,000$ prize. However, Stonewall also purchased the Power Play option for another \$1. The Power Play number for 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.

Stonewall, 64, has been recovering from a stroke last year. While he downplayed his excitement over his lottery luck, his wife, Greta, shed a little more light on the subject. Greta Stonewall said that when Terry told her to sit down so he could share some news, she thought something was wrong.
"Tears were welling up in his eyes. And I said, 'Just tell me!' I was yelling at him," she said. "He showed me the ticket and the article that was in the newspaper. Then I believed him."

Terry Stonewall said he will share his winnings with his children, remodel his and Greta's kitchen, invest most of the rest and maybe buy a new car.


On This Date in Iowa Lottery History . . .
July 31, 1989: To celebrate the lottery's fourth anniversary, the lottery's first instant ticket-"Scratch, Match and Win"-was reintroduced. From July 31 to Aug. 29, 1989, "Scratch, Match and Win" tickets were sold at the special price of four for $\$ 2.75$.
Lottery Sales Up for Second Straight Year
Iowa Lottery sales have increased for a second straight year, led in fiscal year 2003 by a sales upswing in the lottery's core product-instant-scratch tickets. Preliminary figures show lottery sales hit $\$ 187.8$ million in fiscal year 2003, which ended June 30. That was up about 3.6 percent from FY 2002 sales of $\$ 181.3$ million.
Harley-Davidson ${ }^{\circledR}$ Lotto Promo Running Now
Players who purchase $\$ 5$ worth of any lotto game on one ticket will receive an entry form for their chance to win a 100th Anniversary Harley-Davidson ${ }^{\circledR}$ Heritage Softail ${ }^{\circledR}$ prize package worth $\$ 28,000$. The lotto terminal will automatically print the entry form. To win, players must return the entry form in a yellow Iowa Lottery second-chance drawing envelope. The lottery will award one grand prize package of a 2003 Harley-DavidsonHeritage Softail ${ }^{\circledR}$ Classic motorcycle and a six-item prize package of Harley-Davidson merchandise. The promotion ends Aug. 23. Entries will be accepted through Aug. 26. The drawing for all prizes is Aug. 28.

## Betty Sop Pull-tab Begins July 28

The "Betty Boob" pull-tab ticket, originally scheduled to begin July 14, will be available beginning July 28 instead. Watch for it and stock up on this new 50-cent game.

Game End and Validation End Dates List:

Game \#305
Cash Spectacular
Game \#347
Game \#349
Game \#352
Game \#356

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

## Group of 12 Correctional Workers Wins \$5,000

John Sims got the pleasant job of telling his coworkers they won \$5,000 playing Powerball.

Sims, who bought the ticket for the group, looked up the winning Powerball numbers on the Iowa Lottery's web site before any of his coworkers arrived, so he had a big surprise for them when they came to work!
"I didn't say anything until everybody came in and then I started telling them. They were elated!" said Sims, a representative of the group of 12 maintenance workers from the Newton Correctional Facility. He bought the ticket at Hy-Vee, 802 S. Center St. in Marshalltown.

The workers have played Powerball together for about six years, Sims explained. They usually wait until the jackpot gets quite high before they play.

The group's members live all over Central Iowa, including Des Moines, Marshalltown, Newton and Marion. Sims said most members plan to save their winnings.
"We regretted that we didn't hit that last number, but we'll take this without arguing!" Sims said with a laugh. \&


J ohn Sims of Marshalltown claimed a \$5,000 Powerball prize on behalf of himself and his coworkers.

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## Learn How to Manually Cash Instant and Lotto Tickets

Occasionally a player will ask you to validate a lotto or instant ticket that they cannot read or has been partially damaged. If the ticket can't be validated by scanning it, you'll need to manually validate the ticket.

This article will review the processes used to manually cash lotto and instant tickets when necessary.

## SciScan Retailers: Manual Instant Cashing

1. Select Option 4, "Manual Entry," from the Main screen, press "Enter."

2 On the Validate/Verify screen choose Option 1, "Instant Ticket."
Validate/Verify
01-Instant Ticket
02 - Pull-Tab Ticket
3. Enter the three-digit game number, the six-digit pack number, the three-digit ticket number (found on the back of the ticket) and the seven-digit VIRN number (excluding boxed num-bers-found on the front of the ticket). See (a).
(a)


Instant Validation
(b) Enter Security \#
4. Enter the three-digit security number (boxed numbers) from the play area of the ticket. See (b). The screen displays the results.

## SciScan Retailers: Manual On-Line Cashing

1. Select Option 2 from the Main screen to access Manual Online Cash, press "Enter" and follow the prompts.
2. On the On-Line Cash screen, choose "Current System."
3. Enter the 15 -digit serial number from the top of the ticketno dashes, just the numbers (see both pictures below). The screen displays the results.


## Visit Lottery Booth at 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 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 or an Iowa Turkey Federation food certificate. With the purchase of a \$5 "Super Slots" ticket, you'll get a free rain poncho!

## Extrema Retailers: Manual Instant Cashing

1. Touch "Cash" at the bottom of the Main Menu.
2. Touch "Instant Cash" on the pop-up window.
3. Using the keypad, enter the three-digit game number, the six-digit pack number, the three-digit ticket number (found on the back of
 the ticket) and the seven-digit VIRN number (excluding boxed numbers-found on the front of the ticket), then touch "OK."
4. When the keypad appears, enter the three-digit security number (boxed numbers) from the play area, then touch "OK."

## Extrema Retailers: Manual On-Line Cashing

1. Touch "Cash" at the bottom of the Main Menu.
2. "Online Cash" should already be highlighted on the pop-up window.
3. Using the keypad, enter the 15-digit serial number from the top left-hand side of the lotto ticket (no dashes). The ticket is pictured at right.
4. The Extrema will indicate if the ticket is a winner.


