

# Lottery Action Newsletter

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## Several Coupons Will Expire June 30

Several Iowa Lottery Lotto Bucks will expire at the end of this month.

Coupon numbers 127 through 140 and 144 through 157 will expire on June 30, 2003.

As a reminder, the "Coupon Number" is located next to the name of the game on the left-hand side of the Lotto Buck.

Please do not accept expired coupons. The lottery will accept non-expired coupons in the Weekly Settlement Envelope the same week that they expire or the next week only.

To get immediate credit for a coupon, you must enter the coupon number into the terminal after you make the play the customer requests. A box or space will appear where you must enter the coupon number. When you do this correctly, the terminal will give you credit for that coupon. 🎰



This Lottery Buck and several others will expire June 30.

## Nora Springs Woman Wins Over \$23,000 on Game Show

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**"This is wonderful, you have no idea how wonderful it was for my family."—Dawn Miller**  
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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.



## At A Glance...

### Is it a Credit Card or a Debit Card?

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. Plus, some cards are combination credit cards and debit cards.

If a lottery player hands you a card, **it's important to ask the player which kind of card they have before you make the transaction.** Lottery players can use debit cards to purchase lottery products. However, state law prohibits the use of a credit card to make a lottery purchase. Avoid inconveniencing your customers by checking carefully any card presented to you. 🎰

### How is Your Terminal's Paper Supply?

Check your paper supply often so you don't run out during a high jackpot period.

If you're running low on paper in your Extrema or SciScan terminal, you can use the terminal to order supplies under "Special Functions," or you can call Scientific Games at 1-800-858-4744. 🎰

### Instant Game Start Dates

- **June 23** ..... Lucky Slots (\$1)
- **July 7** ..... Carnival Cash (\$1)
- **July 7** ..... Red & Black Doubler (\$2)

### Game End and Validation End Dates List:

<b>Game #323</b>	<b>Two Much Fun</b>
<b>Game #326</b>	<b>Crossword-Yellow</b>
<b>Game #331</b>	<b>Pharaoh's Gold</b>
<b>Game #344</b>	<b>Bonus Baseball</b>
<b>Game #353</b>	<b>Lucky Lines</b>

<b>Official Game End</b>	<b>Valid. Period Ends</b>
04/22/03	07/21/03
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Other important dates are listed on the back of this issue.

## 'Pull' in 'Lucky Slots' in June

## Oskaloosa Man Lucky on 'Luck of the Dice' Game



**Lucky Slots**  
**Cost: \$1**  
**Top Prize: \$500**  
**Odds: 1 in 5.14**  
**Begin Ordering: June 23**

One "pull" on "Lucky Slots" and a player can win \$500! If the player matches three like symbols in the same game, they win the corresponding prize shown. If they find a "Bell" symbol, they automatically win the prize shown for that game.

Prize	Odds
\$1	1 in 7.50
\$5	1 in 18.75
\$10	1 in 300.00
\$20	1 in 450.00
\$40	1 in 450.00
\$500	1 in 59,850.00

An Oskaloosa couple will soon celebrate their 17th wedding anniversary and will have a little extra money to celebrate with thanks to an Iowa Lottery prize.

Gary Holst, 45, won the \$17,000 top prize playing the "Luck of the Dice" scratch game.

Holst and his wife will celebrate their anniversary on June 21. Coincidentally, his prize matches the number of years they've been married!

"I scratched it off—there it was and I just couldn't believe it! I asked the gals to run it



through and verify it and they said, 'It looks like you're going to take the week off!'" Holst said as he claimed his prize at Iowa Lottery headquarters in Des Moines.

Holst is a delivery driver in Oskaloosa. He purchased his ticket at the Kum & Go, 204 S. Main St. in Albia.

JUNE/JULY 2003

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
15	16	17	18	19 ANNUAL MEETING—NO DELIVERIES	20 ANNUAL MEETING—NO DELIVERIES	21 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT RANCH 66, OKOBOJI
LOTTERY ACTION DELIVERS						
22 THERE'S A HOLIDAY NEXT WEEK. CHECK WITH YOUR DSR FOR DELIVERY SCHEDULE.	23 LUCKY SLOTS (\$1) BEGINS	24 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT PUMPS +, LEON	25 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT HY-VEE LIQUOR, DES MOINES	26	27 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT DES MOINES ARTS FEST.	28 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT DES MOINES ARTS FEST.
29 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT DES MOINES ARTS FEST.	30 LOTTERY ACTION DELIVERS	July 1 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT KWIK STAR, CRESCO	2 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT QUILLIN'S, WAUKON	3 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT K&S FOODS, DECORAH	4 HOLIDAY—LOTTERY OFFICES CLOSED	5
LOTTERY ACTION DELIVERS						
6	7 CARNIVAL CASH (\$1)/RED & BLACK DOUBLER (\$2) BEGIN	8	9 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT A&J MINI MART, IOWA CITY	10 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT FAST AVE. ONE STOP, MUSCATINE	11 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT CLARK RETAIL, BURLINGTON	12 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT HY-VEE, IOWA CITY
13	14 BETTY BOOP PULL-TAB (\$.50) BEGINS	15	16 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT CUB FOODS, IOWA CITY	17	18 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT JOWACO DEPOT, MILFORD	19 LOTTERY ON WHEELS AT DYNO'S, SPENCER
LOTTERY ACTION DELIVERS						

# Ogden Woman Claims \$25,000 Bingo Prize



Sharon Crouse of Ogden

Sharon Crouse of Ogden had a funny look on her face when she redeemed her “Diamond Bingo” ticket recently.

That’s because she had just realized it was worth \$25,000!

“The kid, when he redeemed it, said, ‘I’d love to have a picture of the look on your face’ because I didn’t know it was worth that much. I

thought it was \$10,” Crouse said as she claimed her prize at Iowa Lottery headquarters in Des Moines.

Crouse bought her ticket at Clark’s Food Mart, 302 W. Walnut in Ogden.

“I got looking at that and I thought, ‘That can’t be right! That’s an “X,” that’s \$25,000!’” she said.

She had stopped at the food store for some provisions and while buying her Powerball ticket decided to play Bingo as well.

After having the clerk check the ticket, she brought it home to show her husband. He was outside working on a boat at the time and he said he’d take a break to go to Des Moines to claim the prize!

“I still can’t believe it!” Crouse said.

She said she will pay some bills and then put the rest of the money in her savings account. She and her husband plan to vacation in Branson, Mo., this fall and the money will help with that. They will share it with their four children as well. 🍀

## Monitor Vending Machine Tester Uses Sign as Ad



One of the Iowa Lottery’s test sites for Monitor Vending Machines is using its outdoor sign to advertise to players.

Billy Joe’s Pitcher Show, 1701 25th St., West Des Moines, has been an Iowa Lottery retailer since December 1987. The business sells instant and pull-tab tickets.

A total of 30 machines from three different companies are involved in the market test. They are in locations in Des Moines, West Des Moines, Ankeny, Marshalltown, Story City, St. Anthony, Ames, Cedar Rapids, Waterloo and Cedar Falls.

All Monitor Vending Machine Test sites are encouraged to let customers know they have a new way to play! 🍀

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She plans to share the money with her best friend, who she’s known since childhood.

“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!”



Dawn Miller of Nora Springs

She also commented that host Todd Newton’s great attitude calmed her and helped her keep her concentration to play the game well!

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. 🍀

Clip and Save

# IOWA LOTTERY

## GAME INFORMATION


Clip and Save

Game		Start Date	As of June 16, 2003		
304	CASINO ACTION	09/24/01			
305	CASH SPECTACULAR	10/01/01			
328	DOUBLE DOWN	01/07/02			
330	WILD CHERRIES	01/28/02			
336	LUCKY STARS	03/04/02			
333	7-11-21	03/11/02			
301	LOTS O' SPOTS BINGO-Blue	03/18/02			
324	DOUBLE DOUBLER-Orange	03/18/02			
325	DOUBLE BLACKJACK-Green	03/18/02			
337	SILVER DOLLARS	03/25/02			
343	HOT CARDS	04/22/02			
345	DOLLAR SIGNS	05/13/02			
346	SNAKE EYES	05/20/02			
347	STARS AND STRIPES	06/03/02			
348	STRUCK BY LUCK	06/10/02			
349	FAST 5s	06/17/02			
335	LUCKY DAY	06/27/02			
352	GRAND CHAMPION	07/15/02			
342	STINKIN' RICH	07/29/02			
350	RED HOT 7S	08/05/02			
351	WHOOPE DE DOUGH	08/12/02			
355	ACES HIGH	08/26/02			
356	FOOTBALL FEVER	09/09/02			
358	MONEY MAZE	09/16/02			
359	CASH HARVEST	09/23/02			
360	BETLE BAILEY DOUBLE TIME	10/07/02			
357	BONUS CROSSWORD-Aqua	10/07/02			
361	VENETIAN® LAS VEGAS	10/14/02			
354	TOP BANANA	10/21/02			
362	BAH HUMBUCKS	11/04/02			
318	CANDY CANE CASH	11/04/02			
363	LUCKY STREAK	11/18/02			
339	DIAMOND BINGO-Red	11/18/02			
365	CASH FLURRIES	12/02/02			
364	BEGINNER'S LUCK	12/16/02			
378	KUM & GO—WE GO ALL OUT!	01/06/03			
367	POKER FACE	01/06/03			
368	LUCK OF THE DICE	01/06/03			
369	BE MINE	01/27/03			
370	ALL THE MARBLES	01/27/03			
373	SHAMROCK GREEN	02/17/03			
374	TICKET TO VEGAS	02/17/03			
377	BONUS CROSSWORD-Blue	02/17/03			
371	2 FOR THE DOUGH	03/03/03			
372	DOUBLE DOUBLER-Green	03/03/03			
366	THE BUCK STARTS HERE	03/17/03			
376	DOUBLE BLACKJACK-Red	03/17/03			
375	DILBERT	04/07/03			
380	JUMBO BUCKS	04/07/03			
391	RED HOT 7'S	04/07/03			
340	DIAMOND BINGO-Green	04/28/03			
381	TEE TIME TRIPLER	04/28/03			
384	SLINGO	05/19/03			
390	HULK	05/19/03			
383	WILD TIME	06/02/03			
385	LIBERTY BILLS	06/02/03			
387	VIVALAS VEGAS	06/02/03			
398	BONUS CROSSWORD-Pink	06/02/03			

Game	Start Date	Last Date To Pay Prizes
323 TWO MUCH FUN	12/10/01	07/21/03
326 CROSSWORD-Yellow	03/18/02	07/21/03
331 PHARAOH'S GOLD	02/04/02	07/21/03
344 BONUS BASEBALL	05/06/02	07/21/03
353 LUCKY LINES	07/08/02	07/21/03



instant fun  
Iowa Lottery

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
<b>Freeplay Replay</b>	Wednesday and Saturday	6:18 p.m.	6:28 p.m.	6:40 p.m.
<b>Hot Lotto</b>	Wednesday and Saturday	7:59 p.m.	10:00 p.m.	11:45 p.m.
<b>\$100,000 Cash Game</b>	Monday through Saturday	6:18 p.m.	6:28 p.m.	6:40 p.m.
<b>Pick 3</b>	Every day, Sunday through Saturday	7:59 p.m.	9:20 p.m.	9:40 p.m.
<b>Powerball</b>	Wednesday and Saturday	7:59 p.m.	9:59 p.m.	11:40 p.m.