

# CROSSWORD CONTEST

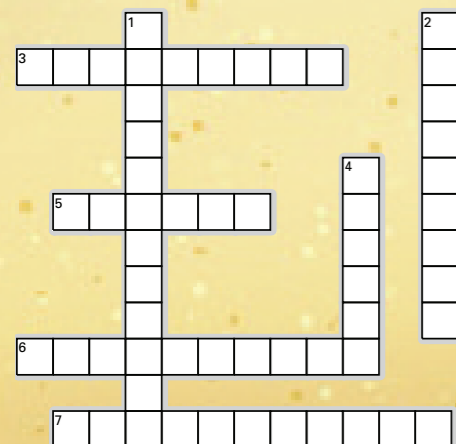
Enter to win up to \$56 in Lottery coupons.

Complete the crossword puzzle below, then mail\* this entire page to Nebraska Lottery Times, P.O. Box 94878, Lincoln, NE 68509-4878.

At noon on the drawing day (March 23) we will draw 25 entries. For each word/phrase identified, those entries will receive one (1) coupon for a free \$1 Scratch ticket and one (1) coupon for a \$1 free play

of each of the seven Lotto games. That's the equivalent of \$13 worth of free tickets for each word/phrase identified – maximum total prize value \$91.

*\*ONLY ENTRIES SUBMITTED THROUGH THE MAIL WILL BE ELIGIBLE. ENTRIES ARE NOT OPENED BEFORE DRAWINGS AND SHOULD BE IN SEPARATE ENVELOPES. PLEASE DO NOT SEND ENTRIES WITH ANY OTHER CORRESPONDENCE.*



### ACROSS

- 3 Often referred to as "America's Game," the multi-state \_\_\_\_\_ game celebrated its 25th anniversary in April 2017.
- 5 A total of 95 \_\_\_\_\_ have been given away since 1993 in the \_\_\_\_\_ & Buck\$ Scratch game.
- 6 In the United States, about 190 million cards are sent each year for \_\_\_\_\_ Day on February 14.
- 7 Remember to always play Lottery games \_\_\_\_\_ and play within your means.

### DOWN

- 1 Nebraska Lottery prizes of \$20,000 or more must be claimed at Lottery \_\_\_\_\_ in Lincoln.
- 2 The popular photo sharing network \_\_\_\_\_ has over 800 million active users.
- 4 The enhanced Mega Millions game offers bigger non-jackpot \_\_\_\_\_. For example, match three white balls and the Mega Ball and you'll win \$200 instead of \$50.

## Enter To Win

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

You must be 19 years or older to participate. You can win only once in the contest.

# KNOW THE SIGNS OF PROBLEM GAMBLING

Gambling can be an enjoyable source of entertainment for many people. But for some people, gambling can be addictive. That's why it's important to know the signs of problem gambling.

You may have a gambling problem if you:

- Gamble for longer than you intended;
- Borrow money to gamble;
- Lie about how much you gambled; or
- Bet more than you intended.

Other warning signs are:

- Loss of interest and participation in normal activities with friends and family;
- Avoidance of questions about time and money;
- A sudden need for money/loans; missing possessions or assets; financial instability;
- Decline in health and neglect of personal needs, such as medical, food, utilities, etc.; or

- Changes in attitude and personality; emotional instability, withdrawal, or depression.

Problem gambling affects the emotional, physical, and financial wellness of individuals and their families and impacts every aspect of society. Assistance with problem gambling is available. Call the Problem Gambling Help Line toll free at 800-522-4700 for more information.

The mission of the Nebraska Lottery is to generate proceeds for good causes while providing quality entertainment options to Nebraskans. Over \$670 million has been raised for the Nebraska Lottery's beneficiary funds since the Lottery began in 1993, including \$15,566,341 for the Gamblers Assistance Program. All 93 counties in Nebraska have benefited from projects funded with these Nebraska Lottery proceeds.



Gamblers  
Assistance  
Program

We Can Help: 1-800-522-4700

Call 24 Hours a day, 7 days a week.  
All information is confidential.

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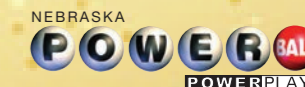
# ENTER THE POWERPLAY®

# \$10K PAY DAY

Adding Power Play to your Powerball® purchase increases any non-jackpot prizes won. In 2018, playing Powerball with Power Play could earn you even more with the Power Play \$10K Pay Day promotion.

Between January 23 and April 2, entry vouchers for the Power Play \$10K Pay Day promotion will be produced with every \$3 Powerball with Power Play purchase. Players can enter their vouchers online at nelottery.com in 10 weekly drawings, with each drawing offering a \$10,000 cash prize.

Vouchers can be entered in any drawing, but will only be eligible for the drawing during the week the voucher was entered. Enter your vouchers online using your MVP Club account at nelottery.com. If you do not have an MVP Club account, registration is free and only takes a few minutes. Plus, new members receive an eCoupon for a free Nebraska Pick 5 play just for signing up. See nelottery.com for details.



### Entry Period

January 23 – January 29  
January 30 – February 5  
February 6 – February 12  
February 13 – February 19  
February 20 – February 26  
February 27 – March 5  
March 6 – March 12  
March 13 – March 19  
March 20 – March 26  
March 27 – April 4

### Drawing Date

January 30  
February 6  
February 13  
February 20  
February 27  
March 6  
March 13  
March 20  
March 27  
April 5

# WINNING WAYS

## Omaha Man Wins \$1 Million Playing Mega Millions



Timothy Manion of Omaha is Nebraska's newest millionaire after winning a \$1 million Mega Millions prize from the Nebraska Lottery.

Manion purchased his winning Mega Millions ticket at Kum & Go, 13149 Fort Street in Omaha. The five-play ticket contained one play with all five of the winning white ball numbers (16, 22, 40, 41, 59) from the Friday, December 1 drawing for \$1 million. Manion is the fifth person to win a \$1 million Mega Millions prize in Nebraska since the Nebraska Lottery joined the game in March 2010.

Manion wasted no time claiming his prize, arriving at Nebraska Lottery headquarters on Monday following the drawing. He told Lottery officials that he learned he had won after returning to the same Kum & Go where he purchased the ticket. "I stopped there Saturday morning, and the clerks were talking about selling a \$1 million winning ticket, so I said, 'Why not check mine?'" said Manion. "After scanning the ticket the clerk said, 'It's you! You're the winner!' I couldn't believe it. It didn't really sink in until we were on the way to Lincoln to turn it in."

Manion told Lottery officials that he plans to buy a house and a truck using his winnings, and save the rest for the future.



# WINNERS

FROM DECEMBER 2017

**Powerball - \$50,000**  
Dustin Pande, Nebraska City  
**Mega Millions - \$1 Million**  
Timothy Manion, Omaha  
**Mega Millions - \$2,000**  
Thomas Gillette, Omaha  
**Mega Millions - \$1,000**  
Benedicdo Cruz, Papillion  
Mark Zach, Omaha  
**Mega Millions - \$800**  
Thomas Hill, Lincoln  
Alan Schulz, Seward  
Kia Chanel-Swillie, Omaha  
**Mega Millions - \$600**  
Christine Boles, La Vista  
**Mega Millions - \$502**  
Susan Smity, Omaha  
**Nebraska Pick 5 - \$220,000**  
Chris Ulrich, Omaha  
**Nebraska Pick 5 - \$66,000**  
Miguel Alavocoin Tejedor, Omaha  
**Nebraska Pick 5 - \$450**  
Jack Havel, Lincoln  
**2By2 - \$22,000**  
Genevieve Johnson, Holdrege  
Jeff Howard, Bruno  
**MyDaY - \$5,000**  
Ignacio Sandoval, Lexington  
Timmy Thomas, Avoca  
Thomas Kay, Omaha  
**Lucky For Life - \$5,000**  
Ruta Baesler, Omaha  
**Nebraska Pick 3 - \$3,000**  
Patrick Thit, Omaha (x3)  
**Nebraska Pick 3 - \$1,800**  
Scott Harmon, Trumbull (x3)  
**Nebraska Pick 3 - \$1,200**  
Scott Harmon, Trumbull (x7)  
Darrin Cook, Fremont  
**Nebraska Pick 3 - \$1,150**  
Darleen Tonack, Omaha  
**Nebraska Pick 3 - \$800**  
Javier Trujillo, Columbus  
David Felberg, Omaha  
**Nebraska Pick 3 - \$700**  
Coltin Phipps, Lincoln  
Lisa Phipps, Lincoln  
Darla Christensen, Elba  
**Nebraska Pick 3 - \$630**  
Tommy Moore, Omaha  
**Nebraska Pick 3 - \$600**  
Carla Hart, Tekamah (x2)  
Antonio Ramirez, Columbus  
Terrence Velasquez, Omaha  
Timothy Horn, Lincoln (x4)  
Juanita Parker, Omaha (x2)  
Jana Byrd, Omaha  
Jeffrey Robb, Papillion  
Pu Bi, Omaha (x2)  
Linda Lentz, Omaha  
Robert Klein, Lincoln  
James Chol, Lexington  
Doris Cromwell, Genoa  
Jeffrey Hammond, Kearney  
Janice Johnson, Hastings (x5)  
Jerry Lott, Omaha  
Samuel Sanchez, Lincoln  
Lee Morrow, Omaha  
Robert Ritonya, Omaha (x10)  
Mary Taylor, Omaha  
Scott Farmer, Lincoln  
Denise Rasmussen, Johnson

**Nebraska Pick 3 - \$600 (continued)**  
Dawn Holmes, Omaha  
Tonya Wells, Omaha  
Lynn Ericson, Lincoln  
My Huong Nguyen, Lincoln (x2)  
Erma Ross, Omaha  
Thierry Yapi, Omaha  
Garrett Forbes, Plainview  
Jan Nieman, Lincoln  
Ben Conner, Omaha  
Jose Alvarez-Cartaya, Grand Island  
Tamma Mathews, Oberlin, KS  
Devin Holbein, Gothenburg  
Louis Lies, LaVista  
Kler Say, Lincoln  
Austin Gessleman, Culbertson  
William Hoselton, Hastings  
Carla Rodriguez, Minden  
Khari Tran, Lincoln  
Sheila Johnson, Cedar Bluffs  
Sharon Haith, Lincoln (x2)  
Robert Mendyk, Omaha  
**Nebraska Pick 3 - \$350**  
Lynn Ericson, Lincoln  
**Precious Metals Super Ticket - \$100,000**  
John Woodson, Chadron  
**Wild Cherry Crossword - \$50,000**  
Christi Coventry, O'Neill  
**Wild Cherry Crossword - \$1,000**  
Camille Phelps, Omaha  
Tara Spence, Kearney  
**10x Bingo Multiplier - \$35,000**  
Jocelyn Helgoth, St Libory  
**10x Bingo Multiplier - \$1,000**  
Sammi Lunbeck, Springfield  
Samantha Billings, Lincoln  
Serafin Linares, Lincoln  
**Bonus Crossword - \$35,000**  
Mark Strong, Omaha  
**Winter Takes It All - \$20,000**  
Perez Porfirio, Norfolk  
Michael Wegner, Omaha  
LeeAnn Maul, Lincoln  
Lois Stade, Grand Island  
Sandra Yeaman, Omaha  
**Winter Takes It All - \$800**  
Robert Hoppe, Norfolk  
**Winter Takes It All - \$500**  
Amber Matthews, Lincoln  
**Multitude Of Money - \$20,000**  
Lindsay Sims, LaVista  
**Multitude Of Money - \$2,000**  
Misty Deplanty, Omaha  
**Multitude Of Money - \$1,000**  
Samuel Copehaver, Omaha (x2)  
Mindy Skeen, McCook  
Mary Gaston, Crete  
Macey Fuhr, Columbus  
Kelly Ward, Lincoln  
Eric Zikmund, Kearney  
Ronald Buettner, Cedar Rapids (x2)  
Kerri Chvatal, North Bend  
Ray Suchan, Beatrice  
Keith Matzen, Blair  
Arlene Miller, Columbus  
Judy Dugan, Elba  
Kaleb Ewing, Lyman  
Derek Wellman, Lincoln  
Jerry Wachtel, Carlton  
**Bonus Quick 7s - \$15,000**  
Radonna Price, Norfolk

**Break The Snowbank - \$12,000**  
Sue Hieb, Grand Island  
**No Holding Back - \$10,000**  
Bryan Brasch, Rising City  
**No Holding Back - \$1,000**  
Randy Virka, Morse Bluff  
David Kissinger, Lincoln  
Keith Matzen, Blair  
Bryan Kutschkau, Grand Island  
Ben Conner, Omaha  
Teena Fedorchik, Kearney  
**The Great 8 - \$8,888**  
Narissa Boyce, Blair  
Holly Morales, Red Cloud  
**Santa Paws - \$5,000**  
Donald Brosius, Arnold  
**Peng-Win Crossword - \$3,333**  
Lyle Horn, Hay Springs  
Jack Clark, Superior  
Janet Booze, Colon  
Oleksandr Kolesnikov, Omaha  
Janet Dixon, St Paul  
James Cross, Lincoln  
Tami Bowen, David City  
Philip Leinen, Omaha  
**Prized Pearl Crossword - \$3,333**  
Jeffrey Neihardt, Seward  
Leticia Lara, Kearney  
**Pumpkin Payout - \$2,000**  
Linda Springer, Hastings  
**Holiday Cash Blast - \$1,000**  
Carie Lammers, Kearney  
Dennis Eskam, Scottsbluff  
Janet Cronk, Lincoln  
Sarah Wolfe, Lexington  
**Windfall Of Wins 9x - \$1,000**  
Tess Johnson, Omaha  
Sharon Bubak, Plattsmouth  
Dale Kuhn, Blue Hill  
**Crossword Inferno - \$1,000**  
Don Longe, Lincoln  
Niona Watgen, Lincoln  
Allison Muncey, Crete  
Eric Bosnell, Alliance  
Rosa Aguilar, Fremont  
Jason Keenan, Fremont  
Michael Blair, Lincoln  
Steven Engleman, Sutherland  
**Crossword Inferno - \$500**  
Harry Trisdale, North Platte  
**Lucky Numbers Super Ticket - \$1,000**  
Charlie Aguirre, Douglas  
Skylar Miller, Gothenburg  
Mary Gaston, Crete  
Margarito Nolasco, Fremont  
Manuel Flores, Grand Island  
**Lucky Numbers Super Ticket - \$570**  
Brandon Wagner, Pierce  
**Triple Tripler - \$1,000**  
Willie Robert, Jr., North Platte  
**Bonus Crossword - \$1,000**  
Michael Earl, Gothenburg  
**10x The Money - \$1,000**  
Tim Maly, Norfolk  
**10x The Money - \$500**  
Ronald Haertel, North Platte  
**7-11-21 - \$700**  
Debra Schaefer, Margolette  
**\$100,000 Jackpot - \$585**  
Brian Morse, Merna  
Kelly Kasselder, Ericson  
Mark Morris, Lincoln

Must be 19 or older to play. Please play responsibly. Problem Gambling Help Line: 800-522-4700

TRUCKS & BUCKS  
TRUCK WINNERS

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FUN FACT

The Nebraska Lottery started operations on September 11, 1993. During 2018 we're going to be celebrating 25 Years of Fun with new games and exciting promotions all year long.

## IT'S BACK

It's time again for one of the Nebraska Lottery's biggest games: Truck\$ & Buck\$. 2018 is the second year when a second chance-drawing won't be held. Instead of a second-chance truck giveaway, Truck\$ players will have the chance to win seven Ford F-150s. Prizes of \$500 in Ethanol-Enriched Fuel and over 70 \$500 cash prizes are also available in the game, and new this year is the addition of free ticket prizes.

While the formula may be different, there are still plenty of chances to win. Truck\$ and Buck\$ is now available at Nebraska Lottery retailers.



## MEGA MILLIONS eCOUPON

One of the perks of being an MVP Club member at nelottery.com is receiving valuable eCoupons for lottery products. At the beginning of February, a Mega Millions eCoupon was sent to all MVP Club members. This eCoupon offers two Mega Millions with Megaplier plays for \$4 – a \$2 discount. If you haven't logged in to your account lately, make sure to do so to redeem your coupon before it expires on March 31.



## YULETIDE RIDE WINNER

The winner of the 2017 Yuletide Ride Promotion claimed their new 2017 Jeep® Compass Trailhawk®. William Bonville of Omaha came to Lottery Headquarters in Lincoln January 29 to receive his new vehicle.

Bonville purchased the ticket that lead to his win at Kwik Shop, 3222 Q Street in Omaha.

The timing of the win could not have come at a better time for Bonville who told Nebraska Lottery officials that his car had broken down recently. He purchased a new vehicle just days before finding out he had won the Jeep. Bonville cannot justify having two cars, so one will have to be sold, but he was clearly impressed with the look of the Jeep when he arrived to take it home.

Between September 25, 2017, and January 16, 2018, MVP Club members submitted 82,783 non-winning holiday Scratch tickets online at nelottery.com. One drawing was held on January 17, 2018 to select the winners of the promotion. In addition to William Bonville, winners of second and third-tier prizes were selected. Margo Ruwe of Hooper won the second prize of \$1,000 cash and \$200 in assorted Nebraska Lottery and Scratch coupons. Sandra Lewis of Kearney and Wade Thiessen of Lincoln won the third prize of \$500 cash and \$200 in assorted Nebraska Lottery Lotto and Scratch coupons.

