



Illinois Lottery

“Second Chance Summer” Promotion

Official Rules & Procedures

1. The Illinois Lottery’s “Second Chance Summer” promotion (hereinafter referred to as the “Promotion”) will begin May 15, 2009, and will award sixty (60) cash prizes of \$35,000 each. A player must be at least 18 years old to enter. Entry may be by mail, in person or on-line. Players may submit as many entries as they wish, and may win more than one prize in the Promotion.

A. Entry by Mail or In Person

To enter by mail, players must submit a minimum of \$35 worth of non-winning Illinois Lottery on-line game tickets with purchase dates from May 15, 2009 through August 28, 2009, or current, non-winning Illinois Lottery instant tickets [visit illinoislottery.com, or phone the Lottery’s player hotline at 1-800-252-1775 (Illinois only) or 1-217-557-6493 (outside Illinois), for a list of qualifying games]. The player must:

- Print* his or her name on the back of all qualifying tickets being submitted as an entry (only one name per ticket and per entry);
- **Sign** the back of at least one ticket in the entry;
- Print* his or her address and a daytime telephone number on the back of at least one of the qualifying tickets;
- Place the non-winning ticket(s) in an envelope no larger than 6” x 9 1/2”;
- Mail the completed entry to: Illinois Lottery 35th Anniversary Promotion, P.O. Box 19086, Springfield, IL 62794-9086.

*Preprinted labels are acceptable and encouraged for legibility.

Players may also **hand deliver** entries meeting the above specifications to the Lottery’s Claims Unit at 101 West Jefferson, Springfield, Illinois, clearly marked “Illinois Lottery Second Chance Summer Promotion, MC5-915”. **DO NOT USE THIS ADDRESS FOR MAIL ENTRIES.**

Players may enter more than once, but **ONLY ONE (1) ENTRY PER ENVELOPE**. If an entry envelope contains more than \$35 worth of qualifying Illinois Lottery tickets, it will constitute only **ONE** entry.

B. On-Line Entry (Available approximately June 4, 2009)

Players may additionally enter the Second Chance Summer promotion by visiting the 35th Anniversary Promotion page on the Illinois Lottery’s website (www.illinoislottery.com) and selecting the appropriate button for on-line 2nd chance entry. On-line entrants will be required to enter their name, address, telephone number and e-mail address, then create their own user name and password to open their Second Chance Summer promotion account. Once the account is opened, players will be required to enter game name, instant ticket game-book-ticket number or on-line ticket serial number from qualifying tickets, and the ticket value. Once they have entered \$35 worth of tickets, players will be allowed to submit an entry for the promotion. A combination of tickets that exceeds \$35 in value will count as only one entry (for example, two \$20 instant tickets). If less than \$35 worth of tickets is entered, the information will be retained in the player’s account, and the player may add additional ticket data on a later date in order to reach the \$35 minimum value for entry. Each ticket serial number can only be entered once during the promotion, and the entrant will be notified upon submitting their entry if any of the serial numbers has already been entered for a Second Chance Summer drawing. Tickets that reject as previously entered into the on-line entry system should be submitted via U.S. Mail entry as set forth above.

IF ANY ON-LINE ENTRY IS SELECTED IN A SECOND CHANCE SUMMER PROMOTION DRAWING, THE ENTRANT WILL BE CONTACTED BY PHONE, E-MAIL AND OVERNIGHT MAIL, AND WILL BE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THE ORIGINAL QUALIFYING, NON-WINNING TICKETS TO THE LOTTERY FOR VERIFICATION PRIOR TO 4:30 P.M. ON THE SECOND BUSINESS DAY AFTER THE DRAWING, OR AN ALTERNATE WINNER WILL BE SELECTED. In order to avoid any allegations of tampering that could compromise drawing results, **THE TICKETS MUST BE DELIVERED IN PERSON** and not sent by mail or overnight delivery.

2. Entries for each weekly drawing must be received by the deadline dates stated in the following schedule. Late entries will be included in the next scheduled Second Chance Summer Promotion weekly drawing. After each weekly drawing, all entries included in that drawing will be discarded – entries will not carry over from week to week. Delay in announcement is to accommodate verification of tickets if an on-line entry is selected as the winner.

DRAW #	ENTRY DEADLINE	DRAWING DATE	ANNOUNCEMENT
#1	June 12, 2009	June 16, 2009	June 19, 2009
#2	June 19, 2009	June 23, 2009	June 26, 2009
#3	June 26, 2009	June 30, 2009	July 3, 2009
#4	July 3, 2009	July 7, 2009	July 10, 2009
#5	July 10, 2009	July 14, 2009	July 17, 2009
#6	July 17, 2009	July 21, 2009	July 24, 2009
#7	July 24, 2009	July 28, 2009	July 31, 2009
#8	July 31, 2009	August 4, 2009	August 7, 2009
#9	August 7, 2009	August 11, 2009	August 14, 2009
#10	August 14, 2009	August 18, 2009	August 21, 2009
#11	August 21, 2009	August 25, 2009	August 28, 2009
#12	August 28, 2009	September 1, 2009	September 4, 2009

For on-line entries, the deadline for inclusion in the final drawing is 11:59 p.m. on August 28, 2009. For U.S. Mail entries and entries hand-delivered to the Lottery's Springfield Claims Unit, the deadline for inclusion in the final drawing is 4:30 p.m. on August 28, 2009.

3. Entries will be disqualified if:
- Less than \$35 worth of qualifying, non-winning Illinois Lottery tickets bearing the entrant's name is contained in the entry envelope;
 - Entrant name, address and telephone number is illegible or incomplete to the extent the entrant cannot be contacted;
 - No ticket submitted in the entry includes the entrant's signature;
 - More than one name appears on the backs of the non-winning tickets submitted in the entry envelope;
 - Entry envelope is larger than 6" x 9 1/2";
 - On-line entries are not received by 11:59 p.m. on August 28, 2009; U.S. mail or hand-delivered entries are not received by 4:30 p.m. on August 28, 2009;
 - For on-line entries, if the original, qualifying, non-winning tickets are not submitted by 4:30 p.m. on the second business day after the drawing to verify the entry, or if the tickets submitted do not match the serial numbers of the on-line entry or are otherwise disqualified by these rules;
 - The entrant is less than 18 years old or is otherwise ineligible to participate in the Promotion by virtue of these rules, the Illinois Lottery Law, or any rules and regulations promulgated pursuant thereto.
 - Entry is late, lost, mutilated, illegible, misdirected or delayed.
4. Drawings will be conducted on a weekly basis to select 5 winning entries for that week. All drawings will be conducted by Lottery officials, in the presence of an auditor, pursuant to written drawing procedures. The winners will be determined by officials of the Illinois Lottery, whose decisions are final. Unless otherwise provided in these rules, winners may be notified in person by Lottery officials, by telephone, or by overnight express letter. If a winner is found to be ineligible to participate in the Promotion, or otherwise forfeits the prize, another winner may be selected. The Lottery reserves the right to conduct press conferences to announce the names of the weekly drawing winners and/or publicly congratulate the winners.
5. All Promotion winners will be required to complete, sign and return a claim form in order to receive their prize. The cash prizes will be paid by State warrant and will be less required state and federal income tax withholding. Any end of year federal and state income taxes and any other taxes are the sole responsibility of the winner.

6. The Promotion is open to persons 18 years of age or older, except members of the Lottery Control Board; officers and employees of the Illinois Department of Revenue; officers and employees of the Illinois Lottery's advertising, public relations, and sales promotion agencies assigned to the Lottery's account; officers and employees of audit firms performing work for the Illinois Lottery; and certain other contractors of the Illinois Lottery.
7. The odds of winning for any drawing are dependent upon the number of entries received for that drawing.
8. Tickets, transactions and winners are subject to all Lottery procedures, rules, directives, State law and any lawful changes thereof.