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Powerball Jackpot Increases to \$435 Million

Next Drawing is Saturday, June 10

Lottery players have a chance to win a *Powerball* jackpot of \$435 million in Saturday night's drawing, which comes to an estimated \$273.1 million cash payout.

The \$435 million *Powerball* jackpot is on target to be *Powerball's* 8th largest jackpot. We are now on track to have two top ten *Powerball* jackpots in 2017.

We've already had three *Powerball* jackpot wins in calendar year 2017, including the \$156.2 million jackpot that was won in Pewaukee on March 22. The winning ticket was sold at Pewaukee Corner Pump at 1194 West Capitol Drive in Pewaukee.

Saturday's drawing will be the twentieth roll in the current draw cycle that started on April 5. The last *Powerball* jackpot win was in Arizona on April 1.

The record \$1.586 billion jackpot was hit on the 20th roll in January 2016.

Tickets must be purchased by 9 p.m. to be included in the Wednesday, June 7 drawing:

- Each ticket costs \$2 per play
- Choose five different numbers from 1 to 69 and one *Powerball* number from 1 to 26
- Sign your ticket and check it as soon as possible to avoid missing out on any prize you may have won

While the jackpot gets the most attention, there are other prizes to be won in *Powerball*. Prizes range from \$4 for matching just the *Powerball* to \$1 million for matching all five numbers (but not the *Powerball*). For an extra \$1 per play, you can choose Power Play to increase your non-jackpot winnings which will be multiplied by the drawing's Power Play number. For example, if your prize is \$50,000 and the Power Play number is 5, you win \$250,000 just by adding Power Play. The \$1 million prize automatically becomes \$2 million with Power Play.



The odds of winning the Powerball jackpot are approximately 1:292.2 million.

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