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## **Badger 5 Limited Time Offer Debuts Today**

MADISON, Wis. – The Wisconsin-only lotto game, <u>Badger 5</u>, is adding some fast ways to win this month.

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From June 1-30, 2023, when a player purchases a *Badger 5* ticket, they have a 1 in 5 chance of getting a \$1 **Fast Play 5X** bonus ticket with their play.

During this limited time offer, a separate *Fast Play 5X* bonus ticket will be generated for every fifth *Badger 5* play purchased statewide. Players should be mindful that purchasing five *Badger 5* tickets does not guarantee a bonus ticket, as transactions happen nearly simultaneously across the state. The offer does not apply to advance plays for *Badger 5*.

There is no additional cost for the limited time offer. *Badger 5* costs \$1 per play and is drawn daily. *Badger 5* offers a starting jackpot of \$10,000 that rolls until it is won. The estimated *Badger 5* jackpot for the Thursday, June 1, 2023, drawing is \$94,000.

Launched on April 23, 2023, *Fast Play* is a new group of lotto games that combine instant wins with a growing Progressive Jackpot. *Fast Play 5X* tickets have individual prizes and include an opportunity to win 10% of the Progressive Jackpot. The current, estimated Fast Play Progressive Jackpot can be found on wilottery.com or by visiting a Wisconsin Lottery retailer.

Unlike other lotto games, the *Fast Play* Progressive Jackpot can be won instantly. The Wisconsin Lottery *Fast Play* Progressive Jackpot is only winnable in Wisconsin and is not shared with other states. A quick way players can confirm if their *Fast Play* ticket is a winner is by using the Lottery's new mobile app, available on the App Store or Google Play.

In addition to offering a bonus ticket the limited time offer includes some fun elements players should enjoy. When a player receives a *Fast Play* bonus ticket with a *Badger 5* purchase, Lottery terminals will play a sound clip saying, "Player gets a Bonus Ticket!" and on the touchscreen of Wisconsin Lottery vending machines, a "Congratulations! You won a special ticket!" message will appear.

*Badger 5* and *Fast Play 5X* are separate lotto games with separate jackpots. The odds of winning the *Badger 5* jackpot are 1 in 169,911. The odds of winning 10% of the *Fast Play* Progressive Jackpot are 1 in 240,000. For more information about this limited time offer or other Wisconsin Lottery games, go to <u>wilottery.com</u>.

## ABOUT THE WISCONSIN LOTTERY

The Wisconsin Lottery enriches communities statewide by giving back 93 percent of its revenue to winners, retailers, and Wisconsin homeowners. Since 1988, the Wisconsin Lottery has generated:

- More than \$18 billion in total revenue
- Over \$10.2 billion in prizes paid
- More than \$5.4 billion in funding for property tax credits to eligible Wisconsin homeowners

For more about the Wisconsin Lottery, visit <u>wilottery.com</u>. Follow the Wisconsin Lottery on Facebook (<u>/wilottery</u>), Instagram (<u>@wilottery</u>), Twitter (<u>@wilottery</u>), and YouTube (<u>/wilottery</u>).

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