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## $\mathbf{\$ 2 0 0 , 0 0 0}$ Powerball Winning Tickets Sold in Algoma and West Bend Estimated jackpot for Wednesday drawing \$1 billion

MADISON, Wis. - Two $\$ 200,000$ winning tickets were sold for the Monday, July 17 Powerball drawing. The tickets were purchased at Kwik Trip on 806 S. Main St. in West Bend and at Jandu Petroleum on 1101 Lake St. in Algoma.

Both tickets added the $\$ 1$ Power Play option to their Powerball play. The result - two $\$ 50,000$ winning tickets turned into two $\$ 200,000$ winning tickets because of the 4X Power Play multiplier.

The winning tickets matched four of five numbers (5-8-9-17-41) but not the Powerball (21).

July has been a hot month for Wisconsin Powerball players. Since July 1, eight big winning tickets ranging from $\$ 50,000$ to $\$ 200,000$ have been sold at retailers across the state.

For the third time ever, the Powerball jackpot has reached the one-billion-dollar mark! The jackpot is currently estimated at $\$ 1$ billion for the next drawing on Wednesday, July 19. The jackpot has an estimated cash value of $\$ 516.8$ million.

The jackpot ranks as the seventh largest U.S. lottery jackpot and
 third largest Powerball jackpot, only behind the world record $\$ 2.04$ billion Powerball jackpot won last year and the $\$ 1.586$ billion Powerball jackpot won in 2016.

Even though the jackpot was not hit, the Wisconsin Lottery urges players to check their tickets for one of the nine ways to win. The Monday drawing produced more than 2.8 million winning tickets nationwide, with players winning lower-tier cash prizes worth a combined $\$ 41.7$ million.

The Wisconsin Lottery also reminds players to please play responsibly.
Powerball drawings are Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday at 9:59 p.m. Tickets must be purchased before 9 p.m. to be included in a drawing. Powerball tickets are $\$ 2$ per play, with the option to buy the Power Play feature for an additional dollar.

The odds of winning a $\$ 50,000$ Powerball prize are $1: 913,130$. The odds of winning the Powerball jackpot are 1:292,201,338.

For the $\$ 1$ Powerball Play add-on option, the odds of a 4X multiplier being drawn last night were 1:14. Power Play does not apply to the jackpot. A $\$ 1,000,000$ prize can become $\$ 2,000,000$ with the Power Play. The Power Play multiplier for the $\$ 1,000,000$ prize can never be greater than 2X.

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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

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