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## \$50,000 Powerball Ticket Sold in West Allis

3<sup>rd</sup> big Powerball win in Wisconsin in August

**MADISON, Wis.** – A \$50,000 <u>Powerball</u> winning ticket was sold at **Pick N Save** on 6760 W. National Ave. in West Allis for the Wednesday, August 16 drawing. The winning ticket matched four of five numbers (9-11-17-19-55) plus the *Powerball* (1).

The West Allis *Powerball* win is the third big *Powerball* prize won in August so far. On August 9, a \$100,000 *Powerball* winning ticket was sold at Kwik Trip in Luxemburg and on August 7, a \$50,000 *Powerball* winning ticket was purchased at Kwik Trip in Appleton.

This is not the first significant win at the West Allis Pick N Save. During the last four years, the Lottery retailer sold winning scratch tickets of \$100,000 and \$60,000 and in 2019, sold a \$63,000 **Badger 5** jackpot. In addition, the store has had nine Straight play **Pick 4** wins of either \$2,500 or \$5,000.

*Powerball's* top prize is rising again, with the estimated jackpot of \$264 million for the Saturday, August 19 drawing.

Players have 180 days from the draw date to claim their winnings. Information on how to claim a prize is available at wilottery.com/winners/claim-prize. Players should sign their tickets as soon as possible after their purchase. Lottery tickets are bearer instruments; whoever signs the back of the ticket is considered the rightful owner.

Wisconsin Lottery retailers who sell winning tickets over \$599 receive a two percent Retailer Performance Winning Ticket Incentive, up to \$100,000.

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

*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 a 2X multiplier being drawn for the \$100,000 Luxemburg win at Kwik Trip were 1:1.75. *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.

The odds of winning a *Badger 5* jackpot are 1:169,911 while the odds of winning a Straight play on *Pick 4* are 1:10,000.

## 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

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