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Faulkner County man wins \$105,000 in The Natural State Jackpot Game

LITTLE ROCK – Tony Harrington of Greenbrier is \$105,000 richer after winning the prize in the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery's NSJ game last night.

Tony purchased his winning ticket at the Doublebees in Greenbrier. For selling the winning ticket, the store is eligible for a \$1,050 retailer bonus.

Tony said he told his mother first. He plans to pay off a few bills and save the rest of the prize for now.

The Natural State Jackpot (NSJ) is a drawing game exclusive to Arkansas. NSJ drawings are held Monday through Saturday at 8 p.m. CST. The jackpot prize of the game starts at \$25,000 and increases by \$5,000 every draw until the jackpot is won. Five numbers are drawn from 1 to 39. If all your numbers match those that are chosen, you win the jackpot. If other players also match all five numbers, the prize will be shared in equal amounts. Each play is \$1. For games, odds, and other information visit myarkansaslottery.com. To get help with problem gambling, contact the National Problem Gambling Helpline 1-800-522-4700. To hear winning numbers, call the Winning Numbers Hotline 501-682-IWON [4966]. Follow us on Facebook and Twitter.

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