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FORTY FIND WINNING IS A BLAST

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LITTLE ROCK—It's been a busy week at the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery claim center in downtown Little Rock—even just counting \$10,000 Blast! prize claims. A half-dozen Arkansas players have claimed \$10,000 top prizes in the game this week so far, making a total of *forty* \$10,000 winners in this game this month. And with new \$1, \$2, \$3 and \$10 instant games for December launching yesterday, the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery hopes for a brighter holiday season for all our players -- as well as our lottery-funded scholarship recipients.

The latest \$10,000 Blast! top prize winners are Stephanie Crowder of Beebe, Fedrico Salas of Mabelvale, George Crutchfield of Little Rock, Tomeka Emerson of McGehee, Sheena Goal of Wabbaseka, and Liza Karima Resendiz of Jonesboro. The respective winning tickets were sold at Tobacco Warehouse #18 in Beebe, Luknath Food Mart in Little Rock, Doublebees #111 in Conway, Jolly Roger Food Mart of McGehee, C & B Market of Wabbaseka, and Murphy USA #8523 of Jonesboro.

About \$10 \$10,000 Blast!

\$10,000 Blast! is a \$10 instant game from the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery that launched November 1 loaded with 130 \$10,000 top prizes. Ninety \$10,000 top prizes remain to be claimed in this game. \$10,000 Blast! has more than \$6.3 million in cash prizes remaining – including \$1.3 million in \$10,000 top prizes. Overall odds for this game are 1 in 3.00. (The Arkansas Scholarship Lottery is unable to determine how many winning tickets are lost or purchased but still remain unclaimed. Prizes remaining are updated daily.)

About new December instant games

I Love to Win! is a new \$1 game with a \$3,000 top prize and four different scenes; Tic Tac Tripler is a new \$2 game with a \$20,000 top prize; Bingo! Is a new \$3 game with a \$75,000 top prize and three different scenes; Lucky You! is a new \$5 game with a \$100,000 top prize; and CA\$H BA\$H is a new \$10 game with a top prize of \$250,000. These games launched November 29.

About the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery

More than 92 cents of every dollar of Lottery revenue goes to prizes, scholarships, retailer commissions and other expenses in Arkansas. Since Lottery sales started in 2009, the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery has provided nearly \$700 million for in-state college scholarships to Arkansas students, nearly \$2 billion in prizes to players and more than \$178 million in commissions to Lottery retailers.

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