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\$10K BLOWOUT INSTANT GAME PULLS IN TOP PRIZE WINNERS IN JULY

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LITTLE ROCK— \$10,000 Blowout, one of the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery's \$10 instant games, has been on a blowout of its own this month, with top prize winners from across the state:

- *On July 12, Rebecca Helton of Russellville claimed \$10,000 playing a \$10 \$10,000 Blowout instant ticket purchased from ASL retailer Tobacco Town East Main, 1710 E. Main St., in Russellville. She first told her sister about the win, and said she was going to put the prize toward a house she is building.
- *On July 13, Teddy Thomas of Jonesboro claimed \$10,000 playing a \$10 \$10,000 Blowout instant ticket purchased from ASL retailer Doublebees #129, 3511 Harrisburg Road, in Jonesboro. He first told the store clerk about the win, and said he was going to bank the prize.
- *On July 15, Charles Lovil of Mayflower claimed \$10,000 playing a \$10 \$10,000 Blowout instant ticket purchased from ASL retailer Bates Field & Stream, 4 Lake Forest Dr., in Mayflower. He first told a friend about the win, and said he was going to pay off his car with the prize and save the rest.
- *Also on July 15, Ryan Ware of North Little Rock claimed \$10,000 playing a \$10 \$10,000 Blowout instant ticket purchased from ASL retailer Best Super Stop, 4414 Broadway, in North Little Rock. He first told his cousin about the win, and said he had no plans for the prize.
- *On July 25, Jason Bell of Fayetteville claimed \$10,000 playing a \$10 \$10,000 Blowout instant ticket purchased from ASL retailer Kum & Go #406, 500 N. Old Missouri Road, in Springdale. He first told his mom about the win, and said he was going to pay bills with the prize.

- *On July 26, Tiffany Pearson of Arkansas City claimed \$10,000 playing a \$10 \$10,000 Blowout instant ticket purchased from ASL retailer Valero, 3309 Hwy. 65 North, in Dermott. She first told her mother about the win, and said she was going to spend the prize towards the purchase of a car.
- *On July 27, Paul Norris of Morrilton claimed \$10,000 playing a \$10 \$10,000 Blowout instant ticket purchased from ASL retailer Tobacco Corner Plus-Morrilton, 319 E. Broadway, in Morrilton. He first told the store clerk about the win, and said he was going to pay bills with the prize.
- *And today, Anthony Friemel of Paris claimed \$10,000 playing a \$10 \$10,000 Blowout instant ticket purchased from ASL retailer Exit 57 Express, 1001 Interstate Road, in Clarksville. He first told his wife about the win, and said he was going to pay bills with the prize and save the rest.
- *Also today, Larry Johnson of Glenwood claimed \$10,000 playing a \$10 \$10,000 Blowout instant ticket purchased from ASL retailer Food Plaza, 420 N. First St., in Glenwood. He first told his wife about the win, and said he was going to buy a home generator with the prize.

As the name suggests, \$10,000 Blowout is a \$10 instant game with a \$10,000 top prize launched in April by the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery. The game still has an estimated more than \$1.6 million in prizes yet to be claimed with prizes ranging from \$10,000 to \$10. (All prizes remaining are estimated according to winning tickets that have already been claimed. The ASL cannot determine how many winning tickets may be lost or purchased but as of yet remain unclaimed. All win combinations for each prize amount have been combined into the same prize tier row. Prizes remaining are updated daily.)

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 more than \$600 million for in-state college scholarships to Arkansas students, \$2 billion in prizes to players and \$170 million in commissions to Lottery retailers.

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