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Arkansas Lottery Brings Back Popular 5-Buck Bundle Promotion

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LITTLE ROCK, Ark. – The Arkansas Scholarship Lottery (ASL) is bringing back its popular 5-Buck Bundle starting Jan. 1. For just \$5, players will receive a \$3 Powerball[®] ticket with Power Play[®], a \$2 Mega Millions[®] ticket, and a free \$1 Natural State Jackpot ticket. The 5-Buck Bundle will be eligible with Quick Picks only.

"All players have to do to get this great deal is visit their local lottery retailer and ask for the 5-Buck Bundle," said ASL Executive Director Eric Hagler.

The Powerball jackpot for Saturday night's drawing is up to \$760 million, and tomorrow night's Mega Millions jackpot has reached \$92 million. The Natural State Jackpot, exclusive to Arkansas, is \$105,000 for tonight's drawing.

"As long as no one wins these jackpots, they will continue to increase. Drawings for Powerball are held three days a week, and Mega Millions drawings occur twice a week. Both games grow by several million dollars each time no one wins the jackpot.

"The Natural State Jackpot draws six nights a week and increases by \$5,000 daily until it reaches \$150,000. After that, it increases by \$10,000 every draw until it's won," Hagler said.

Also, on Jan. 2, the lottery will launch five new instant tickets ranging in price from \$1 to \$10. Each ticket is loaded with prizes, and players can win multiple times on each ticket. The total prize money up for grabs is \$21,305,117.

Hagler reminds players that if gambling is causing a problem for an individual, help is available by calling or texting the 24-hour confidential National Problem Gambling Helpline at 1-800-522-4700.

About the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery

More than 92 cents of every dollar of ASL revenue goes to prizes, scholarships, retailer commissions, and other expenses in Arkansas. Since 2009, the lottery has raised more than \$1.3

billion in proceeds for scholarships. More than 720,000 college scholarships have been awarded to Arkansans. The lottery has awarded more than \$4.8 billion in prizes to players, about \$401 million in retailer commissions, and provided more than \$172 million in state and federal tax revenue.

Follow the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u> and <u>Instagram</u>. Visit <u>MyArkansasLottery.com</u> for more information on scholarships, winners, games, odds, promotions – and to join The Club for free. To hear winning numbers, call the Winning Numbers Hotline at 501-682-IWON (4966). To get help with problem gambling, contact the National Problem Gambling Helpline at 1-800-522-4700.

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