DARDANELLE POWERBALL PLAYER CLAIMS $100,000 WIN

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LITTLE ROCK— We've found the $100,000 Powerball from Saturday's drawing! Juan Afane of Dardanelle said he is going to put this powerful Powerball prize toward his son's education and their house. Mr. Afane has been playing these Powerball numbers for a while, as they are family birthdays. On Saturday, Mr. Afane's family numbers became lucky numbers! The winning ticket was sold at Ever So Fast, 1158 Highway 7 North, in Dardanelle.

About Powerball

Thousands of Arkansas players have been Powerball winners since the state started Powerball sales on October 31, 2009. Powerball itself began in April 1992 in 15 states with jackpots that started at a guaranteed $2 million. Since then, Powerball has grown into one of the world's biggest and most recognizable lottery games, sold by 47 lotteries across the nation, with players buying more than $4 billion in Powerball tickets each year. The world record jackpot was set in January by a Powerball jackpot run that reached $1.586 billion and hit in Tennessee, California and Florida.

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 nearly $175 million in commissions to Lottery retailers.

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