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IT'S NATURAL STATE JACKPOT'S LAST-EVER \$175,000 PRIZE

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LITTLE ROCK – At \$175,000, tonight's Natural State Jackpot prize will never be at this level again. But it's only because of changes coming to the Arkansas-only draw game March 13.

Presently, Natural State Jackpot's jackpot starts at \$25,000 and increases by \$5,000 every draw until the jackpot is won. But NSJ changes on March 13, with its jackpots starting bigger and growing faster. Starting on the 13th, beginning NSJ jackpots will double from \$25,000 to \$50,000 -- with a \$5,000 roll that rises to \$10,000 per roll once the jackpot reaches \$150,000 and higher.

So, with no NSJ jackpot winner now since January, tonight's \$175,000 Natural State Jackpot prize will be the last-ever at that amount – but the Natural State Jackpot fun will continue on with bigger and faster-growing jackpots.

About Natural State Jackpot

Natural State Jackpot is a terminal-generated draw game similar to multi-state Powerball, but is played only in Arkansas. Drawings are held Monday through Saturday at 8 p.m.; each play is \$1. Five numbers from 1 to 39 are drawn; if a player's numbers match those that are chosen, the player wins the jackpot.

About the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery

Since its inception 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 \$182 million in commissions to Lottery retailers. More than 92 cents of every dollar of Lottery revenue goes to prizes, scholarships, retailer commissions and other expenses in Arkansas.

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