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## **Lottery Jackpots Continue to Skyrocket**

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LITTLE ROCK, Ark. – Lottery players in Arkansas have a chance to win big this weekend as the lottery jackpots continue to soar.

Tonight, the Mega Millions® jackpot stands at \$815 million, while the Natural State Jackpot has reached \$75,000. Tomorrow night, the LOTTO jackpot will be worth \$1.289 million, and the Powerball® jackpot has surged to \$600 million.

The combined total for all jackpots is now more than \$1.4 billion.

"The real madness in March are these dueling jackpots," said Eric Hagler, executive director of the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery. "We are always thrilled when the jackpots go on big runs simultaneously, and Arkansans have been winning big lottery prizes weekly."

Research indicates there is a lottery prize winner every 1.3 seconds. Additionally, purchasing these lottery tickets helps fund education in Arkansas, with over 720,000 college scholarships awarded to Arkansans since 2009.

The Arkansas Scholarship Lottery reminds players to play responsibly. For more information, including game odds and how to play, visit MyArkansasLottery.com.

## **About the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery**

The Arkansas Scholarship Lottery creates winning people, winning futures and winning moments. Since 2009, the ASL has sold over \$7.2 billion and returned more than \$1.3 billion for scholarships to benefit Arkansas students. More than 720,000 college scholarships have been awarded to Arkansans. The lottery has awarded more than \$4.9 billion in prizes to players, about \$409 million in retailer commissions, and provided more than \$175 million in state and federal tax revenue.

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promotions – and to join The Club for free. To get help with problem gambling, contact the National Problem Gambling Helpline at 1-800-522-4700.