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### **Several Lottery Jackpots Going Sky High** *New LOTTO Jackpot Tops \$1 Million*

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LITTLE ROCK, Ark. – Arkansas lottery players have multiple chances to start the new year as a millionaire. The state’s newest game LOTTO, which is only played and won in Arkansas, has surpassed the \$1 million mark. The drawing on Wednesday will be for \$1,011,000.

The Mega Millions® jackpot has skyrocketed to \$565 million for tonight’s drawing, and the Powerball® jackpot for Wednesday night’s drawing is \$215 million. The lottery’s Lucky for Life® game also offers players a chance at winning \$365,000 a year for life or a one-time payout of approximately \$5.7 million.

In addition, two \$20 scratch-off tickets each have \$1 million prizes available. The \$1,000,000 Cash ticket has three top prizes in market, and the \$1,000,000 Riches ticket still has one \$1 million prize left on it.

LOTTO was launched on Sept. 21 and is still looking for its first jackpot winner. Two LOTTO players have cashed winning tickets for \$25,000 and 61 people have won \$1,500 or more. However, the top prize has eluded players for three months.

“It would be fantastic if an Arkansas lottery player could start 2023 as a millionaire,” said Eric Hagler, Arkansas Scholarship Lottery executive director. “We are anxiously awaiting our first LOTTO jackpot winner, and we are excited that the jackpot is now more than \$1 million.”

The Arkansas Scholarship Lottery reminds players to play responsibly. For game odds and winning numbers visit [MyArkansasLottery.com](http://MyArkansasLottery.com).

#### **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 \$1.2 billion in proceeds for scholarships. More than 675,000 college scholarships have been awarded to Arkansans. The lottery has paid more than \$4 billion in prizes to players, about \$366 million in retailer commissions and provided more than \$159 million in state and federal tax revenue.

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