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## \$13.2 Million in Prizes Won on Kansas Lottery Games during the Month of August

TOPEKA, KAN. – The Kansas Lottery announced \$13.2 million in prizes were won on Lottery games throughout August. Of that, \$9.9 million was won on instant scratch games, \$2.4 million was won on draw games, and \$917,217 was won on monitor games.

Kansas is one of seven states where winners can claim their prizes anonymously, and while the Kansas Lottery saw a handful of top-tier instant scratch winners this past month, they all chose to remain anonymous. However, some highlights from top-tier instant scratch game winners include one \$100,000 winner on the <u>Extreme Crossword</u> ticket, one \$100,000 winner on the <u>\$100,000 Crossword</u> ticket, one \$77,777 winner on the <u>Emerald 7s</u> ticket, and one \$75,000 winner on the Mega Jumbo Bucks ticket, which was the final top prize in the game.

Highlights in draw games include a jackpot win in the Super Kansas Cash game. A Johnson County resident claimed the jackpot worth \$1.08 million anonymously. Super Kansas Cash had \$1.3 million in overall prizes won, of that, about \$1.1 million were top-tier prizes.

Below is a breakdown of the top-tier prize amounts won per region:

- Northeast Kansas: \$1,090,070
- South Central Kansas: \$2,000
- Southeast Kansas: \$2,000
- Southwest Kansas: \$2,000

Powerball had \$236,489 in overall prizes won, and \$3,000 in top-tier prizes. Below is a breakdown of the amount won per region:

- North Central Kansas: \$1,000
- South Central Kansas: \$1,000
- Southwest Kansas: \$1,000

Lucky for Life had \$191,280 in overall prizes won, with \$25,000 in top-tier prizes. Below is a breakdown of the amounts won per region:

- South Central Kansas: \$10,000
- Southwest Kansas: \$5,000
- Northeast Kansas: \$5,000
- Northwest Kansas: \$5,000

Mega Millions had a high volume of winners with \$130,094 in overall prizes won in August. Of that, \$31,000 was won on top-tier prizes. Below is a breakdown of the top-tier amounts won per region:

- North Central Kansas: \$21,000
- South Central Kansas: \$10,000

In Lotto America, \$114,409 in overall prizes were won throughout the month, \$4,000 was on top-tier prizes. Below is a breakdown of the top-tier amounts won per region:

- South Central Kansas: \$2,000
- Southwest Kansas: \$1,000
- Northeast Kansas: \$1,000

The daily draw game Pick 3 had \$295,720 in overall prizes won in August. The game also had 314 top-tier winners who each won \$500. Below is a breakdown of the top-tier amounts won per region:

- Northeast Kansas: \$96,000
- South Central Kansas: \$37,000
- North Central Kansas: \$9,500
- Southeast Kansas: \$7,500
- Southwest Kansas: \$7,000

While 2by2 didn't have any top-tier prizes won, \$47,567 was won on prizes less than \$500.

The monitor game Keno saw \$605,112 in prizes won across the state, and the game Racetrax had \$312,609 in prizes won.

The Kansas Lottery encourages its players to double-check their tickets since many of the top tier prizes remain unclaimed. Players have 365 days from the date of a drawing to claim their prize. For instant games, players have 180 days from the date a game ends to claim their prize.

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