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Combined jackpots reach \$878M

For the first time, Mega Millions® and Powerball® both top \$400M

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LITTLE ROCK – Stop the presses! Tonight’s Powerball® jackpot has been increased to an estimated \$460 million, while Friday’s Mega Millions® jackpot is an estimated \$418 million.

“This is the first time in history that both national draw games have gone over \$400 million at the same time,” Arkansas Scholarship Lottery Director Bishop Woosley said. “Also, our Arkansas-only Natural State Jackpot has been on a roll, too – tonight’s NSJ jackpot is \$140,000!”

A simple way for novices and seasoned players alike to join the fun is the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery’s 5-Buck Bundle promotion offered through February. Players who buy the bundle get a \$3 Powerball® with Power Play® ticket, a \$2 Mega Millions® ticket, and a *free* \$1 Natural State Jackpot ticket. (All three tickets will be Quick Picks. This promotion is not available from lottery TVMs or if tickets are purchased separately.)

About these draw games

Powerball® is sold in 47 lotteries across the nation. Arkansas has had million dollar-plus Powerball® winners in Fayetteville, Uniontown, Conway, Hot Springs, Grubbs, De Queen, Little Rock, Searcy, Berryville and Jacksonville. Mega Millions® is offered in 46 U.S. lotteries; in March, the state had the largest jackpot ticket ever sold in Arkansas: a \$177 million Mega Millions® jackpot winner in Stuttgart. Natural State Jackpot is a draw game similar to the national games, but is sold only in Arkansas.

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 the state. Since the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery began in 2009, the Lottery has provided more than \$724 million for more than 275,000 scholarships to Arkansas students to 51 colleges, universities and technical schools in the state. It has provided more than \$2.4 billion in prizes to players, and more than \$209 million in commissions to Lottery retailers.

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