



**JACKPOT ALERT!**

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## **Wednesday Night's Powerball Jackpot Climbs to \$1.25 Billion**

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LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — The Powerball® jackpot continues to climb as the holidays approach.

Tonight's \$1.25 billion jackpot remains the draw game's sixth-highest jackpot of all time. It is also Powerball's second-highest jackpot of the year, marking only the second time the game has produced two consecutive jackpots of \$1 billion or more.

Powerball drawings are held every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 9:59 p.m. Tickets cost \$2 per play, and ticket sales cut off at 8:59 p.m. on the night of the drawing. To win the jackpot, a player must match all five numbers and the Powerball number. Other prizes are available for players who only match the Powerball number.

Once won, the jackpot will reset to \$20 million for the next drawing. If more than one player matches all six numbers drawn, the jackpot will be split evenly among the winners.

Arkansas lottery players have 180 days from the draw date to claim their prizes.

Powerball tickets are available for purchase at licensed Arkansas lottery retailers and through retailer apps from ASL's Play on the Go partners. For more information about the Play on the Go options, visit the [Where To Play](#) page on the ASL website.

For more information about Powerball and other lottery games, visit [MyArkansasLottery.com](http://MyArkansasLottery.com).

### About the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery

The Arkansas Scholarship Lottery (ASL) creates winning people, winning futures, and winning moments. Since 2009, the ASL has sold over \$8 billion and returned more than \$1.5 billion for scholarships to benefit Arkansas students. More than 822,000 college scholarships distributed by the Arkansas Department of Higher Education have been awarded to Arkansans. The lottery has awarded more than \$5.6 billion in prizes to players, more than \$467 million in retailer commissions, and provided more than \$190 million in state and federal tax revenue.

Follow the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery on [Facebook](#), [X](#), formerly known as Twitter, and [Instagram](#). Visit [MyArkansasLottery.com](#) for more information on scholarships, winners, games, odds, 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.



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**DON'T MISS OUT ON  
\$1.25 BILLION!**

Call or text 1-800-522-4700 for Problem Gambling Helpline.

The image shows a man with a grey beard and mustache, wearing a dark blue button-down shirt, smiling and pointing his right index finger towards the text. He is holding a white Arkansas Powerball lottery ticket in his left hand. The ticket displays the 'POWERBALL' logo, the date 'WEDNESDAY 09/10/2023', the time '11:00 PM', and the numbers '10 09 10 18 31' with a 'Total \$1.25B'. It also includes a barcode and the instruction 'PLEASE SIGN REVERSE SIDE OF THIS TICKET IMMEDIATELY AFTER PURCHASE'.

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