

## **OFFICIAL RULES OF THE "EVERYBODY WINS" MEGA RAFFLE**

The "Everybody Wins" Mega Raffle commences Thursday, April 4, 2024, and concludes at 1:00 p.m., Thursday, May 30, 2024 (the "Raffle Period"). The raffle will be conducted under one or more licenses issued to Quincy Notre Dame (QND) and will benefit the Quincy Notre Dame Foundation (QNDF) and the Quincy Catholic Elementary Schools Foundation (QCESF). The QCESF and the QNDF are not-for-profit corporations which are exempt from federal taxation under §501 of the Internal Revenue Code. The Raffle Manager shall be Schreacke and Associates, PC, certified public accountants. The QNDF offices are located at 1400 South 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Quincy, Illinois 62301. By purchasing a raffle ticket, each entrant agrees to be unconditionally bound by these rules. The Executive Directors of the QCESF and the QNDF are not eligible for raffle prizes. Further, employees or immediate family members of the QND/QCES Foundations, which includes spouses and children living at home, will NOT be permitted to purchase mega raffle tickets.

However, in regards to the \$25,000 EB prize, family members, of employees, will be allowed to sell tickets and can earn the right to be in the one-time EB ticket seller drawing.

Entry: The cost of each raffle ticket is \$100. Raffle tickets may be purchased in the

following manner:

- In person at any of the four Quincy Catholic elementary schools, Quincy Notre Dame Foundation office, from designated raffle agents, the Gene Graw Office or participating Quincy Catholic school parents and volunteers;
- 2. On-line at <u>QuincyMegaRaffle.org</u> starting on Friday, April 4, 2024.
- 3. By telephone: tickets can be purchased by phone at 217-224-2598 (QND Foundation office), parish coordinators or Catholic school parents, volunteers and school offices.
- 4. Tickets can be paid by cash, MasterCard, VISA or checks payable to "Everybody Wins" Mega Raffle. Only one method of payment is accepted with each ticket.

A maximum of 4,000 tickets will be sold. Each ticket will be separately numbered in serial

form. Payment must accompany purchased ticket and may be paid by personal check, cashier's check, money order, cash or credit card. A confirmation post card will be sent out verifying your

ticket purchase. Any payment received after the first 4,000 tickets have been sold and registered in the database will be returned. All sales shall be final and no refund will be made, except at the sole discretion of the Quincy Notre Dame Foundation. A manager designated by QNDF shall maintain a registry of the name, address and telephone number of the owner of each ticket sold. Raffle prizes will be issued only to the registered owner of a winning raffle ticket. The Raffle Manager shall reserve the right to disqualify entries deemed invalid by reason of improper or insufficient payment, material misrepresentation of fact by the purchaser or any other rule violation or material defect which renders the awarding of the prize improper, illegal or practically unfeasible. Neither QCESF, QNDF, nor the Raffle Manager will be liable for any alleged losses arising from defective printing, lost or misdirected proceeds of sale or any other failure of performance, beyond the refund of the sale price of a ticket or tickets, as determined in the sole discretion of QNDF or the Raffle Manager. In the event an entrant is refunded the purchase price for one or more tickets, such tickets may be resold and prizes awarded free and clear of any claim from the entrant receiving the refund.

**Drawings:** Forty (40) random drawings will be conducted under the supervision of the Raffle Manager. Entrants need not be present to win. A schedule for Early Bird Drawing and the Fantastic Friday Drawing is attached as Addendum 1. The winning ticket of the Early Bird Drawing will be eligible for the Fantastic Friday Drawing. The winners of the Fantastic Friday Drawing are still eligible for the remaining prizes at the Mega Drawing. To be eligible for the Early Bird Drawing, your ticket must be purchased and turned into the QND Foundation by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, May 3, 2024.

**Notification:** All winning entries will be deemed the winner of the prize for that particular drawing and will be notified by phone or mail based on the information provided by the entrant.

If a winning entrant cannot be located or fails to respond to good-faith attempts to contact the winning entrant by 4:30 p.m. thirty (30) business days after the drawing, the raffle prize will be deemed forfeited and the prize will be split evenly between the two benefitting organizations. By accepting a prize, each entrant shall be deemed to grant their permission for the use of their name and likeness for advertising and promotion of the Mega Raffle without further compensation. Prizes will be paid by check and may be claimed at the QNDF office.

**Prizes:** One (1) Early Bird Drawing will take place on Friday, May 17, 2024. The drawing will be for \$25,000 cash. All ticket <u>sellers</u> and <u>purchasers</u> are eligible for the one (1) "Early Bird" drawing. The deadline to qualify is 4:00 p.m., on Friday, May 3, at the QNDF office. The Early Bird ticket purchaser must be an individual and cannot be an organization.

- Fantastic Friday Drawing: The four (4) winners of the Fantastic Friday Drawing will each receive \$500;
- 2. Top Ticket Sellers: The person selling the most tickets will win \$500.
- 3. Grand Prize: The Grand Prize winner will receive \$100,000;
- 4. 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Drawing: The winner of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Drawing will receive \$15,000.
- 5. 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Drawing: The winner of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Drawing will receive \$10,000;
- 4<sup>th</sup> through 11<sup>th</sup> Place Drawings: The winners of the 4<sup>th</sup> through 11<sup>th</sup> place drawings will each receive \$1,000;
- 12<sup>th</sup> through 24<sup>th</sup> Place Drawings: The winners of the 12<sup>th</sup> through 24<sup>th</sup> place drawings will each receive \$500;
- 25<sup>th</sup> through 35<sup>th</sup> Place Drawings: The winners of the 25<sup>th</sup> through 35<sup>th</sup> place drawings will each receive \$250;

**Disclaimer:** If the QCES and QND Foundations do not sell 4,000 tickets by 1:00 p.m., on Thursday, May 30, 2024, the QCES and QND Foundations reserve the right to withdraw initial prizes and the raffle will become a "50/50" raffle. The balance of the proceeds shall then be divided equally between QCESF and QNDF (50%) and the raffle winner (50%). Cash prizes will be reduced pro-rata. No sales incentive prizes shall be awarded in the event the raffle does become a 50/50 raffle. The Foundations also reserves the right to pro-rate the Ticket Give-Back funds if the Mega Raffle does not sell 4,000 tickets.

**Taxes:** Each winning entrant shall be solely responsible for payment of federal, state and local taxes resulting from the receipt of any prize including the Early Bird and Fantastic Friday prizes.

**Proceeds:** The net proceeds of the Mega Raffle will benefit the QCESF and QNDF equally and shall be used solely for their charitable purposes.

**General Conditions:** The Mega Raffle is subject to these rules and no other written or oral representations shall alter or affect the validity and applicability of these rules, unless required by law. By accepting a prize, the entrant releases QCESF, QNDF, the Raffle Manager, their officers, Directors, employees, representatives and agents and any person materially participating in the conduct of this raffle from any claim or liability arising from the conduct of this raffle and in no event shall any entrant claim damages in excess of the purchase price of their ticket or tickets. QCESF, QNDF, and the Raffle Manager reserve the right to disqualify any entrant found to be in violation of these rules. Any dispute regarding these rules or the conduct of the Mega Raffle will be governed by the laws of the State of Illinois and the venue for any proceeding to enforce, interpret or vacate these rules, or to impose any claim of liability against the above-named entities and individuals arising from the conduct of the raffle, shall be the Circuit Court of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, Adams County, Illinois.

**Extension of Raffle Period:** QCESF and QNDF reserve the right to extend the period of the raffle up to 90 days, in its sole discretion.

**Privacy:** All personal information collected by the organizers and managers of this raffle will be used for the administration of the raffle only and such information will not be shared or otherwise distributed except as necessary to conduct the raffle.

**Official Rules and Winners List:** A list of all prize winners will be posted on the Mega Raffle website, <u>QuincyMegaRaffle.org</u>, on May 31, 2024. These rules may be obtained by sending a self-addressed, stamped envelope to: Quincy Notre Dame Foundation, 1400 South 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Quincy, Illinois 62301 or on-line at <u>QuincyMegaRaffle.org</u>, <u>QuincyNotreDame.org</u>, or <u>QuincyCatholicSchools.org</u>.

## Addendum 1:

## <u>April 2024:</u>

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4 Mega Raffle Tickets Go Home & Sales Begin	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	May 1	2	<b>3</b> EB Ticket Deadline by 4pm	4

## <u>May 2024</u>

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17 \$25,000 EB Drawing on KICK- FM @ 8:35am	18
19	20	21	22	23	24 4-\$500 FF Drawings on KICK- FM @ 8:35am	25
26	27	28	29	30 Ticket Sales Deadline @ 1pm	31 Mega Drawing All Winners Announced	

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