

WISCONSIN LOTTERY

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Holiday Weekend Proves Lucrative

August ends well for three lottery players

MADISON, Wis. - August ended on a high note for three Wisconsin Lottery players. Two split the \$96,000 Badger 5 jackpot and the other won the \$50,000 **Powerball** prize, both in drawings held on Saturday.

Badger 5 hit it lucky in two separate Wisconsin locations. The first ticket was purchased at The Store (1011 Post Road) in Plover and the second at Trig's Food & Drug (110 S. 17th Avenue) in Wausau. Both players matched all five winning numbers (11, 16, 20, 21, 31) to split the \$96,000 jackpot, each taking home \$48,000.

Powerball had a winner who matched 4 of 5 numbers plus the Powerball to win the \$50,000 prize. Metro Market (6950 W. State Street) in Wauwatosa sold the winning ticket. Winning numbers drawn were 14, 41, 50, 56, 57, PB-18.

The odds of winning the Badger 5 jackpot are 1 in 169,911; the odds of winning the \$50,000 Powerball prize is 1 in 913,130.

ABOUT THE WISCONSIN LOTTERY

The Wisconsin Lottery enriches communities statewide by giving back 93 percent of its revenue to winners, retailers, and Wisconsin homeowners. Of each dollar spent on the Wisconsin Lottery, 57 cents goes back to prizes, 30 cents to property tax credits, seven cents to operations and six cents to retailers. Since 1988, the Wisconsin Lottery generated:

- More than \$14.5 billion in total revenue
- Over \$8.2 billion in prizes paid
- More than \$4.3 billion in funding for property tax credits to eligible Wisconsin homeowners

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