

# St. Patrick's Spring Raffle

## 2025 Official Rules

1. Must be 18 years of age to purchase and/or sell tickets.
2. **Only one individual may be identified as the primary name** (or buyer) of the raffle ticket. Additional Buyer Names line is supplied as a convenience to the purchasers if tickets are shared among multiple parties. We only contact the primary purchaser. A copy of the winning tickets is sent with any prize mailed.
3. In the event that a minimum of 3,000 tickets are not sold by April 29, 2025 the committee reserves the right to withdraw the prizes not awarded and pay 50% of the net proceeds up to \$100,000 to one winner.
4. Only the first 4,000 paid tickets received by the raffle committee will be registered. Other monies will be returned to the sender.
5. The raffle committee will e-mail or mail a verification notice to the primary name. If said notice is returned to the committee without a forwarding address, no further attempt will be made to deliver the notice. It is the purchaser's responsibility to provide a legible, valid, e-mail address or deliverable address in order to receive said confirmation.
6. Check and or credit cards that are denied or returned for insufficient funds or other reasons will be subject to a \$35 penalty and the ticket will be void until cash or a money order is received to cover said ticket.
7. The **primary name** named on the ticket will be awarded the prize and be responsible for all taxes (Federal and State) incurred. No portion of the cost of the ticket is tax deductible. St. Patrick is required by law to withhold appropriate taxes as designated by the Internal Revenue Service. Winners must claim possession of the prize by June 12, 2025 or forfeit the prize. The Friday Drawing winners including Early Bird) must claim possession of the prize within 3 weeks of the drawing.
8. All employees or volunteers of St Patrick's are eligible to win all drawings. St. Brigid Parish and affiliated organizations are not eligible (examples: PTO, Booster Club, special campaigns, etc.).
9. Early Bird and Fun Friday Drawing winners are eligible for the Main Drawing. For the Main Drawing, winners will be drawn from the grand prize through 75. Prizes for the main drawing will be announced in reverse order. A complete winner list will be posted on website and is available by mail per request. All winners, by entering, authorize St. Patrick School to publish their name and likeness on the website and for it to be used in other promotional materials by St. Patrick's.
10. **Tickets entered into the February 14, 2025 drawing will be accepted until 10:00 a.m., CST, on February 12. Tickets must be at the parish or school office by Wednesday, February 12 at 10:00 a.m. CST, to be eligible for that drawing. FOR ALL OTHER FUN FRIDAY DRAWINGS, Tickets must be submitted to Parish Office by close of office (4:00pm at time of printing) on Tuesday prior to Fun Friday drawings and/or Early Bird Drawing. ON THE RAFFLE DAY, MAY 17, 2025 Tickets will be submitted until 7:00 PM Saturday, May 17, 2025.**
11. Odds of winning when selling all 4,000 tickets are approximately one in thirty seven (1:37). If fewer tickets are sold, the odds of winning are better and dependent on number of tickets sold.