

# **OFFICIAL RULES**

## **2023 Marshall County Blueberry Half Pot (50/50) Raffle**

Promoter/Sponsor of this Blueberry Half Pot 50/50 Raffle (the “Raffle”) is the United Way of Marshall County, Inc. with an address of 2680 Miller Drive, Suite 120, Plymouth, Indiana 46563 (the “United Way”). All entrants agree to be bound by the terms and conditions provided in these Official Rules as well as by all interpretations of these Official Rules by the United Way of Marshall County, Inc. and by all other decisions of the United Way of Marshall County, Inc. including resolution of disputes in connection with this Raffle, which are final and binding in all matters relating to the Raffle. The Raffle is subject to all applicable Indiana laws and regulations, specifically, to the provisions of Indiana Code governing charity gaming, found at Indiana Code Title 4, Article 32.3, as well as to oversight by the Indiana Gaming Commission.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

The Raffle is open to legal U.S. citizens who are at least 18 years of age or older at the time of entry. United Way of Marshall County Board Members and Staff, Raffle Operators, and those defined by the Indiana Gaming Commission or any member of their household shall not be eligible to enter or win.

### **ENTRY PERIOD**

Raffle tickets will be available to purchase at various locations and events during the month of August and at the 2023 Marshall County Blueberry Festival during the timeframes listed below and on the Marshall County Blueberry Half Pot website (the “Entry Period”) by United Way of Marshall County Members, B.P.O. Elks Lodge No. 2548 Plymouth Members, Kappa Kappa Kappa - Beta Delta Chapter Members, and Volunteer Ticket Agents as listed on the Marshall County Blueberry Half Pot website.

In addition to various locations and events during the month of August, Raffle tickets can be purchased during the following timeframes at the 2023 Marshall County Blueberry Festival:  
Thursday, August 31, 2023 from 5:00 pm until midnight  
Friday, September 1, 2023 from noon until midnight  
Saturday, September 2, 2023 from 9:00 am until midnight  
Sunday, September 3, 2023, from 9:00 am until 6:00 pm

The Raffle will close at 6:00 pm on Sunday, September 3, 2023. All times are Local Time for Plymouth, Indiana (Eastern Daylight Time). **NO RAFFLE TICKETS FOR THE 2023 50/50 RAFFLE WILL BE SOLD AFTER 6:00 PM ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2023.**

### **HOW TO ENTER**

Tickets will be sold for the Raffle throughout the Entry Period. To enter the Raffle, entrant must purchase a Raffle ticket. Tickets may be purchased using CASH or DEBIT CARD or CREDIT CARD

only. Raffle tickets will be sold in the following amounts: five (5) Raffle tickets for \$10, twenty (20) Raffle tickets for \$20, fifty-three (53) Raffle tickets for \$40, or one hundred seventy-five (175) Raffle tickets for \$100.

Raffle tickets will be available for purchase during the entry period listed above and from locations and at events listed on the Marshall County Blueberry Half Pot website including four Raffle ticket booths at the Marshall County Blueberry Festival. There is no limit on the number of Raffle tickets an individual may purchase. All Raffle ticket purchases must be completed by the end of the Entry Period to be eligible for the applicable drawing. All Raffle ticket purchases are final, and no refunds or replacements will be issued.

### **WINNER SELECTION**

One winner will be selected randomly utilizing the BUMP state certified Raffle software minutes prior to the Marshall County Blueberry Festival Fireworks Extravaganza around 8:45 p.m. ET on Sunday, September 3, 2023. The winning Raffle ticket number will be posted on United Way of Marshall County social media pages, website, and released to the media. The winning ticket must have the individual numbers listed in the same chronological order as the posted winning number. Winning ticket holder need not be present when the winning number is announced to be eligible to win.

### **PRIZE CLAIM**

In order to claim a prize, the winner should call the following number (574) 936-3366 or email the following email address ([blueberryhalfpot@marshallcountyuw.org](mailto:blueberryhalfpot@marshallcountyuw.org)) and provide contact information so a United Way of Marshall County representative can get back with them to make arrangements to meet with them at the United Way of Marshall County, Inc. office located at 2680 Miller Drive, Suite 120, Plymouth, Indiana, or an alternate agreed upon location. The winning ticket and valid Federal or State issued ID must be brought to that meeting and additional information on how to claim the prize will be provided. The winner must contact the United Way of Marshall County, Inc. in the above-described manner within thirty (30) days of the end of the Entry Period, by close of business on October 3, 2023, in order to receive more information on how to claim the prize.

The holder of a winning ticket must provide United Way of Marshall County, Inc. with all information required to claim a prize (including tax identification information). In the event: (i) that the winner does not contact the United Way of Marshall County, Inc. within thirty (30) days of the end of the Entry Period (by close of business on Tuesday, October 3, 2023); (ii) that the winner is ruled ineligible for any reason; or (iii) that the winner declines the prize, the prize will be forfeited and will be retained by the United Way of Marshall County, Inc. The United Way of Marshall County, Inc. has no obligation to contact potential winners.

The United Way of Marshall County, Inc., its members, or any of its entities are not responsible for lost, interrupted, or unavailable network, server or other connections, miscommunications, failed phone or computer hardware or software or telephone transmissions or technical failures, garbled or jumbled transmissions or other errors of any kind, whether human,

mechanical or electronic; including without limitation the incorrect or inaccurate capture of winner information online, or for lost, late, incomplete, damaged, destroyed, delayed, stolen or misdirected winner information.

Winners will be required to sign a Declaration of Eligibility attesting to the fact that he/she is 18 years of age or older, as well as other terms and conditions as designated by the United Way of Marshall County, Inc. and consent to the use of his/her likeness in order to collect the prize.

### **PRIZE DESCRIPTION**

Each entrant who purchased a winning Raffle ticket will receive one-half of the net proceeds. The net proceeds being the value of all monies collected from tickets purchased during the duration of the event minus any related expenses from the Raffle ticket sales for that particular game (the "Prize"). All remaining proceeds from the Raffle shall be retained by the United Way of Marshall County, Inc. to support its activities permissible under Indiana Gaming Rules and Regulations.

All prizes will be delivered via check within thirty (30) days of the winner delivering the winning Raffle ticket, executed Declaration of Eligibility, and all other required documents to the United Way of Marshall County, Inc. For security and safety reasons, no cash payments will be made to the Raffle winners. Unclaimed winnings will be retained by the United Way of Marshall County, Inc.

Persons who purchase a Raffle ticket may NOT opt to give away their Raffle ticket to other eligible persons, in doing so the purchaser and the transferee waives any claim he/she might otherwise have to the prize. Purchasers of any Raffle tickets may not resell their Raffle tickets to other parties and may not give a Raffle ticket away to another person for the purpose of allowing that person to resell such Raffle ticket. Any Raffle ticket which has been resold in violation of these Official Rules shall be void. All individuals who resell, purchase, or receive a Raffle ticket in violation of these Official Rules shall be ineligible to participate in the Raffle or to win a prize. A winner may transfer his/her prize to a third party provided that the following conditions are met: (a) the transferee would have otherwise been eligible to enter the Raffle; (b) the transferee shall be responsible for all taxes and costs described in these Official Rules; and (c) the transferee shall be bound by all Terms and Conditions of these Official Rules that are applicable to the winner. The winning Raffle ticket numbers will be posted by the United Way of Marshall County, Inc. to the United Way of Marshall County, Inc. web pages [www.marshallcountyuw.org](http://www.marshallcountyuw.org) and [bit.ly/MCBlueberryHalfPot](https://bit.ly/MCBlueberryHalfPot), and to the United Way of Marshall County, Indiana Facebook page.

### **TAXES**

The prize winner is solely responsible for all applicable federal, state, and local taxes and any expenses associated with the Raffle, unless otherwise indicated.

### **ODDS OF WINNING**

The odds of winning will depend on the number of eligible entries received.

### **RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNIFICATION**

By entering the Raffle, each entrant agrees to follow these Raffle Official Rules and forever releases, discharges, and waives any and all claims, liabilities, and actions of any kind, howsoever caused or arising and whether by negligence, any intentional act or otherwise, that entrant may have or that may arise against the United Way of Marshall County, Inc. and each of their subsidiaries and related entities, and the United Way of Marshall County, Inc. members (collectively, the “Released Parties”), with respect to or arising out of either (i) entrant’s participation; or (ii) the receipt or use of the prize awarded in the Raffle. By entering the Raffle, each entrant further agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the Released Parties and their insurers against any and all damages, costs, judgments, and/or expenses (including but not limited to attorneys’ fees and/or other legal fees) they may incur as a result of claims made against them in connection with either (i) entrant’s participation; or (ii) the receipt or use of the prize awarded in the Raffle.

### **PUBLICITY RELEASE**

Except where prohibited by law, in consideration for being permitted to participate in this Raffle and the opportunity to win the prizes offered in this Raffle, each entrant hereby agrees and consents, without further authorization, compensation or remuneration of any kind, to the use of the entrant’s name, likeness, voice, photograph, performance, personal statements and/or biographical information in any and all advertising, promotions and other publicity conducted by the United Way of Marshall County, Inc.

### **RAFFLE CANCELLATION, SUSPENSION OR MODIFICATION**

United Way of Marshall County, Inc. reserves the right to cancel, modify or suspend the Raffle and/or change dates relating to the promotion in case of schedule changes, acts of God, force majeure events, computer viruses, bugs, corruption, or unfairness of the security or administration of the Raffle, or for any other reason at the sole discretion of the United Way of Marshall County, Inc.

### **VOID WHERE PROHIBITED**

Participation in this Raffle is void where prohibited.

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