

REVISED 5-23-13

**June 25, 2013 Drawing Entry Deadline
date added to drawing schedule.**



40 Rubies

2nd CHANCE Contest Official Rules and Conditions of Eligibility

OVERVIEW:

The Maryland State Lottery and Gaming Control Agency ("Lottery" or "Maryland Lottery") is giving Lottery players a second chance to win cash prizes of up to \$40,000 simply by mailing in one (1) non-winning Maryland Lottery 40 Rubies scratch-off ticket (Game #976) and/or any other ticket specified by the Lottery (collectively, "Ticket") for entry into the 40 Rubies 2nd Chance Contest ("Contest" or "2nd Chance Contest")

Four (4) Contest Drawings ("Drawings"; singular "Drawing") will be conducted between February 2013 and August 2013. A drawing is any random selection event. At each of the four (4) Drawings, three (3) winners will win \$4,000 each and one winner will win \$40,000. Up to a total of \$208,000 in cash prizes will be awarded. These four (4) Drawings will be conducted at Maryland Lottery Headquarters on a day following the Drawing Entry deadline dates listed in the chart below, and the winners will be invited to Giveaway Events where they will discover which prize they've won.

Entries for the 40 Rubies 2nd Chance Contest will be accepted beginning on January 7, 2013. Entries must be received by 10 AM on one of the four (4) Drawing Entry deadline dates to be eligible for that Drawing. Entries must be received by 10 AM August 15, 2013 ("Contest Period") to be eligible for the final drawing. Entries received after this deadline will be ineligible. In these Official Rules and Conditions of Eligibility ("Rules"), all times are Eastern Time.

Following each Contest Drawing, all winners will be notified by the Maryland Lottery via telephone and/or certified mail and/or email to confirm eligibility. All prizes must be claimed by 4:30 PM on the claim date given below for the Giveaway Event to which you are invited.

Drawing Entry Deadline Date 10 AM on	# of Winners	Prizes	By 4:30 PM Winner Claim Date	By 4:30 PM Alternate Winner Claim Date	Event Location	Event Date
Feb. 13, 2013	4	3-\$4,000 Prizes; 1-\$40,000 Prize	Feb. 22, 2013	Feb. 27, 2013	Baltimore Museum of Industry Fundraiser	Sat., March 2, 2013
May 1, 2013	4	3-\$4,000 Prizes; 1-\$40,000 Prize	May 10, 2012	May 15, 2013	Wine in the Woods	Sat., May 18, 2013
June 25, 2013	4	3-\$4,000 Prizes; 1-\$40,000 Prize	July 5, 2013	July 10, 2013	Ironbirds Game, Ripken Stadium, Aberdeen, MD	Fri., July 12, 2013
Aug. 15, 2013	4	3-\$4,000 Prizes; 1-\$40,000 Prize	Aug. 23, 2013	Aug. 28, 2013	Maryland State Fair	Sat., Aug. 31, 2013

The Lottery may at its option choose to extend the due date for 2nd Chance entries to after 8/15/13.

You must be 18 years or older to enter. All winners and guests must be at least 18 years of age. This is a bonus game and these are bonus prizes.

HOW TO ENTER:

To enter the Contest, send in any non-winning Ticket ("Entry"; plural "Entries") with your name, address (and preferably, phone number and/or email address; including phone number/email address may decrease the time it takes to notify a winner) on the back to:

40 Rubies 2nd Chance Contest
Maryland State Lottery and Gaming Control Agency
P. O. Box 27103
Baltimore, MD 21230-0103

Entries may be mailed by placing appropriate postage on the upper right hand corner of the back of the Ticket or by mailing the Ticket in an envelope no larger than 4-1/2" x 9-1/2" in any direction. State one name only on Entries or the Lottery will choose which is the winner. Each mailing will be considered as one Entry, even if the mailing contains more than one Ticket. If more than one Ticket is enclosed in the envelope, the Lottery will randomly choose one Ticket as the Entry. All other Tickets within that envelope will not be considered. No other ticket other than 40 Rubies scratch-off ticket, game #976, and/or any other ticket specified by the Lottery may be used to enter this Contest and its Drawings. Tickets originally winning on the Ticket itself are not valid Entries and will not be considered. The winning Entries will be selected in random Drawings. A "drawing" may include any random selection event. All entries must contain a Maryland postmark.

You may enter as often as you like; however, you may only win once. Only non-winning Tickets are valid Entries. This Contest and its Drawings are governed by these Official Rules and Conditions of Eligibility.

The Lottery reserves the right to reschedule any times and dates regarding this Contest, if necessary, without advance notice. Should the volume or number of Entries for the Drawings in this Contest exceed the working capacity of the drawing device, as determined by the Lottery, the Lottery reserves the right to conduct one or more random pre-drawing(s) to determine the final Entries for that Drawing. Entries will remain in the pool of entries unless selected as a winner. Once an entry is selected as a winner, that entry will be removed from the pool of eligible entries.

CLAIMING:

All prizes must be claimed by 4:30 PM of the claim date given in the above chart for the Giveaway Event to which you are invited.

Following each Contest Drawing, all winners will be notified by the Maryland Lottery via telephone and/or certified mail and/or email to confirm eligibility. The Lottery, in its sole discretion, may choose to use additional or alternate means or methods to notify the winners.

Winners will be advised of claiming deadlines and procedures at the time they are notified. All winners will be preliminarily verified for eligibility and will be able to complete the claiming process at the Giveaway Event to which you are invited.

Only one name can be entered for a winning entry. If there is more than one name for a winning entry, only one name will be used and the Lottery will choose which name is the winner, in the sole discretion of the Lottery. Prizes must be claimed by 4:30 PM of the claiming date. If any prize is not claimed by the claim date, winner will forfeit the prize and an alternate winner may be selected. You agree that if a winner does not claim, or has not been confirmed as eligible or submitted all required documentation by 4:30 PM on the claim date, or if a winner is disqualified, then an alternate winner may be designated.

All winners must complete a Lottery Claim Form, including Social Security number (SSN), and must provide proof of your SSN and must furnish photo I.D. proof of being at least 18 years of age.

All winners are responsible for all taxes, including income taxes. All required estimated applicable state and federal taxes will be withheld from the \$40,000 prizes. Further amounts may be owed. If you win a Prize and you owe State Obligations, which include but are not limited to child support and/or certain other obligations to a State agency or other governmental entity, then, any amount that would have been provided as a cash prize will be applied to your State Obligations. Those amounts will be added to your reportable income. You will be taxed on those amounts. You will receive a W-2G form for any prize won with a value greater than \$600. The \$40,000 and \$4,000 prizes cannot be transferred or assigned.

In the event of winner's death or inability to partake of a prize, the Lottery will make a determination about the awarding of the prize.

OTHER OFFICIAL GAME RULES:

By entering this Contest and its Drawings, you agree to participate in any related Lottery event, including any Lottery event that may be public, taped, or televised, or to send a proxy who will participate. The Lottery reserves the right to approve or reject any proxy designated by a winner. All winners agree that in any public, taped, or televised Lottery event they will behave in a reasonable, respectful and cooperative manner and will not be under the influence of drugs or alcohol. Winners also agree to wear at any public, taped, or televised Lottery event clothing that contains no logos or writing, and the Lottery reserves the right to determine what clothing is acceptable for appearing in the public, taped, or televised Lottery event. The Lottery also reserves the right to: require the winners and any proxies to wear clothing provided by the Lottery; and appoint a proxy or stand-in if the winner's or proxy's clothing, behavior, or other aspect is not acceptable, in the Lottery's reasonable sole discretion.

By submitting an Entry for this Contest, or participating in this Contest, its Drawings or any of its prizes or related events in any way, all Lottery players, winners, participants, you and guests acknowledge, understand, consent and agree to the following:

- a) to release and hold harmless the Maryland State Lottery and Gaming Control Agency, the Maryland State Lottery and Gaming Control Commission, the State of Maryland and their members, agents, employees, representatives, successors and assigns (individually and collectively, "MSLGC") from any liability arising out of participation in this Contest, its Drawings, or any related event or occurrence, and/or out of the awarding, receipt, possession, use, misuse, and/or acceptance of a prize, from any breach of any obligation(s) by any third party(s), and/or from any injury, death, or damage resulting from participation in this Contest or its Drawings, and/or its prizes and/or use of its prizes;
- b) to accept and be bound by the terms and conditions of these Official Rules and Conditions of Eligibility and all other applicable rules, laws, regulations and statutes, including the Maryland State Lottery Law and Regulations;

- c) to sign any waivers and releases of liability, and affidavits of eligibility, required by the Lottery, and to sign news and press release forms; and you agree to ensure that any guests of winners also sign waivers and releases of liability;
- d) to participate in a check/prize presentation ceremony as determined by the Lottery;
- e) to publicity and to have Lottery players', winners', guests', and participants', name, photos, and/or hometown aired on TV, radio, text messages, social media such as Facebook, Twitter and YouTube and other media, and in other publicity, as well as used in Lottery publications and advertisements, Lottery mailings, and/or other Lottery-related activities, including mailing lists;
- f) that MSLGC is not responsible for any negligence of any person, or for any claim, liability, injury, death, property loss, or other damage of or to Lottery players, winners, guests, other participants, and/or their family members, or other persons, arising directly or indirectly from or in connection with the participation in or the use or misuse of prizes awarded, or with participation in this Contest, or in any event or occurrence related to this Contest, including, but not limited to claims for damage to property, for personal injury or death, or claims based on defamation, rights of privacy, rights of publicity, or delivery of cash, or any other prize;
- g) that the Lottery does not endorse any company or other entity by offering a promotion, contest, or prize from or related to that company or other entity or by holding any event at any entity's location;
- h) that MSLGC is not liable or responsible for any loss, theft, damage, or destruction to or of all or any portion of any of the prizes, whether during delivery or at any other time; and
- i) Once submitted, all Entries become the property of the Maryland Lottery and will not be acknowledged or returned. At the conclusion of each drawing, Entries may be destroyed and/or used by the Lottery at the Lottery's discretion.

Owners of Maryland Lottery retailer locations may not participate in this Contest or its Drawings. Officers or employees of the Lottery's vendors (including its advertising agencies; and/or the Lottery's broadcast station, WBAL-TV; and/or Pollard Banknote Limited Partnership and Pollard (U.S.) Ltd; and/or any of their parent companies, subsidiaries, or subcontractors, and/or any member of such officer or employee's immediate family (spouse, child, parent, or sibling) living in the same residence as the officer or employee are prohibited from participating in this Contest, including the Drawings.

Maryland law prohibits any officer or employee of the Maryland State Lottery Gaming Control Agency, or any individual who is a spouse, child, parent, or sibling of an officer or employee of the Maryland State Lottery and Gaming Control Agency who resides in the same residence as the officer or employee, from participating in this Contest, including the Drawings.

If any discrepancy should exist between these Official Rules and Conditions of Eligibility and any other material describing the 40 Rubies 2nd Chance Bonus Drawing Giveaway Events Contest, or anything related thereto, these Official Rules and Conditions of Eligibility shall govern.

The overall probability of winning a Contest prize will be determined by the number of eligible Entries received for each drawing. The Lottery is not responsible for names announced or published in error.

The Lottery will make all determinations concerning the validity of Entries, winners and other decisions required for this Contest. Each decision of the Lottery shall be final. The Lottery reserves the right to change, amend, or modify, without notice, any rules and any times and dates when circumstances warrant, and when it is in the best interests of the Lottery to do so. For further information about this Contest, important dates, drawings and winners, contact the Lottery Customer Resource Center at 410-230-8730 or visit the Lottery's website, www.mdlottery.com.

The following **are not valid Entries and will not be considered** or entered in the Contest: any incomplete or illegible Entry; any Entry that does not comply with these Official Rules and Conditions of Eligibility, including, but not limited to, any Ticket or Entry that is stolen, copied, irregular in any manner, or for which any of the Lottery's validations tests does not confirm apparent or assert Lottery symbols or numbers, or any Entry other than the required non-winning Ticket; and /or Entries received in any manner other than as stated in the Rules. The Lottery accepts no responsibility for lost, late, damaged, stolen, or misdirected Entries. PERSONS ALTERING ANY LOTTERY TICKET OR ENTRY ARE SUBJECT OR PROSECUTION.

The Maryland Lottery® encourages responsible play. Remember, it's just a game.

Revised May 23, 2013_dw