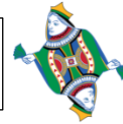




**St. Zachary Parish and School
Queen of Hearts Rules**



- **Rules and Regulations for the Queen of Hearts Raffle:** All proceeds raised by the raffle will benefit St. Zachary Parish and School in fulfillment of its religious, educational, and/or charitable missions. The Raffle Official Rules and Regulations are set forth below. By purchasing a Raffle ticket, the purchaser acknowledges that they are aware of, and agrees to be bound by, these Official Rules and St. Zachary's interpretation of any such Official Rules. St. Zachary shall be solely responsible for interpreting and applying the Official Rules. St. Zachary's interpretation and application of such rules shall be final. St. Zachary reserves the right to amend these Official Rules upon ten days' notice provided pursuant to an update provided on St. Zachary's website or otherwise published in St. Zachary's parish bulletin or some other written media. St. Zachary has registered with the City of Des Plaines.
- **Eligibility:** Any individual who is 18 years of age or older at the time the Ticket is purchased is eligible to enter the Raffle.
- **Raffle Board:** The Queen of Hearts game uses a manufactured board developed specifically for this Raffle. The board has a poker deck of 54 *face down sealed* numbered cards, which includes 2 jokers. The Queen of Hearts is randomly placed during production.
- **Prize:** The jackpot is a progressive 50/50 Raffle. Money added each week from ticket sales will accumulate until the Queen of Hearts is drawn or until the jackpot reaches \$200,000, whichever comes first. The Board resets when the Queen of Hearts OR the second Joker is revealed
 - If any other queen is revealed, the ticket owner wins \$100.
 - If a Joker is revealed, the ticket owner wins \$50.
 - When neither the Queen of Hearts, a joker, or any other queen is revealed, the ticket owner will win a gift card to Beacon Tap.
 - Total Prize updates will be displayed in the Gathering Area or Ministry Center of St. Zachary Parish, posted on our website at saintzachary.org and at the Beacon Tap.
- **Cost:** Tickets are \$5 each. CASH ONLY.
- **How To Enter:** Tickets are available for purchase Monday through Thursday at St. Zachary Parish's Ministry Center (567 W. Algonquin Rd., Des Plaines, IL 60016), Saturday and Sunday in the Gathering Area following all Masses, and every day at Beacon Tap (1374 Lee St., Des Plaines, IL 60016).

Tickets are deposited in a locked box; those purchased at St. Zachary will be transported in the locked box and combined into a Raffle drum at the Beacon Tap.

- All Sales at the Beacon Tap will promptly end at 7:45pm the night of the drawing.
 - All Sales of tickets are FINAL.
 - Any ticket with *stickers, labels, or coloring of any sort, or modified in any way will be disqualified.*
 - Any ticket with an invalid Board number will be disqualified. Only numbers 1-54 which have not yet been revealed are qualified.
 - Any ticket with no number indicated will be disqualified.
 - Only **ONE** eligible person may be entered in the Raffle per Ticket sold.
 - An individual can purchase as many Tickets as they wish, subject to availability.
- **Raffle Drawings:** Will be conducted every TUESDAY at 8pm by a representative of St. Zachary at the Beacon Tap. ONE Ticket will be selected in a random drawing from all Tickets sold that week. The board number on the Ticket will determine which of the 54 cards on the board is opened.
 - If the Queen of Hearts is not selected, the game will roll over to the next week. That card will remain face up and that board number is unavailable for future selection.
 - Each week, all other Tickets not selected will be destroyed
 - Entrants need not be present to win
 - In the event the drawing cannot be conducted at the date, time, or location advertised by St. Zachary for any reason, representatives of St. Zachary shall set a new date and location for subsequent drawing.
- **Notification of WINNERS:** As a condition of its right to collect a Prize and become an Official Winner, any Potential Winner must deliver to St. Zachary Parish: (a) a signed statement certifying that the Potential Winner is the rightful owner of the winning Ticket or provide Ticket receipt in accordance with these Official Rules and all applicable laws. Winners will be notified according to the contact information provided to St. Zachary Parish at the time of the Ticket purchase. If a selected winner is unable to be contacted or located after reasonable attempts by St. Zachary Parish, or if the Prize cannot be awarded for any other reason, representatives of St. Zachary Parish shall conduct another drawing and select another Ticket in order to identify a Potential Winner. In order to collect a prize, winner must sign and deliver to St. Zachary Parish: (a) such written information as is required by any applicable tax and/or real estate laws, including, without limitation, Social Security Number; (b) proof of identity in forms satisfactory to St. Zachary Parish, showing that the person claiming the prize is the same person who is named on the winning Ticket. Winners may be required to submit a W-2G, Form 5754 or similar tax

form (provided by St. Zachary Parish) for tax withholding purposes and may be required to pay withholding tax in an amount required by IRS regulations.

- The Parish Business Manager will use the appropriate forms to report winnings and withhold any applicable federal and/or state taxes. A nonprofit organization must report raffle prizes if the amount a person paid for the chance to win a prize is \$600 or more or if the payout is at least 300 times the amount of the wager.
- **Raffle Rules:** The Raffle is subject to these Official Rules. These Official Rules cannot be changed by any oral statement made by any employee, consultant or agent acting on behalf of St. Zachary Parish. By entering the Raffle, entrants accept and agree: (1) to be bound by these Official Rules and the decisions of St. Zachary Parish, which shall be final and binding; (2) waive any right to claim ambiguity in the Raffle or these Official Rules; (3) that St. Zachary Parish may use the entrant's name, photograph, likeness, statements, or voice for promotional or advertising purposes in connection with the Raffle in all forms of media, now or hereafter known, in perpetuity, without review, permission or further compensation, except where prohibited by law

BY ENTERING THE RAFFLE, EACH ENTRANT RELEASES ST. ZACHARY PARISH, ITS DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, EMPLOYERS, THE CATHOLIC BISHOP OF CHICAGO, AN ILLINOIS CORPORATION, THEIR AFFILIATES AND ALL OF THEIR CLERGY, OFFICERS, AGENTS AND VOLUNTEERS FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY FOR INJURIES, LOSSES OR DAMAGES OF ANY KIND (INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION, ATTORNEY'S FEES) CAUSED BY PARTICIPATING IN THE RAFFLE OR WINNING ANY PRIZE OR RESULTING FROM ACCEPTANCE, POSSESSION, USE OR MISUSE OF ANY PRIZE AND EACH WINNER AGREES TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD SJ HARMLESS FROM ANY AND ALL LOSSES, DAMAGES, RIGHTS, CLAIMS AND ACTIONS OF ANY KIND ARISING FROM, IN CONNECTION WITH, OR AS A RESULT OF PARTICIPATING IN THE RAFFLE OR THE WINNER'S ACCEPTANCE OR USE OF ANY PRIZE. A RAFFLE ENTRANT'S SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDY FOR ANY CLAIM AGAINST SJ ARISING OUT OF THE SALE OF TICKETS OR THE CONDUCT OF THE RAFFLE SHALL BE LIMITED TO THE RETURN OF THE PURCHASE PRICE PAID FOR THEIR TICKET(S). IN NO EVENT SHALL ST. ZACHARY PARISH, ITS DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, REPRESENTATIVES OR VOLUNTEERS BE LIABLE TO ANY PARTY FOR ANY LOSS OR INJURIES TO EARNINGS, PROFITS OR GOODWILL, OR FOR ANY INCIDENTAL, SPECIAL, PUNITIVE OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES OF ANY PERSON OR ENTITY WHETHER ARISING IN CONTRACT, TORT OR OTHERWISE, EVEN IF ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES, ANY CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO THE RAFFLE OR THESE OFFICIAL RULES SHALL BE SETTLED BY BINDING ARBITRATION ADMINISTERED BY THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION

ASSOCIATION (PURSUANT TO ITS EXPEDITED PROCEDURES) UNDER ITS COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION RULES AND CONDUCTED IN CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. JUDGMENT ON THE AWARD RENDERED BY THE ARBITRATOR MAY BE ENTERED IN ANY COURT HAVING JURISDICTION THEREOF.

- Registration with the State of Illinois: St. Zachary is registered with the City of Des Plaines.
- **All rules are subject to change at the discretion of St. Zachary Parish and School.**