

**Lee County Farm Bureau® Foundation**  
**30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Cash Bash Raffle**

**2023**

**Official Rules**

**Sponsor:** The sponsor and beneficiary of the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Cash Bash raffle is the Lee County Farm Bureau® Foundation, a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit charitable organization. The address in which the Foundation may be contacted is:

Lee County Farm Bureau® Foundation  
37 Southeast Ave.  
Amboy, IL 61310  
(815) 857-3531  
[leecfb@comcast.net](mailto:leecfb@comcast.net)

The raffle is being conducted pursuant to a raffle license issued to the Lee County Farm Bureau Foundation by the City of Dixon. This raffle is conducted pursuant to Illinois law and is void outside of Illinois.

By participating in this raffle, entrants are agreeing to be bound by these official rules and by the decisions of the Lee County Farm Bureau Foundation. The official rules are posted online at [www.lcfbfoundation.org](http://www.lcfbfoundation.org).

**Purpose:** the intended purposes of the proceeds from the raffle is to provide funding through the Foundation for the Lee County Farm Bureau's Ag in the Classroom program, fund higher education scholarships for individuals pursuing a future agriculturally related career, and to provide funding for a Foundation-sponsored internship focused on supporting the agriculture literacy program of the organization.

**Purchase of a 30th Anniversary Cash Bash raffle ticket:** The price per ticket will be US \$100.00. Tickets may be purchased online, through the mail or in-person from an official Foundation representative. All purchases of raffle tickets are non-refundable. Ticket stubs must contain the following legible information to be deemed valid: Name (first and last), Phone Number, Address and Email Address. If any of the listed information is missing or illegible, or if full payment does not accompany the ticket stub, the ticket stub will be deemed invalid and will not be eligible to win a prize.

**Prizes:** The prizes will be awarded on August 18 during the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Cash Bash held at the Dixon Elks Lodge. Winners need not be present to win. All prizes must be claimed within 30 days from the drawing. A list of the winning raffle ticket numbers may be obtained by sending an email request to [leecfb@comcast.net](mailto:leecfb@comcast.net). A \$500 prize is offered to the seller of the Grand Prize ticket. In the event that no seller is identified or the ticket is purchased directly through the office of the Lee County Farm Bureau, that prize will not be awarded and the funds will remain in the Lee County Farm Bureau Foundation.

**Eligibility:** an individual must be 18 years or older at the time of entry purchase. Entry purchaser must be a legal resident of the state of Illinois. Internet sales of raffle tickets are open only to legal residents of Illinois

physically present in Illinois when the transaction occurs. Only one person per ticket may be designated to receive payment.

Management and employees of the Lee County Farm Bureau Foundation and the Lee County Farm Bureau and immediate family members are not eligible to enter or win prizes. Immediate family is defined as spouse and children living in the same household. Management applies to the Manager of the Lee County Farm Bureau.

**Recording and ticket accounting:** All ticket sales will be recorded in a master Excel document in the Lee County Farm Bureau Foundation office upon receipt of payment.

**Notification of winners:** All winners who are not present at the event will be notified via telephone, email or US mail using the information provided on the ticket stub within 3 days of the event. All winners are required to authenticate ownership of the winning ticket prior to prize being issued. All winners will be issued a check within 5 days of claim. If a selected winner is unable to be located after a period of 30 days from the draw date of the raffle, the selected winner will be determined to have forfeited the prize and the prize will be donated to the Lee County Farm Bureau Foundation for the charitable purposes listed above.

**Taxes and IRS rules:** All winners are responsible for any and all federal, state and local income or excise taxes, fees, assessments and like charges associated with the prize. If required by law, prize winners will be issued an IRS form W-2G for the amount of the prize. Amounts paid for chances to participate in raffles, lotteries or other similar programs are not gifts and, therefore, the price of the entry does not qualify as a deductible charitable contribution. Check with your qualified financial advisor for additional information.

**Privacy:** By entering the raffle, entry purchasers agree that their information provided in connection with the entry may be used for communications promoting the raffle and future raffles sponsored by the Lee County Farm Bureau Foundation. This includes permission to use winner's first and last name, city, photograph, statements, prize information and voice for advertising and/or promotional purposes without further compensation and without notice, review or approval into perpetuity. An entry purchaser may subsequently "opt out" by emailing an opt-out request to [leecfb@comcast.net](mailto:leecfb@comcast.net). Other than as provided in this section, and entry purchaser's information will not be shared with or sold to any other person or entity.

**Waiver/Limit of Liability:** Entry purchasers and winners, by participating and by accepting a prize, release the Lee County Farm Bureau Foundation and Lee County Farm Bureau and any of its respective directors, officers, partners, employees, sponsors and advertisers from any and all liability with respect to participation in the promotion, possession, use and distribution of the prize awarded.

The Lee County Farm Bureau Foundation is not responsible for tickets that are stolen, lost, damaged, illegible, given away, resold, tampered, delayed, misdirected, undelivered or any other error. The Lee County Farm Bureau Foundation reserves the right at its discretion to disqualify any individual defines tampering with process or operation or acting in violation of these official rules.