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WH—WINNING HAND™ (Drawn every Monday night)

ACL—ALL CASH LOTTO

(Drawn every Tuesday and Friday night)

PB—POWERBALL® [PB IS CIRCLED]

(Drawn every Wednesday and Saturday night)

\*Jackpot Won

Listed numbers are unofficial. Winning numbers must be validated by the Delaware Lottery.

Date	Day		Night		Lotto/Powerball®/Winning Hand™							Type
	Play 3	Play 4	Play 3	Play 4								
<b>January 1997</b>												
01	479	0455	993	5558	06	13	17	19	42	44	PB	
02	891	2059	838	9068								
03	167	3821	302	8087	05	22	23	24	31	34	ACL*	
04	960	8000	575	4498	01	12	16	25	29	43	PB*	
05			067	1577								
06	436	5837	366	6692	6♥	4♦	6♣	A♦	K♣		WH	
07	692	8434	521	3841	01	03	05	09	18	30	ACL	
08	117	6935	015	2310	07	14	22	37	45	18	PB	
09	211	1439	382	4600								
10	991	4554	129	7478	01	03	04	14	21	24	ACL	
11	581	9647	541	5726	02	18	26	29	42	07	PB	
12			480	4953								
13	254	0335	330	3722	9♣	8♠	8♦	9♦	5♣		WH	
14	333	4917	687	9839	06	08	12	18	19	27	ACL	
15	070	1120	798	2751	15	27	34	39	44	18	PB	
16	824	6533	631	3055								
17	521	0579	414	0598	01	04	14	19	33	35	ACL	
18	970	6342	749	5191	19	27	30	35	40	34	PB	
19			457	6865								
20	155	6238	249	4585	3♣	2♣	J♠	Q♣	K♥		WH	
21	605	6198	980	1975	05	09	14	28	33	34	ACL	
22	183	2954	973	9192	03	11	12	29	41	35	PB	
23	839	9409	120	4477								
24	149	4310	186	0311	08	26	28	32	33	35	ACL	
25	678	3733	509	9220	02	06	38	42	45	27	PB	
26			309	9630								
27	516	4209	879	1251	3♣	J♠	8♦	9♣	Q♣		WH	
28	584	7788	327	3005	03	12	21	24	27	30	ACL	
29	190	3122	988	7127	01	04	26	28	37	09	PB	
30	636	1970	325	7445								
31	152	8352	935	8874	01	04	19	28	29	33	ACL	

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<b>February 1997</b>											
01	352	7521	059	8808	03	16	38	39	40	08	PB*
02			579	9091							
03	875	0941	551	0797	8♦	Q♥	A♣	K♦	3♥		WH
04	078	5802	058	2560	13	21	27	29	31	34	ACL
05	512	2173	251	2018	02	08	18	37	45	42	PB
06	649	4975	906	0056							
07	201	3473	635	5659	20	25	30	32	34	35	ACL
08	815	7005	048	3592	22	23	24	29	35	29	PB
09			364	4890							
10	464	3069	236	2557	2♣	10♦	4♥	4♦	J♠		WH
11	003	4079	399	2960	09	10	11	18	29	31	ACL
12	108	8025	197	3874	12	16	28	29	36	37	PB
13	886	0981	492	2969							
14	964	1139	508	8042	04	07	11	15	28	34	ACL*
15	890	9442	644	2160	13	14	26	38	43	07	PB*
16			693	6307							
17	629	7851	964	1522	4♠	9♣	8♠	A♦	8♣		WH
18	218	5698	487	8581	08	09	24	25	29	35	ACL
19	306	4234	327	6076	07	08	21	23	38	28	PB
20	444	5466	194	5545							
21	951	3753	942	9361	18	25	27	31	32	34	ACL
22	912	8590	241	4234	17	35	37	38	40	37	PB
23			217	6674							
24	144	9291	829	9071	3♣	K♦	4♣	10♦	10♦		WH
25	056	2413	634	3524	09	17	22	27	30	33	ACL
26	069	6654	822	4376	04	08	09	11	44	06	PB
27	972	4743	108	0264							
28	018	1191	379	6612	02	03	13	19	24	26	ACL

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<b>March 1997</b>											
01	637	5988	529	5326	07	10	22	34	41	12	PB
02			689	7080							
03	890	1046	097	1476	3♣	K♠	A♣	8♥	Q♣		WH
04	319	7205	825	5014	06	07	12	16	21	34	ACL
05	378	5243	599	7855	21	29	31	32	43	28	PB
06	371	6885	591	0538							
07	052	7451	924	0586	04	05	09	12	14	16	ACL
08	864	0356	329	6240	09	12	21	31	36	22	PB
09			869	0162							
10	583	0028	946	8675	6♣	5♦	K♠	Q♥	4♦		WH
11	486	0567	683	6294	02	03	16	26	30	31	ACL
12	881	8262	441	8088	01	17	22	30	37	11	PB
13	062	9317	835	6314							
14	325	7123	375	6088	03	07	09	17	24	33	ACL
15	959	0891	447	8454	04	07	20	25	31	42	PB
16			016	7196							
17	056	7249	540	5649	8♣	9♦	Q♥	6♠	J♠		WH
18	959	3491	736	8864	01	10	12	17	18	29	ACL
19	526	4127	524	4102	03	06	07	37	42	19	PB
20	362	5681	609	5735							
21	855	1445	910	0161	01	02	07	22	30	31	ACL*
22	737	8756	692	5262	05	18	19	21	29	19	PB
23			336	3801							
24	110	4718	447	0187	7♠	2♦	Q♦	K♥	K♣		WH
25	097	0884	213	9470	04	11	13	25	26	32	ACL
26	464	8551	035	4732	04	15	19	26	32	33	PB*
27	501	1034	213	9679							
28	938	3450	668	1976	01	06	07	15	24	27	ACL
29	217	2878	301	8701	03	23	29	35	42	25	PB
30			262	3889							
31	302	5027	954	3507	3♣	A♠	5♣	2♥	8♠		WH

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<b>April 1997</b>											
01	912	6250	055	1894	04	05	14	19	26	32	ACL
02	311	8705	103	9156	04	06	13	33	40	17	PB
03	037	2808	879	3198							
04	157	8465	467	3651	05	06	12	18	32	33	ACL
05	908	7099	321	3345	07	08	10	11	21	19	PB*
06			119	7963							
07	492	1674	926	4832	9♣	Q♦	A♦	8♠	7♠		WH
08	894	4143	802	3294	13	17	18	24	29	34	ACL
09	262	7582	665	6162	17	36	42	43	45	16	PB
10	970	8486	148	1064							
11	106	9558	314	4452	06	07	11	18	25	26	ACL
12	246	5856	073	5063	09	10	21	28	29	06	PB
13			491	4412							
14	902	2266	235	1969	8♦	A♣	J♣	Q♦	9♦		WH
15	725	7103	130	2267	06	08	10	11	14	34	ACL
16	586	4034	532	7888	15	16	24	39	45	37	PB
17	844	6683	046	0196							
18	277	5928	803	0264	01	09	19	21	28	31	ACL
19	005	7947	856	4188	05	13	19	28	31	31	PB
20			636	4058							
21	424	5847	637	9416	Q♦	A♣	2♣	2♦	3♥		WH
22	430	2898	795	6749	05	21	27	29	35	36	ACL
23	116	4620	738	2171	04	16	21	31	39	13	PB
24	920	9310	197	4491							
25	815	1451	443	3045	04	08	12	16	20	30	ACL
26	993	5339	058	7496	05	18	29	31	42	43	PB
27			189	7377							
28	997	1509	193	5017	8♦	5♠	6♠	5♣	4♠		WH
29	413	7034	334	0430	02	03	08	13	26	33	ACL
30	557	6243	512	6146	17	26	31	33	40	32	PB

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<b>May 1997</b>											
01	594	3751	260	8683							
02	803	3363	226	7616	19	23	24	25	28	29	ACL
03	815	0366	235	7117	08	21	22	29	38	29	PB
04			165	5064							
05	500	0455	167	5944	4♥	J♥	4♦	J♠	7♦		WH
06	710	6857	520	8560	04	06	21	25	34	36	ACL
07	302	2669	655	5309	08	10	12	27	35	04	PB*
08	960	5477	988	1247							
09	043	8981	294	6355	06	16	18	27	28	29	ACL
10	970	0827	917	7937	05	09	14	16	24	35	PB
11			523	9444							
12	277	4129	123	3692	9♦	7♠	5♠	K♥	2♣		WH
13	973	8542	247	7719	14	16	20	22	24	27	ACL
14	563	6719	974	6456	08	28	36	42	44	18	PB
15	733	1647	638	3724							
16	920	0927	112	1549	11	12	13	14	23	28	ACL
17	440	4850	700	8065	14	24	25	29	31	36	PB
18			065	9617							
19	428	8444	609	4657	10♥	K♦	J♣	Q♣	6♣		WH
20	256	5936	007	5670	06	20	21	22	23	36	ACL
21	345	3480	854	1012	08	20	32	37	44	40	PB
22	387	1048	498	0474							
23	345	4605	097	3225	04	11	14	22	23	31	ACL
24	652	1524	534	7186	05	21	33	35	45	13	PB
25			887	1747							
26	718	4801	768	5278	A♦	Q♥	3♥	6♣	J♦		WH
27	839	3642	909	9410	01	02	05	11	30	32	ACL
28	473	3534	847	2339	06	10	30	34	39	19	PB
29	854	8310	274	2977							
30	766	2947	533	9059	11	23	25	28	34	36	ACL
31	184	4932	517	1830	07	11	16	17	39	17	PB

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<b>June 1997</b>						
01			519	7408		
02	995	3437	836	5207	4♣ 10♠ A♦ 6♣ 4♦	WH
03	935	5205	768	4356	02 04 17 18 19 36	ACL
04	421	1076	210	8979	04 12 18 20 38	40 PB
05	748	7837	763	2157		
06	922	0257	462	7004	03 10 19 23 25 33	ACL
07	611	9252	258	2611	06 08 18 34 39	22 PB
08			549	2119		
09	700	1766	697	1398	7♣ 4♠ J♥ 2♣ A♥	WH
10	089	2391	652	2494	02 08 11 12 20 36	ACL
11	088	7874	565	1732	07 10 23 33 45	12 PB
12	901	5625	650	6077		
13	673	4189	785	6814	02 04 16 21 27 32	ACL*
14	476	1242	691	9360	09 17 21 24 27	16 PB
15			094	9271		
16	785	9944	837	9842	9♣ Q♥ 6♠ 4♠ 7♦	WH
17	145	8386	033	3276	10 14 28 30 31 34	ACL
18	686	7338	597	0711	16 23 24 28 29	24 PB*
19	147	3086	195	4310		
20	117	2177	537	4256	04 12 13 17 18 31	ACL
21	040	2215	074	9518	06 11 20 29 45	43 PB
22			176	8346		
23	864	7049	600	9747	8♥ 4♦ 4♣ 2♣ 5♦	WH
24	751	4366	748	5371	02 05 12 26 30 32	ACL
25	874	1576	418	2033	20 29 34 35 39	16 PB*
26	245	0061	269	3265		
27	418	0151	329	8305	07 17 24 29 32 34	ACL
28	903	2665	469	9911	01 21 31 34 43	42 PB
29			751	9370		
30	009	1191	136	2371	9♦ 4♣ 8♣ K♥ K♦	WH

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<b>July 1997</b>						
01	990	0731	712	1168	05 11 22 24 26 36	ACL
02	008	4605	440	1894	09 18 37 44 45	38 PB
03	625	2976	615	9792		
04	207	8925	327	4413	05 09 13 15 18 36	ACL*
05	389	0694	474	5093	22 26 28 43 44	29 PB
06			429	9439		
07	582	9305	787	3555	4♣ 10♠ 6♥ 9♠ J♠	WH
08	054	6940	080	8034	05 07 20 23 26 36	ACL
09	904	0836	373	7386	04 32 33 36 39	22 PB
10	880	2638	364	6563		
11	420	8728	649	2871	03 05 06 14 21 36	ACL
12	365	8908	139	8171	03 05 11 35 37	14 PB
13			703	3360		
14	146	2493	738	9605	3♥ 10♣ 9♦ 10♦ 9♣	WH
15	783	0945	331	9277	02 03 15 19 22 33	ACL
16	312	0278	091	4221	13 17 18 39 44	24 PB
17	153	5953	604	9967		
18	664	2143	606	2657	02 04 09 18 24 36	ACL
19	443	4923	435	2133	04 11 26 33 41	01 PB
20			819	5413		
21	517	8959	202	0356	J♦ 2♦ 6♦ 5♠ 7♦	WH
22	253	9363	766	7389	15 16 25 28 30 32	ACL
23	325	4669	853	5972	26 36 40 42 45	12 PB
24	630	2004	985	3171		
25	454	8367	882	9491	03 07 10 11 34 36	ACL
26	784	9496	023	5112	06 10 18 23 26	42 PB
27			139	5117		
28	203	6588	086	9471	6♣ 5♦ Q♥ 4♥ 4♦	WH
29	758	5682	954	2791	16 23 24 27 34 35	ACL
30	850	8861	850	0371	06 16 21 30 34	11 PB
31	694	3917	748	3860		

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<b>August 1997</b>						
01	980	5363	787	5976	01 03 09 18 24 27	ACL
02	889	7197	830	1922	02 21 28 35 36	10 PB*
03			966	3322		
04	606	7508	802	0039	9♥ K♣ 5♦ 4♥ Q♠	WH
05	404	8117	744	8058	01 04 09 19 29 34	ACL
06	546	8716	330	2537	03 06 12 25 45	10 PB*
07	601	2351	651	5068		
08	424	4589	107	4300	02 06 10 11 22 33	ACL
09	624	2943	876	0177	01 07 13 17 27	12 PB
10			806	4199		
11	890	4797	870	6325	9♣ 7♥ 3♣ J♦ 8♠	WH
12	978	7474	836	5573	01 08 13 15 21 23	ACL
13	957	7646	717	7879	13 17 31 36 41	19 PB
14	280	0618	974	0941		
15	728	8348	769	4188	03 18 20 22 25 34	ACL
16	565	3911	276	0289	03 12 25 33 34	24 PB
17			284	5564		
18	175	6669	448	6251	8♣ 2♦ J♥ J♠ K♦	WH
19	807	3526	944	9471	13 14 15 22 23 29	ACL
20	466	9214	178	7496	01 03 12 15 25	23 PB
21	862	1277	404	8593		
22	103	9766	986	3716	05 09 13 24 33 34	ACL
23	624	1939	571	3121	12 14 34 35 44	09 PB
24			691	7428		
25	811	9875	377	7996	4♠ 3♥ 4♥ 2♥ K♣	WH
26	364	5747	970	0123	05 09 21 24 27 36	ACL
27	679	2534	457	7123	01 08 36 37 38	19 PB
28	627	0782	252	7498		
29	579	5977	440	1411	09 11 22 24 27 34	ACL
30	135	8357	276	6906	03 11 26 29 36	24 PB*
31			858	1419		

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<b>September 1997</b>						
01	167	0931	268	0728	K♠ 9♥ 2♣ 2♠ 5♠	WH
02	376	1311	758	9467	01 10 19 28 32 34	ACL
03	280	5167	563	9092	02 05 10 22 39	42 PB
04	503	5637	943	5800		
05	446	3882	973	7319	02 07 14 20 31 33	ACL
06	365	7507	191	2438	07 34 35 39 45	29 PB
07			045	7668		
08	868	5107	354	1478	2♠ 3♦ J♣ 6♣ Q♥	WH
09	502	4823	799	6646	03 08 10 16 20 28	ACL
10	972	2905	677	3774	01 02 16 21 42	03 PB
11	225	0900	532	9228		
12	594	8822	049	1832	06 07 10 18 24 32	ACL
13	954	9283	896	9330	06 08 19 32 45	22 PB
14			555	1617		
15	137	7984	330	3609	3♥ 2♠ 5♠ J♥ 8♥	WH
16	297	7320	984	2822	03 08 22 28 32 36	ACL
17	925	5718	235	4351	22 26 28 31 34	18 PB
18	927	2720	827	8925		
19	497	6306	971	9148	04 15 20 24 29 36	ACL
20	045	8037	155	5283	15 16 22 28 43	33 PB*
21			949	9694		
22	422	7993	746	4819	3♣ 3♠ 5♦ 7♠ 3♦	WH*
23	693	6939	566	8314	17 20 26 33 34 36	ACL
24	405	9697	455	1702	09 12 25 28 39	20 PB
25	753	4088	651	8505		
26	432	8625	096	0864	03 16 30 33 34 35	ACL
27	930	5914	118	3869	06 14 16 31 41	06 PB
28			774	1295		
29	781	7852	108	5483	K♦ 3♣ 6♥ 9♣ 9♦	WH
30	950	4837	311	5982	06 07 18 28 30 34	ACL

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<b>October 1997</b>											
01	544	0884	545	9486	18	21	25	36	44	09	PB
02	515	7575	929	2571							
03	394	4410	053	0673	04	05	20	23	26	33	ACL
04	318	0047	534	9833	11	24	25	31	43	28	PB
05			310	4847							
06	404	4207	259	7993	4♠	2♦	6♣	7♦	7♥		WH
07	783	7961	414	4442	05	16	18	21	23	24	ACL
08	021	9480	867	8679	10	14	22	33	35	11	PB
09	439	1466	823	6149							
10	941	3746	069	5857	02	06	11	14	21	23	ACL
11	556	3848	475	9967	02	20	34	40	42	03	PB
12			905	1441							
13	076	3550	495	8467	2♣	9♠	Q♦	4♦	A♣		WH
14	596	4598	190	3856	07	13	16	19	21	24	ACL*
15	110	2992	712	7361	07	09	19	21	34	08	PB
16	182	5648	777	0627							
17	494	8703	698	0935	04	09	17	25	26	32	ACL
18	009	3729	634	5242	11	14	16	19	21	06	PB
19			380	9983							
20	854	8179	927	7294	7♦	8♥	10♥	Q♦	5♦		WH*
21	544	9181	026	4445	02	05	13	14	22	31	ACL
22	827	1482	181	9139	05	09	23	40	43	24	PB
23	097	6885	339	3946							
24	899	7104	472	7748	01	03	07	12	18	27	ACL
25	605	5360	358	2379	15	23	24	28	35	30	PB*
26			230	7661							
27	643	9453	487	6521	10♦	9♣	2♦	2♠	7♠		WH
28	830	6690	491	6283	06	12	21	22	34	35	ACL
29	141	2394	245	8760	06	11	13	26	32	37	PB
30	081	9750	558	9997							
31	032	9006	624	9335	01	13	17	20	28	35	ACL

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<b>November 1997</b>											
01	454	6833	029	8248	22	25	28	33	37	20	PB*
02			785	0984							
03	389	5093	146	2565	K♥	J♣	Q♣	2♥	9♠		WH
04	676	9625	262	5223	02	16	18	23	26	35	ACL
05	072	8053	459	3789	02	19	24	28	35	26	PB
06	858	9281	528	8136							
07	791	4385	922	7316	06	08	10	12	19	26	ACL
08	420	5604	168	1339	07	17	21	40	49	37	PB
09			567	6685							
10	648	1220	336	9129	10♠	Q♦	7♣	3♥	5♠		WH
11	499	1088	671	4943	14	22	23	26	27	28	ACL*
12	753	9618	794	2904	13	14	16	29	41	01	PB
13	103	2034	958	3509							
14	821	0445	163	8998	03	07	10	13	19	24	ACL
15	373	4522	122	3073	07	21	26	32	45	08	PB
16			566	5916							
17	416	1861	622	2753	10♣	J♠	4♥	6♥	K♥		WH
18	430	4402	929	2346	01	05	10	13	25	33	ACL
19	327	8003	567	2716	03	10	19	21	48	22	PB
20	808	1802	264	3452							
21	959	0287	553	9089	03	13	14	22	35	36	ACL
22	641	1845	988	4121	03	07	14	22	31	02	PB
23			917	2111							
24	054	6479	115	7970	4♣	7♥	8♦	3♣	Q♣		WH
25	747	7207	138	5029	13	14	17	23	24	36	ACL
26	718	2141	204	3698	15	23	34	40	46	35	PB
27	969	8480	229	6519							
28	777	6503	754	5602	11	13	18	22	23	34	ACL
29	431	9726	436	0596	02	11	13	27	31	23	PB
30			343	3311							

Day Date	Day		Night		Lotto/Powerball®/Winning Hand™					Type
	Play 3	Play 4	Play 3	Play 4						
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01	101	8845	179	7248	J♣	8♣	3♣	K♦	8♦	WH
02	834	5066	132	3265	04	08	11	13	14	18 ACL
03	193	8787	464	3051	09	14	18	42	47	32 PB
04	150	1479	035	7489						
05	910	3552	542	1576	05	13	29	32	33	35 ACL
06	234	1409	239	3131	08	15	26	28	43	36 PB
07			416	3983						
08	758	0749	241	8410	7♦	10♠	6♣	Q♦	8♦	WH
09	025	0839	968	3763	16	18	23	24	27	32 ACL
10	079	0156	960	0521	04	18	21	28	41	03 PB
11	800	5915	188	9857						
12	562	6276	604	6182	08	13	16	17	30	36 ACL*
13	905	7061	953	1685	05	35	41	44	46	27 PB
14			491	2730						
15	524	3059	749	3968	4♦	7♠	K♦	A♥	Q♥	WH
16	644	9119	998	1105	10	13	19	21	26	33 ACL*
17	840	1540	087	5142	03	05	13	18	45	20 PB*
18	044	1328	953	3132						
19	176	3499	602	5465	11	19	25	27	32	34 ACL
20	285	9050	818	3685	10	11	12	17	23	07 PB
21			860	1237						
22	624	5604	752	3757	6♥	7♠	J♣	4♠	4♥	WH
23	702	5971	531	4933	04	10	13	21	33	35 ACL
24	385	1691	348	8337	03	16	28	34	35	14 PB
25	HOLIDAY!									
26	162	9415	405	2073	19	22	24	25	26	28 ACL
27	222	8980	739	1053	09	14	15	36	48	17 PB
28			444	6083						
29	937	6962	707	7161	7♠	9♠	A♦	7♥	5♥	WH
30	355	5617	690	6683	11	16	17	19	21	26 ACL
31	440	9637	105	0108	04	05	06	14	27	06 PB

# Everybody wins!

The Delaware Lottery exists, by law, to generate income the state needs to help fund state services. Each year, the Lottery contributes one-third or more of its sales to the State General Fund for this purpose. In Fiscal Year 1997, the Lottery's contribution was more than \$96 million.

All Delawareans benefit from the Lottery's contribution, because the General Fund is the pool of dollars that supports the majority of state services. With the Governor's approval, the Legislature allocates money from the General Fund to pay for all types of state services, including:

- public and higher education
- health and social services
- public safety
- judicial and corrections
- child, youth and family services
- environmental resources

Delaware taxpayers win big, because the other sources of income for the General Fund are state taxes. The Lottery's FY '97 contribution was more than 5.7 percent of all state funds appropriated by the Legislature. Without the Lottery's contribution, more taxes would be needed.

Other state lotteries often target their revenues to a specific community effort. Delaware Lottery proceeds, however, are not earmarked for any one group. That way, Lottery proceeds benefit everybody who lives in, works in and visits Delaware!

