

SHERMAN/WILLIAMSVILLE

## **QUEEN OF HEARTS**

## **RULES**

- A. Player MUST be an individual, 21 or older, to purchase a ticket, to have their name on a ticket, and to win a prize.
- B. The raffle will take place weekly on Thursday at 7:15 PM. Exceptions will be announced as early as possible.
- C. Doors will open at 5:30 PM. Ticket sales for the raffle and 50/50 end at 7:15 PM.
- D. Tickets are 6/\$5. CASH ONLY.
- E. PINs are available for purchase, one PIN per individual, cost \$3. PIN can be used in place on ticket for contact information. PINS roll over for future drawings. PIN numbers are only sold at Fire & Ale location on Thursday nights.
- F. Players will not be allowed to touch any equipment related to the raffle including, but not limited to, the display board, and ticket barrel.
- G. A single first and last name and phone number are required on each ticket. A PIN can be used in place of name and phone number. An available square number is optional. Available Square numbers will be posted to the Face Book Page Queen of Hearts Sherman/Williamsville DO NOT TEAR TICKETS before paying.
- H. DO NOT BEND, FOLD OR OTHERWISE ALTER TICKETS. A ticket found to be altered will be deemed invalid. No stickers are allowed on tickets.
- I. To be counted present, you must be at Fire & Ale, 135 Illini Blvd, Sherman, IL 62684 at the ticket counter within five minutes of your name being announced, verifying your identity with the ticket caller.
- J. If your ticket is drawn, and you are present, you may choose any available number on the board.
- K. If your ticket is drawn, and you are present, you win the advertised prize for the card drawn.
- L. If your ticket is drawn, and you are not present, a card will be chosen based on the number you have written on the ticket. If no number was written on the ticket, or the number is illegible, or the number is unavailable, the next available numbered envelope, starting with 1, will be chosen and you will win 50% of the advertised prize for the card revealed.

- M. A revealed card and the display board number are not eligible for future drawings. The revealed card will be displayed on the board in its original position on the board.
- N. The raffle is for individuals only. No exception.
- O. If the first and last names and the phone number written on the drawn ticket cannot be determined, the ticket will be deemed ineligible and a new ticket will be drawn. PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY or use a PIN.
- P. A diligent effort will be put forth, within a reasonable amount of time, to contact the person who purchased the drawn ticket so their prize can be awarded. We will not attempt to contact them from the drawing.
- Q. Every ticket drawn has an opportunity to win a prize. Every card that is not the Queen of Hearts will have a value. Value for each card is as follows:
  - a. 2-10 \$100
  - b. Jack, any queen not heart, king \$150
  - c. Ace \$200
  - d. Joker \$250
- R. All raffle prizes \$599 and above will be paid by check from the Sherman Area Chamber of Commerce. Payment of prizes greater than \$599 will be paid at a date/time/place agreeable between the winner and the Sherman Area Chamber of Commerce, and after any required tax forms are completed. You must prove your identity by presenting a government issued photo ID to claim this prize.
- S. All tickets in the raffle container will be destroyed after each drawing.
- T. The Jackpot amount for the next drawing will be determined following the end for the weekly drawing. The amount will be made public as soon as possible. Check the Queen of Hearts Sherman / Williamsville Facebook page for jackpot value.
- U. After the next jackpot is announced, tickets will be available for sale for the next raffle.
- V. All state and federal tax laws apply and will be followed. Winners must provide their tax information (SSN), where applicable, to receive their prize.
- W. The Sherman Area Chamber of Commerce/Williamsville Sports Boosters/Sherman MOVE/Williamsville Garden Club reserves the right to cancel a weekly drawing. Tickets from a cancelled drawing will remain in the barrel for the next drawing.
- X. The Sherman Area Chamber of Commerce/Williamsville Sports Boosters/Sherman MOVE/Williamsville Garden Club reserves the right to modify these rules and will remain in compliance with all laws (federal, state, county, city).
- Y. Proceeds from ticket sales go to Sherman Area Chamber of Commerce/Williamsville Sports Boosters/Sherman MOVE/Williamsville Garden Club.
- Z. Partner organization Presidents are prohibited to participate in the drawings (QoH and 50/50).