



Official Rules and Regulations of Keep North Carolina Beautiful (KNCB) Bourbon & Spirits Raffle

BY PARTICIPATING, YOU AGREE TO THESE OFFICIAL RULES, WHICH ARE A CONTRACT.

Keep North Carolina Beautiful (KNCB) is the sponsor of The “Keep North Carolina Beautiful Bourbon and Spirits Raffle” raffle (the “Raffle”). KNCB is a charitable, 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to fostering environmental stewardship through education and outreach to perpetuate the natural beauty of North Carolina.

The Raffle begins on September 13, 2024 and ends on September 14, 2024.

1. **Any person 21 years of age or older**, residing where the Raffle is not prohibited, may make a donation between August 26th and September 12th and receive a raffle ticket allocated in their name for entry into the raffle on the weekend of Friday, September 13th – Saturday, September 14th. Interested parties may also purchase a ticket (“Ticket”) on site to be entered in the Raffle (such person shall be herein known as the “Ticket Holder”). An affidavit, or proof, of eligibility may be required from Ticket Holders who win a prize. KNCB and full-time and part-time staff members are prohibited from purchasing Tickets. Any person under 21 years of age is prohibited from participating in the Raffle.
2. **By making a donation or purchasing a Ticket**, each donor and/or Ticket Holder agrees to have their name listed on a spreadsheet online, among all ticket purchasers, for the purpose of the raffle validity.
3. **By purchasing a Ticket**, or making a donation to acquire a ticket, each Ticket Holder accepts and agrees to be bound by all the rules, limitations, conditions, and restrictions set forth herein (the “Rules”), as well as all applicable local, state, and federal laws and regulations. KNCB’s decisions in all matters concerning the Raffle and its interpretation and application of the Rules shall be final. All decisions under the Raffle are at KNCB’s sole and absolute discretion. Please contact KNCB if you have questions regarding the Rules of the Raffle. The Raffle is void where prohibited by law. All raffle ticket sales are final. No refunds will be made.
4. **By purchasing a Ticket**, or making a donation to acquire a ticket, each Ticket Holder releases KNCB, its directors, officers, employees, and agents, from any and all liability with respect to the raffle, including, but not limited to, the selection process and the interpretation and application of the Rules, and from any and all liability for injuries, losses, or damages of any kind caused by any prize or resulting from acceptance,

possession, use, or misuse of any prize, and each Ticket Holder agrees to indemnify and hold KNCB harmless from any and all losses, damages, rights, claims, and actions of any kind arising in connection with or as a result of the winner's acceptance or use of any prize. Each Ticket Holder agrees that his name, likeness, and any statements made by him regarding the prize may be disclosed to, and used by, the news media and may otherwise be used by KNCB for advertising or publicity purposes without compensation, and in lists of prize winners to be published online and other media.

5. **The cost to purchase a Ticket for the Raffle is \$100.00 (U.S. Funds only).** Supporters of KNCB may also make a \$100 donation between Monday, August 28, 2024 and Thursday, September 12, 2024 to receive a ticket to participate in the raffle on September 14, 2024. A maximum of 999 Tickets will be allocated and/or sold. Each Ticket will be provided with a unique number. Any eligible person may make an unlimited donation or a purchase or more than one Ticket. Odds of winning depend on the number of valid Tickets sold. Tickets will no longer be allocated to online donors after 11:59 p.m. EDT, September 12, 2024. Ticket sales will begin on site beginning at 12PM on Friday September 13, 2024 and cease at the KNCB fundraising dinner at 10:00 p.m. EDT, September 14, 2024. Any unsold tickets become the property of KNCB and will not be included in the drawing. The IRS has taken the position that amounts paid for chances in raffles, lotteries, or similar drawings for valuable prizes are not gifts, and consequently do not qualify as deductible charitable contributions. A Ticket is not valid and shall not be entered in the Raffle until full and satisfactory payment for such Ticket is received by KNCB. Tickets are not transferable once purchased.
6. **Failure of Payment.** If a Ticket Holder's payment by credit card is declined for any reason, such Ticket Holder's Ticket shall be invalid and will not be entered in the drawing, unless full and satisfactory payment is made by 4:59 m. EDT September 11, 2024. KNCB will endeavor to notify the invalidated Ticket Holder by phone at the number provided on the ticket purchasing website; however, any failure to do so shall not cause the Ticket to become valid, cause the Ticket to be entered in the Raffle, or give rise to any claim or cause of action on behalf of the invalidated Ticket Holder.
7. **Multiple-Party Tickets.** In the event that more than one name is listed on a Ticket, the first name listed shall be deemed to be the Ticket Holder. Delivery or payment of the prize shall be made to the Ticket Holder. It is the responsibility of the Ticket Holder to allocate any such prize among the participants in a multiple-party Ticket and KNCB, its directors, officers, employees, and agents, shall have no liability for any failure to do so.
8. **Raffle Drawing.** The Raffle Drawing will take place on Saturday, September 14, 2024 at 10:30pm EDT. In order to be eligible for the Raffle Drawing, a donor must have made an online donation to be assigned a Ticket before 11:59 p.m. EDT September 12, 2024, or in person by 10:00PM on Saturday, September 14, 2024. Winning numbers will be randomly chosen in drawing, and the winner of the prize will be the Ticket Holder who has purchased or been assigned a valid Ticket whose number matches the number chosen. Prizes will be awarded from #1 thru #28. If the Raffle is held, all prizes will be given away. If the Raffle is not held, all money will be returned to the Ticket Holder. There is no substitution of prizes. **TICKET HOLDERS NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN.**

9. **Claiming a Prize.** Winning Ticket Holders will be notified by email at the email address provided via website when making a donation or purchasing the ticket. KNCB shall notify the winner within 5 business days of the drawing. All winners shall claim their prize within 45 days of the drawing. All unclaimed prizes by the deadline will return to KNCB for the 2nd annual Bourbon & Spirit raffle in 2025.
10. **Obligations of Winning Ticket Holders.** Except as otherwise provided herein, the Ticket Holder who wins the prize is responsible for all costs associated with that prize, including, but not limited to, registration, licensing, delivery and other applicable fees, as well as all local, state, and federal taxes that may be applicable. Ticket Holders are advised to consult with a tax advisor to determine any tax liabilities.

