



Fundraising For Ag Education OFFICIAL RULES

ELIGIBILITY: Entry purchaser, and anyone to whom an entry purchaser legally transfers an entry, must be either a business entity or an individual 18 years or older and a legal U.S. resident at time of entry purchase and be a resident of the State of Arizona. If you do not meet any of these requirements or any other eligibility requirements in these Official Rules, you are not eligible to win a prize.

Tickets will be sold through authorized Arizona Agricultural Education / FFA Foundation (AAEFF) board members, FFA Alumni members, FFA advisors and FFA, AAEFF staff members only. Others may also be authorized to sell tickets.

Tickets may be purchased online at www.azffaoundation.org, or by mail request to P.O. Box 5310, Glendale, Arizona 85312 as well as in person at the Blue & Gold Gala on January 28, 2023, or other special events leading up to the Blue & Gold Gala. Retail stores selling tickets includes Bales Hay in Buckeye, four of the five Olsen's Grain Stores in northern Arizona, and MaidRite Feed in Willcox. For online ticket purchases, an authorized representative from the AAEFF shall complete an actual paper ticket by filling in the name, address, phone number and e-mail address of online purchaser. It is the responsibility of ticket purchaser to correctly provide contact information including name, address, telephone number and e-mail address so that he or she can be promptly entered into the Raffle and be contacted should he or she be deemed a winner. A receipt of online purchase/donation will be e-mailed to ticket purchaser upon clicking submit during ordering process. AAEFF assumes no responsibility for lost, late, misdirected, mutilated, incomplete, illegible, or non-delivered entries. Any mutilated, incomplete, or illegible entries will be deemed invalid and will be disqualified.

DATES OF SALE AND TICKET PRICE: Raffle tickets will be sold from August 25, 2022, through noon, Saturday, January 28, 2023, online and at the Blue & Gold Gala until 6:30 pm.

Raffle tickets will be sold at: single tickets for \$20 or six for \$100. There is no limit on the number of tickets an individual can buy, nor is there a cap on the number of tickets being sold. All Raffle tickets will be numbered.

DRAWING: The winning tickets will be pulled in a random drawing on Saturday, January 28, 2023, during the Blue & Gold Gala. Winners need not be present to win. Any winning ticket holder does not need to be present at time of the drawing. Winners will be notified by phone and/or mail no later than January 31, 2023. The winning ticket holders will need to physically pick up the prize at a location in Arizona to be determined. State issued identification that matches the name and address on the winning Raffle ticket will be required.

AAEFF will attempt to reach and notify the winners by phone number and or email address provided. If the winning ticket holders cannot be reached or does not answer by telephone or respond by email within 14 days after being notified, an alternate winner will be drawn on February 14, 2023, and the same notification process will take place.

PRIZES

Grand Prize: One \$10,000 credit at an Arizona Stotz Equipment Store which may be used on a John Deere Gator or other item.

1st Place – One credit of \$2,500 at an Stotz Equipment Store. May be used for such products as a John Deere Liberty Safe, Traeger Grill & Pellets, Yeti Cooler, and Stihl Chainsaw. Colors/models may vary, and the package is worth no more than \$2,500.

2nd Place – A BBQ Bundle includes a Recteq Wood Pellet Grill, 20-quart red/black ICER cooler, 200 lb of our Ultimate Blend Pellets, a custom-fit Pellet Grill Cover, a box of nitrile gloves, 4 Recteq koozies and a \$250 Gift certificate for Arlington Cattle Company. Valued at \$1,567

3rd Place – A \$500 shopping spree at Sportsman’s Warehouse.

****Please do not contact the donors about the prizes. Call (602) 705-9211 with questions or [email foundation@azffafoundation.org](mailto:foundation@azffafoundation.org).**

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: The winners must complete and submit a W9 form. Prize is not transferable, redeemable for cash or exchangeable for any other prize. All prizes are awarded "AS IS" and WITHOUT WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, express or implied (including, without limitation, any implied warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose). The winner will be responsible for sales tax and license fees. The Winner will receive an IRS form 1099 at the end of the calendar year and a copy of such form will be filed with the IRS. If the winner is disqualified for any reason, AAEFF reserves the right to determine an alternate winner or not to award that winner’s prize, in its sole discretion. Except where prohibited by law, by entering the Raffle, all participants and winner grant AAEFF permission to use their names, characters, photographs, voices, and likenesses in connection with promotion of this Raffle and other Raffles and contests and waive any claims to royalty, right, or remuneration for such use. By entering the Raffle, each participant and winner waives any and all claims of liability against and releases any and all causes of action against AAEFF, its board, employees and agents, the Raffle’s sponsors and their respective employees and agents, related to any claims, costs, injuries, losses, or damages of any kind arising out of or in connection with the Raffle or the use of any prize, or delivery, mis delivery, acceptance, possession, use of or inability to use any prize (including, without limitation, claims, costs, injuries, losses and damages related to personal injuries, death, damage to or destruction of property, rights of publicity or privacy, defamation or portrayal in a false light, whether intentional or unintentional), whether under a theory of contract, tort (including negligence), warranty or other theory.

COMPLIANCE WITH LAW: The conduct of the Raffle is governed by the applicable laws of the State of Arizona, which take precedence over any rule to the contrary herein. All applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations also apply. The winner assumes all liability and agrees to hold AAEFF and its board harmless for any injury or damage caused, or claimed to be caused, by participation in this Raffle or use or redemption of any prize. Any provision of these Official Rules deemed unenforceable will be enforced to the extent permissible, and the remainder of these Official Rules will remain in effect.

TAX & IRS RULES: All proceeds benefit The Arizona Agricultural Education / FFA Foundation, a non-profit organization operating under paragraph 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and the laws of the State of Arizona. Our Tax ID is 86-0531662. The IRS has taken the position that amounts paid for chances to participate in raffles, lotteries or similar programs are not gifts and, therefore, the price of the entry may not qualify as a deductible charitable contribution or donation for income tax purposes. **ALL FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL TAXES ASSOCIATED WITH THE RECEIPT OR USE OF ANY PRIZES ARE THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE WINNER.** Please contact a tax professional with questions. Please contact us at foundation@azffafoundation.org or call (602) 705-9211 if you have any questions about the Raffle.