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SoCal Powerball® Ticket Worth Nearly \$4 Million!

Jackpot Grows to an Estimated \$653 Million for Tomorrow's Draw

SACRAMENTO – Someone is having a great last day of January. That's because a ticket for last night's Powerball draw is now worth a cool \$3,987,249. **That ticket matched five numbers: 1, 4, 12, 36, and 49, just missing the Powerball number 5.**

That lucky ticket was sold at the ARCO ampm at 16120 Slover Avenue in Fontana in San Bernardino County.

"It's very exciting to sell a winning ticket," said Celina Navarro, manager of the minimart. "Selling Lottery tickets is good for business. People come in for a drink and a hot dog, but when they see we sold a winning ticket, they try their luck."

No one won in any state last night's Powerball jackpot, so that means that tomorrow's jackpot is now an estimated \$653 million. Californians have more than [23,000 options for where](#) to buy their tickets. The draw entry period closes at 7 p.m. PT tomorrow; the drawing happens at 7:59 p.m. PT tomorrow. Winning numbers will be published on the California Lottery [website](#), and up-to-the-minute word of any big winners here will be shared on the [@calotterypress social media channel](#).



(Image of the ARCO ampm located at 16120 Slover Avenue in Fontana.)

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The California Lottery's mission is to provide supplemental funding to California public schools, including kindergarten and grades 1-12, community colleges, the California State University, the University of California, and other California public educational entities. The funds the Lottery transferred to public education totaled more than \$1.88 billion for fiscal year 2020-21, which amounted to a modest percentage of education's overall budget. However, this funding is largely discretionary, meaning schools can use this for important, yet unfunded instructional programs they would otherwise not afford. During the same period, the Lottery generated almost \$8.4 billion in sales, more than 95% of which went back to the community in the form of prize payments, retailer commissions and bonuses, and contributions to education. As the jackpots continue to grow, the California Lottery would also like to remind players to play responsibly and within their budgets. If you feel you have a gambling problem or know someone who does, you can get free confidential help by calling the California Problem Gambling Helpline at 1-800-GAMBLER.

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