

Celebrating 40 Years Together Series – National Lottery Day Transcript

[Blue screen displays with text that says “Celebrate Lottery Week” and the California Lottery logo]

[California State Lottery employee 1 appears on screen while inside California State Lottery headquarters]

California State Lottery employee 1 says:

“California, it’s National Lottery Day and this year’s Lottery Week is special because it’s also our 40th anniversary celebration. And what’s a better way to celebrate than taking a trip down memory lane of all the exciting milestones, winners, and contributions the California Lottery has celebrated over the last 40 years.”

[California State Lottery employee 2 appears on screen while inside California State Lottery headquarters]

California State Lottery employee 2 says:

“Since 1985, the California Lottery has been dedicated to our mission of providing supplemental funding for California public schools. And with your help by playing lottery games, more than \$46 billion has been generated and given back to California public schools in the last 40 years. In fact, this past year was another record-breaking year, with nearly \$9.27 billion in sales, which allowed us to give \$2.2 billion to California public education. Winning the California Lottery is exciting for all those who play. Whether it’s big or small, the dreams continue, which is why we love celebrating player success stories.”

[California State Lottery employee 3 appears on screen while outside California State Lottery headquarters]

California State Lottery employee 3 says:

“And just in this last year, we had over 113 million winning tickets sold across all draw and daily games.”

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California State Lottery employee 2 says:

“And that’s not all. Last year, over 120 winners brought home \$1 million or more in Scratchers prizes.”

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California State Lottery employee 3 says:

“And let’s not forget about our incredible retailers. Our success over all of these years wouldn’t be possible without them. Today, the California Lottery has over 23,000 incredible retailers, many of which are small and independent businesses across the state, and over 780 have been with us since the very start. When players win big, our retailers do, too. In the past year, retailers have earned over \$10.4 billion in commission and bonuses.”

[California State Lottery employee 1 appears on screen while inside California State Lottery headquarters]

California State Lottery employee 1 says:

“We’re delighted that we get to celebrate National Lottery Day with you all during our 40th anniversary. With your spark for play, we get to continue our efforts towards supporting our mission.

[California State Lottery employees 1, 2, and 3 appear on screen while inside California State Lottery headquarters]

California State Lottery employees 1, 2, and 3 simultaneously say:

“So here’s to many more years together.”

[Blue screen displays with California Lottery Celebrating 40 Years Together logo and text that says “Playing since 1985”]