

Albuquerque Museum Foundation 50/50 Cash Raffle – Official Rules

Viva el Museo Gala – May 30, 2026

1. Sponsor

The 50/50 Cash Raffle (“Raffle”) is conducted by the Albuquerque Museum Foundation (“Sponsor”), a nonprofit organization based in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

2. Eligibility

- Participants must be **18 years of age or older** at the time of ticket purchase.
 - You must be physically present in the state of New Mexico when buying your ticket and participating in the Raffle.
 - Void where prohibited by law.
 - Employees of the Sponsor and their immediate family members (spouses, children, siblings, and parents) are not eligible to participate.
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3. Raffle Period

- Ticket sales begin on: **May 26, 2026 at 10:00 AM MT**
 - Ticket sales end on: **May 30, 2026 at 9:00 PM MT**
 - The drawing will take place on:
May 30, 2026 at approximately 9:05 PM MT during the Viva el Museo Gala
at the Albuquerque Museum (2000 Mountain Rd NW, Albuquerque, NM 87104).
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4. How to Enter

- Raffle tickets may be purchased:
 - In person at the Viva el Museo Gala event, or
 - In advance, from May 26, 2026 through May 29, 2026 between the hours of 9:00 AM and 5:00 PM MT, over the phone with an employee of Albuquerque Museum Foundation at 505.677.8494.
- Ticket pricing:

- **1 ticket for \$50.00**
 - Each ticket will be assigned a unique number.
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5. Prize

- The prize will be **50% of the total gross proceeds** from all tickets sold (“Prize Pool”).
 - The remaining 50% will benefit the Albuquerque Museum Foundation.
 - The winner will receive the Prize Pool as a **check issued by the Sponsor**.
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6. Drawing and Odds

- One winning ticket will be selected in a **random drawing** held during the Viva el Museo Gala on May 30, 2026 at approximately 9:05 PM.
 - The drawing will be conducted under the supervision of the Sponsor.
 - **Odds of winning** depend on the total number of tickets sold.
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7. Winner Notification

- The winner **need not be present** at the gala to win.
 - The winning ticket number will be announced during the event and may also be posted or shared by the Sponsor after the event.
 - The winner will be contacted using the information provided at ticket purchase.
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8. Prize Claim

- The winner must provide valid government-issued identification that matches the ticket stub to claim the prize.
- The prize must be claimed within **90 days** of the drawing date.
- If the winner cannot be contacted or does not claim the prize within that time, 100% of the total gross proceeds from all tickets sold (“Prize Pool”) will benefit the Albuquerque Museum Foundation.

- Please allow up to 10 business days for the Sponsor to contact you regarding pickup.
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9. Taxes

- The winner is responsible for all applicable **federal, state, and local taxes**.
 - The purchase of a raffle ticket is not considered a charitable contribution for tax purposes, as the purchaser receives a chance to win a prize. Therefore, ticket purchases are not tax-deductible.
 - If the value of the Raffle prize is \$600 or more and at least 300 times the ticket price, the Sponsor must report the winnings to the IRS and the winner using Form W-2G.
 - If the prize (minus the ticket cost) exceeds \$5,000, the Sponsor must withhold federal income tax at 24%.
 - The Sponsor must provide the winner with Form W-2G and collect their taxpayer identification number. If the winner does not provide a taxpayer identification number, backup withholding at 24% applies.
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10. General Conditions

- All ticket sales are **final**. No refunds will be issued.
 - By participating, entrants agree to be bound by these Official Rules and the decisions of the Sponsor, which are final.
 - The Sponsor reserves the right to **cancel, suspend, or modify** the Raffle if necessary, due to unforeseen circumstances.
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11. Publicity

- By accepting the prize, the winner agrees to allow the Sponsor to use their name, likeness, and city/state for promotional purposes without additional compensation, unless prohibited by law.
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12. Compliance with Laws

- This Raffle is intended to comply with all applicable **New Mexico laws and regulations governing charitable raffles.**
 - The Sponsor will obtain any required approvals prior to conducting the Raffle.
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13. Contact Information

For questions about the Raffle, please contact:

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