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## **\$1,008,222 PROGRESSIVE JACKPOT WON AT FOUR WINDS NEW BUFFALO**

*More than \$4.2 million in life-changing jackpots won since the beginning of March*

NEW BUFFALO, Mich. – May 23, 2024 – The Pokagon Band of Potawatomi’s Four Winds® Casinos are pleased to announce that a guest from Harvey, Ill. won a \$1,008,222 progressive jackpot on May 17 while playing a UFL Explosion slot machine at Four Winds New Buffalo! The winner, who chose to remain anonymous, won while making a \$15 bet. The game has been reset for other winners to take home massive jackpots. This jackpot is part of more than \$4.2 million in significant and life-changing jackpots won at Four Winds Casinos locations and its online casino since the beginning of March 2024.

Additionally, a guest from Schiller Park, Ill. won a \$80,874.92 progressive jackpot on May 19 while playing a Shamrock Fortune slot machine at Four Winds New Buffalo while making an \$0.80 bet. The guest chose to remain anonymous and the game has been reset for other winners.

“Winning life-changing jackpots is always a possibility when visiting one of our four casino locations as well as our online casino,” said Mary Smith, Chief Operating Officer of Four Winds Casinos. “We’ve got a wide variety of exciting games and wager options to provide enjoyment for every guest preference and style.”

In addition to these two most recent wins, other notable recent progressive jackpots at Four Winds Casinos locations and online casino include:

### **New Buffalo**

- 3/24, \$59,512, Chicago, Ill., Bet: \$5, Game: Dragon Link
- 3/29, \$40,000, Fort Wayne, Ind., Bet: \$15, Game: Double Gold
- 4/5, \$49,894, Morton Grove, Ill., Bet: \$12, Game: Wonder 4
- 4/16, \$40,000, LaPorte, Ind., Bet: \$36, Game: Quick Spin
- 4/18, \$55,190, Beecher, Ill., Bet: \$25, Game: Dragon Link
- 4/20, \$120,058, Calumet City, Ind., Bet: \$7.50, Game: Dollar Storm
- 4/23, \$723,625, Mishawaka, Ind., Bet: \$25, Game: Dollar Storm
- 4/25, \$100,000, Niles, Mich., Bet: \$50, Game: Double Top Dollar
- 4/28, \$536,614.25, Schaumburg, Ill., Bet: \$5, Game: Dollar Storm Wild Ninja

### **South Bend**

- 3/1, \$35,924, South Bend, Ind., Bet: \$0.88, Game: Rakin’ Bacon Deluxe
- 3/1, \$65,473, Mishawaka, Ind., Bet: \$12.50, Game: Lock It Link

- 3/18, \$63,164, Mentone, Ind., Bet: \$15, Game: Lock it Link
- 3/22, \$54,559, Goshen, Ind., Bet: \$2.50, Game: Dollar Storm
- 3/23, \$38,000, Bremen, Ind., Bet: \$25, Game: Ultimate X Poker Bonus Streak
- 4/9, \$67,500, Wakarusa, Ind., Bet: \$75, Game: Triple Diamond Strike
- 4/18, \$250,317, Sturgis, Mich., Bet: \$50, Game: Quick Hit
- 4/21, \$57,420, Kokomo, Ind., Bet: \$30, Game: Ducks in a Row
- 4/30, \$177,894.30, Mishawaka, Ind., Bet: \$0.88, Game: Double Blessings
- 5/2, \$104,500, Valparaiso, Ind., Bet: \$100, Game: Mystical Mermaids
- 5/4, \$74,626, South Bend, Ind., Bet: \$3.75, Game: Huff N More Puff

#### Dowagiac

- 1/28, \$42,012, Dowagiac, Mich., Bet: \$1, Game: Lock It Link
- 3/25, \$9,734, Mishawaka, Ind., Bet: \$2.25, Game: Buffalo Gold Revolution
- 3/28, \$12,079, Union, Mich., Bet: \$5.88, Game: Dancing Drums Prosperity
- 4/2, \$12,984, Location: NA, Bet: \$1.50, Game: Hot Hit
- 4/7, \$21,861, Location: NA, Bet: \$25, Game: Lightning Link

#### Hartford

- 3/1, \$14,806, Benton Harbor, Mich., Bet: \$1, Game: Lock it Link
- 3/10, \$14,637, Watervliet, Mich., Bet: \$0.80, Game: Butterfly Rise
- 3/12, \$20,000, Coloma, Mich., Bet: \$25, Game: Double Gold
- 3/30, \$23,328, Location: NA Bet: \$2.50, Game: Thunder Drums
- 4/4, \$16,000, Bloomingdale, Mich., Bet: \$10, Game: Double Gold
- 4/19, \$20,716, Holland, Mich., Bet: \$10, Game: Thunder Drums

#### iGaming

- 1/28, \$173,033, Game: Mercy of the Gods
- 2/8, \$173,364, Game: Divine Fortune Touch
- 4/12, \$150,485, Game: Rakin Bacon

Four Winds Casino locations are home to some of the area's biggest jackpots with progressives starting at \$100,000. Four Winds New Buffalo features 40 table games along with 1,900 slot machines ranging from penny slots up to \$100 machines. At Four Winds South Bend, players can find 27 table games, 12 live poker tables, and over 1,800 of the latest games ranging from penny slots to \$100 machines including some of the area's largest jackpots. Four Winds Dowagiac and Four Winds Hartford feature a variety of table games, slot machines, and endless fun. Four Winds' [Online Casino & Sportsbook](#) offers more than 500 casino slots, casino table games and a comprehensive online sports betting offering. New players can receive guaranteed deposit offers on their first four deposits and other exciting promotional offers.

#### Reservations and Information

To make a hotel reservation at Four Winds New Buffalo or Four Winds South Bend® or for more information on Four Winds New Buffalo, Four Winds Hartford®, Four Winds Dowagiac® or Four Winds South Bend, please call 1 (866)-4WINDS1, (866) 494-6371 or visit [www.fourwindscasino.com](http://www.fourwindscasino.com). Additionally, be sure to like Four Winds on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/fourwindscasino](http://www.facebook.com/fourwindscasino) and follow on X (formerly Twitter) at [www.x.com/fourwindscasino](http://www.x.com/fourwindscasino) for information on the latest offers and promotions.

**About The Pokagon Band of Potawatomi Indians of Michigan and Indiana**

The Pokagon Band of Potawatomi's sovereignty was reaffirmed under legislation signed into law by President Clinton in September of 1994. The Pokagon Band is dedicated to providing community development initiatives such as housing, education, family services, medical care, and cultural preservation for its more than 6,000 citizens. The Pokagon Band's ten-county service area includes four counties in Southwestern Michigan and six in Northern Indiana. Its main administrative offices are located in Dowagiac, Mich., with a satellite office in South Bend, Ind. In 2007, it opened Four Winds Casino Resort in New Buffalo, Mich., followed by Four Winds Hartford in 2011, Four Winds Dowagiac in 2013 and Four Winds South Bend in January 2018. The Pokagon Band operates a variety of non-gaming businesses through its investment enterprises, Mno-Bmadsen and the Pokagon Development Authority. More information is available at [www.pokagonband-nsn.gov](http://www.pokagonband-nsn.gov), [www.fourwindscasino.com](http://www.fourwindscasino.com) and [www.mno-bmadsen.com](http://www.mno-bmadsen.com).

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