Audlem Music & Arts Festival Lottery

Terms & Conditions

Effective for all draws taking place on or after 24th March 2025 and

payments made for tickets in those draws.

1. General

1.1 Introduction

These Terms and Conditions govern the lottery operated by the Audlem Music & Arts Festival (AMAF). By participating in the lottery through any purchasing method, you agree to be bound by these rules.

1.2 Regulation

AMAF operates its lottery as a small society lottery, registered with Cheshire East Council (registration number LTR842) in accordance with Schedule 11, Parts 4 and 5 of the Gambling Act 2005.

1.3 Draw Schedule

Draws are held on the second Friday of each month. AMAF reserves the right to reschedule draws, with any changes communicated in advance.

1.4 Amendments

AMAF may amend these Terms and Conditions from time to time. Any changes will be published on the AMAF website with an updated Effective Date.

1.5 Breach of Rules

AMAF reserves the right to withhold access to the draw or any prize if it reasonably suspects a breach of these Terms and Conditions.

2. Prize Plan

2.1 Prize Allocation

40% of the lottery proceeds are allocated to the prize fund.

2.2 Winning Tickets

A ticket is eligible to win one prize per draw. Participants with multiple tickets can win multiple prizes in a single draw.

2.3 Multiple Tickets

There is no limit to the number of tickets an individual can purchase, with a maximum of 4,000 tickets sold per draw.

2.4 Regular Monthly Draw Prize Distribution

- 4 runner-up prizes sharing 40% of the prize fund.
- 1 grand prize of 60% of the prize fund.

2.5 Special Prizes

At its discretion, AMAF may offer special prizes in addition to the regular cash prizes. An example would be tickets to the AMAF Chilli Night.

2.6 Special Event Draws

AMAF may hold special event lottery draws in addition to the regular monthly draws. Beneficiaries of special draws, ticket prices, and prize distributions and allocations will be published specifically for each special draw.

3. Entering, Playing, and Paying

3.1 Eligibility

Participants must be 16 years or older. Individuals involved in the lottery's operation and their immediate families are not eligible.

3.2 Ticket Purchase Options

Tickets can be purchased by monthly Subscription Plan, One-Off Ticket purchases, or Special Event Tickets. All financial transactions go through our 3rd party payment merchants Wix (www.wix.com) and Stripe (www.stripe.com).

Subscription Ticket(s) – On successful payment, the same ticket(s) numbers will be automatically entered into the current month draw.

One Off Ticket(s) – These are valid for one draw only.

3.3 Payment Processing via Wix and Stripe

All payments are securely processed through our 3rd party payment merchants Wix and Stripe. The AMAF team has no access to payment details beyond confirmation of payment.

3.4 Payment Deadlines

For entry into a specific month's draw, payment must be received by 23.59 on the 5th of that month.

For **special event draws**, ticket sales will open and close at specific times, which will be announced on the AMAF website.

3.5 Standing Orders

Phasing Out Standing Order Payments

We are no longer accepting new applications for standing order payments. While existing standing order players can continue for now, we encourage all current participants to move over to the new online system, where they will be able to see and manage their tickets more easily.

- **Cancellation**: You may cancel your standing order at any time. Payments received before cancellation will be entered into the relevant draw.
- **Moving to the New System**: We strongly encourage standing order players to switch to the new online system for better ticket management.
- **Changing the number of Standing Order Tickets**: Please request changes via email to alter the number of tickets you want for each draw.

4. The Draw

4.1 Draw Information

Draw dates, locations, and prize values will be published on the AMAF website and social media channels.

4.2 Winner Selection

Winners are selected using AMAF's draw engine software, employing a random number generator.

4.3 Public Announcement

Draws are public, and winners are announced unless anonymity is requested.

4.4 Prize Distribution

Winners will be contacted via email to arrange prize distribution.

4.5 Prize Payment Conditions

AMAF reserves the right to withhold prize payment until:

• The winner is confirmed as registered in AMAF's records

• Full payment for the ticket is received

• Proof of age is provided if required

4.6. Age Verification

Prizes will not be paid to individuals under 16 years old.

5. Data Protection

5.1 Personal Data

AMAF is committed to protecting participants' personal data. Information collected is used solely for lottery administration.

6. Contact, Complaints and Disputes

For comments, questions, or complaints, contact us at:
lottery@audlemfestival.live

Glossary of Terms

AMAF

Audlem Music & Arts Festival.

Draw Engine Software

A software tool used to randomly select winners from the pool of lottery participants.

Effective Date

The date from which the terms and conditions apply.

Gambling Act 2005

A UK law that regulates gambling, including lotteries.

Prize Fund

The portion of the proceeds from ticket sales allocated for prizes.

Payment Processing via Wix and Stripe

All payments for lottery tickets, including one-off purchases and monthly subscriptions**, are securely processed through** Wix and Stripe**. The AMAF** Lottery team does not have access **to any personal banking details or card information—only confirmation that a payment has been successfully processed.**

For **subscriptions**, members agree that **Wix and Stripe** will **automatically process the monthly payment** on the agreed date using the credit or debit card details provided at the time of purchase.

Members can **manage their card details and payment preferences** within their own **wallet area** on the **AMAF Lottery Wix site**.

Proceeds

The total amount of money raised from the sale of lottery tickets.

Random Number Generator

A tool or software that generates random numbers used in selecting lottery winners to ensure fairness.

Small Society Lottery

A type of lottery defined under the Gambling Act 2005, which is run for non-commercial purposes such as fundraising for good causes.

Standing Order

An instruction a bank account holder gives to their bank to pay a set amount at regular intervals to another account.

Ticket Number

A unique identifier assigned to each lottery ticket purchased.

Winning Ticket

A ticket that has been randomly selected to receive a prize in a draw.

Runner-Up Prizes

Prizes awarded to participants whose tickets are selected after the grand prize winner.

Grand Prize

The highest value prize awarded in a lottery draw.

Eligible

Meeting the criteria set out in the terms and conditions to participate in the lottery.

Council Registration Number

A unique number assigned by the Cheshire East Council to AMAF for registering the lottery.

Force Majeure

Unforeseeable circumstances that prevent someone from fulfilling a contract, including natural disasters and other events beyond control.

Dispute Resolution

The process of resolving a dispute or complaint regarding the lottery.

Responsible Gambling

Engaging in gambling activities in a way that minimizes the risk of harm.

Data Protection Laws

Laws that govern the handling of personal data to protect individuals' privacy.