

# **OFFICIAL RULES**

\$175,000 MGM Rewards Holiday Hot Seat Virtual Drawing Promotion Fridays in December December 2024

1. Empire City Casino by MGM Resorts will host the \$175,000 MGM Rewards Holiday Hot Seat on Fridays in December 2024. Tournaments will take place between 5:30 PM and 9:00 PM.

2. Drawing Date: December 6th, 13th, 20th, and 27th.

## **ENTRANTS**

3. MUST BE AN MGM REWARDS<sup>™</sup> MEMBER TO PARTICIPATE. MGM Rewards membership is free to all patrons who are 21 years of age or older, unless excluded from eligibility as outlined in TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

4. Participants may receive information about this promotion in several ways including, but not limited to their monthly mailer and traditional advertising methods.

## ENTRY

5. Each promotional date, Empire City Casino will host drawings for MGM Rewards Members every hour from 5:30 PM to 9:00 PM.

6. Drawings for Sapphire and Pearl Members will take place at 5:30 PM, 6:30 PM, 7:30 PM, and 8:30 PM. Drawings for Gold, Platinum and Noir Members will take place at 6:00 PM, 7:00 PM, 8:00 PM, and 9:00 PM.

7. MGM Rewards Members are responsible for activating their card by earning \$1 SLOT DOLLAR<sup>®</sup> on the day of the drawing and registering any carded rating within thirty (30) minutes of each drawing time on the drawing date.

### **GENERAL DRAWING CONDUCT**

8. At each drawing time, winner's names will be randomly selected from all eligible participants via computer-generated selection process at a designated player tracing station.

federal tax reporting requirements. Winners are responsible for any United States federal, state, or local taxes and/or fees that may be imposed in connection with the acceptance on any prize.

22. A winner payout and release form must be completed by participants and a casino representative prior to awarding any cash or merchandise prizes.

23. In order to process your prize claim, you authorize Empire City Casino by MGM Resorts to collect personal information about you.

24. Empire City Casino by MGM Resorts may require additional information, notarized statements, or other evidence, as it may deem appropriate, to be supplied by a prize winner.25. No assignment or transfer of prizes allowed. Odds of winning depend on the number of eligible participants.

26. Each prize winner grants to Empire City Casino by MGM Resorts the right to use their name, city of residence, and photograph in order to publicize their winnings. The name and city of residence of prize winners shall be regarded as public information; however, it shall be the policy of Empire City Casino by MGM Resorts not to release the street address or telephone number of the prize winners, except as may be required pursuant to lawful authority or urgent necessity. At the discretion of Empire City Casino by MGM Resorts, photographs of winners may be taken and used for publicity or to compile a photographic record of winners.

27. Each entrant and winner shall indemnify and hold harmless Empire City Casino by MGM Resorts, MGM Yonkers, Inc., Yonkers Racing Corporation, the State of New York and its agents, officers, employees, the division and director and the agents, officers and employees against any damage, loss, claim or liability arising from his or her participation in this promotion. Empire City Casino by MGM Resorts, MGM Yonkers, Inc., and Yonkers Racing Corporation assume no liability of any kind for any property loss or damage or personal injury occurring in connection with any prizes.

28. Eligibility. The following persons or categories of persons are not eligible to participate in the promotion or win any prize; any officer or employee of the New York State Division of the Lottery, a principal, key employee or employee of any video lottery gaming agent licensed pursuant to this part, except as may be permitted by the Division for good cause shown, any licensee, registrant, contractor, subcontractor, or consultant, or officer or employee of a contractor, subcontractor, licensee, registrant or consultant, if such person is directly involved in the operation of video lottery gaming, the operation or observation of video lottery gaming or drawings, or the processing of video lottery gaming prize claims or payments, any person subject to a contract with the Division if such contract contains a provision prohibiting such person from purchasing a video lottery gaming ticket or receiving a video lottery gaming prize, any officer or employee of Empire City Casino by MGM Resorts, MGM Yonkers, Inc., Yonkers Racing Corporation, Brian Boru of Westchester, Inc., Delta Electric, or their affiliates or subsidiaries, any spouse, child, brother, sister, or parent of any of the foregoing persons. This section shall not be deemed to prohibit the sale of a video lottery gaming ticket or the payment of a video lottery gaming prize to an officer or employee of the Division or a video lottery gaming agent or to a contractor, subcontractor, or consultant or to an officer or employee of a contractor, subcontractor, or consultant if such sale or prize payment is not for the individual benefit of such person and is made in connection with an official investigation, audit, or other activity authorized by the Director. Persons who have been evicted from the property or who have requested self-exclusion from the property are not eligible to participate in the promotion. Any such entries are void and prizes will be forfeited automatically.

9. Winning names will be drawn as early as 15 minutes prior to each hourly announcement to allow for proper verification.

10. Participants may not win more than once per drawing session. In the event of a duplicate winner, an alternate will be drawn until a total of 20 unique winners are drawn for 5:30 PM - 9:00 PM drawings.

11. Once winners' names are verified, the names will be announced via public address system on the gaming floor, displayed at the drawing location, and on the media pods located throughout the gaming floor, as technology is available.

12. Participants must be present to win. At each drawing, winners will have 10 minutes to claim their spot at the designated location. No alternates will be drawn.

13. Participants may win a total of four (4) times per drawing date and a total of sixteen (16) times over the life of this promotion.

14. Prize amounts awarded are dependent on prize amounts claimed. There may be up to 640 total drawing winners. Total prizes of up to \$176,800 in *FREEPLAY®*.

#### PRIZES

15. Prizes will be determined by playing a slot tournament for 1 minute. Prizes are not valid on any electronic table games.

16. The prize structure for the Gold, Platinum, and Noir drawing times is as follows:

PLACE	PRIZE	TYPE
1st	\$1,000	FREEPLAY®
2nd and 3rd	\$500	FREEPLAY®
4th – 10th	\$400	FREEPLAY®
11TH – 20TH	\$300	FREEPLAY®

17. The prize structure for the Sapphire and Pearl drawing times is as follows:

PLACE	PRIZE	TYPE
1st	\$300	FREEPLAY®
2nd and 3rd	\$200	FREEPLAY®
4th – 10th	\$150	FREEPLAY®
11TH – 20TH	\$150	FREEPLAY®

18. All Prizes will be issued after the completion of each tournament.

19. No assignment or transfers of prizes allowed. Odds of winning depend on number of eligible participants and entries.

### **PROMOTION TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

20. By participating in the promotion, each participant agrees to and acknowledges that they will abide by the official rules, regulation, and procedures of the promotion.

21. Winners must present their MGM Rewards card and valid government-issued photo identification to participate. In addition, Members must provide proof of their social security number by presenting a social security card or completing a W-9 form or similar document as necessary to comply with

29. Falsification of any information will result in ineligibility to claim any prize.

30. Empire City Casino by MGM Resorts is not responsible for typographical or printing errors, or any mechanical malfunctions that may occur during a promotion.
a.During periods of Rewards Kiosk unavailability, Empire City Casino by MGM Resorts will not make available the activation of the following items:
i.One FREE entry available by visiting any Rewards kiosk, and;
ii.Invitation to multiply their entries on additional days based on promotion qualifications.

31. Management reserves the right to cancel, change or modify the promotion without notice.

32. Empire City Casino by MGM Resorts Marketing officials will resolve any and all disputed concerning any questions that arise in regard to the promotion. In the event of a dispute, New York State law shall govern. The decisions of Empire City Casino by MGM Resorts officials will be final.

33. For a Winner's List, please send a written request to the below address of visit our MGM Rewards desk. A full list will be available for one (1) week, beginning on the first business day following the end of the promotion period.
Empire City Casino, Attn: Income Audit
810 Yonkers Avenue
Yonkers, NY 10704

34. Valid at Empire City Casino by MGM Resorts. Promotion is void where prohibited.



