

Hersey Instrumental Association 2023 Chance to Shine Raffle

Official Rules & Regulations

By purchasing raffle tickets, you agree to the rules and regulations of the Chance to Shine Raffle (these "Rules").

Hersey Instrumental Association 2023 Chance to Shine (the "Raffle") is a fundraising activity conducted by Hersey Instrumental Association ("HIA"), a Section 501(c)3 organization (FEIN# 23-7383612) in support of the John Hersey High School ("JHHS") Band Program, benefiting eligible students enrolled in grades 9-12.

These Rules govern the conduct of the Raffle. These Rules are binding on everyone who purchases a raffle ticket and/or who is named on a raffle ticket, HIA Board and all individuals selling raffle tickets. It is the responsibility of the ticket purchaser or person named on the raffle ticket to review these Rules. No modification of these Rules shall be enforceable unless made and approved by the HIA Board.

Prizes

- Grand Prize: \$10,000 cash prize.
- Second Place Prize: \$3000 cash prize.
- Third Place Prize: \$2,000 cash prize.

Prize amounts are based on 2,000 tickets sold. No more than 2,000 tickets will be sold. If fewer than 2,000 tickets are sold, prize money is reduced by the percentage of tickets sold. For example, if 1,000 tickets are sold, the Grand Prize will be a \$5,000 cash prize, the Second Place Prize will be a \$1,500 cash prize, and the Third Place Prize will be a \$1,000 cash prize.

Eligibility

Raffle ticket purchasers and the person named on a raffle ticket must be at least 18 years of age at the time of purchase and a U.S. resident. Raffle tickets may not be purchased in the name of a business, trust, corporation, or other entity, or wherever prohibited by applicable law. Prize winners may be required to sign an affidavit of eligibility. Raffle tickets are void where prohibited by law.

Rights of Cancellation

HIA reserves the right to cancel this Raffle at any time, for any reason, in which event liability is limited to the refund of the ticket purchase price to all participants.

Purchasing Raffle Tickets

Beginning Sept. 7, 2023, raffle tickets will be available for purchase on <https://www.herseyband.com/chance-to-shine-raffle> through Oct. 16. Complete the form, then hit submit to choose the number of tickets before completing your raffle ticket purchase. You may buy as many tickets as you wish up to the deadlines set forth herein, subject to availability, until all 2,000 are sold. The price per ticket is \$50. Each raffle ticket is valid for one chance to win in the raffle held.

You have not entered the Raffle until your entry submission and full payment has been accepted by HIA (PayPal confirmation). Once the submission has been accepted by HIA, you will receive an email from

raffle@herseyband.com with your assigned ticket numbers to the email address you included in the online entry form, as acknowledgement of the acceptance of your raffle entries. Once funds for online purchase tickets have cleared, HIA will place each completed raffle ticket stub in the secured raffle barrel or other secure container to be used for the raffle drawing on Oct. 20, 2023.

HIA is not responsible for emails undeliverable due to incorrect email addresses provided on the online entry form.

All sales are final. Raffle tickets cannot be exchanged or returned after purchased.

If for any reason a debit/credit card payment is rejected for lack of funds, the ticket purchase is null and void. HIA will use reasonable efforts to notify the purchaser of the problem and provide an opportunity to cure the problem for as long as raffle tickets are available.

Any questions regarding the Raffle or the purchase of Raffle tickets can be directed to Project-chair@herseyband.com.

Ticket Drawing

All tickets must be purchased by 7:00 p.m. CT on Monday, Oct. 16, 2023, to be entered. Tickets may sell out before that time. Any ticket submissions received in excess of the maximum 2,000 tickets or that are sold after 7:00 p.m. CT on Monday, Oct. 16, 2023, will be refunded to the purchaser. HIA The winning tickets will be drawn at random from a drum containing all eligible raffle tickets. Winning tickets for all three prize levels (Grand, Second and Third Prizes) will be drawn and announced following the Marching Huskies halftime show on Friday, October 20, 2023, at the Roland R. Goins Stadium at JHHS. Winners need not be present to win.

In the event the home football game on Friday, Oct. 20, 2023, is rescheduled, the winning tickets will be drawn and announced at the rescheduled game. In the event, the football game on Friday, Oct. 20, 2023, is cancelled and not rescheduled, the winning tickets will be drawn and announced at the freshman/sophomore game on Saturday, Oct. 21, 2023 (time TBD).

HIA will contact the winners by phone or email promptly following the drawing. Winners will have 30 days to claim their prizes.

If a winner does not wish to claim the prize but wishes to donate it to HIA for the benefit of the Band Program, such winner shall notify HIA in writing within the 30-day period, stating that the winner wishes to donate the prize to HIA. The donor will then be required to sign a Donation Document provided by the HIA.

If a winner does not claim a prize or elect to donate it within 30 days, HIA shall draw another ticket from the remaining ticket entries. The tickets shall remain under the control of HIA until a winner is identified and accepts/elects to donate all prizes.

Disclaimers

HIA does not undertake to give advice on the legal or tax consequences of the Raffle, or its winners. However, the IRS position is that amounts paid for chances in raffles, lotteries or similar drawings for valuable prizes are not gifts, and consequently do not qualify as deductible charitable contributions.

HIA assumes no responsibility for a prize winner's tax obligations and recommends you consult your tax advisor to complete the necessary paperwork to ensure compliance with receipt of winnings.

By participating in this Raffle, all ticket purchasers and the person named on each Raffle ticket accept and agree (1) to be bound by these Rules, and (2) that their names and/or likenesses maybe used on local/social media and may otherwise be used by HIA for publicity purposes and naming of the prize winners across various owned media channels including the HIA managed website (Herseyband.com).

By participating in this Raffle, each participant releases HIA and its Board members and officers, contractors and agents from any and all liability for injuries, losses or damages of any kind caused by participating in the Raffle or accepting any prize, and each winner agrees to indemnify and hold HIA and its Board members and officers, contractors and agents harmless from any and all losses, damages, costs, expenses, rights, claims and actions of any kind arising as a result of participation in this raffle.

HIA has no responsibility for lost, late, misdirected or non-delivered email or other messages, or any other failure to receive submissions or deliver ticket numbers prior to the drawing deadlines. A Raffle participant's sole and exclusive remedy for HIA's breach shall be limited to the return of the purchase price paid for their Raffle ticket(s). In no event shall HIA or its Board members, officers, contractors or agents be liable to any party for any loss or injuries to earnings, profits or goodwill, or for any incidental, special, punitive or consequential damages of any person or entity.