

Bingo Rules

- 1) The arrangement of numbers required to be covered on bingo paper to win the game and the amount of the prize for each game must be announced to the players immediately before each game begins.
- 2) A player must be declared the winner of a game if they have covered all the numbers in the required arrangement. A player must have the last number called to be declared a winner.
- 3) A designated member in charge of the bingo must verify, at the time a player claims to have won and before a prize is paid out, that the numbers covered on the bingo paper is a winning arrangement by audible call-back of the numbers covered on the bingo paper in the immediate presence of one (1) or more neutral player or non-participant.
- 4) After a winner has been declared, the designated member in charge, acting on behalf of the licensee must ensure that the caller inquires clearly and audibly of the players whether there are any other players claiming to be a winner of that game. If there are no other winners, the designated member in charge must ensure the caller declares the game to be closed. No claim of a player to have won a game is valid if made after the game has been declared closed.
- 5) The total prize, as outlined prior to the commencement of the bingo game, must be paid to a winner or winners. Where there is more than one (1) winner of a bingo game, the prize offered must be divided equally amongst all players having obtained a valid bingo or a mini game of BINGO can be played by the winners to establish a single winner. The total amount awarded in prizes must not exceed the licensee's licensed prize board.
- 6) If the number on a ball is miscalled, the actual number on the ball and not the called number must be the official number for the game. Any claim by a player to have won a bingo using a miscalled number must be disallowed.
- 7) The designated member in charge of the bingo occasion must provide a documented record for each bingo game played outlining the order in which the numbers were called for each game held during the bingo event. This is the official record of the games.
- 8) If it should be determined that a game has been closed as the result of a miscalled number and there is not a valid winner for the game, the game must be reconstructed using the official record to identify the numbers previously called and the game must continue until won by a player.
- 9) The licensee established House Rules governing the conduct of the bingo must be displayed at the premises where the bingo is being conducted.
- 10) Additional bingo games approved by the licensee must be operated in compliance with the approved House Rules as specified above.