



Rules of Play – Starlight Theatre Association of Kansas City

1. By participating in the "Starlight 50/50 Raffle" (the "Raffle"), entrants agree to be bound by these "Official Rules" and by the decisions of Starlight Theatre Association of Kansas City, Inc. ("Starlight"), which shall be binding and final as to all matters related to the Raffle. The Raffle is subject to all applicable federal, state, and local laws and is void where prohibited.
2. The lottery will take place online only. A series of monthly raffles will take place from July 1, 2022 to September 29, 2022 with a last draw date of September 30, 2022. Each draw will take place at 10:00am CST and on the dates listed below. Draws open at 11:00am CST and close at 11:59pm CST.
 - July 1, 2022 to August 1, 2022 – Draw Date August 2, 2022
 - August 2, 2022 to September 1, 2022 – Draw Date September 2, 2022
 - September 2, 2022 to September 29, 2022 – Draw Date September 30, 2022
3. All tickets will only be sold to people who are 18 years of age or older.
4. Must be physically in the states of Kansas or Missouri, USA at the time of purchase.
5. Tickets are \$10 for 10, \$20 for 40, and \$40 for 150.
6. All ticket sales are final.
7. Tickets will be available online at kcstarlight5050.com.
8. Tickets will be sold using an electronic raffle system supplied by Ascend Fundraising Solutions (Ascend)
9. After buying, patrons will receive a confirmation e-mail with their 50/50 registered numbers from a Random Selection System. No specific numbers can be given as numbers are generated randomly.
10. The winning ticket number will be selected by a Random Number Generation (RNG) system from all raffle numbers sold for the draw.
11. The amount of the 50/50 will be indicated at www.kcstarlight5050.com.
12. The winning number will be announced on www.kcstarlight5050.com, Kansas City Starlight social media outlets and we will contact the winner by email and/or phone as necessary within five (5) days of the drawing.
13. The winning ticket holder has 3 months from the time of notification in which to claim their prize from the date of the draw their ticket was purchased for.
14. The winner must present a valid photo identification, completed appropriate IRS Forms, and the winning Raffle Ticket to claim the prize associated with that Raffle Ticket. Taxes will be the sole responsibility of the winners. The Internal Revenue Service takes the position that no portion of the Raffle ticket price will qualify as a charitable contribution for federal income tax purposes. Sponsor will withhold twenty-five percent (25%) from

the winnings if the amount of the prize is greater than \$5,000 and will report this amount to the IRS on Form W-2G.

15. Raffle Tickets are Not Tax Deductible. Under IRS guidelines amounts paid for chances to participate in raffles, lotteries, or similar programs are not gifts and, therefore, the price of the entry does not qualify as a deductible charitable contribution to Starlight.
16. Once the certified winner is verified, and provides identification with photo ID, they will be given a check in the amount of the declared prize which is, at minimum, 50% of the total sales for that draw. If the winner cannot provide photo ID and/or does not fill out the required forms, then the winning proceeds will be held until such identification can be provided and/or paperwork is completed. We will then pay the winner by check either in person or by certified mail within 30 days of verification of the winner. No cash payment will be made to the winners.
17. Prize claimants must provide Starlight with all information required to claim a prize. In the event a claimant: (a) does not claim the prize within three (3) months of notification; (b) is ruled ineligible for any reason; (c) refuses the prize; or (d) does not provide valid identification or completed IRS Form, the prize will be forfeited and will be retained by Starlight for charitable use.
18. Fifty percent of all proceeds from the Raffle Tickets will benefit Starlight Theatre Association of Kansas City, Inc.
19. The odds of winning the Raffle depend on the number of Raffle Tickets purchased for the drawing.
20. Staff, Board Members, or other Starlight affiliates who are directly related to running the raffle are not eligible to participate in the 50/50 draws.
21. Publicity Release. Each winner, by accepting a prize, grants Starlight full permission, except where legally prohibited, to use such winner's name, photograph, voice and/or other likeness, and prize information for advertising, trade and promotional purposes without further compensation and without notice, review or approval, in all media now known or hereafter discovered, worldwide and in perpetuity.
22. The above set of rules will be posted online at kcstarlight5050.com.
23. For any raffle inquiries, please email megan.mccranie@kcstarlight.com.