



Municipality of Northern Bruce Peninsula

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Quick Guide Lottery Licence Applications

What lottery schemes does the Municipality of MNBP Licence?

The Municipality of Northern Bruce Peninsula may issue licenses to conduct the following lottery events:

- Bazaar gaming events
- Bingo – prize boards up to \$5,500
- Media Bingo
- Break Open Ticket events that are not conducted in conjunction with another event, and where the tickets are sold within the municipality
- Raffles with prizes up to \$50,000

Is my organization eligible for charitable gaming licenses?

Your organization may be eligible if it:

- Has a purpose to provide charitable services to Ontario residents that fall within one of these four categories:
 - relief of poverty
 - advancement of religion
 - advancement of education
 - other charitable purposes beneficial to the community
- has carried out activities consistent with its charitable purposes for at least one year
- is located in Ontario

Examples may include:

- hospitals
- youth activities or sports
- service clubs
- arts or culture

Charitable registration with Revenue Canada or incorporation as a non-profit organization does NOT guarantee eligibility for licenses.

Organizations that only promote the private interests of their members do NOT qualify for gaming event licenses. This may include, but is not limited to:

- adult recreation/sport
- individual sport team
- unions or employee groups
- social clubs
- professional associations
- political, government, lobbying or advocacy groups

Licence Application Instructions

Contact the Licensing Coordinator at the Municipal Administration office to get your application package which includes:

- Licence Application
- Licence Terms and Conditions
- Questionnaire respecting applicants for Lottery Licence

Please note that

- Municipality of Northern Bruce Peninsula requires a minimum of 5 days processing time and 15 days for first time licensees
- Keep a copy of all licence application documents for your records
- Only original forms and signatures will be acceptable
- Your licence application is a legal document and will be returned or delayed if the Instructions are not followed or if checklist items are missing. This may result in the cancellation of your charitable gaming event
- Type or legibly print all information
- Answer every question completely
- Persons signing any Licence Application must have a good knowledge of the applicable Licence Terms and Conditions
- It is illegal to print tickets, promote or conduct a charitable gaming event without a licence

How much does a lottery licence cost?

Lottery Licence Fees are pursuant to the Consolidated Rates and Fees By-Law of the Municipality of Northern Bruce Peninsula.

What is a Bazaar Lottery?

A Bazaar is a sale of goods held to raise money for a charity. Four types of lottery events are permitted at bazaars:

- a) A raffle not exceeding \$500.00 in prizes;
- b) A bingo not exceeding \$500.00 in prizes;
- c) A maximum three wheels of fortune with a maximum \$2.00 bet

What is a Bingo Lottery?

Bingo is a game of chance to where players are awarded a prize or prizes for being the first to complete a specified arrangement of numbers on bingo paper, based on numbers selected at random.

What is a media Bingo?

Media Bingo means a bingo event which is conducted on or through television, radio or newspaper or other communication devices.

What is a Raffle Lottery?

A raffle is a lottery scheme where tickets are sold for a chance to win a prize in a draw.

Contact Information

If you require clarification on any of the above please feel free to contact the Licensing Clerk at:
1-833-793-3537

