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## £5.3 Million In Jackpot Prize Money Still Unclaimed In The UK

*Players in the south of England yet to claim over £4.6 million*

A staggering total of **£5,374,357** in jackpot prize money is still to be claimed throughout the UK, and National Lottery players are being urged to check and double-check their tickets for their chance to claim a share in this life-changing prize pot.

In total there are five individual unclaimed jackpot prizes, the largest being the £2,543,170 on Lotto still outstanding in the Tunbridge Wells Area. But four of the five jackpot tickets were bought no further north than London and a search is now on to locate the owners of the winning tickets – wherever they may now be - before time runs out.

### Current unclaimed jackpot prizes

15 November 2006 Lotto 1137	£2,543,170 Jackpot	Tunbridge Wells Area	2, 3, 17, 22, 40, 42	14 May 2007
24 February 2007 Thunderball 630	£250,000 Thunderball	Southwark Area	1, 3, 5, 14, 20 Thunderball 14	23 August 2007
3 March 2007 Lotto 1168	£772,906 Jackpot	Stockport Area	1, 5, 11, 19, 28, 36	30 August 2007
21 March 2007 Lotto 1173	£679,618 Jackpot	Basingstoke Area	15, 19, 29, 35, 44, 45.	17 September 2007
24 March 2007 Lotto 1174	£1,128,663 Jackpot	Canvey Island, Benfleet & Basildon Area	9, 14, 26, 28, 30, 45.	20 September 2007

If no-one comes forward with the winning tickets before the prize claim deadlines, then the prize money, plus all the interest it has generated, will go to the Good Causes – adding to the £20 billion already raised through sales of lottery tickets since The National Lottery® launched in November 1994.

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A National Lottery spokesperson said: “We’re desperate to find these missing ticket-holders and unite them with their winnings. These prizes have the potential to literally change many lives overnight. We’re urging everyone, and especially those who have bought Lotto and Thunderball tickets in the south, to check their old tickets again or look anywhere these valuable pieces of paper could be hiding.”

“Try checking in the pockets of clothing, in wallets, bags and down the back of the sofa – someone out there could literally be sitting on a fortune! We have the champagne on ice and our fingers crossed that the lucky winner comes forward to claim their win.”

With all National Lottery draws, players have 180 days from the day of the draw to claim their win if they have the winning ticket. Anyone who believes they have the winning ticket for any of the National Lottery draws within the 180-day deadline should call the **National Lottery Line** on **0845 910 0000**.

Anyone concerned about lost or unchecked tickets may like to consider setting up a National Lottery Subscription, playing Lotto Online, via their mobile phone, or using the Sky Active service on digital TV. Numbers can be entered in advance and lucky winners are notified online if their numbers come up. For further information call 0845 912 5000 or visit [www.national-lottery.co.uk](http://www.national-lottery.co.uk).

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**Notes to Editors:**

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- To date, over £20 billion has been raised for Good Causes by The National Lottery, and more than 250,000 individual awards have been made across the UK – the biggest programme of civic and social regeneration since the 19<sup>th</sup> Century. The National Lottery has given away over £28.7 billion in prizes and created more than 2,000 millionaires or multi-millionaires since launch in 1994
- Camelot runs one of the most cost-efficient lotteries in the world, with around 5 per cent of total revenue taken in operating costs. At 40 per cent of total sales (28 per cent to Good Causes and 12 per cent in lottery duty to the Government), Camelot returns a higher proportion of lottery revenue back to society than any other lottery operator in the world. National Lottery retailers receive 5 per cent of total revenue in commission, and 50 per cent of sales is paid out to players in prizes.

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### Current Unclaimed Prizes Within The 180-Day Deadline

Draw Date/No	Prize Amount	Area Bought	Winning Numbers	Last Date to Claim
10 November 2006 EuroMillions 144	£56,339.70 5+0 Stars	Hounslow Area	14, 21, 27, 30, 36. Lucky Stars 2 & 3	9 May 2007
10 November 2006 EuroMillions 144	£56,339.70 5+0 Stars	Edinburgh Area	14, 21, 27, 30, 36. Lucky Stars 2 & 3	9 May 2007
11 November 2006 Lotto 1136	£202,201 5+Bonus	Taunton Deane Area	23, 24, 28, 33, 34, 41 Bonus 18	10 May 2007
15 November 2006 Lotto 1137	£2,543,170 <b>Jackpot</b>	Tunbridge Wells Area	2, 3, 17, 22, 40, 42	14 May 2007
15 November 2006 Lotto 1137	£86,945 5+Bonus	Highlands Area	2, 3, 17, 22, 40, 42 Bonus 12	14 May 2007
25 November 2006 Lotto 1140	£142,035 5+Bonus	Droitwich Spa, Evesham & Pershore Areas	4, 7, 31, 38, 44, 48 Bonus 1	24 May 2007
9 December 2006 Lotto 1144	£168,632 5+Bonus	Dudley Area	5, 8, 10, 18, 20, 46 Bonus 43	7 June 2007
3 January 2007 Lotto 1151	£135,292 5+Bonus	Leeds Area	4, 6, 30, 36, 43, 44 Bonus 20.	2 July 2007
10 January 2007 Lotto 1153	£113,334 5+Bonus	Wrexham Area	1, 2, 13, 29, 33, 49 Bonus 6	9 July 2007
24 February 2007 Thunderball 630	£250,000 Thunderball	Southwark Area	1, 3, 5, 14, 20 Thunderball 14	23 August 2007
3 March 2007 Lotto 1168	£772,906 <b>Jackpot</b>	Stockport Area	1, 5, 11, 19, 28, 36	30 August 2007
7 March 2007 Lotto 1169	£103,968 5+Bonus	East Kent Area*	4, 14, 25, 35, 42, 48 Bonus 37	3 September 2007
16 March 2007 EuroMillions 162	£163,855.90 5+0 Stars	Blaenau Gwent & Merthyr Tydfil areas	4, 14, 31, 45, 49 Lucky stars 4 & 9	12 September 2007
21 March 2007 Lotto 1173	£679,618 <b>Jackpot</b>	Basingstoke Area	15, 19, 29, 35, 44, 45	17 September 2007
21 March 2007 Lotto 1173	£139,408 5+Bonus	Borough of Havering Area	15, 19, 29, 35, 44, 45 Bonus 7	17 September 2007
23 March 2007 EuroMillions 163	£69,348.60 5+0 Stars	Hendon Area	5, 13, 17, 40, 43	19 September 2007
24 March 2007 Lotto 1174	£1,128,663 <b>Jackpot</b>	Canvey Island, Benfleet and Basildon Area	9, 14, 26, 28, 30, 45	20 September 2007

\*inc. Ashford, Folkestone, Dymchurch and New Romney areas



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