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Hey Big Spender! *Welsh Lotto Winner Hits Jackpot*

A supermarket worker from Newport will be browsing the shelves for a different reason this year, after cashing in on a £1,173,269 share of the Lotto jackpot on Saturday 27 January 2007.

Celestina Setterlund (33) is now planning the spending spree of a lifetime, in New York. Celestina, who works part time stacking shelves at her local Sainsbury's supermarket, was at home with her three children – Leyla (13) Brodie (10) and Mia (9) – when she found out about her life-changing win. Her partner, Carl (40), was on a night shift at Enersys in Newport where he works as a mill operator.

Celestina said: "I rang Carl straight away and said he had to come home because I'd got all six numbers on the lottery. He came back at about half nine, but then had to go back to work because he'd left all the machines on!"

Celestina then called her sister and family who live locally, and stayed up celebrating with champagne until 5.30am. The couple have already started to make plans on how to spend their winnings.

Celestina commented: "I buy a lottery ticket every week, and every week I tell my sister Angie that we will go on a shopping trip to New York if I win, so that is exactly what we are going to do! Carl and I are also planning on buying a new car, probably Land Rover, and of course we will treat the kids.

"So far, Mia has asked to give up school and have a pony – and we've said no to both! The win means we can treat ourselves to things we never thought we could afford, and have financial security as a family. I'm just overwhelmed by it all."

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Celestina bought her winning ticket, which was a Lucky Dip®, at the Spar on Clytha Park Road. The winning numbers on Saturday January 27 were 04, 15, 21, 23, 24, and 38.

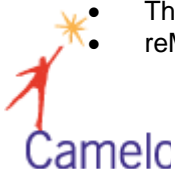
Tonight's (Wednesday 31 January) Lotto jackpot is an estimated is £2.5 million and Friday's (February 2) Euromillions Rollover jackpot is an estimated £17 million. Every Lotto play slip now comes with its own Dream Number – it is up to players to mark 'yes' to give their Dream Number its chance of winning up to £500,000, or choose a Lucky Dip.

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