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Wedding Plans Take To The Skies Thanks To Lotto Win

Wedding plans are really taking off for a young engaged couple, who are on 'Cloud Nine' after winning £164,028 by matching five numbers plus the bonus ball in the Lotto draw on Saturday 9 June 2007.

Planner, Becky Williams (25), and Aircraft Engineer, Chris Robertson (24), who both work at Airbus in Broughton and live together in Caego, Wrexham, plan to spend their winnings on renovating their house – as well as splashing out on their dream wedding in Cyprus next June. Becky realised her line had come up when she checked the numbers on Teletext on Sunday morning.

Becky commented: "I was on the phone to my sister last week, talking about the cost of the wedding. I said to her, 'Never mind, I'm going to win the lottery on Saturday!' Now it has actually happened, I can't believe it. Chris has been working overtime to help pay for our wedding in Cyprus, so this windfall will take some of that pressure off. We can definitely upgrade to the honeymoon suite now! I think we'll also have some fun with the money and treat ourselves to a new car. I fancy something small and sporty."

Becky added: "A few of my friends had stayed over to keep me company because Chris was away in Germany so when I realised my numbers had come up we were all jumping up and down screaming. I phoned Chris and he was screaming down the phone too. I then called my mum, who was also away on holiday, and had to tell her 15 times before she would believe me."

Becky's line of lucky numbers was made up of a combination of birthdays – she bought the winning ticket from Sainsbury's in Plas Coch Road in Wrexham. The winning Lotto numbers on Saturday 9 June were 2, 3, 23, 33, 40, 46, and the bonus ball, 30.

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Tonight's (Friday 15 June) EuroMillions jackpot is an estimated £18 million, while tomorrow's (Saturday 16 June) Lotto jackpot is an estimated £X.X 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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