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## **EuroMillions Win Could Be Just The Ticket For Derby Friends**

Two friends from Alvaston could be on the way to Paris for the Rugby World Cup Final this Saturday, after touching down a £542,914.90 EuroMillions win. The two who only recently started playing EuroMillions together matched five numbers plus one Lucky Star in the draw held on Friday 12 October 2007.

Shane Gwinnutt (28), and Darren Baughan (42) have been friends for a few years but only recently started working together at Rugeley Power Station and decided to form a syndicate. The pair are now making plans on how to spend their slice of fortune.

Shane and his partner Stacey Hancock (24), will be paying off their mortgage and taking a luxury holiday to Barbados. While Darren and his wife Beryl (45), will be treating their two grown up sons as well as buying Beryl a BMW. The couple are also planning a holiday, as Darren has always wanted to visit Gracelands. Top of the list though is a trip to Paris and the avid rugby fans are hoping to have a double the reason to celebrate on Saturday.

Shane said: "The win has come as a total shock. Darren and I have known each other for years and thought it would be good to form our own little syndicate but never imagined it would turn out like this.

"We have really been enjoying the Rugby World Cup and are looking forward to the final on Saturday. We never dreamt we would have chance of going and we can't wait to go and cheer the lads on to victory!"

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The winning ticket, which was a Lucky Dip®, was bought from Crayford Road Stores in Alvaston. The winning EuroMillions numbers on Friday 12 October were: 21, 32, 36, 46, 47 and the Lucky Stars 3 and 4.

Today's (Wednesday 17 October) Lotto jackpot is an estimated £2.5 million, whilst this Friday (19 October), there is an estimated £10 million EuroMillions jackpot. 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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