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A BIRTHDAY TO REMEMBER! CARDIFF BINGO PLAYER WINS £50,000 JACKPOT ON HER FIRST VISIT TO BINGO

A lucky lady celebrating her 40th birthday at **Club 3000** Bingo in Cardiff received an unexpected birthday present on Saturday 13th August, thanks to winning a life changing £50,000 on the **National Bingo Game**.

On Saturday 13th August, while playing at the evening session all her numbers came up on the **National Bingo Game** and she scooped the top prize of a whopping £50,000 Jackpot. **Club 3000** Cardiff is the luckiest club in Wales, as less than three months ago another member also won the £50,000 jackpot prize!

There were double celebrations for the lucky winner as she was celebrating her 40th birthday in the club, along with her husband, brother, and friends. The lady who only joined the Club on the night had not been to bingo for years and could not believe her luck when all her numbers came up, she said:

“I was emotional and shocked as the numbers came up so quickly, it was unbelievable. I only joined the club on the night, and it was certainly a lucky night for me and made it an extra special birthday! The atmosphere was amazing when I won, everyone was celebrating with us. I am planning to use the money to learn to drive, buy a car, go on holiday, and hopefully put a deposit down for a house.”

Sally Morgan, Manager at **Club 3000** Cardiff said: “The atmosphere in the club was electric, all the customers burst into applause and started cheering, the mood was very much uplifting, which was wonderful: nights like these are what makes bingo so special. We are so happy for

our winner who only joined on the same night and was celebrating a special birthday, the win created the best party atmosphere ever!”

Alastair Stewart, Head of Commercial Operations at the **National Bingo Game** said:

“We are thrilled for our lucky **National Bingo Game** £50,000 Jackpot winner at **Club 3000** Cardiff and to have another big winner so soon after the last at the club is great. We hope that the lucky winner enjoys spending her winnings and we wish her every success with learning to drive.”

To find a participating club and for further information on the National Bingo Game visit www.nationalbingo.co.uk, or follow us on Facebook (www.facebook.com/NationalBingoGame) and Twitter.com @nationalbingo.

All players must be aged 18 or over. The National Bingo Game is played under the provisions of The Gambling Act 2005 and played under National Bingo Game Players’ Rules. Players should always gamble responsibly. For more information and advice visit www.BeGambleAware.org

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Notes to Editors

About The National Game

- The National Bingo Game started in 1986, with the current format launched on 30th April 2018
- The new National Bingo Game is a Full House only game and offers players the following prizes:
Club Prize – won in every club, on every game
Jackpot Prizes of £50,000, £1,000 and £100
- To win a Club Prize a player must be the first in their participating venue to successfully complete a full house.
- To win a Jackpot Prize a player must be the first in their participating venue to successfully complete a full house as follows in the following number of calls:
16 numbers or less to win £50,000
20 numbers or less to win £ 1,000
24 numbers or less to win £ 100
- Tickets for the National Bingo Game are £1 for 2 tickets OR £2 for 5 tickets
- Total prize money paid to date by the National Bingo Game is over £1BILLION!
- The National Bingo Game is the UK’s second largest computer controlled game in the UK, the national lottery being the largest
- The National Bingo Game is played twice a day, every day, 364 days a year

- Around 270 clubs across the UK offer the National Bingo Game, including Gala, Mecca, Majestic, Castle, Carlton and Beacon, in addition to a wide range of independent clubs
- National LIVE is a linked interval game also provided the National Bingo Game Association.
- Over three million people play bingo regularly in the UK (at least twice a week)
- A night out at the bingo can cost as little as £15-25 each, including game books, duty, food and drink
- Most common reasons for playing bingo are because it's fun: it offers companionship and the chance to socialise as well as winning cash prizes
- Celebrities love bingo! Catherine Zeta Jones can thank bingo for her career after her dad won enough to afford to send her to theatre school; other celebrity fans include: Denise Van Outen, Scott Mills and former President Barrack Obama's step-mother!
- A number of celebrities started their careers in bingo, including Chris Tarrant, Simon from boy band Blue, East Ender's Shane Richie, Russell Crowe and Kian from West Life.

About Club 3000 Bingo

Club 3000 is the largest independent licensed bingo club operator in the UK, with 23 venues across the country.

W: www.club3000bingo.com