

Rutherford Appleton Laboratory Recreational Society

Sports and recreational activities, clubs and facilities for health, well-being and social interaction at RAL and beyond.



Christmas Raffle and Members-Only Draw Rules 2022

1. The RecSoc Christmas Raffle will consist of 30 prizes, with a minimum individual prize value of £3, a maximum individual prize value of £100, and a combined total value of no more than £600.
2. The Members-Only draw is free and will consist of one gift voucher prize of £100 value.
3. Raffle tickets will cost £1 each and may be purchased in the RecSoc R58 Lounge between 12:00 and 14:00 from 1st to 14th December. Tickets may also be sold by RecSoc members or authorised RecSoc representatives on the RAL site outside of these hours.
4. The Christmas Raffle and Members-Only draw will take place in the RecSoc Lounge from 12:45 on Thursday 15th December.
5. Each raffle prize will be assigned a number from 1 to 30. A prize number will be randomly drawn prior to a winning raffle ticket being drawn from a tombola drum.
6. The Members-Only draw is open to all RecSoc Members listed in our database and mailing lists. Members will be sent an email with a link to an online registration form. Entries will be collated into a spreadsheet and assigned a sequential number. Only one entry will be counted per person, and entries must be registered before Thursday 15th December.
7. The Members-Only draw will be made electronically at the end of the Christmas Raffle draw and the winning number will be checked against the current membership database held by the RAL RecSoc. The winner may also be required to confirm their CSSC membership before the prize is handed over.
8. The organisers will notify the prize winners on Friday 16th December and prizes not collected at the event may be collected thereafter from the RecSoc R58 Lounge between 12:00 and 14:00 on days when the bar is open. Proof of identification may be requested before a prize is handed over.
9. If a prize has not been collected before the end of January 2023 it will be donated to a charity nominated by the RecSoc Committee.
10. Only members of the RecSoc, or RAL based staff eligible for RecSoc membership, who are over 18 years of age may purchase tickets. Proof of age ID will be required if the organisers have any doubts about the purchaser's age.
11. The organisers may decline to sell tickets at their own discretion. Their decision is final, and they do not have to explain or enter into discussion regarding their decision.
12. The Christmas Raffle is for non-commercial purposes and no proceeds will be used for purposes of private gain. Proceeds will be used to cover the cost of the prizes and any reasonable expenses. Any profits will be donated to charities nominated by the RecSoc Committee.
13. Any complaints about the running of the Christmas Raffle and Members-Only draw should be sent in writing to the RecSoc Honorary Secretary.