

## **Asheville Gay Men's Chorus Raffle Rules**

The Asheville Gay Men's Chorus is incorporated as a 501 (c) (3) nonprofit corporation under the laws of the State of North Carolina. The Asheville Gay Men's Chorus raffle ("AVLGMC Raffle") is conducted for the purpose of generating operating funds.

Purchase one or more raffle tickets during AVLGMC Raffle and you'll be entered to win a create-your-own trip for two to New York City, or any area served by Allegiant Air and Marriott Hotel Corporation. Raffle tickets are \$25 each and benefit Asheville Gay Men's Chorus. Must be 18 years of age or older. Contest void where prohibited. Raffle begins at 12:01 am on January, 18th and ends at 11:59 am on February 16, 2019. All times referenced for the AVLGMC Raffle are Eastern Time.

**HOW TO ENTER:** There are TWO ways to enter.

1. Enter online by completing the online entry form and pay entry fee with credit card or, at the event using cash and/or credit card.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Must be 18 years or older to enter. Contest void where prohibited. You need not be present to win. AVLGMC employees are not eligible to enter. AVLGMC members and Board Members are eligible to enter.

**SELECTION AND NOTIFICATION OF WINNERS:** Winner will be selected at random and announced on Asheville Gay Men's Chorus' Facebook page on February 17, 2019. Winner will be notified by telephone, mail and/or email. If potential winner(s) cannot be reached after 10 days from first notification attempt, or if an entrant is found to be ineligible, or a prize notification is returned as undeliverable, such prize will be forfeited and alternate winner(s) will be selected by random drawing. Winner will also be announced in Asheville Gay Men's Chorus' Facebook page and by email to all raffle ticket buyers.

**PRIZE SELECTION:** The winner of the AVLGMC Raffle will receive:

- Air travel voucher from Allegiant Air (or similar) in the amount of \$500.00
- Hotel travel voucher from Marriott Hotels (or similar) in the amount of \$500.00
- A Visa/Mastercard gift card in the amount of \$400.00

**MODIFICATIONS OR CANCELATION OF DRAWING:** The Asheville Gay Men's Chorus reserves the right to cancel or modify the AVLGMC Raffle. If 60 tickets are not sold by 5 p.m. on February 15, Asheville Gay Men's Chorus, at its option, may cancel the AVLGMC Raffle. In such case ticket purchases will be refunded.

**INDEMNIFICATION AND LIMIT ON LIABILITY:** As a condition of accepting a prize, winner acknowledges that Asheville Gay Men's Chorus is not responsible for any harm, injury, or damage caused to any person or property, proximate or otherwise, through the use of any prize by any person, and agrees to save and hold harmless Asheville Gay Men's Chorus, its principals and employees from any claim of such responsibility. "Harm, injury or damage" includes but is not limited to occurrences beyond the control of Asheville Gay Men's Chorus such as death, bodily injury, property damage, or theft.

**GENERAL:** Ticket purchases are non-refundable and are not tax deductible. By entering the raffle, participants agree that Asheville Gay Men's Chorus, its agents and employees have no liability whatsoever for any injuries, losses, or damages of any kind which result from the date of award. The prize is non-transferable, and cannot be exchanged for cash. Asheville Gay Men's Chorus may use winner's name and likeness for publicity purposes without further compensation. Asheville Gay Men's Chorus is not responsible for any failure of communication or failure of the Internet or its website. Asheville Gay Men's Chorus reserves the right to modify these rules and will give prompt announcement of any rule changes. All decisions of Asheville Gay Men's Chorus are final and binding in all matters related to this raffle.

**TAX OBLIGATIONS:** The winner is responsible for all federal taxes. All local and state taxes and fees are the sole responsibility of the winner. For any prizes valued at \$600 or more, Asheville Gay Men's Chorus will file IRS Form W2-G with Internal Revenue Service reporting the value of the prize as income to the winner. Winner must show proof of social security number to Asheville Gay Men's Chorus. This is for tax recording purposes only, and will be not be used or released for any other purposes.

**RESTRICTIONS:** By participating in the Gay Men's Chorus AVLGMC Raffle, a participant agrees to be bound by these Official Rules, and by all decisions of Asheville Gay Men's Chorus For further information, please email Asheville Gay Men's Chorus at [info@avlgmc.org](mailto:info@avlgmc.org).

## **AFFIDAVIT OF ELIGIBILITY AND LIABILITY / PUBLICITY RELEASE OF GRAND PRIZE**

**WINNER:** The Winner must show proof of valid Social Security Number and will be required to sign an Affidavit of Eligibility and Publicity/Liability Release in order to claim their prize.

**AUTHORITY AND CONTROL:** The decision of Asheville Gay Men's Chorus shall be final in all matters concerning the AVLGMC Raffle. The AVLGMC Raffle is subject to the laws of the state of North Carolina. The AVLGMC Raffle is void where prohibited by law. Asheville Gay Men's Choir is not responsible for any errors or omissions in the AVLGMC Raffle's advertising and/or any printed, broadcast, or internet-provided materials or information.

**OVERSIGHT:** The Asheville Gay Men's Chorus Treasurer officiates the drawing of the Grand Prize.

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