

# Cape Cow Bingo

## *Official Rules and Regulations*

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### **Ticket Sales:**

- Squares are sold for \$50 each.
- Tickets correspond to numbered squares on the field and are assigned randomly prior to the event using Random.org's random sequence generator.
- No tickets may be sold after the event begins.

### **Field Setup:**

- The Cape Cow Bingo field will be divided into 100 equal-sized squares, each 10'x10'.
- A printed spreadsheet corresponding to the assigned grid squares with the name of each square's ticketholder will be available at the event and for download from the MSPA website prior to the event.
- The field will be enclosed with a protective barrier or fence.
- Spectators must not interfere with the cow or event progress.

### **Event Procedure:**

- At 2pm on May 31, 2025, a cow will be led into the field and allowed to roam freely.
- The first cow pie to land on a marked square determines the winner.
- If the cow pie lands across multiple squares:
  - The square containing the largest portion will be declared the winner.
  - If the pie is evenly split, prize money will be shared among the affected squares.

### **In the Event of No Cow Pie:**

- If no cow pie is dropped within the allotted 2-hour window, the winner will be determined by a random drawing from a pool of all ticket holders.

### **Prizes:**

- The winning square will receive a \$1,000 cash prize.
- The remaining proceeds will benefit the Cape Elizabeth Middle School Parents Association.
- Participants must be 18 years or older to claim the winning prize. Parents or guardians must claim any prize won by a minor.
- Winner need not be present to win.
- Winners are responsible for any associated taxes and fees.
- Winners will be notified by phone and/or email and have 30 days to claim their prize.
- Unclaimed prizes will become the property of the Cape Elizabeth MSPA.

**Judging and Decision Making:**

- The Cape Elizabeth Middle School Parents Association Board will determine the winning square.
- Cape Elizabeth Middle School Parents Association Board decisions are final and binding.
- All activities and results will be publicly posted at the event.

**Special Notes:**

- The event will proceed rain or shine, unless cancelled due to severe weather.
- In the case of severe weather, a random drawing will determine the winner.
- All sold and unsold tickets will be properly accounted for.
- Participants may be required to provide proof of ticket ownership and valid ID before receiving a prize.

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