

Attention All Lodges

The New Mexico Gaming Authority along with the ABC has an eye out for all Lodges that may be selling Cerebral Palsy tickets at their respective Lodges, at the bar area or where alcoholic beverages are purchased or consumed. One of our Lodges was already visited. According to NM State Law and the Alcohol and Gaming Rules and Regulations, No Games of Chance are to be sold where alcohol is served or consumed unless controlled by the Liquor Act itself.

Basically my fellow Elks, please refrain from selling the CP tickets, or any other game of chance raffle tickets, where there is alcohol served etc. Please refer to the Alcohol and Gaming Division Rules and Regulations, 15.10.54.9 "Games of Chance". In the most current book it is on page 16 (blue book.)

We all know that CP is a wonderful charity and it benefits many who need the funds. Law is law, and we must obey them to keep our licenses in good standing in the State.

Thank you all for your understanding and I also wish to thank Dave Johnson for his input.

If you have any questions or input, please contact me...

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