

**2023 MEMBER APPRECIATION SEASON (MAS)  
OFFICIAL RULES**

**NO PURCHASE OR PAYMENT NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN. A PURCHASE WILL NOT INCREASE YOUR CHANCES OF WINNING.**

**AGREEMENT TO OFFICIAL RULES.** By participating, you (the “participant”) agree to be fully unconditionally bound by these official rules (“Rules”), and you represent and warrant that you meet the eligibility requirements set forth herein. In addition, you agree to accept the decisions of Wescom Credit Union (“Wescom”), as final and binding as it relates to this 2023 Member Appreciation Season (“MAS”). MAS is subject to all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations and is void where prohibited by law.

**SPONSOR.** Wescom Credit Union 123 S. Marengo Ave., Pasadena, CA 91101.

**PROMOTIONAL PERIOD.** MAS begins at 12:00 AM Pacific Time (PT) on December 1, 2023 and ends at 11:59 PM (PT) on December 31, 2023 (“Promotional Period”),

**ELIGIBILITY.**

1. **MAS sweepstakes** are open to Wescom Members and participants who are at least 18 years of age and have a valid government-issued identification and valid tax identification number. Entries must fulfill all MAS sweepstakes requirements, as specified, to be eligible to win a prize. Entries that are incomplete or do not adhere to the Rules or specifications may be disqualified at the sole discretion of Wescom. Wescom employees (and their families/households), and Wescom volunteers (including the Board of Directors) are not eligible to participate in the MAS sweepstakes.
2. **MAS Youth Coloring Contest** is open to Wescom Members and participants who are 17 years of age or younger. Entries that are incomplete or do not adhere to the Rules or specifications may be disqualified at the sole discretion of Wescom. Family and household members of Wescom employees and Wescom volunteers (including the Board of Directors) are not eligible to participate in the Youth Coloring Contest.

**HOW TO ENTER.** MAS consists of four (4) separate sweepstakes and one (1) contest. See information below for promotional periods, methods for entry, list of prizes and value, and winner selection.

**1. Member Appreciation General Sweepstakes - Cedar Fair 4-Pack Gold Season Pass**

Promotional Period: 12/01/2023-12/31/2023

How to Enter: Participant(s) must complete the Cedar Fair Season Pass Sweepstakes online entry form at [wescom.org/mas-tickets](https://wescom.org/mas-tickets) during the promotional period. Limit one entry per person.

Number of Winners & Prizes: Four (4) participants will each receive four (4) Gold Season Passes to Knott’s Berry Farm including Soak City

Approximate Retail Value (ARV) of Prize: \$520.00 (\$130.00 per pass). Total ARV is \$2,080.00.

Winner Selection and Notification: Winners will be selected on or about 01/02/2024 in a random drawing among all eligible entries from the Cedar Fair Season Pass Sweepstakes collected during the Promotional Period.

## 2. Member Appreciation Season – Refer A Friend Sweepstakes

Promotional Period: 12/01/2023-12/31/2023

How to Enter: New members and their referring member will automatically receive one (1) entry each to the Refer A Friend Sweepstakes when the new member establishes a membership with Wescom using the promotional code “RAF” and opens a new Wescom Checking Account with a minimum deposit of \$100.00, during the promotional period. Membership eligibility and required. All accounts are subject to approval. \$1 deposit to savings account is required. Terms and conditions apply. Visit [wescom.org/promotions/refer-a-friend](https://wescom.org/promotions/refer-a-friend) for details. Insured by NCUA.

Number of Winners & Prizes: One (1) participant will receive two (2) Gold Season Passes to Knott’s Berry Farm, including Soak City.

Approximate Retail Value (ARV) of Prize: \$260.00 (\$130.00 per pass). Total ARV is \$260.00

Winner Selection and Notification: Winners will be selected on or about 01/02/2024 in a random drawing among all eligible entries from the Refer A Friend Sweepstakes collected during the Promotional Period.

## 3. Member Appreciation Season – Social Media Sweepstakes

Promotional Period: 12/01/2023-12/31/2023

How to Enter: Connect with Wescom via Instagram and comment on our posts from December 1, 2023 – December 31, 2023 and receive one (1) sweepstakes entry. Sweepstakes is in no way sponsored, endorsed, administered by, or associated with Instagram.

Number of Winners & Prizes: Twenty four (24) participants will receive one of the following prizes.

Winners	Prizes	Approximate Retail Value (ARV) per Prize
1	Two (2) Knott’s Berry Farm General Admission Tickets	\$120.00
5	Wescom Holiday Bear Plush	\$10.00
1	Porto’s Celebratory Bundle	\$100.00
3	Two (2) Tickets per Winner to the Rose Bowl Game on 1/1/2024*	\$1,500.00/prize
1	JBL Flip 5 Speaker	\$90.00
5	Snoopy Plush**	\$25.00
3	Monopoly Game	\$20.00/prize
3	Apple AirTag®**	\$30.00/prize
1	Keurig K-Mini & Wescom Mug	\$60.00
1	INSTAX mini 12™**	\$80.00

Total ARV for all Prizes: \$5,275.00

Winner Selection and Notification: Winners will be selected on or about 01/02/2024 in a random drawing among all eligible entries collected from the Social Media Sweepstakes during the Promotional Period.

*\*The Rose Bowl Game is located in Pasadena, Ca. Prize winners are responsible for their own accommodations and travel to and from the event. Parking is not included.*

*\*\*Snoopy is a trademark of Peanuts Worldwide LLC.*

*Apple AirTag is a registered trademark of Apple Inc.*

*Instax mini 12 is a trademark of FUJIFILM Corporation*

#### **4. Member Appreciation Season – Scratcher Give-Away**

Promotional Period: 12/01/2023-12/31/2023, while supplies last.

How to Enter: Visit any of our branch locations between December 1 through December 31, 2023 to conduct a transaction and receive one (1) scratcher. Participants with a winning scratcher may redeem their scratcher with the Branch's Member Service Representative for their prize.

Number of Winners & Prizes: 101 participants receive one (1) of the following prizes.

<b>Winners</b>	<b>Prizes</b>	<b>Approximate Retail Value (ARV) per Prize</b>
1	Two (2) Knott's Berry Farm General Admission Tickets	\$260.00/pair of tickets
100	One (1) of the following prizes: first aid kit, charger cord, biscuit mix, pancake mix, boysenberry syrup, Snoopy plush, or notepad.	\$10.00/prize

Total ARV for all prizes is \$1,260.00.

Winner Determination: Winners will be determined by results of scratcher.

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#### **5. Member Appreciation Season – Youth Coloring Contest**

Promotional Period: 12/01/2023-12/29/2023

How to Enter: Visit any Wescom branch to pick up a Coloring Contest Entry form. Participants that completed and color entry form and return to a Wescom branch by 12/29/2023, will receive one entry to contest. Participants must be 17 years of age or younger to enter.

Number of Winners & Prizes: 25 participants (one (1) participant per Wescom branch location) will receive one (1) giant Snoopy plush. Limit one entry per participant.

Approximate Retail Value of Prize: \$50.00 per plush. Total ARV for all prizes is \$1,250.00.

Winner Determination: Winners will be selected among all eligible entries collected during the promotional period on or about 01/02/2024 and determined by the merriest design.

**ALTERNATIVE METHOD OF ENTRY.** To enter without purchase or obligation, participants must hand-print their name, address, phone number, e-mail address and the words **2023 Member Appreciation Season Events and the name of sweepstakes participant wishes to enter** on a piece of paper and mail it in an envelope with postage affixed to Wescom Credit Union 123 S. Marengo Ave., Pasadena, CA 91101. Mail-in entry must be received by Wescom no later than 11:59 PM (PT) the last day of each entry period to be eligible for the drawing. If an entry form is drawn, but the judges are unable to determine the winner because of illegible writing, that entry form will be disqualified. AMOE does not apply to the Member Appreciation Season – Youth Coloring Contest.

**ODDS OF WINNING.** The odds of winning depend on the number of eligible entries received for each Sweepstakes or contest.

**PRIZES.** Non-cash prizes are not redeemable for cash. Prizes are non-transferable and no substitution of prizes is permitted without the permission of Wescom Credit Union, which reserves the right to substitute a prize with another prize of equal or greater value. Wescom will report all prize winnings to the appropriate state and federal agencies as required by applicable law. All taxes, fees, surcharges, or liabilities relating to the prize are the sole responsibility of the winner. Payment of any federal state or local taxes will be the obligation of the winner, and any costs not specifically identified herein are the responsibility of the prize winner.

**WINNER SELECTION AND NOTIFICATION.** Winners will be selected in a random drawing among all eligible entries collected during the Promotional Period. See section titled “Promotional Period” for approximate drawing dates.

All winners will be selected at the Wescom Credit Union Corporate Office under the supervision of the Partner Development Department for Wescom. Winners need not be present to win and will be notified via the email or telephone number they entered the Sweepstakes with, within five (5) business days following the winner selection. Wescom Credit Union will make its best reasonable effort to contact all winners. If a winner cannot be contacted or does not affirmatively accept their prize in writing or via email within ten (10) calendar days of notification, the prize will be forfeited, and an alternate participant will be selected at random from all eligible entries received.

**WINNERS LIST.** To obtain a full list of the prize winners and the prizes won by each winner, send a self-addressed envelope to be received to: Wescom Credit Union Sweepstakes Winners, Attn: Partner Development, 123 S. Marengo Ave., Pasadena, CA 91101. Participants must indicate the name of the Sweepstakes in their request. All requests for lists of winners must be received no later than 30 days following the close of promotional period in order for the participant’s request to be fulfilled.

**SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORM RULES.** The Sweepstakes, hosted by Wescom Central Credit Union, is in no way sponsored, endorsed, administered by, or associated with Instagram.

**NOTICE OF COLLECTION OF PERSONAL INFORMATION.** To find out more about how Wescom collects, uses, and shares the participant’s personal information, please read Wescom’s Notice of Collection of Personal Information available online at [wescom.org/ca-consumer-privacy](http://wescom.org/ca-consumer-privacy) and our Privacy Policy available at [wescom.org/privacy](http://wescom.org/privacy).

**AFFIDAVIT OF ELIGIBILITY RELEASE.** Prize winners will be required to sign an Affidavit of Eligibility within 14 days of notification. Failure to execute and return the Affidavit of Eligibility within 14 days may result in disqualification. Prize will not be awarded to an individual until the signed Affidavit of Eligibility is received at Wescom.

**PUBLICITY AUTHORIZATION.** Winners agree to permit Wescom to use their name, likeness, and city of residence for advertising and promotional purposes without additional compensation except where prohibited by law.

**GENERAL CONDITIONS.** These Rules supersede any published advertising.

- Wescom reserves the right to add, delete, or revise these Rules as necessary without notice. Wescom is not responsible for printing errors or omissions.
- By entering the Sweepstakes, participants agree to release and hold harmless Wescom Credit Union, its subsidiaries, affiliates, directors, officers, employees, and agents from any and all liability for any injuries, loss, or damage of any kind arising from or in connection with the Sweepstakes or receipt of the Prize. Wescom and each of its officers, directors, employees, members and representatives and agents are not responsible for any negligence, claims, liability, injury, property loss or other damages of participants and/or winners arising from, or in connection with acceptance, receipt, possession or use/misuse of the prize awarded or participation in this Sweepstakes.
- Wescom is not responsible for any entries that are lost, late, misdirected, deleted, erased, stolen, incomplete, or unreadable. Wescom assumes no responsibility for any error, problem, or malfunction (human, technical, or otherwise) which may occur in the creation, maintenance or processing of Sweepstakes entries, or which prevents entries from being created. Proof of submission will not be deemed to be proof of receipt by Wescom.
- Wescom is not responsible for any incorrect or inaccurate information, whether caused by tampering, hacking or by any of the equipment or programming associated with the Sweepstakes.
- Wescom reserves the right to disqualify participants who fail to follow these Rules or who make any misrepresentations relative to the Sweepstakes and redemption of prize. Entries by ineligible persons, fraudulent entries, or entries created in error will be disqualified and an alternate entry selected.
- Wescom reserves the right to void or reverse the awarding of any prize obtained fraudulently or illegally and to seek appropriate remedies to recover any prizes.
- All issues and questions concerning the construction, validity, interpretation, and enforceability of these Rules, or the rights and obligations of the participant and Wescom in connection with the Sweepstakes, shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with the substantive laws of the State of California, USA, without regard to choice of law rules.

**ARBITRATION AND WAIVER OF CLASS ACTION AND JURY TRIAL; READ THIS PROVISION CAREFULLY AS IT AFFECTS YOUR RIGHT TO PARTICIPATE IN OR BRING A CLASS ACTION AND YOUR RIGHT TO A JURY TRIAL IF YOU DO NOT OPT OUT AS PERMITTED BELOW**

**ARBITRATION; WAIVER OF CLASS ACTION AND JURY TRIAL.** Any and all claims, causes of action or disputes of any kind that arise out of or relate to this Agreement, your accounts with the credit union or any products or services offered or provided to you by us, even if the claim, cause of action or dispute accrued or arose prior to the date this Arbitration Provision was

provided to you, shall, at the election of you or us, be decided by an through binding arbitration in accordance with the terms of this Arbitration Provision, even if you or us have already initiated a lawsuit. Arbitration is elected by giving a written demand for arbitration to the other party, by filing a motion to compel arbitration in court, or by initiating arbitration against the other party. THERE SHALL BE NO RIGHT TO A JURY TRIAL. The arbitration hearing shall be conducted at a location within fifty (50) miles of your residence address at the time of such arbitration. The arbitration shall be conducted before the American Arbitration Association (the "AAA"), pursuant to the AAA Consumer Arbitration Rules, which can be obtained online at [www.adr.org](http://www.adr.org), OR by calling the AAA at 1-800-778-7879, OR Wescom Central Credit Union will provide a copy of the Arbitration Rules via e-mail upon request submitted to [mail@wescom.org](mailto:mail@wescom.org).

The FAA and related federal law shall govern the interpretation, implementation and enforcement of this Paragraph to the fullest extent possible, to the exclusion of all otherwise potentially applicable state law, regardless of the location of the arbitration proceedings or the nature of the disputes or controversies between the parties to this Agreement.

The arbitrator shall have the authority to award any monetary and non-monetary relief available to either party in an action otherwise prosecuted in court, including injunctive and other provisional relief. Nothing in this arbitration provision shall limit your or our right, whether before, during, or after the pendency of any arbitration proceeding, to exercise any self-help remedies, such as set-off or repossession and sale of collateral, or to obtain provisional remedies (including but not limited to, injunctive relief or interpleader relief). The exercise of such rights will not constitute a waiver of the right to submit any dispute to arbitration. Judgment on the arbitration award may be entered by any court of competent jurisdiction. The arbitration filing fee and the arbitrator's fee shall be paid by Wescom Central Credit Union. However, the parties shall be responsible for their own costs of prosecuting and defending the claims in the arbitration, including attorneys' fees.

**CLASS ACTION WAIVER: THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE SOLELY BETWEEN THE PARTIES TO THIS AGREEMENT AND NO CLASS ARBITRATION OR OTHER REPRESENTATIVE ACTION MAY BE UNDERTAKEN BY THE ARBITRATOR. YOU SHALL NOT BE ENTITLED TO PROSECUTE ANY CLAIM SUBJECT TO ARBITRATION ON BEHALF OF ANY OTHER PERSON IN ANY CLASS OR REPRESENTATIVE ACTION, OR PARTICIPATE IN ANY CLASS OR REPRESENTATIVE ACTION OR ARBITRATION THAT IS PROSECUTED BY ANY OTHER PERSON.**

Neither party will demand the arbitration of an action filed in small claims court, or its state's equivalent court, for any claim or dispute within the scope of the small claims court's jurisdiction. But if a claim is transferred, removed or appealed to a different court, such claim shall be subject to arbitration.

In the event the Class Action Waiver provided above in this Arbitration Provision is found to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of this Arbitration Provision shall also be unenforceable. If any provision in this Arbitration Provision, other than the Class Action Waiver, is found to be unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall remain fully enforceable.

### **Your Right to Opt-Out**

You may elect to opt out of this Arbitration and Waiver of Class Action and Jury Trial provision by sending written notice to Wescom Central Credit Union at P.O. Box 7058, Pasadena, CA 91109 within sixty (60) days after you receive and/or execute this Agreement. Opting out of this

arbitration provision shall not terminate the Agreement or otherwise affect in any way any of the other rights and obligations of the parties hereto under the terms of the Agreement.



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