

2025 Annual Gala

HOUSE RULES FOR RAFFLE

Raffle Drawing: Thursday, November 6, 2025, 5:30pm-9:00pm Drawing Location: Inwood Oaks Event Center, 484 Inwood Ave N, Oakdale, MN 55128

NOTE: Raffle tickets are not valid for event entry—you must purchase a separate event ticket if you would like to attend. Event registration and additional information at:

https://mnkaren.org/event/rooted-and-rising-2025/

The Karen Organization of Minnesota ("KOM") will conduct a charitable raffle on November 6, 2025, to raise funds for our programs serving refugees and immigrants in Minnesota. In compliance with city and state laws, KOM has set forth the following house rules for this raffle:

- 1. Raffles are a form of gambling. If you or someone you know has a problem with gambling addiction, call the toll-free problem gambling helpline at 1-800-333-HOPE.
- 2. Raffle tickets will be sold from October 17, 2025 to November 6, 2025.
- 3. Individuals may purchase one or more raffle tickets. Only one ticket is required to enter the raffle.
- 4. The price is \$20.00 per ticket. Debit card purchases will be charged a processing fee of 2.9% of ticket price + \$0.30 per transaction. No discounts or donations of tickets are allowed according to state law. Tickets are non-refundable.
- 5. Individuals may purchase tickets using cash, checks, or <u>debit</u> cards. *Credit cards may not be used to purchase raffle tickets according to state law.* Payment must be issued before individuals can receive a raffle ticket.
- 6. Tickets must be purchased in-person according to state law. No phone or online payments are allowed. Individuals may purchase raffle tickets with cash or check from KOM staff or board members. Alternatively, individuals may purchase tickets with cash, check, or debit card by contacting (651)788-7593 to set up an appointment at KOM's office.
- 7. Individuals must provide their name, phone number, and address on the raffle ticket in legible print in English for the ticket to be valid.
- 8. Individuals must be 18 or older to purchase a raffle ticket or to win a prize. Individuals must be able to pick up prizes at the Annual Gala or from KOM's office following the event. KOM is not responsible for shipping or delivering prizes to winners.



- 9. Raffle managers are not allowed to purchase tickets or win a prize. Other KOM staff, board members, or persons not involved in managing the raffle may purchase tickets and win prizes.
- 10. The raffle drawing will be held during our 2025 Annual Gala on November 6 at the Inwood Oaks Event Center, 484 Inwood Ave N, Oakdale, MN 55128. Raffle ticket holders need not be present to win.
- 11. Raffle tickets are not valid for event entry. Those wishing to attend the Annual Gala may purchase event tickets at https://mnkaren.org/event/rooted-and-rising-2025/.
- 12. Raffle winners will be selected by ticket drawing. All entries will have an equal chance to win. One winner will be selected per prize.
- 13. Prize winners will be posted on KOM's website after the event. KOM staff will contact each prize winner to claim their prize within 14 days of the event. If the prize winner does not collect their prize within this time, KOM staff may conduct a second drawing to select another winner. Information for that raffle drawing will be posted if necessary.

For questions regarding the raffle, please contact:

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