# / Virtual: Fundraising Forum – A Guide to Lottery and Raffle Marketing

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## / Welcome

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## / Legal Update

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## / ICO Rulings – electronic marketing breaches

#### **The Organisation**

Penny Appeal

#### The Background

- Sent an estimated 461,650 direct marketing texts(SMS)
- Received by up to 52,179 individuals

#### The Issue

- Unable to demonstrate valid consent
- Sent to those who opted out

#### The Ruling

Enforcement notice served



## / ICO Rulings – electronic marketing breaches

#### **The Organisation**

Hello Fresh

#### The Background

- > 8,000+ complaints made by individuals
- Over 80,000,000 electronic marketing messages sent
  - Over 79 million emails and over 1 million texts

#### The Issue

- Consent obtained was invalid
- > Failed "specific and informed" criteria

#### The Ruling

> Fined £140,000

Customers not informed that opt-outs would take 24m to take effect.

Bundled consent for sample gifts with consent for direct marketing.

"[] Yes, I'd like to receive sample gifts (including alcohol) and other offers, competitions and news via email. By ticking this box, I confirm I am over 18 years old"

Did not obtain separate consent for SMS/texts.

Bundled consent for direct marketing with age verification.



## / ICO Rulings – key takeaways





- Obtain granular consent for different DM channels (e.g. email & SMS)
- Ensure to demonstrate valid consent:
  - Date-, time-, sourcestamps
  - Records of data capture points and statements
- Respect opt-outs and objections in a timely manner

- Don't include non-DM purpose(s) within your consent statement
- Little, to no, internal procedures, policies and training on responsibilities under UK GDPR and PECR



## / Gambling Act 2005 Review



## Tougher restrictions on bonuses and direct marketing:

- Requires opt-in (consent) for all marketing channels
- Bonuses and promotional offers to require opt-in



## / Gambling Act 2005 Review – consultation response

Waiting for consultation response to be published by Gambling Commission



## / Fundraising Regulator – changes to FPS breach reporting

#### Rules on charity opt-outs:

- > Fundraising Regulator Code of Practice (3.2.5)
- > DMA Code (1.3)

#### What is considered an FPS breach and what are the consequences?

- ➤ A charity that has not actioned a suppression via the FPS within 28 days of receiving the request
- > The FR will publish the name of charities on their website
- > They may also notify the ICO and/or the Charity Commission

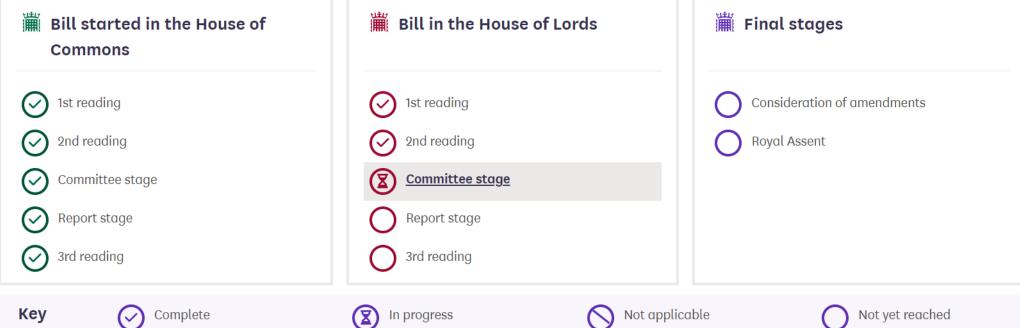
#### What's changed?

- Previously, the FR would name the charity after one uncollected suppression
- From April 2024, the charity will be named after three uncollected suppressions



## / DPDI Bill progress

#### Bill passage





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## Play Big, Win Big and Make a Big Difference - The Joy Of Play at the RSPCA

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Play big, Win big, Make a big difference - The Joy of Play

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Registered charity in England and Wales. Charity no. 219099.

#### RSPCA - who we are

- Largest animal welfare charity in the UK
- For 200 years we have been at the forefront of animal welfare aiming to create a better world for all animals
  - Rescue, rehabilitate and rehome or release animals in England and Wales
  - Campaign on their behalf to change laws, industries and minds
  - A world-leading, science backed voice for animals
- Recently we launched our new brand with a large scale campaign - For Every Kind







# RSPCA Weekly Lottery and Raffle The Joy Of Play



## **Weekly Lottery and Raffle - The Joy of Play**

- Weekly Lottery and Raffles are an important part of the RSPCA fundraising programme
- Mature products and raise circa £3-£4M per annum
- Players can support RSPCA/animal welfare and have fun too as there are prizes to be won
- Extends audience reach beyond core so helps to diversify income streams
- Balancing cause and prizes needs to be considered carefully
- We use an External Lottery Manager(ELM), Starvale, to run our Weekly Lottery and Raffles



## **Heavily regulated sector .....**

- Additional rules and regulations beyond fundraising
  - Set up and administration is regulated by the Gambling Commission
  - Adhere to Code of Fundraising Practice
- Income and expenditure tracking is vital and must be kept separate from other activities
  - 80/20 rule
  - Returns to Gambling Commission
  - Forecasting models need to be accurate







#### Raffle - where animals win too!

- Raffles are seasonal Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter
- Positive, upbeat with warmth
- Creative developed over time is recognisable and simple
- Players buy raffle £1 tickets to enter
- Option of making a one-off donation, gift aid opportunity
- Primarily target warm supporters through DM and Email
  - Good cross sell opportunity
  - Strong overlap with our cash base
- Pipeline for Legacy, handraiser opportunity



### **Weekly Lottery - win win!**

- Launched in 2004, players sign up to a direct debit to enter the weekly draw and quarterly superdraws
- £5/mth for 1 line which includes a donation, they never miss a draw, 80% play 1 line
- Aim is to be fun and upbeat balancing cause and winning
- Cold player recruitment: most spend currently allocated to digital channels
- Warm player retention: direct mail and email to promote quarterly superdraws with telephony used periodically
- Viewed as a cash cow with a loyal core base of players





#### **Weekly Lottery prizes**

1<sup>st</sup> Prize: £1.000

3rd Prize: £150

5th Prize: £50

Runner Up Prizes: 95 x £10





## **BUT** ....

We recognised our Weekly Lottery was outdated and needed a complete overhaul if we wanted income growth



## We started a project to:

- Identify priority audiences for Lottery
- Brand essence for Lottery
- Website optimisation
- Player journey

## & align with the RSPCA rebrand launch



## Audience research was pivotal in giving us the insight we needed

It's not all about winning It's all about playing

Breadth of animals

Warmth of animal & human connection

Positive and fun images



## The Joy Of Play



## **Positioning guidelines**



**Own your category** 



Link it to the cause



Make it memorable



The Big Animal Lottery

Play Big, Win Big, Make a Big Difference



# The creative is now coming to life reflecting the solid foundations of the project and aligning with the RSPCA rebrand



### **Lottery Website - old vs new**



#### **RSPCA Weekly Lottery**

You could win big when you play the RSPCA Weekly Lottery!

For as little as £1 a week you could win £1,000 in our weekly jackpot or one of 100 cash prizes! You could also win up to £10,000 in our quarterly Superdraws! Play now to be in with a chance of winning!

**RSPCA** 

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## Win big with the Big Animal Lottery!

For as little as £1 a week you could win a weekly jackpot of £1,000 or one of 99 cash prizes. Plus you could win up to £10,000 in our quarterly Superdraw. There are so many ways to win!

Play now

Log in to players area



#### HOW TO PLAY

## Get the ball rolling for just £1 per play

- Choose your numbers for the weekly draw, and you'll be automatically entered into the Quarterly Superdraw.
- Set up your direct debit and create an account to never miss a draw.
- 3 Sit back, relax and let your numbers start playing for you!

Play now

#### **WEEKLY DRAW**

#### £1,000 JACKPOT

#### **RUNNER-UP PRIZES**

8 2nd prize - £250

3rd prize - £150

8 4th prize - £100

5th prize - £50

And 95 runner up prizes of £10!

#### QUARTERLY SUPERDRAW

#### £10,000 JACKPOT

#### **RUNNER-UP PRIZES**

Spring - £5,000

Summer - £10,000

Autumn - £5,000

Winter - £2,000 Plus a luxury Christmas hamper

And over 100 runners up prizes!

Win up to £10,000 in our Seasonal Superdraws



## **Lottery Welcome Pack old vs new**

### The new Welcome Pack has a more contemporary feel

...balancing product information, our cause and a variety of animals to make you smile!









### **Lottery Paid Social Examples**









#### **Animated**





# Thank you





# Headaches, Highlights, Horizons Open discussion

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## / Closing Comments

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