

**2024 XBOX GAMES SHOWCASE: PREMIER EVENT - FANFEST TICKET SWEEPSTAKES  
OFFICIAL RULES**

**1. SPONSOR**

These Official Rules (“Rules”) govern the operation of the 2024 Xbox Games Showcase: Premier Event – FanFest Ticket Sweepstakes (“Sweepstakes”). Microsoft Corporation, One Microsoft Way, Redmond, WA, 98052, USA, is the Sweepstakes sponsor (“Sponsor”).

**2. DEFINITIONS**

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**3. ENTRY PERIOD**

The Sweepstakes starts at 6:00 a.m. Pacific Time (PT) on May 2, 2024, and ends at 11:59 p.m. PT on May 13, 2024 (“Entry Period”).

**4. ELIGIBILITY**

To enter, you must be legal resident of the 50 United States (including the District of Columbia) 18 years of age or older. If you are 18 years of age or older but have not reached the age of majority in your legal place of residence, then you must have consent of a parent/legal guardian.

Employees and directors of Microsoft Corporation and its subsidiaries, affiliates, advertising agencies, and Sweepstakes Parties are not eligible, nor are persons involved in the execution or administration of this promotion, or the family members of each above (parents, children, siblings, spouse/domestic partners, or individuals residing in the same household). Void where prohibited.

**5. HOW TO ENTER**

No Purchase Necessary.

To participate in the Sweepstakes, participants must complete the following steps for the chance to win a free ticket for you and one (1) guest to attend the Xbox Games Showcase Premier Event.

1. Sign up to become an Xbox FanFest member or login at <https://www.xbox.com/fanfest>
2. Click opt in for the the Enter To Win Tickets on the Events & Sweepstakes page.
  - a. Note: If you are not registered as residing in the United States, you will not see this section.
3. Click submit at the bottom of the page to confirm your entry into the Sweepstakes.

You will receive one entry by completing all of the registration requirements

The entry limit is one per person overall.

Any attempt by you to obtain more than the stated number of entries by using multiple/different accounts, identities, registrations, logins, or any other methods will void your entries and you may be disqualified. Use of any automated system to participate is prohibited.

We are not responsible for excess, lost, late, or incomplete entries. If disputed, entries will be deemed submitted by the “authorized account holder” of the email address, social media account, or other method used to enter. The “authorized account holder” is the natural person assigned to an email address by an internet or online service provider, or other organization responsible for assigning email addresses.

## 6. WINNER SELECTION AND NOTIFICATION

Pending confirmation of eligibility, potential prize winners will be selected by Microsoft or their Agent in a random drawing from among all eligible entries received within 3 days following the Entry Period.

Winners will be notified by Xbox FanFest from [xboxfanfest@eventcore.com](mailto:xboxfanfest@eventcore.com) by email using the contact information in your Xbox FanFest profile. Winner notifications will be sent by 5 p.m. PT on May 15, 2024 with prize claim instructions, including registration deadlines. If a selected winner cannot be contacted, is ineligible, fails to claim a prize or fails to return any forms, the selected winner will forfeit their prize and an alternate winner will be selected time allowing. Only three alternate winners will be selected, after which unclaimed prizes will remain unawarded.

## 7. PRIZES

The following prize will be awarded:

**One Hundred (100) Prizes.** Each winner will receive 2 free tickets to the Xbox Games Showcase Premier Event on June 9, 2024. Approximate Retail Value (ARV) \$0.00.

**NOTE:** Prize includes event ticket only. All other travel costs including but not limited to airfare, hotel, food/drink, and transportation are the sole responsibility of the winner.

We will only award one (1) prize per person during the Entry Period. No more than the stated number of prizes will be awarded. No substitution, transfer, or assignment of prize permitted, except that Microsoft reserves the right to substitute a prize of equal or greater value in the event the offered prize is unavailable. Except for applicable manufacturer’s limited warranties and any rights you may have under your local laws, prizes are awarded “AS IS” and WITHOUT WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, express or implied (including any implied warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose); you assume the entire risk of quality and performance, and should the prizes prove defective, you assume the entire cost of all necessary servicing or repair. Microsoft’s limited warranty terms can be found at <https://support.microsoft.com/warranty>, and specifically the U.S. warranty is [here](#). Prizes will be sent no later than 28 days after winner selection. Prize winners may be required to complete and return prize claim and / or tax forms (“Forms”) within the deadline stated in the winner notification. Taxes on the prize, if any, are the sole responsibility of the winner, who is advised to seek independent counsel regarding the tax implications of accepting a prize. By accepting a prize, you agree that Microsoft may use your entry, name, image and hometown online and in print, or in any other media, in connection with this Sweepstakes without payment or compensation to you, except where prohibited by law.

## 8. ODDS

The odds of winning are based on the number of eligible entries received.

## **9. GENERAL CONDITIONS AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY**

To the extent allowed by law, by entering you agree to release and hold harmless Microsoft and its respective parents, partners, subsidiaries, affiliates, employees, and agents from any and all liability or any injury, loss, or damage of any kind arising in connection with this Sweepstakes or any prize won.

All local laws apply. The decisions of Microsoft are final and binding.

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If you attempt or we have strong reason to believe that you have compromised the integrity or the legitimate operation of this Sweepstakes by cheating, hacking, creating a bot or other automated program, or by committing fraud in any way, we may seek damages from you to the full extent of the law and you may be banned from participation in future Microsoft promotions.

## **10. MICROSOFT EVENT CODE OF CONDUCT**

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Microsoft will not tolerate harassment or discrimination based on age, ancestry, color, gender identity or expression, national origin, physical or mental disability, religion, sexual orientation, or any other characteristic protected by applicable local laws, regulations, and ordinances.

We encourage everyone to help create a welcoming and safe environment. Please report any concerns, harassing behavior or suspicious or disruptive activity to [xboxfanfest@eventcore.com](mailto:xboxfanfest@eventcore.com). Microsoft reserves the right to refuse entry or remove any person from the Event at any time in its sole discretion. Microsoft reserves the right to refuse admittance to or remove any person from the Event at any time at its sole discretion.

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## **12. GOVERNING LAW**

This Sweepstakes will be governed by the laws of the State of Washington, and you consent to the exclusive jurisdiction and venue of the courts of the State of Washington for any disputes arising out of this Sweepstakes.

### **13. WINNERS LIST**

Send an email to [xboxfanfest@eventcore.com](mailto:xboxfanfest@eventcore.com) with the subject line “Winners List: 2024 Xbox Games Showcase: Premier Event - FanFest Ticket Sweepstakes” within 30 days of May 23, 2024 to receive the name of the winners that received the prize.

## **2024 XBOX GAMES SHOWCASE: PREMIER EVENT – FANFEST TRIP SWEEPSTAKES OFFICIAL RULES**

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### **5. HOW TO ENTER**

No Purchase Necessary.

To participate in the Sweepstakes, participants must complete the following steps for the chance to win a trip for you and one (1) guest to attend the Xbox Games Showcase: Premier Event.

4. Sign up to become an Xbox FanFest member or login at <https://www.xbox.com/fanfest>
5. Click opt in to the Enter To Win A Trip To Los Angeles listed under the Events & Sweepstakes page.
6. Click submit at the bottom of the page to confirm your entry into the Sweepstakes.

You will receive one entry by completing all of the registration requirements

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## 7. PRIZES

**One (1) Grand Prize.** A three (3) night/four (4) day trip for one (1) grand prize winner and a guest to Los Angeles to attend the Xbox Games Showcase: Premier Event in Los Angeles. Approximate Retail Value (ARV) \$5,700 USD.

- **Trip Includes:**

- Round trip coach airfare from major airport closest to winners home. Approximate Retail Value (ARV) \$2,500
- Three (3) nights at a Los Angeles hotel valued at \$500/night. (Single room, double occupancy). Approximate Retail Value (ARV) \$1,000.
- \$500: uber/lyft credit awarded as unique in-app promo code.
- \$1,200: per diem travel cost associated awarded as prepaid Visa gift card.
- Admission for two (2) to the Xbox Games Showcase Premier Event in Los Angeles on June 9, 2024.

- If the event is cancelled for any reason, Sponsor shall have no further obligation to the winner other than to provide the travel portion of the prize minus the opportunity to attend the event.

Travel subject to availability and must be completed on dates specified by the Sponsor or prize will be forfeited and awarded to an alternate winner. Some restrictions and blackout dates may apply. Any expenses not described above are the responsibility of the traveler(s) including but not limited to taxes, ground transportation, gratuities, and room charges. Winner and any guests must travel on same itinerary. Winner's travel companion must execute a Liability/Publicity Release prior to issuance of travel documents. Travel companion must be the age of majority in their legal place of residence, or the parent/legal guardian of the winner. Winner and any guests are responsible for providing all required travel documents, including, but not limited to government issued ID, Visa, or Passport. Once made, no cancellation or change of reservation allowed. If winner lives within 300 miles of travel destination, Sponsor reserves the right to provide alternative transportation. Actual value depends on date/time/destination, and difference between actual value and stated value will not be awarded.

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