

**OFFICIAL RULES
PATRIOT PAWS PET FOR A VET SWEEPSTAKES**

NO PURCHASE OR PAYMENT OF ANY KIND IS NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN. A PURCHASE DOES NOT IMPROVE CHANCES OF WINNING.

THIS SWEEPSTAKES IS INTENDED FOR PLAY IN THE UNITED STATES ONLY AND WILL BE GOVERNED BY U.S. LAW. DO NOT ENTER IF YOU ARE NOT ELIGIBLE AND/OR NOT LOCATED IN THE UNITED STATES AT TIME OF ENTRY. VOID WHERE PROHIBITED OR RESTRICTED BY LAW.

1. **The Sweepstakes.** The Patriot Paws Pet for a Vet Sweepstakes (“**Sweepstakes**”) is subject to these Official Rules and to all applicable federal, state, and local laws. Void in Puerto Rico, United States possessions and territories, and where prohibited or restricted by law.

2. **Sponsor.** This Sweepstakes is sponsored by Patriot PAWS Service Dogs, 254 Ranch Trail, Rockwall, Texas 75032 (“**Sponsor**”).

3. **Prize Provider.** The prize provider of this Sweepstakes is This Is Hit, Inc. d/b/a BBR Music Group, 1 Music Circle S., Nashville, TN 37203 (“**Prize Provider**”).

4. **Eligibility.** This Sweepstakes is open to legal residents of the 50 United States and the District of Columbia who are 21 years of age or older as of the time of entry. Employees of Sponsor, and their respective affiliates, parent companies, and subsidiaries, as well as Prize Provider(s) and any advertising and promotion agencies (collectively, the “**Sweepstakes Entities**”), together with the immediate families (spouses, parents, siblings, and children) and those persons living in the same household as such employees (whether or not related), are not eligible to enter or win.

5. **Promotion Period.** The Sweepstakes begins on May 19, 2025 on 5:30 a.m. Central Time (“**CT**”) and ends at 11:59 p.m. on June 1, 2025 (“**Promotion Period**”). The computer of Sponsor or Sponsor’s designated representative is the official timekeeper for the Sweepstakes.

6. **How to Enter.** During the Promotion Period, enter using one or both of the following methods of entry:

Donation to Sponsor. (a) Visit <https://patriotpaws.org/hawkeye/>, (b) donate any dollar amount, the proceeds of which benefit Patriot PAWS; (c) enter the required contact information; and (d) submit the donation. One donation is one Sweepstakes entry. At the time of donation, you will be required to provide credit card details through the secure link.

Alternate Method of Entry (“**AMOE**”) Without a Donation. To enter the Sweepstakes without making a donation to Sponsor, mail a 3” x 5” postcard with your first and last name, telephone number, zip code/post code/postal code, and email address (for notification purposes only) to Patriot PAWS Service Dogs, Attn: Pet for a Vet Sweepstakes Entry, 254 Ranch Trail, Rockwall, Texas 75032. Mail entries must be postmarked by June 1, 2025 and received by June 5, 2025.

Entrants may be given the opportunity to opt in to receive commercial emails and/or text messages from Sweepstakes Entities during the entry process but are not required to do so. Opting in to receive promotional communications will not increase an entrant’s chance of winning.

7. **Limit one (1) entry per person, per entry method, per day.** Each entrant may submit one entry via donation or AMOE each day of the Promotion Period. Multiple donations submitted on the same day will only be counted as one entry. Entries become the property of Sponsor and will not be returned to entrant.

Automated and/or repetitive electronic submission of entries (including but not limited to entries made using any script, macro, bot, or sweepstakes service) will be disqualified and transmissions from these or related email or IP addresses may be blocked. Use of multiple email accounts to enter will result in disqualification. All entries must be received and recorded during the Promotion Period to be eligible for the drawing. Proof of entry submission is not proof of receipt by Sponsor.

8. **Identity Disputes.** In the event of a dispute over the identity of an entrant, the authorized account holder of the email address used in the Sweepstakes entry will be deemed to be the entrant. The authorized account holder of an email address shall mean the natural person assigned to such account by the Internet access provider, online service provider, or other organization responsible for assigning email addresses for the domain associated with such account. The potential winner may be required to provide identification sufficient to show that s/he is the authorized account holder of such email address.

9. **Prize.** There is one prize (“**Prize**”). The approximate retail value (“**ARV**”) for all prizes in the Sweepstakes varies but will not exceed \$2,750. The Prize consists of round-trip airfare for two (2) people from Dallas, Texas to Chicago, Illinois (maximum ARV \$1,250), two (2) nights’ accommodations at a hotel to be selected by Sponsor or Prize Provider (one standard room, double occupancy, maximum ARV \$1,000), two (2) tickets, chosen by the Prize Provider in its sole discretion, to attend the Jason Aldean: Full Throttle Tour 2025 concert to be held on Saturday, September 13, 2025 at Credit Union 1 Amphitheatre® in Tinley Park, Illinois (maximum ARV \$500).

If winner does not bring a guest, winner understands that Sponsor and Prize Provider will not fulfill guest elements of the Prize and agrees that the elements of the Prize awarded to winner satisfy Prize Provider’s Prize fulfillment obligations. Winner is responsible for airfare in excess of \$625 per traveler.

Dates of airfare travel and hotel accommodation must occur between September 11, 2025 and September 15, 2025. Travel itinerary will be coordinated by Prize Provider in its sole discretion. Prize Provider’s decision as to travel dates is final and binding. **See Section 16(i) for additional travel information.** Prize Provider will have no obligations to Sponsor, the winner or the winner’s guest, if any, except as expressly stated herein.

Prize(s) will be shipped to the winner(s) at Sponsor’s expense, if applicable, to the address provided by winner(s). Prizes are considered compensation to the winners. All applicable taxes associated with and applicable to receipt or use of the Prize (if any) are the sole responsibility of winner and winner may be issued an IRS Form 1099 for any Prize valued at \$600 or more, or for all prizes won from Sponsor in any calendar year where the aggregate value of all such prizes is \$600 or more.

Please note that there is no cash award associated with any prize. Prizes are non-transferable; no substitutions or exchanges by winner permitted. Sponsor reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to substitute one or more elements of a Prize for a prize of equal or greater value. Prize may not be redeemed for cash value.

10. **Odds.** Odds of winning depend on the number of eligible entries received.

11. **Winner Selection and Notification.** On or about June 9, 2025, Sponsor (or Sponsor’s representative) will select one potential winner by random drawing from among all eligible entries received. Sponsor will notify the potential winner via telephone or email at their sole discretion. Notification is deemed to have occurred immediately at the time Sponsor calls or transmits an email. Sponsor will only be required to attempt to leave one voicemail message or send one email. Sponsor reserves the right, but not the obligation, to attempt to contact any winner(s) more than once, in its sole and absolute discretion, and will not be required to attempt to contact winner(s) an equal number of times or in the same manner. Sponsor is not responsible for any change of email address and/or telephone number of any entrant(s) and/or winner(s).

If a potential winner (a) cannot be contacted or does not respond to a notification attempt within seven days of notification, or a Prize notification is returned as undeliverable; (b) does not timely return the Required

Documents (as defined below); or (c) is found to be ineligible or not in compliance with these Official Rules, that potential winner will be disqualified, the Prize will be forfeited, and an alternate potential winner will be selected by random drawing from among the remaining eligible entries. If Sponsor is unable to successfully identify a winner after Sponsor has attempted to notify five (5) potential winners, Sponsor may elect not to award the Prize.

12. Winner Verification and Required Documents. The potential winner is subject to verification, including verification of residence. In order to receive a Prize, winner may be required, within the time period designated by Sponsor, to (a) present a valid photo identification issued by a commonwealth, district, or state of the United States or by the United States federal government; (b) complete, sign, and return to Sponsor and/or Prize Provider an affidavit of eligibility and liability release; (c) except where prohibited by law, complete, sign, and return a publicity release; and/or (d) complete and submit an IRS Form W-9 in its entirety, which includes the winner's valid United States taxpayer identification number or social security number (the "**Required Documents**").

Please note that no entrant is a winner of a Prize unless and until such entrant's eligibility has been verified and such entrant has completed and returned the Required Documents, even if that entrant's name has been publicly posted or identified as a winner prior to completion of the verification process.

13. Winners List. For a list of winners (available 30 days after the end of the Promotion Period), please send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to: Patriot PAWS Service Dogs, Attn: Pet for a Vet Sweepstakes Winners List, 254 Ranch Trail, Rockwall, Texas 75032. All requests must be received no later than 60 days after the end of the Promotion Period.

14. Sponsor's and Prize Provider's Use of Information. Personally identifiable information submitted by entrants as part of this Sweepstakes will be used to administer the Sweepstakes, select the Prize winner, and fulfill the Prize, and will be subject to Sponsor's privacy policy at <https://patriotpaws.org/privacy-policy/> and Prize Provider's privacy policy at https://www.bmg.com/a-1_privacypolicy/index.html. By entering the Sweepstakes, you hereby agree to the collection and usage of your personal information and acknowledge that you have read and accepted Sponsor's and Prize Provider's privacy policies. If you are selected as a winner, your information may also be included in a publicly available winners list.

15. Trademark Attribution. The trademarks of Sponsor, Prize Provider, Jason Aldean, Credit Union 1 Amphitheatre®, and Social Media Entities (defined below) are the trademarks of their respective owners. Use does not imply affiliation.

16. Unless otherwise specified, the following terms, conditions, and/or restrictions generally apply to Sweepstakes participation and/or Prize(s):

- (a) THIS SWEEPSTAKES IS SUBJECT TO ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE, MUNICIPAL, AND LOCAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS.
- (b) Sponsor and Prize Provider have not made and are not responsible for, and hereby disclaim, any representation, warranty, or guaranty, express or implied, in fact or in law, relative to the Prize.
- (c) **Social Media.** Sweepstakes is in no way sponsored, endorsed, or administered by Facebook, Instagram, Meta, Inc., Pinterest, TikTok, and/or X (formerly Twitter) (each, a "**Social Media Entity**" and collectively, the "**Social Media Entities**"). By entering, you understand that you are providing your information to Sponsor and not to a Social Media Entity and agree to the respective Terms of Service and privacy policy of the relevant Social Media Entity.

To sign up for a Facebook, Instagram, Pinterest, TikTok, and/or X (formerly Twitter) account, visit the respective website or download the mobile application. You must agree to the Terms of Service and Privacy Policy of the applicable Social Media Entity.

- (d) **Participation; Release.** By participating in this Sweepstakes, each entrant agrees to abide by and be bound by these Official Rules, and to waive any right to claim any ambiguity or error herein or in the Sweepstakes itself, and to be bound by all actions of the Sponsor, Prize Provider, and/or their respective representatives. Sponsor's decisions are binding and final on all matters related to this Sweepstakes.

To the maximum extent permitted by law, by participating in the Sweepstakes, each entrant agrees for entrant and for entrant's heirs, executors, and administrators to hold harmless, release, indemnify, and defend, Sponsor, the Sweepstakes Entities, the Social Media Entities, and their respective officers, directors, employees, and representatives (collectively, the "**Releasees**") from any and all liability for any loss, harm, damages, rights, claims, actions costs, or expenses, including without limitation property damages, personal injury, and/or death, in connection with or arising out of: entrant's participation in the Promotion; acceptance, possession, use, or misuse of any Prize or the delivery thereof; preparing for, participating in, and/or traveling to or from any Prize-related activity; and any claims based on rights of publicity, rights of privacy, or defamation.

The Releasees assume no responsibility or liability for (a) any incorrect, incomplete, or inaccurate registration or entry information, or for any faulty, failed, garbled, or jumbled electronic data transmissions; (b) failure to access any website, website feature, social media page, online entry page, or otherwise due to internet browser settings including settings blocking or limiting cookies or pop-ups, as well as choices, preferences, or settings specific to any website or social media platform; (c) any unauthorized access to, or theft, destruction, or alteration of entries at any point in the operation of this Sweepstakes; (d) any technical malfunction, failure, error, omission, interruption, deletion, defect, delay in operation or communications line failure, regardless of cause, with regard to any equipment, systems, networks, lines, satellites, servers, computers, or providers utilized in any aspect of the operation of the Sweepstakes; (e) inaccessibility or unavailability of the Internet in general; (f) any injury or damage to participant's or to any other person's computer or mobile device which may be related to or result from any attempt to participate in the Sweepstakes; or (g) incomplete, lost, or late entries.

- (e) **Publicity Rights.** Except to the extent otherwise prohibited by law, by participating in the Sweepstakes and/or accepting any Prize, entrant and/or winner grants to Sponsor, its parent, subsidiaries, affiliates, licensees, successors, and assigns, Prize Provider, its agent, and those acting under Sponsor's or Prize Provider's authority to use, and to authorize others to use, her/his name, likeness, photograph, voice, opinions, and biographical information (including hometown and state) throughout the world in all media now known or hereafter existing and in perpetuity for any lawful purpose (including but not limited to advertising, marketing, publicity, and promotion of Sponsor or Prize Provider, the Sweepstakes, other Sponsor or Prize Provider promotions, the products and services associated with Sponsor or Prize Provider and the Sweepstakes, and for all their internal business purposes) without further compensation, permission, or right of approval.
- (f) **Modification, Cancellation, or Suspension of Sweepstakes.** Sponsor reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to modify, cancel, or suspend this Sweepstakes (or any portion of the Sweepstakes) should any cause or problem corrupt or inhibit the administration, fairness, security, or proper operation of the Sweepstakes and, if feasible in light of such situation as determined by Sponsor in its sole discretion, to select the winner in such manner as deemed fair and appropriate by Sponsor. If, in the Sponsor's reasonable opinion, there is any suspected or actual evidence of tampering with any portion of the Sweepstakes, or if technical difficulties compromise the integrity of the Sweepstakes, Sponsor reserves the right to void suspect entries and/or terminate the Sweepstakes (or any portion of the Sweepstakes) and if feasible in light of such situation as determined by Sponsor in its sole discretion select a winner using all known eligible non-suspect entries received as of the date of termination. Sponsor may prohibit an entrant from participating in the Sweepstakes or winning a Prize if, in its sole

discretion, it determines entrant is attempting to undermine the legitimate operation of the Sweepstakes by cheating, deception, or other unfair practices or intending to annoy, abuse, threaten, or harass any other entrant or Sponsor's representatives. Any attempt by an entrant to deliberately undermine the legitimate operation of the Sweepstakes is a violation of criminal and civil laws, and should such an attempt be made, Sponsor reserves the right to seek damages from any such entrant to the fullest extent permitted by law. Sponsor is not responsible for typographic or printer's errors. In no event will more than the number of Prizes stated in these Official Rules be awarded.

- (g) **Waiver.** BY PARTICIPATING IN THIS SWEEPSTAKES, ENTRANTS AGREE THAT, TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, (1) ANY AND ALL DISPUTES, CLAIMS, AND CAUSES OF ACTION ARISING OUT OF OR CONNECTED WITH THE SWEEPSTAKES, OR ANY PRIZES OR OFFERS AWARDED, SHALL BE RESOLVED INDIVIDUALLY, WITHOUT RESORT TO ANY FORM OF CLASS ACTION; (2) ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, JUDGMENTS AND AWARDS SHALL BE LIMITED TO ACTUAL OUT-OF-POCKET COSTS INCURRED, INCLUDING COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH ENTERING THE SWEEPSTAKES, BUT IN NO EVENT WILL ATTORNEY'S FEES BE AWARDED OR RECOVERABLE AND PRIZE PROVIDER'S LIABILITY HEREUNDER SHALL IN NO EVENT EXCEED THE ARV; AND (3) UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WILL ANY ENTRANT BE PERMITTED TO OBTAIN ANY AWARD FOR, AND ENTRANT HEREBY KNOWINGLY AND EXPRESSLY WAIVES ALL RIGHTS TO SEEK PUNITIVE, INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES AND/OR ANY OTHER DAMAGES (OTHER THAN ACTUAL OUT-OF-POCKET EXPENSES) AND/OR ANY AND ALL RIGHTS TO HAVE DAMAGES MULTIPLIED OR OTHERWISE INCREASED. SOME JURISDICTIONS DO NOT ALLOW CERTAIN LIMITATIONS OR EXCLUSION OF LIABILITY, SO THE FOREGOING MAY NOT APPLY TO EVERY ENTRANT.
- (h) **Internet and Mobile Phone Use.** Any normal Internet access and usage charges imposed by your Internet service provider will apply. If you use a mobile device to access the Sweepstakes entry form, your wireless service carrier's standard charges, data rates, and other fees may apply. You understand that by participating in this Sweepstakes, the Sponsor may contact you via mobile phone, which may be subject to charges pursuant to your carrier's rate plan.
- (i) **Travel or Other Accommodations.** If the Prize includes travel, travel and hotel accommodations are subject to availability, holiday and blackout dates, and all other Prize and travel restrictions. Winner(s) and winner's guest(s) may be required to sign a liability release prior to receipt of Prize. Winner(s) and guest(s) are solely responsible for obtaining any required travel documents, including without limitation visas and passports. Winner(s) and winner's guest(s) are solely responsible for compliance with all travel security and entry requirements, Covid-19 restrictions, or other related travel requirements or restrictions. Sponsor is not responsible for forfeiture of Prize or any element thereof due to winner or guest's failure to timely obtain any required travel documents or failure to comply with any security, entry, Covid-19, or similar requirements. Winner(s) and winner's guest(s) must be 21 years of age or older (unless the age of majority of the jurisdiction in which the guest resides is higher, in which case guest must be at least the age of majority for such jurisdiction). Final travel and hotel arrangements will be determined by Prize Provider in its sole discretion. Winner may be required to present a valid credit card to the hotel at check-in, per hotel policy. Once determined, no change, extension, or substitution of dates for travel is permitted, except by Prize Provider in its sole discretion. **No other travel elements (including, without limitation, airport or airline taxes, baggage fees, in-room hotel charges, charges for hotel amenities, insurance, gasoline, meals, gratuities, additional ground transportation, parking, souvenirs, etc.) are included as part of the Prize.** The winner(s) and their guest(s) are responsible for ensuring they can take the time off work or make themselves available at the time agreed to take the Prize. The winner(s) and their guest(s) hereby agree that they will observe all rules and regulations of any airline, transportation company, hotel, or

other event venue related to Prize redemption. Sponsor and Prize Provider shall have no responsibility or liability for cancellations, delays, or any other change by any company or person providing any element of a Prize, and is not responsible or liable for any expenses incurred as a consequence thereof. Winner(s) and any permitted guest(s) specifically release Sponsor and Prize Provider from any and all claims for loss or damage to baggage or property, or from personal injuries or death, or from loss or delay, arising out of the acts, omissions, or negligence of any independent contractors, such as air carriers, hotels, restaurateurs, transportation providers, medical personnel, or other providers of services or facilities. Winner's guest(s), if applicable, must travel on the same itinerary as winner. If a Prize includes one or more guests and winner chooses not to include the allotted guest(s) or winner's guest(s) fails to provide applicable affidavits and/or releases, all elements of the Prize associated with such guest(s) shall be forfeited, in which event winner's receipt of the remaining elements of the Prize shall constitute full satisfaction of Sponsor's Prize obligation to winner and no additional compensation will be awarded or provided to winner. **If a Prize involves attendance at an event and if the event does not or cannot take place as scheduled or at all, for reasons including but not limited to scheduling conflicts, cancellations, postponement, an event of force majeure, or for any other reason, then the remaining components, if any, of the Prize shall constitute full satisfaction of Sponsor's Prize obligation to the winner, and no other or additional compensation will be awarded.** No difference between the actual retail value of a Prize and the approximate retail value stated in these rules will be awarded. Winner is responsible for all other expenses associated with receipt and use of a Prize (other than delivery to winner's shipping address, if applicable).

- (j) **Governing Law.** This sweepstakes shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas, without regard to conflicts-of-law provisions. Venue for any actions hereunder shall be in the appropriate state or federal court located in Rockwall County, Texas. By participating in this Sweepstakes, you consent to the jurisdiction of said courts and waive any claim of forum non conveniens or lack of personal jurisdiction.
- (k) **Jury Waiver. ENTRANT WAIVES ALL RIGHT TO A TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY ACTION ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO THIS SWEEPSTAKES.**