

Flamingo Bingo

Hosted by the Oakland LGBTQ Community Center
3207 Lakeshore Ave, Oakland, CA (510) 882-2286

Player Information

Buy packs from the cashier before play begins

\$20 buy in (5 games)

\$5 each extra

- **Calling bingo:** It is YOUR responsibility to alert the caller to STOP the game by calling BINGO *before* the next number is called (the numerical part of the next ball drawn) or your Bingo may be disqualified. Multiple winners will split the prize
- **BINGO on “0-69”:** You also win a free pack of Cherry Bells. In case of multiple winners, each winner receives a free pack of Cherry Bells\
- **Cherry Bells:** Cherry Bells are small, pull-tab cards selling for 50 cents and up. If you have the right match, you can win cash prizes. Cherry Bells must be redeemed the night of purchase.
- **Flash Game:** Played between games 5 and 6 after intermission. Cards are available from runners before the game starts. Cards for this game are not in your regular bingo pack.
- **Early Bird Games:** Played before regular Bingo games. Cards are available from runners before each Early Bird Game. Cards for these games are NOT in your regular bingo pack.
- **Wild Numbers:** Wild numbers help to speed up the game. In a game where Wild Numbers have been announced, the LAST DIGIT of the ball called is wild. Players then mark off all numbers ENDING with the number. (i.e. 1-25 is called as a Wild Number, players mark off 5, 15, 25, 35, 45, 55, 65, and 75 on their card for that game.
- **NOTICE:** The City of Oakland REQUIRES us to record the name, address, and phone number of anyone receiving a cash prize of \$100 or more. They may verify with you that the prize was, in fact, valid.
- **The Oakland LGBTQ Community Center Bingo Committee,** an all-volunteer operation, presents Flamingo Bingo. Proceeds from this event benefit the Oakland LGBTQ Community Center.

HOUSE RULES

- 1: Players must be at least 18 years of age.
- 2: Everyone entering the Bingo Hall must buy their own first Bingo pack. You may not give Bingo packs to anyone who did not buy their own pack.
- 3: DO NOT LOSE YOUR ADMISSION TICKET! You must have a valid ticket to receive a prize in any Bingo game.
- 4: Daubers must be used to mark cards on all games.
- 5: BINGO must be called and the game stopped before the next Bingo number is announced. The next number is considered the numerical part of the next ball drawn. TO BE VALID, your Bingo must include the last official number called.
- 6: It is the responsibility of the PLAYER to get the attention of the caller when the player has a potential winning Bingo.
- 7: Pay attention to the call numbers! The flashboard is for player convenience and is NOT the official representation of called numbers.
- 8: Cherry Bells must be redeemed the evening they are purchased.
- 9: Alcohol and smoking are prohibited in the Oakland LGBTQ Community Center at all times. Smoking should be done outside on the street below.
- 10: We reserve the right to refuse or discontinue service to anyone.
- 11: Sorry, no refunds
- 12: Please turn all cell phones off or on “vibrate” mode.