

# ACOA Twelve Guns of Christmas

## 2024 Complete Rules

**1. Eligibility:** Open only to legal residents of a state in the United States where residents are legally permitted to enter in a raffle and who are age 21 years or older at time of entry. Subject to all applicable Federal & State & local laws & regulations. Void where prohibited by law.

This Raffle is open to the public, except ACOA staff members who work daily in the ACOA office are not eligible to participate.

**2. Agreement to Rules:** By participating in the Raffle, you agree to be fully and unconditionally bound by these Rules, and you represent and pledge (declare or guarantee) that you meet the eligibility requirements set forth herein. In addition, you agree to accept ACOA's decisions regarding the content as final and binding.

**3. Raffle Period:** Entries will be accepted starting on or about April 1, 2024, until December 11, 2024.

**4. How to Enter:** The Raffle must be entered by purchasing a raffle ticket. The entry must fulfill all sweepstakes requirements, as specified, to be eligible to win a prize. Raffle tickets that are not complete or do not adhere to the rules or specifications may be disqualified at the sole discretion of ACOA. You may purchase as many tickets as you would like. All information must be filled out completely on each raffle ticket purchased. If you use fraudulent methods or otherwise attempt to circumvent the rules, your submission may be removed from eligibility at ACOA's sole discretion.

You may purchase tickets by calling ACOA at 907-646-2262 or by going to the ACOA website and clicking on <https://www.acoa.us/12-guns-of-christmas/2024christmastickets/>. Please note that per state gaming regulations, the option to purchase tickets online is open to only those physically present in Alaska. After you purchase one or more tickets, ACOA will mail your part of the ticket to the address you have provided. We keep the ticket stub for the monthly drawings. If you call to purchase a ticket, please be sure to give us your mailing address and phone number so we can correctly fill out the ticket(s) for mailing to you.

**5. Standard Prizes:** If your raffle ticket is drawn you are eligible to select from the remaining of the following prizes: Benelli Super Black Eagle 3 12-Gauge (\$1971.99); Browning Citori Over Under 12 gauge (\$1937.99); Browning BAR Mark III 300 win mag (\$1754.99); FN 510 10MM (\$1054.99); Kimber 84 Hunter Pro 308 (\$963.99); Kimber 1911 Stainless II 45 ACP (\$699.99); Kimber Micro ESV 9mm (\$649.99); Ruger AR-15 M-LOK 5.56mm (\$919.99); Springfield M1A Standard 308 (\$1687.99); Taylor's & Co 1886 Ridge Runner Takedown 45-70 (\$1977.99); Tikka T3X 6.5 Creedmoor (\$1409.99); Windham WW-15 5.56mm (\$779.99); Apple – 12.9-inch iPad Pro with Wi-Fi – 128GB – Space Gray (\$1099.99); Alaska Airlines Gift Certificate (\$1000); DJI – Mini 3 Pro Drone and Remote Control with Built in Screen (\$909.99).

The actual/appraised value may differ at the time the prize is awarded. The specifics of the prize shall be solely determined by ACOA. No cash or other prize substitution is permitted, except at ACOA's discretion. Other than the purchase of the gun, all prize-related expenses, including without limitation any and all federal, state, and/or local taxes, shall be the winner's responsibility. No substitution of prize, transfer/assignment of prize to others, or request for the cash equivalent by winners is generally permitted.

ACOA may, at its sole discretion, choose to provide the cash equivalent of the winner's chosen gun to the winner instead of the gun itself. Reasons for varying this standard practice may be, but are not limited to, the individual fails to pass a background check, is underage, or for any other reason as determined by ACOA.

**6. Grand Prize:** The grand prize of \$2,500 will be drawn on December 24, 2024, at the ACOA Office.

**7. Odds:** The odds of winning depend on the number of eligible raffle tickets purchased. There are 3000 raffle tickets total and there are 13 drawings in which each ticket holder is automatically entered (12 drawings and the additional grand prize drawing).

**8. Ticket Sellers:** ACOA will record the name and information of the individuals who sell the raffle tickets. If you buy the ticket yourself, enter your name as the ticket seller. The individuals who sell each of the 13 winning tickets (twelve (12) standard drawings, plus one (1) grand prize) are automatically entered in a raffle to receive the "50,000 Alaska Airlines Miles" (as shown on the flyers and posters) with a value of \$700. The drawings will be completed on December 24, 2024. The winner will be called per Section 9 below.

**9. Winner selection and notification:** Winners of the Raffle will be selected starting December 12, 2024, and every day after that for the next 13 days ending December 24, 2024, with the drawing of the Grand Prize. Winners are selected in a random drawing under ACOA's supervision. Winners will be notified via phone at the phone number the winner entered on the raffle ticket. ACOA shall have no liability for incorrect or non-working phone numbers. You do not have to be present at any of the drawings to win.

The winning ticketholder must comply with all federal and state laws and regulations to be awarded the prize. Any violation of these official rules by any winner (at ACOA's sole discretion) will result in such winner's disqualification as winner of the Raffle and all privileges as winner will be immediately terminated.

**10. Shipping and Gun Registration:** Every gun winner must complete a background check and meet his or her State's individual requirement for purchasing a firearm. If the individual fails to meet these qualifications, then ACOA will pay the winner the purchase price value of the selected gun. If the winner is located in, or around, Wasilla/Palmer he or she is required to go to Three Bears Alaska at 8151 E Palmer-Wasilla Hwy, Palmer, AK 99645, to complete the background check and pick up the gun chosen. If the winner lives out of Wasilla/Palmer area, the gun can be shipped to a federally licensed and registered gun retail outlet, as required by State and Federal law, near them, after a successful background check has been completed prior to the winner being given the gun. Additionally, by participating in this raffle, all winners agree to hold ACOA harmless in the event the weapon causes injury or death.

**9. Rights Granted by you:** By entering this contest, you understand that ACOA, its agents, anyone acting on behalf of ACOA, or its respective licensees, successors and assignees will have the right, where permitted by law, without any further notice, review or consent, to print, publish, broadcast, distribute, and use, worldwide, in any media now known or hereafter in perpetuity and throughout the world, your entry, including, without limitation, the entry and winner's name, portrait, picture, voice, likeness, image, or statements about the Raffle, and biographical information as news, publicity, or information, and for trade, advertising, public relations and promotional purposes without any further compensation.

**10. Terms:** ACOA reserves the right, in its sole discretion to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the Raffle should (in its sole discretion) a virus, bug, non-authorized human intervention, fraud or other cause beyond its control corrupts or affects the administration, security, fairness or proper conduct of the Raffle. In such case, ACOA may select the recipients from all eligible entries received prior to and/or after (if

appropriate) the action which impacted the integrity of the Raffle. ACOA reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to disqualify any individual who tampers or attempts to tamper with the entry process or the operation of the Raffle, or who violates these Terms & Conditions.

**11. Limitation of Liability:** By entering you agree to release and hold harmless ACOA and its representatives, agents, assignees, employees, officers and directors from any liability, illness, injury, death, loss, litigation, claim or damage that may occur, directly or indirectly, whether caused by negligence or not, from (i) such entrant's participation in the Raffle and/or his/her acceptance, possession, use, or misuse of any prize or any portion thereof, (ii) unauthorized human intervention in any part of the entry process or the Raffle; (iii) electronic or human error which may occur in the administration of the Raffle or the processing of entries.

**12. Disputes:** THIS RAFFLE IS GOVERNED BY THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND ALASKA, WITHOUT RESPECT TO CONFLICT OF LAW DOCTRINES. As a condition of participating in this Raffle, participant agrees that all disputes which cannot be resolved between the parties, and causes of action arising out of or connected with this Raffle, shall be resolved individually, without resort to any form of class action, exclusively before a court located in Alaska having jurisdiction. Further, in any such dispute, under no circumstances will participants be permitted to obtain awards for, and hereby waive all rights to claim punitive, incidental, or consequential damages, including reasonable attorneys' fees, other than participant's actual out-of-pocket expenses (i.e. costs associated with entering this Raffle), and participant further waives all rights to have damages multiplied or increased.

**13. Privacy Policy:** All non-winner information submitted with an entry is private, but per State law must be held for a period of three (3) years. All tickets and information will be destroyed upon completion of this three (3) year period of the Raffle with the exception that winners' information may be distributed at the sole discretion of ACOA.

**14. Winners List:** A list of the Raffle winners will be posted at [www.acoa.us/12-guns-of-christmas/](http://www.acoa.us/12-guns-of-christmas/). To obtain a copy of a winner's name or a copy of these Official Rules by mail, mail your request to ACOA, 203 E. 5th Ave. Anchorage, AK 99501, send an email request to [office@acoa.us](mailto:office@acoa.us) or call 907-646-2262.