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## 'JEOPARDY!' CONTESTANT JAMES HOLZHAUER SETS NEW RECORD FOR SINGLE-GAME CASH WINNINGS WITH \$110,914 VICTORY

## Las Vegas Professional Sports Gambler Wins Fourth Consecutive Game, Brings Total Winnings to \$244,365

CULVER CITY, CALIF. (April 9, 2019) – James Holzhauer, a 34-year-old professional sports gambler from Las Vegas, Nev., won today's episode of **JEOPARDY!** with a total of \$110,914, breaking the record for single-day cash winnings. The previous record of \$77,000 in a single game was set by Roger Craig on September 19, 2010.

Holzhauer's \$110,914 total has a special numerical significance: his daughter was born November 9, 2014 (11/09/14).

"I said all along that I wanted to break Roger Craig's one-game record and I did it," Holzhauer said.

Today's win was the fourth in a row for Holzhauer, whose winnings total \$244,365. He will face two new challengers Wednesday, when he will attempt to win his fifth consecutive game.

**JEOPARDY!**'s 35<sup>th</sup> anniversary season premiered September 10, 2018. With a weekly audience of 23 million viewers, **JEOPARDY!** is the top-rated quiz show on television, and has received numerous awards and honors, including the 2017 Emmy for Outstanding Game Show. The show holds the Guinness World Records® title for the most Emmy® Awards won by a TV game show (34 Emmys); it is also the recipient of a 2011 Peabody Award. **JEOPARDY!** is produced by Sony Pictures Television, a Sony Pictures Entertainment Company; it is distributed domestically by CBS Television Distribution and internationally by CBS Television International, both units of CBS Corp. For more information, please visit <u>Jeopardy.com</u>.

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