



Let's settle this once and for all. The rivalry between the St. Louis Cardinals and Chicago Cubs has divided our state and has pitted banker against banker for decades. The "who's the better team?" dispute can be decided on the diamond. The real question is, **who has the better fans?**

Both teams have always said their fans are the best. So how can we ever prove which team's fans are the most loyal and supportive? CBAI's Foundation for Community Banking has the answer. If you know that YOUR team has the better fans, then it's time to put your money where your mouth is. Show how much you support the Cubs or Cardinals by purchasing raffle tickets for an awesome game package from the Foundation in honor of your team. Whichever team's fans raise the most money for the Foundation win the age-old debate!

On each raffle ticket purchased, the buyer can indicate which team they support. Foundation staff will keep a tally of the money brought in for each team. The raffle winner, and the winning team, will be announced on Saturday at CBAI's 47th Annual Convention & Expo in Chicago. (All raffle tickets purchased will be included in the drawing, regardless of which team raises more money.) **The winner of the raffle receives four tickets to the Cubs vs. Cards match-up during the last series of the 2021 season, plus an incredible prize package!** The winning team's fans get bragging rights **FOR-EV-ER.**

Let's be honest. Late July was rough for Cub fans, as painful, last-minute deals were inked just shy of the trade deadline. As of today, both teams are at least 10 games out of first place in the National League Central. But we know you aren't fair-weather fans. This is the perfect time to show it! Plus, regardless of potential playoff bids or spoiler opportunities, matchups between the Cardinals and Cubs always seem to be exciting battles that do not disappoint. That's why Cardinal and Cub fans can agree, if only on one thing ever – it's the greatest rivalry in baseball!

Cardinals vs. Cubs Prize Package

- Four tickets to the St. Louis Cardinals vs. Chicago Cubs game on Saturday, October 2, 2021, at 6:15 p.m. at Busch Stadium in St. Louis, MO. (Section 162D, Row L, seats 1-4)
- Overnight stay at the Hyatt Regency at the Arch (double room)
- \$400 Visa gift card for food, drinks, souvenirs, etc.

Game tickets were donated by **Sheila Burcham, Community Trust Bank, Irvington**, and the hotel stay and spending money were provided by **College Ave Student Loans, Wilmington, DE**.

Tickets: one for \$20 or three for \$50

It's a no-lose scenario! By purchasing raffle tickets, you can win an amazing game bundle valued at \$1,350, show your support for your favorite team, and most importantly, help a great cause! All ticket sales go directly to the Foundation for Community Banking scholarship fund.

This is a perfect opportunity for you to support the Foundation during its 25th anniversary campaign! **By purchasing raffle tickets, you are making a tax-deductible donation to the Foundation.** All individuals, banks and firms supporting the Foundation will be recognized in *Banknotes* magazine.

Ticket sales are open to anyone at your bank or associate member firm, so invite your full staff to participate! **You do NOT need to be present to win.** Tickets can be purchased in advance and will also be sold at CBAI's 47th Annual Convention & Expo at the Foundation booth in the Exhibit Hall.

Which team's fans can FINALLY prove that they're the best by raising more money for the Foundation for Community Banking scholarship program? Let's find out!

If you would like to purchase raffle ticket(s), please [click here to fill out the form](#) and return it to [Valerie Johnston](#). Thank you for your support!



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