

# Kayla Malackowski and Derrick Lessor Wedding

## General Information (Entertainment)

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### Performers

- Katrina Nilsen - katrinanilsenmusic@gmail.com - 9792290892 (Piano)
- Michael Sherman - msherman@felixandfingers.com - 5135181471 (Piano)
- Joey Zymonas - joey.zymonas@gmail.com - 8154744940 (Drummer)

### Entire Wedding Day Time Frame

05/20/2023 - 04:30 pm - 12:00 am CST

### Locations

**Ceremony:**

The Club at Strawberry  
Creek  
14810 72nd St

Kenosha, Wisconsin  
53142-8803

**Cocktails:**

The Club at Strawberry  
Creek  
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Kenosha, Wisconsin  
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**Dinner:**

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Creek  
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**Dancing:**

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**Parking:** There is plenty of onsite, free parking

### Files

- [Lessor-Wedding-Layout.pdf](#)

### Load-In

This wedding requires an outdoor setup.

**Rain Plan:** Inside - there is an entryway or it will be in the same area as the reception, depends on final guest count  
The ceremony and cocktails are at the same venue but NOT in the same area.

**Duelers Load-In:**

You may start loading in for the ceremony and cocktails at 02:30 pm.

**Additional Musicians Load-In:**

6:00

### Contacts

**Photographer:**

Allison Kroening  
Grace Creatives  
(402) 370-8148  
alison@gracecreatives.com  
<https://www.gracecreatives.com/>

**Videographer:**

Ignacio Cortez  
Dedicated Videos  
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icortez@dedicatedvideos.com

**Independent Day Of Coordinator:**

Amber Hileman

independent

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**Venue Manager:**

Mary Fredrick

The Club at Strawberry Creek

(262) 857-8400

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<https://www.strawberrycreekclub.com/weddings>

**Upgrades**

- Mini-shells
- Uplights
- Additional Musicians

**Color Of Uplights:**

Blues? white?



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## Ceremony Information (Entertainment)

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### **Ceremony Time Frame**

04:30 pm - 05:00 pm CST

### **Ceremony Setup**

**Setup:** Outdoor ceremony, reception in the ballroom

### **Sound System Needs**

The officiant (Brianna Slager) will require a handheld microphone with stand. Brianna Slager is expected to arrive around 03:30 pm. **Important:** Remember to find out what the officiant's last words will be before the recessional music begins!

No readers will need a microphone.

You will be providing live music so have a keyboard set up.

### **Ceremony Attendance**

**Number of people in attendance:** 159

**Seating Music Begins At:** 04:00 pm

**Wedding Party Size:** 10

### **Ceremony Music**

**Live Seating Music:** Instrumental Piano - Air on a G string was our top choice from your playlist

**Live Wedding Party Processional Music:** Just the Way You Are - Piano Instrumental

(Does not have to be exactly like the link)

**YouTube Link:** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rIBRcQdzWQs>

The last person(s) to walk down the aisle before the main entrance will be Grandmas.

**Live Ceremony Processional Music:** I get to love you by Ruelle

(if there is not a female vocalist, it can be instrumental)

**YouTube Link:** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m1mkYWkoXyo>

**Live Ceremony Recessional Music:** I Do - Colbie Caillat (starting closer to 0:25)

**YouTube Link:** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E0oyglKjbfQ>

**Other Details:** Please check with Mary Frederick the event coordinator from Strawberry Creek. She has worked with your company previously and can assist with any of the requirements needed for the ceremony music.

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## Cocktail Information (Entertainment)

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### **Cocktail Time Frame**

05:01 pm - 05:58 pm CST

### **Load-In**

You must load in equipment at 02:30 pm

### **General Cocktail Information**

**Expected number of guests for cocktails:** 159

**Location of the Couple at this time:** Taking photos and potentially at the end of cocktail hour

**Music (Recorded) for cocktails:** Nothing too depressing, but also nothing too upbeat/crazy as we want to save that for the reception

The logo for Felix and Fingers Dueling Pianos features a stylized illustration of two hands, one from each hand, holding a piano key. The hands are rendered in a simple, outlined style. Below the hands is a banner with the text "FELIX AND FINGERS" in a bold, sans-serif font. Underneath the banner, the words "DUELING PIANOS" are written in a smaller, all-caps, sans-serif font.

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## Dinner Information (Entertainment)

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### Dinner Time Frame

**05:50 pm** - Guests find seats  
**06:02 pm** - Wedding party introductions  
**06:03 pm** - Cake cutting  
**06:05 pm** - Speech - Kayla and Derrick - Welcome & Bridal party blurbs  
**06:10 pm** - Speech - Doug Malackowski  
**06:13 pm** - Speech - Bryce Horwitz  
**06:16 pm** - Speech - Nalani Malackowski  
**06:19 pm** - Speech - Derrick Lessor  
**06:25 pm** - Blessing  
**06:28 pm** - Announcements  
**06:30 pm** - Dinner is served  
**07:23 pm** - Father/Daughter Dance (Doug Malackowski & Kayla Lessor)  
**07:26 pm** - Mother/Son Dance (Sara Horwitz & Derrick Lessor)  
**07:30 pm** - First Dance  
**08:00 pm** - Dueling Piano Show  
**09:30 pm** - Photographer will be leaving  
**10:30 pm** - DJ Show  
**11:30 pm** - Bar closes

**Social:** There are QR codes at every table that guest can scan and upload pictures to the shared album and see all the pictures that other people uploaded

**Our Seating:** Side banquet room will be available for vendor meals

### 06:02 pm Wedding Party Intros

**Intro Music:** Parents (Group 1&2): We are Family - Sister Sledge

Girls: Where them Girls at - David Guetta (first 30 seconds)

Boys: Jump Around - House of Pain

Bride & Groom: Thunderstruck - AC/DC

- 1 - Sara Horwitz (Sara Whore-witz)
- 1 - Tracy Horwitz (Tracy Whore-witz)
- 2 - Doug Malackowski (Doug Mal-a-cow-ski)
- 2 - Hem Malackowski (Haim Mal-a-cow-ski)
- 3 - Caylee Casbon (K-lee Cas-bon)
- 3 - Hannah Kish (Hannah Kish)
- 3 - Madison Walker (Madison Walker)
- 3 - Nalani Malackowski (Nel-a-knee Mal-a-cowski)
- 4 - Andy Olesak (Andy Ole-sack)
- 4 - Bryce Horwitz (Bryce Whore-witz)
- 4 - Haydn Malackowski (Hay-din Mal-a-cow-ski)
- 4 - Lucas Schoen (Lucas Shane)
- 5 - Derrick Lessor (Derrick Lessor)
- 5 - Kayla Lessor (Kayla Lessor)

Introduce the newlyweds as Mr. & Mrs. Derrick & Kayla Lessor

### 06:03 pm Cake Cutting

**Announce Cake Cutting:** No

**Song:** [TBD](#) by TBD

## **06:05 pm Speech**

Kayla and Derrick - Welcome & Bridal party blurbs - Bride and Groom

## **06:10 pm Speech**

Doug Malackowski - Father of the Bride

## **06:13 pm Speech**

Bryce Horwitz - Brother of Groom/ Best Man

## **06:16 pm Speech**

Nalani Malackowski - Sister of the Bride/ Maid of Honor

## **06:19 pm Speech**

Derrick Lessor - Groom

## **06:25 pm Blessing**

**Who Will Say The Blessing?**

**Name**

**Phonetic Spelling**

Bill Malackowski

Bill Mal-a-cow-ski

## **06:28 pm Announcements**

**Clinking:** It's Great!

## **06:30 pm Dinner Is Served**

**Dinner Type:** Plated

**Please List In Order The Courses That Will Be Served**

**Course**

**Notes**

Salad

Main Entree

Dessert (cake) & Coffee

## **07:23 pm Father/Daughter Dance**

**Dancers:** Doug Malackowski & Kayla Lessor

**Song:** I loved her first by Heartland(Recorded)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Lw1ij6yo6Hs>

**Special Instructions:** Fade out appropriately around 2.5 minutes.

## **07:26 pm Mother/Son Dance**

**Dancers:** Sara Horwitz & Derrick Lessor

**Song:** That's What Mamas Do by Jason Matthews(Recorded)

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3jF0amjdkzU&ab\\_channel=JasonMatthews-Topic](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3jF0amjdkzU&ab_channel=JasonMatthews-Topic)

**Special Instructions:** Fade out appropriately around 2.5 minutes.

## **07:30 pm First Dance**

**Dancers:** Kayla & Derrick

**Song:** Better Together by Luke Combs(Recorded)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UNCr0L55kTM>

**Special Instructions:** Fade out appropriately around 2.5 minutes.

## **Other Dinner Information**

No Change

**Dinner Music:** Recorded instrumental

**Meet And Greet After Dinner:** Yes

**Social Websites To Share Pictures:** There are QR codes at every table that guest can scan and upload pictures to the shared album and see all the pictures that other people uploaded

**Other Details:** 1.) Meet & Greet, we will be at the middle of the dance floor and guests are welcome to come take a photo with us

2.) Immediately following dinner, we want everyone to come together on the dance floor for a group photo and then immediately start the music following the photo (approximately 7:55pm)

3.) Make an announcement that late night snack is out at approximately 9:45pm

4.) during the Welcome speech (#1) we will sing happy Birthday to Hannah (one of Kayla's bridesmaids)

5.) We will have props for the dance floor, they will be in a basket near the dance floor, feel free to encourage people to use these



# Kayla Malackowski and Derrick Lessor Reception

## Reception Information (Entertainment)

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### 08:00 pm Dueling Piano Show

### 10:30 pm DJ Show

### Must Play Songs:

Taking Care Of Business - by Bachman-Turner Overdrive (Live)  
Take Me Home, Country Roads - by John Denver (Live)  
Friends In Low Places - by Garth Brooks (Live)  
I'm Gonna Be (500 Miles) - by The Proclaimers (Live)  
Cheeseburger In Paradise - by Jimmy Buffett (Live)  
All The Small Things - by Blink-182 ()  
Mr. Brightside - by The Killers ()  
Thunderstruck - by AC/DC ()  
When It Rains It Pours - by Luke Combs ()  
Beer Never Broke My Heart - by Luke Combs ()  
Africa - by Toto ()  
Closer - by The Chainsmokers ()  
Wobble - by V.I.C ()  
I'm Good - by David Guetta & Bebe Rexa ()  
Ice Ice Baby - by Vanilla Ice ()

### Possible Fight Song(s):

Purdue, Notre Dame

### Songs To Avoid:

Hokey Pokey, Chicken Dance, Line Dances (cotton-eyed joe is okay) - recommendations for other commonly "do not plays" is appreciated

**Explicit Lyrics:** Explicit lyrics are okay, this is an 18+ event

### Other Details

**Bouquet Toss:** None

**Garter Toss:** None

**Last Song Of Night:** Growing Old With You - Restless Road (private last dance)

**Tipping:** Yes

**Tips Go To:** Honeymoon fund / Radar Lessor (our dog) Fund

**Tip Jar:** Yes

**Tip Promotion:** Mention it a few times

### Alcohol/Bar

**Bar In Same Room As Dance Area:** Yes

**Type:** Combination/Other



**Details:** Open bar from 5-9:30pm (closed 6-6:30). Consumption bar (paid for by Bride/Groom) from 9:30-11:30pm



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## Miscellaneous Information (Entertainment)

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No Of Guests: No Change

### Wireless

**Details:**

Please Provide The Name Of The Connection And Password

Wireless Name	Password
TBD	TBD

### Other

**Honeymoon** - All-inclusive in Mexico

**Wedding Colors** - Blue

**Performer's Attire** - Cocktail (Women: an above-the-knee hem is appropriate, or an evening pantsuit. Men: suit, tie optional.)

**Performance Expectations** - 4

This number represents a sliding scale between 0 and 5. 0 leans towards traditional bar show with lots of dueling piano banter and comedy. 5 represents a wedding show with little talking and non-stop dancing.

### Departure And Load-Out

**Shuttle Details** - Starting at 9:00pm, the shuttle will return guests to their hotels every hour (9:00, 10:00, 11:00, 12:00). If a guest would like to leave between official trips, that is left to the discretion of the driver. Guests should inform the bus driver which hotel they need to go to.

**We must be packed up and out of the venue by 01:00 am**



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# Kayla Malackowski and Derrick Lessor Timeline (Entertainment)

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## Full Timeline

**02:30 pm** - Load in (ceremony/cocktails)  
**02:30 pm** - Arrival Time (musicians)  
**04:00 pm** - Guests Arrive For Ceremony  
**04:30 pm** - Ceremony Begins  
**05:01 pm** - Cocktails Begin  
**05:50 pm** - Guests find seats  
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**11:30 pm** - Bar closes  
**12:00 am** - Reception Ends

## Reminders:

- Turn down the lights in the room (especially before first dances)
- Make sure the couple and their parents are present
- Communicate with vendors (like Photographer and Videographer), make sure they're ready
- Double check your sound board settings, speaker settings, lights, mics on, etc.

## Emergency Contacts

Below is the order of contact to follow:

### **1. National Entertainment Director**

Shawn Grindle - (412) 860-0544

### **2. Logistics Manager**

Tina Naponelli - (815) 382-4341

If they are unavailable:

## The "No" List

- No announcement of cake cutting
- No bouquet toss
- No garter toss
- No special songs per heritage
- No send off
- No children will be present
- No after party

## Gear Check List:

- Keyboard (with power cable and sustain pedal)
- Microphone
- Stands (Keyboard Stand, Music Stand, Mic Stand, Light Stands, Speaker Stands)
- Speakers (with power cables)
- Monitors (Players may bring their own. All monitors must use the Main Send, no independent mixes)
- Lights (With power cables and pedals)
- iPad (charged, or with charger)
- Mixing Board
- EIF/Questionnaire
- Pencils/Forms/Tip Jar/Gaff Tape
- Freddy
- Stool
- Cables (Power/Patch/XLR/DJ Cable)
- DJ Headphones
- Mini Shells
- Rockin Roller
- Extra Mic
- Clothing: Shirt/Pants/Socks/Shoes/Belt/Tie/Undershirt

**3. COO**

Bre Podgorski - (818) 823-5799 (text only)

**4. CEO**

Mike Potts - (815) 245-3623 (text only)

- Business Cards

**Rig Setup/Operation Scribd**

[Click here](#) or scan the QR code.



Scribd is a great resource for locating sheet music (ie. First dances, ceremony music, special requests). Please feel free to use our account.

Username:info@felixandfingers.com

Password:FFPlayer88

**Player FAQ**

Have other questions? Chat with our [AI Support](#)

