

Josh Petite and Jen (Kvasnicka) Petite Wedding

General Information (Entertainment)

Performers

- Casey Cross - caseyrcross@gmail.com - 4058856529 (Piano)
- T. Duncan Parker - duncan@felixandfingers.com - 2174945079 (Piano)

IMPORTANT: Food Allergy Information

- T. Duncan Parker has the following food allergies: Seafood, Mushrooms, nuts, apples

Entire Wedding Day Time Frame

09/23/2023 - 02:00 pm - 10:45 pm CST

Locations

Ceremony:

Friendship Botanic Gardens
(Rose Garden)
1018 Liberty Trail

Michigan City, Indiana
46360-2621

Cocktails:

Blue Chip Casino
Blue Chip Dr

Michigan City, Indiana
46360

Dinner:

Blue Chip Casino
Blue Chip Dr

Michigan City, Indiana
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Dancing:

Blue Chip Casino
Blue Chip Dr

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Parking: The address provided leads to the side of the Botanic Gardens closest to the Rose Garden. You can also use the Google address, but the distance to the specific garden is longer.

Load-In

This wedding requires an outdoor setup.

Rain Plan: There is a rain location within the gardens (Symphony Gardens).

Contacts

Photographer:

Nina Tadic
Nina Tadic Photography
(219) 413-1172
nina@ninatadicphotography.com
<https://ninatadicphotography.com/>

Venue Manager:

Monica Dumas
Blue Chip Casino
(219) 861-4862
monicadumas@boydgaming.com
<https://www.bluechipcasino.com/>

Other Service-Related Contacts

Convention Services Coordinator:

Chellme Covington
(219) 861-4863
chellmecovington@boydgaming.com

Wedding Coordinator - Friendship Botanic Gardens:

Margarett O'Donelle
(219) 238-6550
weddings@friendshipbotanicgardens.org



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Ceremony Information (Entertainment)

Ceremony Time Frame

02:00 pm - 03:00 pm CST

Ceremony Setup

Setup: We will have a white tent prepped for the musician as well as extension cord(s)

Sound System Needs

The officiant (Michele Poindexter) will require a handheld microphone with stand. Michele Poindexter is expected to arrive around 01:00 pm. **Important:** Remember to find out what the officiant's last words will be before the recessional music begins!

Other readers will need a microphone with stand.

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

Ceremony Attendance

Number of people in attendance: 150

Seating Music Begins At: 01:30 pm

Wedding Party Size: 10 plus bride and groom

Wedding Traditions: Not necessarily religious, but our unity ceremony will be a tree-planting ceremony. We will have a brother do this. Another brother will read.

Ceremony Music

Live Seating Music: Instrumental of pop songs, etc.

piano love songs

Live Wedding Party Processional Music: Groomsmen will walk to Binary Sunset (instrumental) (live) -

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QjSxL4dG0No>

piano

Bridesmaids will walk to wedding medley by Anthem Lights (live) - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MWXoaUndeK8>

piano

YouTube Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MWXoaUndeK8>

The last person(s) to walk down the aisle before the main entrance will be Flower girls - Madison and Eleanor.

Live Ceremony Processional Music: You are the reason - Callum Scott (duet version optional)

Sung

YouTube Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ByfFurjQDb0>

Recorded Ceremony Recessional Music: Starting Over - Chris Stapleton

YouTube Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LszRW4tW4Uc>

Other Details: Groom will be walking down the aisle with his mother (same song as listed above from Groomsmen entrance)

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Cocktail Information (Entertainment)

Cocktail Time Frame

04:00 pm - 05:00 pm CST

Load-In

You must load in equipment at 01:00 pm

General Cocktail Information

Expected number of guests for cocktails: 150

Location of the Couple at this time: Taking Pictures

Music (Recorded) for cocktails: like this -

<https://open.spotify.com/playlist/0DPy8t9SoGDAw4a4bOJGsz?si=817ca4e927274bc3&pt=305a60d98328077a2a357ae32a297f3c>

The logo for Felix and Fingers Dueling Pianos features two stylized hands, one on the left and one on the right, each holding a piano key. The hands are rendered in a light gray, semi-transparent style. Below the hands is a banner with the text "FELIX AND FINGERS" in a bold, sans-serif font, and "DUELING PIANOS" in a smaller, all-caps font below it.

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Dinner Information (Entertainment)

Dinner Time Frame

05:00 pm - Guests find seats
05:15 pm - Wedding party introductions
05:18 pm - Cake cutting
05:28 pm - Blessing
05:29 pm - Announcements
05:32 pm - Dinner is served
05:50 pm - Speech - Rich Kvasnicka
06:00 pm - Speech - Brooklyn and Maya (Jr. Bridesmaids)
06:10 pm - Speech - Jeremy Winkleman, and Jo Winkleman
06:20 pm - Speech - Deanna Johanson
06:25 pm - Speech - Josh and Jen
06:45 pm - Father/Daughter Dance (Rich Kvasnicka & Jen (Kvasnicka) Petite)
06:48 pm - Other Special Dance
06:52 pm - Mother/Son Dance (Gwen Petite & Josh Petite)
06:55 pm - First Dance
07:00 pm - Dueling Piano Show
09:00 pm - Photographer will be leaving
09:15 pm - DJ Show
10:15 pm - Bar closes
Social: Scan QR Code by the guest book.
Our Seating: We will have a table for vendors specifically.

05:15 pm Wedding Party Intros

Intro Music: - I'm a Believer - smash mouth (Wedding Party)
- All Star - smash mouth (for bride and groom)

- 1 - Karen and Rich Kvasnicka (Ka-fuhhs-nick-a (Parents of the Bride))
- 2 - Gwen and Steve Petite (Puh-teet (Parents of the Groom))
- 3 - Jen Wybourn, Eric Iverson, and Jeremy Winkelman
- 4 - Madison, Brooklyn, Eleanor, and Mya (Meye-uh (flower girls/jr. bridesmaides))
- 5 - Deanna Johanson, Steve Kvasnicka (Deanna Jo-han-son, Ka-fuhhs-nick-a)
- 6 - Miranda Buitter, Brian Thompson (Miranda Beui-trrr)
- 7 - Jon Cisneros, Irina Stolic (Jon Sis-nehr-os, I-rina Stow-lic)
- 8 - Julissa Ortiz, Eric Forbes (Jew-lis-a Or-tiz)
- 9 - Sammi Heinz, Rich Kvasnicka (Sammi High-nz, Ka-fuhhs-nick-a)

Introduce the newlyweds as Mr. & Mrs. Petite (Puh-Teet)

05:18 pm Cake Cutting

Announce Cake Cutting: Yes
Song: [Sugar We're Goin' Down](#) by Fall Out Boy

05:28 pm Blessing

Who Will Say The Blessing?

Name	Phonetic Spelling
Marion Iverson) (Godmother of the bride)	Eye-Verr-son

05:29 pm Announcements

Clinking: Have each person or couple dance in front of the sweetheart table and the couple kisses.

Other Dinner Announcements:

Sign the guest book (garden pot).

05:32 pm Dinner Is Served

Dinner Type: Plated

Please List In Order The Courses That Will Be Served

Course	Notes
Salad	
Main Course	
Dessert	

05:50 pm Speech

Rich Kvasnicka - Bride's Dad

06:00 pm Speech

Brooklyn and Maya (Jr. Bridesmaids) - Best Man

06:10 pm Speech

Jeremy Winkleman, and Jo Winkleman - Brothers of the Groom

06:20 pm Speech

Deanna Johanson - Maid of Honor

06:25 pm Speech

Josh and Jen - Bride and Groom

06:45 pm Father/Daughter Dance

Dancers: Rich Kvasnicka & Jen (Kvasnicka) Petite

Song: You'll Always Be My Baby by Alan Jackson(Recorded)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EGuDntP-Twg&pp=ygUneW91IHdpbGwgYWx3YXlzIGJlIG15IGJhYnkgYWxhbiBqYWNrc29u>

Special Instructions: play the whole song

06:48 pm Other Special Dance

Dancers: Karen Kvasnicka & Jen (Kvasnicka) Petite

Song: Mom by Meghan Trainor(Recorded)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v1VbOQPxpSU>

Special Instructions: Fade out after 1 minute mark. This is a surprise dance for the mother of the bride.

06:52 pm Mother/Son Dance

Dancers: Gwen Petite & Josh Petite

Song: Sweet Child of Mine by Sheryl Crow(Live)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CowwMR1hDPM>

Special Instructions: Fade out appropriately around 2.5 minutes.

06:55 pm First Dance

Dancers: Josh & Jen

Song: Joy of My Life/Why Don't We Just Dance by Chris Stapleton/Josh Turner(Live)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jsE_zp_4vyo

Special Instructions: We plan on having two songs for our first dance.

We'd like Joy of My Life by Chris Stapleton to start recorded. And cut the music at 2:07

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jsE_zp_4vyo

Preferably live: Why Don't We Just Dance by Josh Turner (We will do a line dance for this dance) Preferably from 00:00 to 1:34 with fade out. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IH1Z9DEDqpk>

Other Dinner Information

No Change

Dinner Music: Recorded Michael Buble, Adele, 50s, 60s, Frank Sinatra

Meet And Greet After Dinner: Yes

Social Websites To Share Pictures: Scan QR Code by the guest book.

Other Details: Photo Dash

Don't Stop Me Now - Queen

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Reception Information (Entertainment)

07:00 pm Dueling Piano Show

09:15 pm DJ Show

Must Play Songs:

Aint No Mountain High Enough - by Marvin Gaye (Live)
When I'm With You - by Sheriff (Live)
My Only Love - by Statler Brothers (Live)
Marry For Money - by Trace Adkins (Live)
Goofy Goober Rock - by Spongebob Squarepants (Live)
Love On Top - by Beyonce (Recorded)
HUMBLE - by Kendrick Lamar (Recorded)
Classic - by MKTO (Recorded)
I Believe In A Thing Called Love - by The Darkness (Recorded)
That's Amore - by Dean Martin (Recorded)
Wild Thing - by The Troggs (Recorded)
Master Of Puppets (Short Version) - by Metallica (Recorded)
Twist And Shout - by Beatles (Recorded)
Check Yes Or No - by George Strait (Recorded)

Songs To Avoid:

Maroon5, Drake,
Explicit Lyrics: Cool beans, bro.

Other Details

Bouquet Toss: None
Garter Toss: None
Last Song Of Night: Evacuate the Dance Floor - Cascada
Tipping: Yes
Tips Go To: Honeymoon Fund!
Tip Jar: Yes
Tip Promotion: Mention it a few times

Alcohol/Bar

Bar In Same Room As Dance Area: Yes
Type: Open
Additional Information: We would like to do an anniversary dance instead of a bouquet toss or garter toss. Longest married couple wins! Is it possible to do this part way into the FF show? 7:45 pm?

Can't help falling in love - Elvis Presley

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Miscellaneous Information (Entertainment)

No Of Guests: No Change

Children

Approximate Number Of Children: 4

General Age Range: 2-9

Wireless

Details:

Please Provide The Name Of The Connection And Password

Wireless Name

Password

check day of

check day of

Other

Honeymoon - 7 day Alaskan Cruise

Wedding Colors - Lilac, rose gold, hunter green, and grey

Performer's Attire - Formal (Women: formal gown. Men: suit with a tie.)

Performance Expectations - 3 - A mix of interaction with both traditional requests and dance songs.

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

Send-Off

Details:

At 10:40

We will do a reverse send off. We'd like announced that the Bride and Groom will say goodbye to everyone at the door after the last song. After, we would like to do a final dance just the two of us, if possible. Song: Starting Over by Chris Stapleton.

After-Party - Announce the following details:

Not a specific after party - but join us down in the casino after the wedding to party more!

We must be packed up and out of the venue by 12:00 am

Additional Information: check with chellme about entrance for us. security etc.

Josh Petite and Jen (Kvasnicka) Petite Timeline (Entertainment)

Full Timeline

12:45 pm - Arrival Time (musicians)
01:00 pm - Load in (ceremony/cocktails)
01:30 pm - Guests Arrive For Ceremony
02:00 pm - Ceremony Begins
04:00 pm - Guests Arrive For Cocktails
04:00 pm - Cocktails Begin
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10:45 pm - 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 bouquet toss
- No garter toss
- No special songs per heritage
- No expected fight songs
- No shuttle

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](#)

