

# First Merchant Bank's 2025 Mortgage Rally

## Corporate Event

### General Information

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#### **Performers**

- Michael Sherman - msherman@felixandfingers.com - 5135181471 (Piano)
- Robert Deason - RobertDeason03@gmail.com - 18472040912 (Piano)
- Joey Zymonas - joey.zymonas@gmail.com - 8154744940 (Drummer)

#### **Entire Event Day Time Frame**

02/11/2025 - 06:00 pm - 10:00 pm EST

#### **Location**

Grand Wayne Convention Center  
120 W Jefferson Blvd  
Fort Wayne, Indiana 46802-3013

#### **Contact Person(s)**

Andrew McFalls  
(765) 760-1577  
tvoisin@firstmerchants.com

#### **Load-In**

**Load-in Note:** You may see one or both performers arriving for setup. Rest assured, this is normal and coordinated in advance.

You may load in equipment at 05:00 pm

**Please Note:** FMB main event space is in the Anthony Wayne ballroom on the main (first) level. Venue has indicated the easiest load in would be from the Washington Dock, if you're able to navigate backing up into a loading dock and carrying equipment up a few stairs.

#### **Expected number of guests:**

140-150

#### **Contacts**

##### **Photographer:**

Matt Howell  
Farmhouse Creative  
(765) 717-4825  
matt@farmhousecreative.net  
<http://www.farmhousecreative.net>

##### **Venue Manager:**

Brett Veit

(260) 407-5113  
bveit@grandwayne.com  
http://grandwayne.com

**Rally Coordinator**

Theresa Voisin  
(248) 444-8233  
tvoisin@firstmerchants.com

**Upgrades**

- Additional Musicians

**Files**

- [Grand-Wayne-Center-Facility-Map.pdf](#)



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### General Timeline

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#### **Itinerary**

<b>Time Frame</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Notes</b>
6:00 - 6:30	Cocktails/Hors D'Oeuvres	Served outside main room
6:30 - 7:30	Dinner	Track music
6:00 - 7:30	DJed Music	Track music
7:30 - 8:30	Award Ceremony	Award ceremony walk up music (while winners are walking up, AND inbetween categories). May not need full hour.
8:30 - 10:00	Dueling Pianos	Potentially longer if award ceremony ends early

#### **Dinner Seating**

Dinner will be served in the banquet area between 6:30-7:30. Players are welcome to eat during this time in available seating (not assigned seating).

#### **Explicit Lyrics:**

Keep it PG-13

#### **Tipping:**

Yes

#### **Alcohol/Bar**

Type: Open

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### Miscellaneous Information

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#### **People To Include In Show**

N/A

#### **Wireless**

##### **Details:**

**Please Provide The Name Of The Connection And Password**

	<b>Wireless Name</b>	<b>Password</b>
	GWCC Guest	No Password

#### **Other**

**Performer's Attire** - Dressy Casual (Women: a degree of polish, such as a blazer or jewellery. Flats or heels are acceptable. Men: chinos, suit pants or designer denims with a button-up or collared shirt; no ties.)

**Performance Expectations** - 3

#### **Departure And Load-Out**

**We must be packed up and out of the venue by 11:00 pm**



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### Gear Check And No-List

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#### **Reminders:**

- Turn down the lights in the room
- Double check your sound board settings, speaker settings, lights, mics on, etc.

#### **Gear Check List:**

- Keyboard (with power cable and sustain pedal)
- Wireless Mic and extra batteries (lapel for ceremony)
- 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
- Business Cards

#### **The "No" List**

- No special announcements
- No genres/tunes to avoid
- No must-play songs
- No children
- No sound ordinances
- No shuttle

#### **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:

##### **3. COO**

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

##### **4. CEO**

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

#### **Scribd**

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](#)